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# Weaver, Perry, and Dees Capture Top Posts

**Commencement** Speakers



Dr. Charles P. Bowles, minister of Centenary Methodist Church in Winston Salem, and Samuel R. Smith, Dean of Students at Greensboro College will speak during graduation week. Dr. Bowles will be the speaker for the Vesper Service on Sunday afternoon and Dr. Smith for the Graduation Service on Thursday night.

## Speakers For Graduation Chosen

Speakers for the graduation exercises for this year are Dr. Charles Bowles, minister of Centenary Methodist Church in Winston Salem, and Dr. Samuel R. Smith, Dean of Students at Greensboro College according to A. P. Routh, principal.

Dr. Bowles will speak at the Vesper Service Sunday afternoon, June 6, in the school auditorium.

He was born in Guilford College, North Carolina, and attended college there. Afterwards, he received several degrees at Duke University and was elected into Phi Beta Kappa and Theta Phi, scholastic fraternities. He was also president of the student body at Duke Divinity School.

Since 1941, Dr. Bowles has

a literacy program for adults, an and a recreational and audio-visadult education program, clerical training classes, industrial and vocational education programs

## Fourth Annual Carnival **Planned For This Week**

Greensboro's Parks and Recreaation Department will sponsor the fourth annual Teen-age Carnival on Thursday-Saturday, April 28-30, of this week.

Any sponsored junior or senior high organization is allowed one game booth, exhibit, or side show. Improvements for the carnival have inculded an extra day for the event and more professionalized booths. Also side shows ual program.

**Highest Decoration** Awarded to Dr. Smith

The Liberian government made Dr. Smith the Grand Commander of the Star of Africa in 1954. The Grand Band, the highest decoration given by the same order, was conferred on him by the Liberian government in 1959. He is also a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Ohio Wesleyan has conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters (L.H.D.).

He is an ordained minister of their speeches before a board of the Methodist Church and has judges from the local Toastbeen a member of the Northeast master's Club. The winner will Ohio Methodist Conference since receive \$50 and the runner-up, 1941. He has served in churches \$25. Winners' pictures shall appear April 27 in a local newsin Connecticutt, Illionis, and had to register in order to vote Ohio. paper. in the finals.

## New Council Selected; Plans Set For '66-'67

Results of the student elections for the 1966-1967 school year were announced by Lynnie Frierson, elections chairman. They are Curtis Weaver, president; Lynn Rose, vice president; Sue Wyatt, secretary; Mary Sue Hamann, treasurer; David Nickell, traffic chief; Jean Thornley, youth recreation council chairman; and Joe Coleman, pep board chairman.

Curtis Weaver, newly elected student body president remarked. "I would like to give the Interclub Council more power to help the service clubs work together better. An official representative from the Interclub Council should meet with the Student Council to help coordinate ideas and prevent duplication.

"School spirit means being a

## **Speech Contest Finals** To Begin Tuesday

Final rounds of the 1966 Youth Week Speech Contest will begin at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 26 at the Public Library.

Barbara Rothschild, sophomore was the winner of the preliminary contest at G.H.S. on Tuesday, April 14, and she will re-present the school in the final rounds. The topic of the contest sponsored by the Greensboro Parks and Recreation Department was "Where Do We Go From Here?"

Contestants had to write their speeches in the form of a theme no less than 800 words and no more than 1000 words. The themes were then submitted to the Speech Contest Headquarters and given to the judges for careful reading prior to the preliminary judging.

Three judges were chosen from each city high by the members of Y.C.C.A. from each school. Each group of judges selected a chairman who drew the name of a school from a bowl containing the names of six schools in the contest.

All six finalists will present

Whirlie in sportsmanship and conduct whenever you are called upon to represent our school. I want to have boy cheerleaders and have a School Spirit Day.

"This would include having an assembly in the morning, posters and prizes for the best posters, a pep rally in the afternoon and a game that night," commented Joe Coleman.

"I want the traffic squad to be hard-working and not to be criticized by HIGH LIFE next year," said David Nickell. Working in the parking lot to make sure cars are in their correct places and checking the teachers' parking lot for students' cars are two of the jobs David hopes to include as the traffic squad's duties.

Officers of the senior class are John Perry, president; Matt Gibson, vice president; Maleta Wilkinson, secretary; and Linda Welfare, treasurer.

