

ANNUAL HOMECOMING DAY ON OCTOBER 18TH

Fall Enrollment Retains Last Year's Trend

Program Lasting All Day Is Already Mapped

and this year will be... what it was last... Registrar Howard... Last fall enrollment... 1249 students, and... year the total number... registered has... approximately 1225.

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Freshman Class Holds Thirteenth Orientation Fete

Freshmen over-ran the campus of ECTC during the days of September 22 and 23 as one of the largest groups of Freshmen in the history of the College flocked to the campus.

ECTC rose to meet the occasion and initiate the newcomers into their College experiences. The thirteenth annual orientation was held in the Auditorium of Robert H. Wright Memorial Auditorium.

An address of welcome was delivered by President L. R. Meadows, after which members of the faculty were introduced. At 10:40 on the first day of the orientation program Miss Annie L. Morton, Dean of Women; Dr. Herbert ReBarker, Dean of Men; F. D. Duncan, treasurer, and Dr. Howard J. McGinnis, registrar, explained the relationships of the student to his department.

Dr. Carl L. Adams talked on a subject important to all Freshmen, "Choosing a Curriculum." Last on the program was Harriett Marshburn, president of the Women's Student Government Association, who pointed out ways a student may get the most out of his college career.

Wednesday, September 24, Freshmen Registration Day, tired and bewildered Freshmen completed the last step toward becoming full-fledged students of East Carolina Teachers College.



Lansing Hatfield, above, noted singer of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will appear in concert at East Carolina Teachers College next Friday night, October 10. Hatfield is a native North Carolinian and has been received with wide ovation in all parts of the nation where he has appeared.

Lansing Hatfield Here October 10; Mrs. Roosevelt On November 17

Lower Your Windows, Girls! Editor Caught In The Draft

By Rosalie Brown

"Next! Take off your shirt; Come on over here and let's have a listen to your heart. You look like the typical American youth that we need for our Defense Program."

Jimmie meekly stalked over to the man, and in his ever so weak voice said, "I don't think I'm fit to go to the army, sir. I have heart trouble that started last year when I met a certain little Freshman at E. C. T. C."

"Oh, you are a college man?"

"Yes, that is in a way (but I probably won't be for long) and my Mother always told me to keep out of 'drafts' because I am subject to colds very easily. And my feet are so flat that they make any plainman look silly. Oh, yeah! I can't hear well at all, in fact everybody shouts at me."

"Say fellow, you wouldn't be trying to keep out of the army by any chance, would you?"

"Oh, no, sir. Do I look like that type? I just don't know how all the girls at E. C. T. C. are going to live and be happy and respectful without me there to help them."

"What subjects do you take down there? Any thing essential to National Defense?"

"Well, er, er, my majors are English and History."

"Hum, they will be Jackson and Green before long. Nope, the army needs you more than school. You aren't taking important subjects, such as Science, Electrical Engineering, Aviation, or German. Dependents?"

"There are 1100 girls at E. C. T. C. and most of them call me 'Daddy.'"

"If you don't look out you will start out in the brig, as a bigamist. You will be reporting to Fort Bragg, October 16 Next."

So it was just like that, and Jimmie Whitfield was Private Whitfield. Despite his many attempts to get a deferment, none worked. So, we bid a fond

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James Whitfield, above, a Senior, has resigned his position as editor of the *Teco Echo* pursuant to his induction into the United States Army at Fort Bragg on October 16. He will complete his education at ECTC if, and when, he gets out of the Army.

L. Clifton Evans, Popular Junior Dies On Sept. 24

L. Clifton Evans, 20, junior and one of the most popular members of the student body of East Carolina Teachers College, died in Pitt General Hospital on Wednesday, September 24, one day before he was scheduled to enroll for the 1941-42 session.

Funeral services were conducted from S. G. Wilkerson and Sons Funeral Home by John Arpfield, Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Greenville. Burial was in the family plot in Cherry Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Kenneth Henderson, Smut Burks, Leon Meadows, Jr., Bert Darden, George Lautares, Norman Wilkerson, James Whitfield and Charles Futrell.

Clifton was a member of the staff of the *Teco Echo* and was author of the column, "Campus Silhouettes." He also wrote general news for the school newspaper. He was a member of Phi Sigma Pi Fraternity, a member of the Executive Committee of the Young Democratic Club, and was an associate editor of the *Tecoan*, college yearbook.

He was graduated from Greenville High School in 1938 and entered Edwards Military Academy. While there he served the student newspaper as editor. He came to ECTC at the beginning of the 1940-41 session and had been active in affairs of the campus since.

Clifton was born in Wilson, moving to Greenville with his parents early in life. Besides his parents, surviving are one sister.

Dr. L. R. Meadows Vespers Speaker

President Leon R. Meadows spoke Sunday night at the first YWCA-YMCA vesper service of the college year, on the topic: "Making a Life," which, he pointed out would include much more than just making a livelihood.

