Two Williamston High School Boys Make All-Conference Team

Rogerson, Andrews Named In Albemarle

Sam Bundy of Farmville served as master of ceremonies and presented Tom Brandon,, Martin County Farm Agent, who in turn introduced Coach Enright. Brandon is a former Clemson player and remarked that if Enright con- [illegible] the top he would have begin turning down Clemson offers pretty soon. Incidentally, the folks at Columbia, S. C., gave Enright a [illegible] drove it all the way here Saturday arriving a bit late and very tired.

Coaches of the year for the respective conferences were named as Joe Lavenson of Hertford for the Albemarle, Leo Morgan of New Bern for the North Eastern and Ren Hock of Clinton in the East Central.

The awards as most valuable players went to Tommie Umphlett in the Albemarle, Doug Bruton of Kinston in the North Eastern, and Earl Casey of Wallace in the East Central.

Doug Bruton of Kinston was named the lineman of the year while the award as blocking back of the year went to Jo Mozingo of La Grange in the East Central.

The Albemarle Conference all-stars are: Ends, Dildy of Ahoskie and Peal of Plymouth; tackles, Eugene Andrews of Williamston and Harrell of Scotland Neck; guards, Hopkins of Columbia and Symons of Hertford; center, Pierce of Plymouth; backs, Basnight of Plymouth, Rogerson of Williamston, Umphlett and Williamson of Ahoskie.

Coaches from the Albemarle conference attending were Stuart Maynard of Williamston, George Engle of Plymouth, R. J. Riddick of Columbia, Jack Young of Ahoskie, Thomas Dennis of Scotland Neck and Paul Lavenson of Hertford. Coach Jimmy Bonds of Windsor was unable to attend the banquet.

Enright Declares Athletics Should Be Kept In Place

Stars Must Have Education To Seize Opportunities In Life, He Says

Speaking in the Hotel George Reynolds dining room here last Saturday afternoon before a group of high school athletes, their coaches and principals, Coach Rex Enright of the University of South Carolina declared that athletes should always remember that the principal task before them while attending school is to get an education.

Talking directly the the thirty-three members of three all-conference teams, the former Notre Dame stalwart said, "There is no greater honor that can come to a young man than to be chosen as an all-star because it shows that he has reached his goal, that he is the best in his line and gives him a confidence in himself that will mean much to him in the future."

"To be chosen an all-star a player must block a little harder, tackler a little cleaner, run a little faster, think a little clearer than the other fellow," the coach said. "Being an outstanding man in athletics brings many opportunities to young men," he continued, and then warned that to be able to seize these opportunities and make the most of them it is always necessary that the primary purpose of attending school is to get an education, to prepare for the tasks of life.

Two Williamston High School boys made the All-Albemarle conference team, D. B. Rogerson in the backfield and Eugene Andrews in the line. Announcement of the teams and presentation of the awards was made by Lyn Taylor, sales manager of the Lindsley Sports Center of Williamston, the sponsors of the event.

The three conferences represented at the banquet were the North Eastern, East Central and the Albemarle.

TIGHT SQUEEZE

[illegible] phibs defeated the Lindsley Sports here last Saturday night for the second time this season but it was a tight squeeze this time. The Amphibs won 47-45 in the last few seconds as the score was tied almost all the way.

The Lindsley Lady Sports continued all-victorious by downing the Griggs High School Girls in a preliminary game, 34 to 28.

Bethel High School defeated Griggs High School boys 54 to 28 in another preliminary.

There will be no basketball games here this week so far as is known now. None are scheduled.

Bear Grass Club Holds Meeting

The Bear Grass Home Demonstration Club held its regular meeting Wednesday last evening in the Bear Grass Community house with Mrs. Thurman Ange presiding. The meeting was called to order with all members repeating the club collect, after which the group joined in singing the traditional Christmas carols, accompanied by Mrs. Chesely Jones at the piano.

As is the custom each year, members cwere invited to visit the county home on January 4 when a special service will be held to bring Christmas cheer with gifts and song.

An achievement day program was announced by Miss Elizabeth Parker to be held in January. Guest speaker will be Mrs. J. Brooks Tucker, who attended the conference of the associated country women of the world, which was held in Amsterdam, Holland.

Mrs. Lester Bryant, poultry leader, gave an interesting report concerning what is commonly known as "sore head" in poultry floks and recommended choirena powder as a cure.

The party began with a game of "Yes" in which Miss Parker won the prize. Following this, Bingo was played and each member received a prize.

Attractively wrapped Christmas gifts were placed under a decorated tree and at the close of the games they were distributed while a story of Christmas was being related by Miss Parker.

