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Brown Wins Senior Class Presidency As Christenberry and Willis Win Close Races



Charlie Brown



David Christenberry



Rusty Sitton

Mizell Is Defeated

Charlie Brown, a former freshman class president and night manager of the Union, was elected president of the senior class of 1970 in a sparse turnout for last week's class elections. Mr. Brown received 46 votes, while runner-up Joseph Davidson received 16 votes. Jerry Hammond, who was running unopposed, easily won the vice presidency. Robert Welch (52), Olga Polyzos (51), and Ronald Rogers (50) won seats on the Student Legislature from the rising senior class. These three were the only official candidates, but there were five write-ins. The senior judgeship on the Student Court remains vacant for lack of a candidate.

Rusty Sitton, running unopposed, polled 66 votes to win the junior class presidency, while David Christenberry upset Sonia Mizell in the tight vice presidential race. Mr. Christenberry received 38 votes, while Miss Mizell, an incumbent legislator, received 33. The three candidates for junior representative to the Legislature - Carol Poston (64 votes), Barbara Brenizer (63 votes), and Dianne Vaughan (62 votes) - were all elected. In another hotly contested race Steve Kendrick and Peter

Donahue were elected to fill the two junior seats on the Student Court. Kendrick and Donahue received 45 and 43 votes, respectively, while Ben Basinger, who is presently vice-president of the junior class, received 39 votes. Write-in candidate Ronnie Joyce polled four votes.

Union Announces Committee Chairmen

The University Union has announced the chairman of six standing and two ad hoc committees for the coming academic year. In a small press conference in the Union Director's office last Thursday Miss Carolyn Bobbitt, Vice-Chairman of the Union for

next year, prefaced the formal announcement with a statement of the import of the positions. She emphasized particularly the amount of work that goes into these chairmanships, stating that, these offices are, "as important as any of the elected offices in student government." Miss Bobbitt stated that she was "quite pleased" with the response from

the student body in the form of applications for the open positions. She also mentioned the difficulty in selecting the chairmen, but stated that she felt that "the best people for the jobs" had been appointed.

Buddy Worrell, a sophomore biology major, will chair the Social Committee, assisted by Mr. Darrell Reichert. Miss Barbara Brenizer, a junior French and music major, will chair the Arts Committee, with Miss Debbie Feuer as vice-chairman, while Mr. Gordon Lawrence, a freshman psychology major, will chair the Publicity Committee with the help of Mr. Rodney Stewart. The Special Activities Committee, which handles the "On Campus" tv show, will be chaired by sophomore Jerry Hensley, a business administration major. His vice-chairman will be Miss Lynn

Allen. Bob Welch, a junior chemistry major, will again chair the Recreation Committee. The Lectures Committee will be headed by Danny Matthews, a junior history major, who will be aided by this semester's chairman John (Peach) Hightower.

The Union Program Board, according to Miss Bobbitt, has decided to take some of the weight off the shoulders of these standing committees by creating two ad hoc committees - a Coffee House Committee, chaired by Miss Barbara Jean Smith and Miss Donna Raley, and a Hospitality Committee, chaired by Miss Bobbe Berry, who has acted as chairman of the University Union during the past year. Miss Bobbitt explained that the function of the Hospitality Committee will be one of welcoming and touring visitors to the University and the Union.

Tutoring Program to Begin Here

The Academic Affairs Division of UNC-C has organized a tutoring program for all interested students. Dr. Sherman L. Burson, chairman of an ad hoc committee to investigate the matter of students who are experiencing academic difficulties, said Friday that he has lined up approximately two dozen professors who are willing to help. "The group that we have so far is quite heterogeneous," said Burson, "there are some professors who are willing to provide aid in their specific field and others who are anxious to assist students in filling in their educational backgrounds, if they are deficient." Dr. Burson, who is chairman of the chemistry department here, stated that he would like to hear from students who would be interested in helping with the tutoring: "I think that the most students that we involve as tutors, the more successful our attempts will be. The students talk the same language, and they will be able to bridge a communication gap that is often overlooked by professors. Some students are hesitant to inquire about the meaning of a word to a professor; whereas they might not hesitate to ask a fellow classmate about it."