President Meadows prefaced his talk with a comment on the Y. W. and Y. M. as the organization sponsored by the College for the spiritual growth of the students, and urged that his audience give them whole-hearted support. He then urged the students to make regular attendance at the church of their choice a part of their regular program. This will divide our students into groups, as it will take them to every church in town, he said, but all may come together again in the Y vesper service on Friday and Sunday evenings.

Starting from Luke 2:52, "He grew wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man," the speaker discussed in his talk certain ingredients, or elements, that enter into making a life, such as time, meditation, work, determination, tolerance and faith.

Expect to take time to grow. See Vespers on Page Four

Much Painting Done On Campus

In the interval between Summer and Fall terms at East Carolina Teachers College workmen at the college were busy painting buildings and putting the campus in order.

Some of the buildings were painted, new floors were put in Cotten Hall and floors were refinished in Jarvis, and new copper water pipes replaced the iron ones in Cotten.

Ten new tennis courts were created to the east of the Training School to furnish ample space for the many tennis enthusiasts on the campus.

Eight Vacancies In ECTC Faculty Now Are Filled

Eight faculty and staff members are new at East Carolina Teachers College this fall.

The head librarian, Felix Eugene Snider, who began work during the Summer, is new to the regular student body. Mr. Snider, a graduate of the University of Illinois Library School, came to the college from State Teachers College, Cape Girardeau, Missouri. Elliott L. Hardaway, of Vanderbilt University and the University of Illinois Library School, will be an assistant on the library staff. He has been serving as catalog assistant at the University of Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Snider are living on the corner of Fifth and Summit streets in Greenville.

Miss Margaret Sellman, of Northwestern University and Teachers College, Columbia, will take the place of head of the nursery school left vacant by the marriage this summer of Miss Evelyn Rogers. Miss Sellman has had experience in the nursery school of the outstanding school system of Winnetka, Illinois, and has taught at Teachers College, Columbia.

Robert W. Getchell, and additional assistant in music, will have charge this year of the band in addition to his regular

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Feature ECTC

Green Lights, official student newspaper of Greenville High School, will have a section devoted to East Carolina Teachers College in the next edition coming off the presses next Friday. The high school cooperates with the college in its teacher-training program and the section will give students of the high school an insight into certain phases of life at the college.

Musical Plans Are Announced

A. L. Dittmer, head of the Music Department, has announced that a series of musical programs will be presented throughout the current school year.

The first in a series will be a formal piano recital by Miss Wilda Royall on December 8.

At Christmas, one of the largest Christmas programs ever to be presented at East Carolina Teachers College, will be staged.

Following this, there will be two faculty recitals, and programs by the Ladies' Glee Club, College Choir and Orchestra. In addition to these, a Music Week program will be sponsored by the entire Music Department.

News! Council Has A Big Time

By Margie Davis

At first, the tasks of dish washing, cooking, etc., were divided among various groups, but finally everyone went on a household strike and merely flew to the kitchen when gastric juices started rumbling. Oh, but it was fun! There was a lovely, super-delicious grapevine close at hand and it was surely an ideal place for "jam sessions"—eh what? By the way, that Pamlico River was cold enough to squeeze a lemon into—Brr! But it wasn't cold enough to keep some from going in. Some reels got so cold they put on their sweaters and hopped in the bed with other people—and if you want to know anything

about cold feet—j-u-s-t a-ask-me! Er-finally we settled down to a more serious business; namely that of discussing our plans for Freshman orientation and the new council room in Austin, for which we would like to thank Miss Sallie Joyner Davis.

Well, if you freshmen think we greeted you with rather serious faces—it's because we left our "wim, wigor and vitality" at dear Ole Camp Leach—so please forgive us.

Our special guests included Miss Grigsby and Miss Williams, and our chaperone was Miss White—and say! She sho can cook fried chicken!

Offering Degree In Liberal Arts Here This Year

For the first time at East Carolina Teachers College have the opportunity to enter a liberal arts curriculum leading to a non-professional degree—that is, one that does not carry with it the obligation of teaching.

The A. B. degree has been offered the first days of the College year, and the one granted by the institution for a professional degree, qualifying the candidate for a state teacher's certificate, and the new non-professional degree at East Carolina Teachers College will be the first.

A faculty committee composed of Dr. A. D. Frank, Dr. Herbert ReBarker, Dr. R. J. Slay, Dr. H. C. Haynes and Mr. M. L. Wright has been working out the requirements set up for the degree.

The liberal arts curriculum is being instituted in response to a demand that has been growing for several years.

It is difficult to estimate, says President Meadows, just how many students will turn to the new curriculum, but it should be of interest to many boys and girls in the immediate vicinity who could not otherwise attend a college and yet want a non-professional degree, and to many who by temperament are not fitted to teaching.