Fruit, nuts and candy were served to all members. Present and not previously named were, Mrs. W. S. Gurganus, Inez Jackson, Melba Wynne, Marie Biggs, Minnie Wynne, Myrtle Gurganus, Miss Agnes Bryant, Maggie Harrison, Rose Rogerson and Fannie Page.

The next regular meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Melba Wynne on January 21.

Qualified Workers May Enter U. S.

A proposal to permit entry into the United States of 100,000 carefully screened, qualified workers from Germany, Austria, and Italy is contained in a bill drafted for introduction by Representative Francis Case (R) of South Dakota.

The measure would include displaced persons but would not be limited to them, Mr. Case told a reporter.

He said the 100,000 allowed to enter should be broken down into these specific job categories:

Thirty-six thousand farm laborers, but not more than two to be hired on any farm, nor more than 12 to a county.

Twenty-five thousand domestic servants, but not more than two to any household.

Twelve thousand vegetable and sugar beet growers, with no more than two to a farm.

Twelve thousand dairy workers, with a limit of two to a farm or processing plant.

Ten thousand hospital attendans, but not more than one per fifty beds in any hospital.

Five thousand mechanics, bricklayers, carpenters, plasterers and masons, with no more than two per contractor, for each one hundred employes.

News As Reported In The Enterprise Forty Years Ago

DECEMBER 27, 1907

Christmas day was [illegible] a summer day, it was so mild and clear. It reminded one more of [illegible] mas.

Assistant Postmaster J. T. Price and his mother have moved into his house on Main Street.

Postmaster J. R. Mobley is moving his family to town. They will occupy the house just completed by Mr. Herbert Cowen.

The German Club gave a Christmas dance in the Opera House last night which was greatly enjoyed by all. The music was furnished by Prof. Henderson with three members of the Williamston Band assisted by three visiting musicians.

Andrew de Lisser of Jamaica, who is in this country attending school at Warrenton High School, is spending the Christmas holidays here with Wheeler Martin, Jr.

Francis S. Hassell, formerly of this place, but now one of Wilson's promising young lawyers, is home spending the holidays.

The Christmas tree at the Methodist Church Christmas night was a rare treat for the little folks. Santa Claus, J. Paul Simpson, was very good and many of the little ones were delighted with him.

Misses Katie Blount and Eva Gaynor of Greensboro Female College are spending the holidays at home.

Misses Pattie Dowell and Lettie Critcher from the Baptist Female University are home for the holidays.

Miss Nolie York from Littleton College is home to spend the holidays.

Christmas morning sometime between one and three o'clock the wholesale grocery store of L. E. Corey was robbed of about 1,500 cigars. The front window in which the cigars were displayed was broken into and the cigars taken out.

Calvin Hassell who has been employed by the N. & S. R. R. Co., at Wilson is home for the holidays.

Julius Peel of Washington City is home spending the holidays with his father, Mr. N. S. Peel.

ALL-YEAR AROUND

Stumped in seeking a gift solution for anybody in Martin County or anyone who has lived in the county? Here's a suggestion.

The Enterprise Publishing Company has been fortunate enough to increase its supply of newsprint to care for just about one hundred new subscribers for 1948. The 100 new subscriptions are offered to the first applicants. Possibly a friend or relative in another county or state or one right here at home would enjoy a gift subscription, a gift lasting all-year around. No special price is offered by the publishers who are taking a beating in trying to hold subscription prices where they have been since before the war, and no guarantee can be made that all subscription applications can be handled.

Ask Motorists To Drive With Care During Holidays

Approaching Season Is Most Hazardous Period Of The Year

"Don't [illegible] Death Take Your Holiday!"

With that slogan as a keynote, the National Safety Council announced today a nationwide campaign to check the huge annual Christmas holiday toll.

The Christmas-New Year holiday season is the most hazardous single period of the year, according to Council statistics. In traffice accidents alone, three times as many persons are killed during a Christmas holiday period than on the same days of the preceding two weeks.

Heavier travel and the festive spirit of the holiday season increase the normal winter hazards, such as bad weather, slippery roads and more hours of darkness.

More than 130 national organizations, city and state officials, [illegible] have joined forces with the Council in the year-end campaign. Together they seek to create in the public mind an awareness of the special holiday hazards and to enlist voluntary cooperation on the [illegible] part of every individual to hold accidents to a minimum this Christmas.

The Council emphasized that the campaign is the final effort of the year to hold the 1947 traffic death toll below the 1946 total of 33,700. At the end of the first nine months of this year, there was a small reduction in traffic deaths—4 percent—from the same period of 1946. But the final quarter of the year always is the one with the most traffic deaths.

"Christmastime is family time, the season of reunion, of joy in one's children, of drawing even closer the most fundamental ties that bind us together—truly a season to be merry," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the council.