Dr. Burson also said that he is looking for more professors to be tutors he is afraid that some students might need help in fields other than the ones represented by the present volunteers. All students who are interested in either tutoring or being tutored are requested to contact Dr. Burson in the chemistry department.

Security Guard Jailed in Theft Case

C.S. Brown

Accused of Stealing

Charles Stephen Brown, Jr. has been charged with larceny from stealing money from the cafeteria on April 6, 1969. At the time Mr. Brown was employed with the University as a security guard.

After the charges were made, Mr. Brown was not put under bond, but was merely cited to court by the magistrate. His trial was set for April 23 at 9:00, at that time the case was continued for two weeks, until May 7, by the solicitor.

The money was discovered missing by Mr. Loren Haus, cafeteria manager, on the morning that we returned from our Easter holiday. Mr. Haus reported the theft to the security department who routinely called in the county police to take finger prints.

The security guards then volunteered to take a lie detector test to absolve themselves of suspicions of guilt. Mr. Brown stated, with the others, that he did not take the money but the test indicated that he was lying. About four hours later he admitted to the Charlotte police that he had taken the money.

Teaching Excellence Committee Seeking Nominations for Award

The committee in charge of the selection for the Teacher of Excellence Award is seeking nominations from the faculty and students. Nominations are being sought in order that the committee may have a better sampling of student and faculty opinions for the Teacher of Excellence Award. The nominations should include the professor's name and a brief detailed statement as to why he should be nominated. (Last year the letters of recommendation were not detailed enough to benefit the committee). It is also requested that those students who nominate include their class standing and their major with the nomination. Nominations should be left in Dr. Cone's office, in Dr. McEniry's office, in the library, or at the information desk in the Union. The nominations are counted only as nominations and not as ballots or votes. The committee is charged with the responsibility of voting. THE DEADLINE IS THURSDAY, MAY 8 by 5:30 PM.

The award is made possible by

a \$5,000 grant from the North Carolina National Bank. The grant is to cover a monetary reward to the teacher (s), a banquet for the entire faculty and their wives, and the expense of a speaker for the event. The grant which is given annually to the University began last year, and Dr. Seth Ellis was chosen as the recipient.

The award is presented to the professor(s) who the committee feels has done excellent work in the area of teaching or research or community service.

The ten-man committee which selects the professor is composed of five students and faculty or administration personnel. This year's committee consists of Dr. Cone, Dr. McEniry, Dr. Moose, Dr. Matthews, Dr. Goodnight, Bill Billups, Michael Stockton, Danny Phillips, Stewart Auten, and Kay Watson.

JOURNAL gives Dubious Awards (See page 2)



Garry Williams

Present freshman class president and vice-president Garry Williams and Gordon Lawrence retained the top two spots in the rising sophomore class. Garry, running unopposed, got 131 votes (Gordon Lawrence received 15 write-in votes); Gordon, also running unopposed, polled 126 votes and was opposed by 5 write-in votes. Dorothy Faye Conley (127), James Cuthbertson (136), and Edward Wayson (142) won the Legislature spots from the sophomore class. Thurman Willis edged out Steve Hewitt by a vote of 88 to 77 in the election to decide the one sophomore judge.

The SGA tried a new approach to election speeches last Wednesday; the speeches for the three classes were held in separate rooms in "C" building; whereas, they have been previously held at one massive assembly, either in the cafeteria or Parquet Room. Few students attended the speeches.

Less than three hundred total votes were cast, with over half of these coming in the rising sophomore elections. In the election for Consolidated University Student Council both Kit Ward and Paula Gallant were elected, receiving 224 and 212 votes respectively. There were ten write-ins.

One position on the Student Publications Board remains vacant, because the two nominees were both ineligible to hold the office. One of the prerequisites was that the nominees must be rising juniors.