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## CHRIS SKARZYNSKI ELECTED PRESIDENT

The elections for the officers of the FTI Student Government were held on Friday, the 18th of October. The offices include: president, first vice-president, secretary, treasurer, vice-president—technical, and vice-president—trade.

On Thursday, October 17, the candidates presented their campaign speeches to the student body during the Student Activity Period.

After the elections were over and the votes had been counted, the student body waited until the following Monday, the 21st, for the results. The pictures of those elected were placed on the bulletin board in the 100 building.

Christopher Erik Skarzynski, a second-year student in Business Administration, was elected President. Chris is a grad-

uate of James A. Gray High School in Winston-Salem.

First Vice-President, James Monroe Flynt, Jr., of Kernersville, was graduated from East Forsyth High School, and is now studying Manufacturing Engineering Technology.

Gwendolyn Sue James, a student in Graphic Arts—Printing, is the Secretary for 1968-69. She is a graduate of Parkland High School.

Rita Kay Harvey is the new Treasurer. A Practical Nursing student, she is also a graduate of Parkland High School.

Ronnie Douglas Shreve is the Vice-President—Technical. A graduate of North Forsyth High School, Ronnie is a student in Business Administration.

The Vice-President—Trade is Richard Michael Crews. A graduate of North Forsyth High School, Mike is a Machinist student.

These offices will be held throughout the year. Ronnie Shreve, Vice-President—Technical, will assume the duties of the President until the election next year.

### Area Counselors Visit FTI

Seven counselors from Davidson, Davie, and Yadkin counties were guests of the Forsyth Technical Institute for a brief orientation conference on October 30, 1968.

The counselors were shown a film illustrating the types of programs offered at the Institute. They then visited the Welding and Printing Shops where Norman White, instructor in Welding, and Larry Hunter, instructor in printing, gave demonstrations of the work students are actually doing as a part of their training. William Warlick and Harold Atkins of the Agriculture Department, discussed types of employment opportunities available to graduates in Ornamental Horticulture and Agricultural Business Technologies.

The counselors attending from Davidson County were Mrs. Rose Schnoop and Mrs. Rosa Bowden of Thomasville Senior High. Representing Davie County were Mrs. Dadye Barger and R. J. Burn of Davie County High School. Yadkin County representatives were: Mrs. Virginia Daniels from Forbush High School and Miss Mary Speer and Bob Adams of Starmount High School.

At the conclusion of a tour of the Institute facilities the group were luncheon guests at the Statler-Hilton Motor Inn.

The counselors attending from Forsyth County were: Mrs. Iris Officer, Anderson; Mrs. Velma Friende and Mr. Robert DeVault, Atkins; Mrs. Olivette Bynum, Carver; Mrs. Betty DeVault, East Forsyth; Mr. Charles Baldwin and Mrs. Judy Pollock, Mount Tabor; Mr. Dan Motley and Mrs. Lena Godwin, Parkland; Miss Janie Weaver, Mrs. Ruby Harris, and Mr. Robert Jones, Reynolds; Miss Rosalie Adams and Mr. Marcus Allred, West Forsyth; Miss Frankie Craven, Children's Home, and Miss Louise Shelton, City-County Office.

### PRESIDENT PROJECTS BEST YEAR YET

Again I would like to say "welcome" to everyone here at Forsyth Technical Institute and thank you for your support during the elections.

I have emphasized the importance of studying while you are here at Forsyth Tech, but I want you to realize that there will be many occasions for social activities. Some working projects will be carried out also. In all these different activities I would like for the entire student body to be willing and able to participate. Upcoming will be the presentation of a talent show if enough interest is shown by the student body, the Christmas float is almost complete for presentation in the annual Winston-Salem Christmas parade to be held this Saturday.

I think that through such projects as these we can unite the student body and be the strongest and most active technical institute in North Carolina.

The Student Council is already planning a Valentine's Dance for the student body. If at any time the students themselves would like to attend our meetings or even present some suggestions, I would welcome this at any time.

I hope with your support this will be the best year for everyone at FTI.

Chris Skarzynski  
President  
Student Council

### BUSINESS CLUB NEWS

Wouldn't you like to learn more about business from the men who know most about it? The Business Club offers you this opportunity.

The objectives of this club are as follows: (1) to bring school and the business community closer together; (2) to enable students to get information and inspiration from professional business managers; and (3) to encourage individuals toward self-improvement in their particular field of interest.

The club, collegiate chapter of the Administrative Management, was formed last January. Already they have had numerous speakers and have attended a dinner of the A.M.S. This year they plan to continue having guest speakers, to take field trips, and to have more social functions.

Although there are only twelve members now, they hope to increase and perhaps double their membership this year.

To qualify a student must have a minimum of 15 hours with a 3.0 quality point average; or 45 hours and an average of 2.5.

The officers of the club are: President, Ted Irvin; Vice President, Richard Landreth; Secretary-Treasurer, Nancy Willard.

A very high percentage of the qualified students have joined the chapter, which is a very good recommendation for it. Keep in mind what Mr. Tedder, the sponsor, said: "It is within reach of all students who are willing to put forth the time and effort."