One outstanding reason for the adoption by the Board of the additional curriculum, said Dr. Meadows, was the aid it would be to the College in making the training of teachers in the institution a selective process and furnishing even better teachers to the state.

The new phase of the College's educational program has prompted a number of students who were candidates for the degree leading to a teacher's certificate to change their curriculum.

Tentative plans for an all-day homecoming celebration to be held at East Carolina Teachers College on October 18 already have been worked out by a committee headed by Mrs. Adelaide Bloxton.

Comprising the Homecoming Day Committee are Mrs. Bloxton, chairman; Miss Maria D. Graham, Coach John B. Christenbury, O. A. Hankner, Miss Velma Lowe and Miss Estelle McClees.

Registration for homecoming will be held in the lobby of Austin at 10:30 o'clock on the morning of October 18, followed by a general program in Austin auditorium starting promptly at 11 o'clock and lasting until 12 o'clock.

Appearing on the program will be Mrs. J. C. Holland of Raleigh, president of the Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College, and Dr. L. R. Meadows, college president.

Dinner will be served at one o'clock, and contrary to the usual procedure, everyone eating on the campus will be seated.

Coach Christenbury's Pirates will tangle with West Carolina Teachers College in a football game, to be preceded by a colorful parade, plans for which have not yet been completed. Dot Dalrymple is in charge of the student groups working in the interest of the parade.

The football game will start at 2:30 o'clock and highlights the afternoon activities.

Starting at 8:30 in the evening a dance will be staged in the Wright building, and a party for those who do not care to dance, in the new Classroom Building.

For the general session to be held in the morning of Homecoming Day, music will be furnished by the College Orchestra, and the Mixed Chorus will provide vocal selections.

Tabor Portrait To Be Unveiled

President L. R. Meadows has announced that an oil painting of the late Dean C. Tabor, head of the Music Department at East Carolina Teachers College for two years, has been presented by members of the family and will be unveiled in appropriate ceremonies to be held at a chapel program on Tuesday, October 28.

The portrait, which is 25 by 30 inches, was painted by the same artist who painted the portrait of Calvin Coolidge now hanging in Washington.

Dean Tabor's portrait is a splendid work of modern art and will be hung in an appropriate place in Robert H. Wright Building.

President Meadows said that all the arrangements have not been completed for the unveiling exercises.

Holding Night Science Classes

The Science Department of East Carolina Teachers College is offering two courses in science as night classes this fall. The classes will meet on one night per week on the campus and will carry full residence credit of three hours per course.

An organization meeting was held in the Science Department at the College at 8 p. m. on Tuesday, September 30. At this time courses to be offered and night of class meetings were decided.

Credit in these courses may be used toward graduation or for the renewal or raising of certificates.

Dr. R. J. Slay and Dr. B. B. Brandt have charge of the night classes.

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In Memoriam

There comes a time in our lives when someone we know intimately or hold very dear to us, takes his heritage on earth and passes from existence, as there is nothing more certain than death. Such a person was Clifton Evans, known to all members of the student body as "just plain Cliff." Clifton was intelligent and likeable, and was known among a wide circle of friends. He was courteous and polite, and always extended a friendly greeting to those whom he met on the campus or off the campus.

His passing is a distinct loss to the college and to this newspaper, as he was one of the most diligent and industrious workers the staff has ever known. He had his views on life and stood by them. But if we are to attain goals, our lives must be possessed with purposes. Clifton had his, and we admired him for them.

We'll miss Clifton in the staff room, on the tennis courts and at the swimming pool. We shall miss him for what he meant to us and to others. Even though he is not with us in person, he will be with us in spirit always.

Now Is A Good Time To Start Attending Church

Students of East Carolina Teachers College attended Church in large numbers last Sunday, symbolizing a good start for the current year. Any student who doesn't enjoy sleep is below normal as far as his colleagues go, but sacrificing sleep to attend Church will not bring any regret for those who attend. Through the ages the best people have been those who have not neglected the religious way of life, and those who have made Christianity a part of their lives have found life more enjoyable. Although some students may miss Church on Sunday morning, they still have the opportunity to attend Vespers sponsored each Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock in Austin auditorium by the Young Women's Christian Association and the Young Men's Christian Association. On each occasion there is some inspiring message that will help a student encounter problems he finds in his school life from day to day. In these troublous times a student should remember that the Christian way of life is going to shape some of the future policies of the world, as religion is destined to endure forever.

