

### Seniors Give Orders For Cards, Invitations For Spring Exercise

Last week members of the Senior Class placed their orders for graduation invitations and cards from Stanley Johnson, manager of the school store.

Representatives of each senior home room were given samples of the invitation and cards to take back to the home room, so that each senior could choose the type he preferred. The cards were either engraved or printed. A student buying engraved cards is given the plate, so that at a later time he can have more cards engraved. A majority of the number who ordered preferred the printed cards to the engraved ones. The cards could be ordered in quantities of hundreds, with varying prices. The price of the engraved cards was from \$2.50 to \$3.50 per hundred; and the printed cards were \$1.50 per hundred.

The graduation invitations are 8 cents each and orders ranged from a very few to a hundred. These are engraved by the Star Engraving Company and will come May 11.

Last year 455 seniors of the Senior Class ordered graduation invitations and cards compared to 415 seniors of the Senior Class of this year.

### Three Local Key Clubs To Be Convention Hosts

On March 16, 17, and 18 Greensboro will act as host to the Carolina district convention of Key Club International, with the King Cotton Hotel serving as the headquarters for the meeting.

Eighty-eight clubs from North and South Carolina will participate in the convention, which promises to be the largest of its kind ever to be held in Greensboro. Each club will be represented by six official delegates, making an approximate total of 550 boys.

John Jester, president of the Senior High chapter of Key Club International, is the chairman of the planning committee, and he is working in conjunction with boys from the clubs in and around Greensboro. These include the organizations from Curry and Bessemer, in addition to Senior's chapter. The clubs in charge of the convention will not send official representatives to the meeting.

The plans for the program include several speakers, two of whom will be Bill Murray, coach at Duke University, and Lewis Stuckey, past president of Key Club International. Dr. Claude B. Bowen, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will give the invocation and Boyd E. Morris, Mayor of

Greensboro, will give the welcoming address. Mike Cudd, president of the Curry High School club, will give the greeting from the host Key Clubs.

"Prove Brotherhood" will be the theme for the oratorical contest scheduled for the convention. There will be clinics on various phases of club activities, in addition to the election of district officers.

Different types of entertainment, including a dance, will be provided for the boys. Discussion groups will be keyed to help them develop both as individuals and as organizations.

### Jane Parkins Winner For County's Contest

Jane Parkins, a junior at Senior High School, has won first place of \$10 cash in the County Cooperative Essay Contest which took place at the County Courthouse on February 29 with her essay on the topic "How Our Farm Surplus Can Help Win The Battle for World Peace."

Jane will now compete in the district contest with representatives from eight other counties in North Carolina. The date for the contest will be announced later.

The essay contest which is sponsored by the Farmers' Cooperative Exchange, is open to rural high school boys and girls or 4-H, FFA, or FHA members. Jane entered the essay contest last spring, but did not win in the county. This year she competed against students from Summerfield, Allen Jay, and Nathaniel Greene High Schools.

This was not Jane's first attempt at public speaking as she has been speaking for about four years and has made talks in 4-H Speaking Contests, FCX contests, over radio and television, and to civic clubs in Greensboro.

Jane stated, "I certainly have learned a lot by doing research work on the Farm Problem. I think the FCX contests offer an excellent opportunity for high school students to learn about vital current topics."



"It's a boy!" exclaims Coach "Lody" Glenn as he presents a cigar in remembrance of the occasion to Jim Martin, HIGH LIFE editor-in-chief. It seems that the stork dropped in on Coach Glenn on March 1 and presented a baby boy to the Glenn family. A bulletin on the board in the teachers' room read: "Coach Lody Glenn is the proud new father of a seven pound, eight ounce baby boy. Mother, new baby, and Father are all doing fine." This increases the Glenn family to four; he has a little girl age five. Glenn's only comment on his new born son was, "He has got the makings of a strong right tackle, a heavy-weight wrestler, and a powerful hitting baseball catcher!" Just like his Dad . . . eh, Coach?

### Classes To Present Plays At School, District Contest

Three one-act plays, one by the sophomores, the juniors, and the seniors, will be presented by the Playmasters here at GHS in the auditorium on March 15 at 8 p. m. and then again at the district contest at Aycock Auditorium on March 17 at 10 a. m.

The sophomores' comedy entitled, *Grandma Pulls the String* will be given by the sophomore speech class. The characters include Sandra Holderness, Kay Wallace, Lee Pickard, Deanna Wagoner, Ann Wolff, and Joe Matherly.

The junior dramatic group will present the farce, *When Shakespeare's Ladies Meet*. A gay time is had by the "famous ladies" from the plays of William Shakespeare. Juliet, who will be portrayed by Camille Merriman, is in love with Romeo. The other five ladies come to give her advice. The fiery Kathrine from "The Taming of the Shrew" will be played by Myrna Autry. Portia, the legal adviser in "The Merchant of Venice" will be brought to life by Elizabeth Antrim. Then

Ophelia from "Hamlet" will be characterized by Ruth Hunt. Marie White will give her advice as Desdemona from the play "Othello." And Cleopatra, who was the serpent of the Nile, will be recognized as Diane Hill.

The seniors have selected a one-act drama, *Trifles* for their presentation. In this play suspense and feeling will grow from nothing more than trifles. Dave Plyler, Reggie Bell, Mike Powell, Michael Gardner and Gordayne Egbert have parts in this play.

If any of these plays receive high enough ratings by the judges at the district contest, they will go on to Chapel Hill for the state meet.

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