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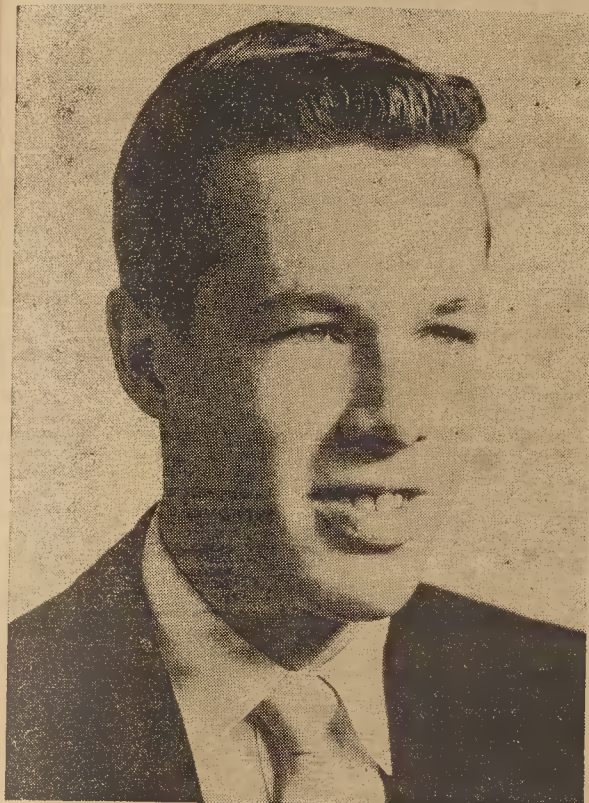
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Jerry Robertson Will Spearhead 1959 Student Body



Jerry Robertson was chosen to be GHS's next student body president when classmates went to the polls Wednesday.

Campaign Speeches, Posters Highlight Real-Life Election Competition At GHS

Posters, skits, and campaign speeches highlighted Senior High School's 1958 spring elections in which major candidates were Marty Cone and Jerry Robertson, who vied for the position of student body president.

Marty's campaign manager was Dave Garrison, senior, while Jerry was boosted by James Apple. Other candidates for major school positions and their supporters were vice-president Rodger Durham, boosted by Buddy Rives; Carol Eichhorn, boosted by Lynn McGregor, and Robert Hamlin, supported by Judy Lea. Secretarial candidates were Carol Smith whose campaign manager was

Wallace Williams and Diane Taylor, who was supported by Jim Eskridge.

Seeking the position of treasurer were Lacy Coble, boosted by Wellford Lineweaver; Penny Tallafarro, by Tommy Kitzmiller, and Scottie Troxler, by Meyressa Hughes. Aspirants for traffic chief

were Pete Banner whose manager was Marsha Bumpass; Mike Morton, who was boosted by Larry Crayton; and "Stick" Wilson who was supported by Jey Deifell. Candidates for chairman of youth recreation were Pat Hutchins, for whom George Murphy spoke, and Sheila Sapero, whose booster was Hugh Blair.

Jerry Robertson, senior, was chosen GHS president over Marty Cone. Rodger Durham will be vice-president; Carol Smith, secretary; Penny Tallafarro, Treasurer. Traffic Chief is Charlie Wilson, while Sheila Sapero will head up the Youth Recreation Committee.

After the home room primary Thursday, April 10 candidates for next year's Senior Class president were Penn Waldon and Dave Limer. Vice-presidential candidates were Paul Harrell and Mackie Stout, while Angie Davis and Maureen Ferrell were secretarial aspirants. Running for treasurer were Randy Blackwell and Tommy Edwards.

Fifty Juniors To Take Merit Scholarship Test

About 50 GHS juniors will take the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, to be administered nation-wide, Tuesday, April 29.

First preference for applications was given to special honor roll students, with the remaining positions of the 50 being filled by regular honor roll students.

\$5 Million Annually

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which is sponsored by 80 industries and foundations, plans to donate \$5 million in scholarships to high school students who will enter college in 1959. Previously the tests have been given during the first semester of the senior year, but the Corporation's stepped-up program calls for testing in the second semester of the junior year.

Previously Upper 10%

In the past at Senior High, students in the upper 10 per cent of their class have been allowed to apply for the test, but because of the complications involved in computing the rank in the class, the opportunity for application was given to students making the honor roll the first grading period of the second semester.

The scholarship can provide from \$100 to \$1500 annually for four years of college.