[illegible] as well. The tragedy of an accident becomes even more poignant during the Yule season. It takes only a little forethought, a little extra care and often just a little [illegible] to make certain a Christmas celebration of joy and festivity unshadowed by accidents. "Remember—don't let death take your holiday!"

It's Expected

Clerk (to manager of store): "When I sold that lamp why did you want me to bill him extra for the shade, electric cord, and a bulb?"

Manager: "Oh, he's our local automobile dealer."

The mint at Philadelphia is the oldest in the United States, founded in 1793.

To All Our Friends and Customers

A Merry Christmas

Bright burn the Christmas candles. Red, green and shining are the holly leaves and berries. This is the time for joyousness in the spirit of His birth. Enjoy every moment of the season . . . and find your richest moments in doing for others and giving honor to His name.

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December 23

And Remain Closed Through Sunday

December 28

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they worshipped as we do almost two thousand years later. They knelt at His cradle as today we worship at His altar. Let us pay reverence to the King of Peace. Go to Church this Christmas.

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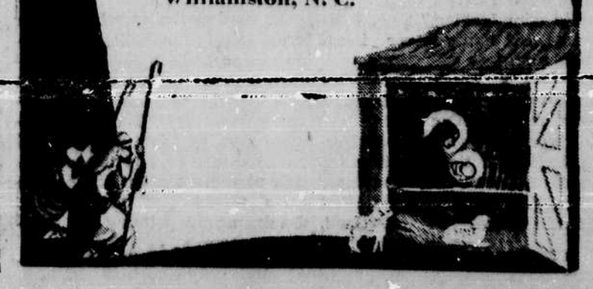

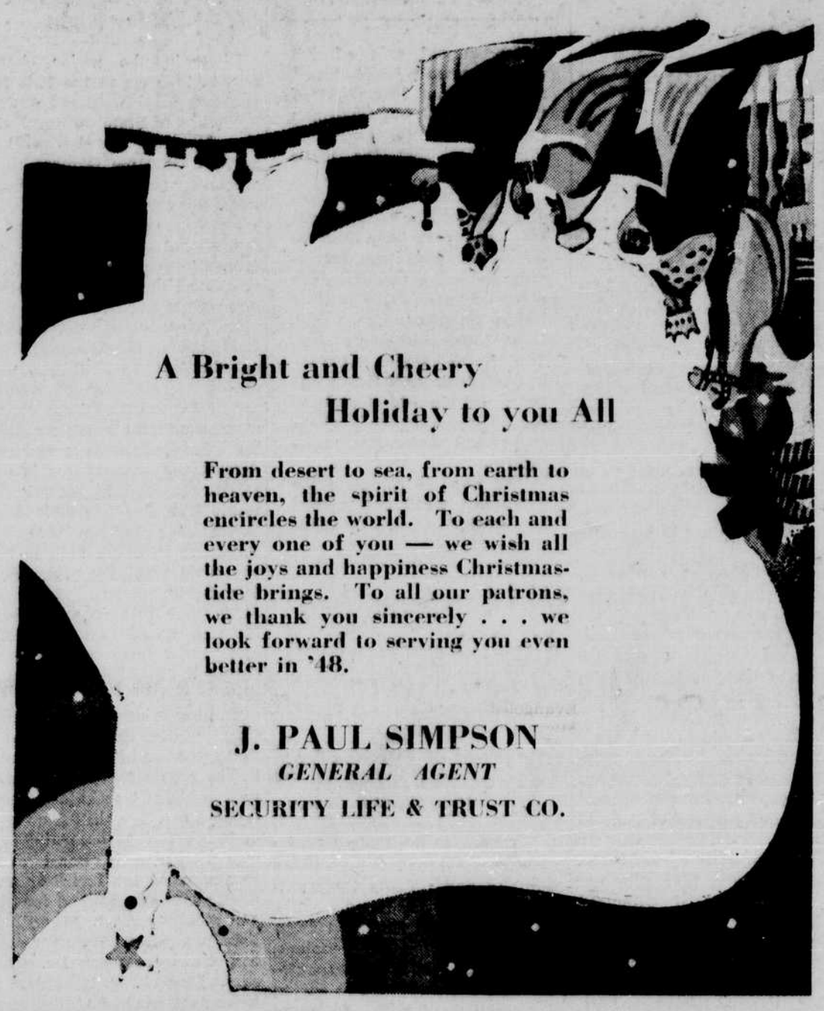

A Bright and Cheery Holiday to you All

From desert to sea, from earth to heaven, the spirit of Christmas encircles the world. To each and every one of you — we wish all the joys and happiness Christmastide brings. To all our patrons, we thank you sincerely . . . we look forward to serving you even better in '48.

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