Carol Crocker, Bryant Holsenbeck, Tom Long, Austin Lybrand, Susan Odenwald, and Nancy Richbourg were the seniors elected to the student council.

Youth Recreation Council members from the senior class are Ginger Corry, Ruth Dance, Steve Desper, Pat Hammers, Eddie Harrison, and Lynn Marshall.

Student council members from the Junior Class are Joe Allred, Mark Buie, Kathy Carlton, Carol Carruthers, Betty Hall, Jerry Hornig, Glenn Morris, and Lee Strange.

Juniors elected to the Youth Recreation Council are Pat Byrd, Gayle Cantrell, Hunter Clemmons, Chris Lawrence, Barbara Ownbey, Debbie Ownbey, Cookie Reed, and Emmy Smith.

This year anyone could vote in the primaries but each student

served as delegate to all jurisdictional conferences and was Chaplain at the Charlotte Memorial from 1952-55.

Several of the churches he has served are West Market Street Methodist, in Greensboro; Holt's Chapel, in Greensboro; and Dilworth, in Charlotte.

#### Activities Fill Time

Community and civic activities have filled his time. He was president of Kiwanis and of the Rotary Club, Chaplain of the Greensboro Club and of Civitan International. He began serving on the Governor's Committee on Juvenile Delinquency and Youth Crime in 1962.

"Afraid of That Which Is High" is the subject of Dr. Smith's address. He will speak at 8 p.m. June 9, at the graduation service in the boys' gym.

For 15 years he was Educational Director of the Firestone Plantations in Harbel, Liberia, West Africa.

In Liberia, Dr. Smith developed an elementary school system,

varying from combo competition to fashion shows may be seen.

Themes for game booths will range from a Mexican theme (Seniorettes) to a Batman theme (Junior Exchangettes), in which Batman will roller skate as he gives away prizes. However, the main theme for the entire carnival is the Junior World's Fair.

"Around the World" is the theme for the Charioteer's booth. Rings will be tossed at different placess on a world mural.

O. Henry Juniors and Junior Civitans have resorted to the Pilgrim's way of punishment, the ducking stool.

Throwing contests have been selected as booths for the Key Club, Hi-Y, and the Junior Jaycettes. While the Key Club will sponsor a ball-throwing booth, and Hi-Y an egg-throwing booth, the Junior Jaycettes will have a booth in which water balloons will be thrown.

Approximately 15 per cent of the city's total population is expected to attend this annual event.

### HIGH LIFE Announces New Staff

"I want the paper to take a better stand on current events," commented Ronnie Gallimore, HIGH LIFE'S managing editor for next year.

Other new staff members will include Marilyle Upchurch and Jean Broadway, co-news editors; Red Ward, Marty Palmer and Janice Kirby, feature editors; Rick Brewer, sports editor; and Franklin Stewart, advertising manager.

Mrs. Peggy Woodlief, advisor, has said that positions for photographer, cartoonist, circulation manager, and exchange editor are still open.

This paper is the first of two experimental issues representative of the staff's next year's work.

Few changes will occur in HIGH LIFE. Each editor plans to add his own ideas so that the paper will interest the majority of the students.

Planning for the news page next year, Marilyle Upchurch and Jean Broadway hope to recognize more people and school organizations, have more human interest stories, and have more timely articles.

Red Ward, feature editor, said, "I think I am safe in saying that our feature page will be better prepared and will have what the students want, more next year, than this year. "Whirlies, Whims, and Whispers"

#### Discontinued

Because of the graduation of Hallie Austin, this year's news editor, "Whirlies, Whims, and Whispers" will not be continued. However, the column will be replaced by an equivalent to it.

"Next year I'd like to have more features on the sports page. In fact, I'm planning on making news-features out of game stories instead of treating them as straight news," explained Rick Brewer, sports editor. Rick also plans to continue a sports column equivalent to "Whirlie Words."

### **Contributions Determine Total Pages**

Next year, the staff expects to have several six page papers. The Student Page and the Review Page, which ran on an experimental basis this year, will continue with the consistency of student contributions.

There will be a column in next year's HIGH LIFE similar to this year's "Roving Reporter" by Babs Jones. The column will also reflect student opinions. However, no definite plans have been made. The memo of weekly activities will also be continued each week.

Anyone interested in writing for the paper next year will be welcomed. They should contact any member of the staff or see Mrs. Woodlief in Room 10.