Deadline for applications for the Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship of \$100 was Friday, April 11. This award is open only to members of FTA. The winner will be announced at the FTA meeting, May 19, according to Miss Mozelle Causey, FTA adviser.

Applications are now available for the \$100 scholarship given for secretarial training by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

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Candidates for positions as Student Council representatives from the Senior Class were Susan Caviness, Becky Chambers, Jane Darden, Robin Farr, Betsy Glenn, Margaret Humphrey and Suzanne Humphrey. Others were Carol Overstreet, David Patrick, Kay Smith, Barry Troxler, Tommy Tuttle, Lila Wolff, and Jimmy Harris.

Ann Adams, Allen Barger, Brenda Blake, Jane Bundy, Norman Carroll, Carolyn Cavan, Mary Win Corcoran, Jane Gibson, Annette Glanckopf, Ashley James, Pam Kasey, Bobble Lovein, Pat Phillips, and Jenna Ward sought seats on the youth recreation council.

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May Day Theme Pictures Queen In 'Make-Believe'

As a result of the tryouts, which were the third week in March, 33 students were chosen to carry out the theme of this year's May Day, "Her Majesty In Make-Believe Land."

The students and the parts they play are: In scene 1, Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, Carol Overstreet, junior, is Snow White. The Seven Dwarfs are Lou Ellen Hart, and Amanda Bullock, sophomores; Phyllis Hodges, Pam Kasey, Ellen Fields, and Lynda Bellamy, juniors; and Linda Harrison, senior.

Hansel and Gretel

Characters in the Hansel and Gretel scene are Gretel, Carol Clapp, sophomore; Hansel, Raymond Spaulding, senior; and the Witch, Deanne Wagoner, senior. Rumpelstiltskin is played by Brenda Blake, junior, and the maiden is Sondra Childress, sophomore, in the third act.

Next, Janice Stanley, senior, appears as Cinderella, with Paul Tobin, senior, as the Prince. The two stepsisters are Elizabeth Apple and Jeanne Devant, juniors, and the stepmother is Annette Glanckopf, also a junior.

The maidens, who will choose their own dates, are Nancy Fredrick, senior; Sandra Sharpe, junior; Annabelle Current, junior; Ann Heptinstall, senior; Christina Stewart, sophomore; Kay Smith, junior; and Sherry Rottman, sophomore.

Others In Scene

Also in this scene, which is the (Continued on Page Eight)

Commencement Speaker To Be Charles W. Phillips, WC Official

Charles W. Phillips, director of Public Relations at Woman's College and past principal of GHS, will deliver the 1958 graduation address to some 450 Senior High candidates for diplomas in the gymnasium Wednesday, June 4.

Mr. Phillips became the principal of Senior High when it was founded in 1928. Thus it seems fitting that he should have a part

in closing out Senior's era by filling the graduation speaker's spot.

Known throughout the state as director of the newly innovated "North Carolina in School Television" experiment, Mr. Phillips is in demand as a speaker to interpret problems in the educational, civil, social welfare, and religious fields. A native North Carolinian, he studied at UNC and Columbia University. Since then he has taught in the Greensboro City Schools and served as principal of an elementary school.

Church Activities

A member of the Board of Stewards of the West Market Street Methodist Church, Mr. Phillips teaches the Men's Bible class which is broadcast each Sunday over radio station WBIG. His leadership in civic affairs has included holding the chairmanship of the Gullford County Board of Welfare. Too, he is active in YMCA and boy scout work, having served as president of the scout council here. Other of Mr. Phillips' activities include being past president and secretary of the Greensboro Rotary Club and district governor of the state organization.

Specializes In Guidance

Mr. Phillips' leadership in school affairs is demonstrated by his work as president of the State Congress of Parents and Teachers. His position at WC involves the college's extension program. He specializes in the field of guidance and both teaches classes and lectures to special groups on this subject.

Civitan Club To Have Grass-Seed Planting

"No bare spots and new grass" seems to be the motto of the Junior Civitan members and Coach Glenn, for April 19, they will begin to plant grass seed on all paths and bare places around the campus.

Bob McNairy is chairman of the committee which is responsible for wooden signs, to be placed on the planted area to remind students to stay off newly planted grass.

According to Edgar Sockwell, president of the club, "The Junior Civitan Club greatly appreciated the students helping out during the cafeteria clean-up campaign, and would like to receive the same co-operation with our new project."



Charles W. Phillips, graduation speaker for 1957-58 is shown at his Woman's College Campus office.