More School Spirit Is Needed In This College

When the Pirates opened their 1941 grid year and turned in a splendid performance against a background of good training, only a small number of students attended the game, if we take the entire student body into consideration. This situation not only looked bad to the visiting team, but failed to give impetus to the home team. It is true that the cheering squads have not been organized for the current year, but nothing was done to serve as a substitute for this condition. Each year the lack of school spirit prevails, but nothing is done about it. A player wants to play the game squarely and relishes victory. But it doesn't make him feel so well to play before empty seats. If anything is to be done about school spirit, each student must assume some initiative. School spirit is something that must be built up through individual and collective support, but it never has been done here. We have some fine fellows in school and they want to produce the kind of athletic teams that you desire. Let's start right now with more school spirit and keep it at a high peak.

A Note To The Freshmen

You have taken a lease on life that will transform you from an adolescent to an individual with a well-rounded personality if you put the best that you have into your college career. Slowly, but surely, you will be confronted with the task of assuming responsibility, and how well you do this will determine the success you find in tackling problems later in life. When a student jumps from a high school of a few students to a college of many students and finds himself among what he regards as total strangers, he is possessed with a spirit of loneliness. This is the time for him to begin acquiring new friends, as many of them will be life-long.

Perhaps the largest single problem of the average college freshman is that of adjustment. The adjustment process includes his social and scholastic side of life, and one is just as important as the other if he is to make a splendid teacher. Meeting the problems in on the scholastic side of life hinges on a student's study habits, while the social side is confined namely to his extra-curricular activities. One good way to help meet the social adjustment is to join some organization that best suits the interests of a student. In this the student not only will find ways to utilize time that come after study, but also friends who are willing to assist him with his problems as they arise.

All students entering college for the first time have the potty of their future welfare in their own hands. They can shape or break their own destiny. Let the chips fall where they may.

Our School Is An Exception!

It has long been established that East Carolina Teachers College with an enrollment of more than 1200 students from all over Eastern North Carolina is of definite value to the city of Greenville and to its merchants.

These more than 1,000 young men and young women, not only do a great deal of shopping in the city, but also serve as an excellent means of advertising for Greenville throughout the state. Their impressions of Greenville and its business men and merchants should have considerable influence in the communities and schools in which they teach or work after graduation.

Members of the Greenville Merchants' Association recognize the advertising and trade value of ECTC students, as is evidenced by their special posters, signs and displays in viting the patronage of these students. Yet when representatives of the college sought to solicit a comparatively small amount of return advertising

Watching The World

by
Bernice Jenkins

The gigantic holocaust known as World War II blazed forth with terrific fury to usher in this week with death and destruction on five major fronts. First came an outburst in the south as Italy took the lead in a naval engagement with the British and the RAF replied with an all-out assault on several Italian cities. In the Far East Japan opened an offensive against Changsha, capital of the Hunan province, but the Chinese claimed to be holding their own. And as the Russians fought grimly against mounting Nazi pressure on the southern and northern Soviet fronts, the Germans themselves were battling underground revolts and sabotage from Norway to the Balkans.

Those are four fronts. Probably the most important front of the entire war, however, is in Washington, where the administration has opened its campaign for the repeal of the Neutrality Act, which would, in effect, constitute an open declaration of war on the axis powers.

As these battles of the present rage on, perhaps it would be well to look to the future and ask what will happen during the winter, next spring and summer, when and how the conflict will end. It seems more than unlikely now that Hitler will crush the Russian army and take Moscow before the spring as the bitter Asiatic winter already sets in. On the warmer southern front it is possible that the axis forces will drive through to take much territory in the Ukraine and to consolidate their position before the winter is ended and the spring campaigns begin.

With the situation as it now stands, there are two major fronts, on one or both of which the outcome of the big show may be decided. Should Hitler dig in for the winter in the north and east and drive south through Turkey to India and rich rewards in oil and food supplies, Germany and Italy will probably be aligned against England, Russia, Turkey and possibly the United States in decisive military operations in Africa, Syria, Iraq, Iran, Turkey and southern Russia. The victorious side in such a battle would almost undoubtedly be the ultimate victor in this gigantic world folly. In a movement of this type the superior Nazi legions would be forced to strike with blitz tempo to overcome harassment by the RAF in the west, the Russian mechanized armies and air force in the east and by sabotage and underground agencies at home. With all-out material and probably military aid from this country the outlook on a southern war favors the Allies.

But a push to the south may be Hitler's last chance of winning the war. Should he wait and let the outcome of the conflict be decided in battles on the eastern front next summer, the United States will have a fatal (to Hitler) six months to build its armed forces and to turn out armaments of all types for England and the Union of Socialistic Soviet Republics. English and American armies might attempt an invasion of the continent from the west or from the south in addition to aiding the Reds. And while the democracies and their allies use this time for valuable preparation, Hitler would have his own troubles with saboteurs in Germany and conquered countries. Nazi reserves in men, metal and oil, already depleted in the Russian war, would be lowered still more by sporadic outbursts on all fronts during the winter, while the democracies' strength in these vital war materials would increase constantly with United States output.

Regardless of when, where, why or how the battle, things look none too rosy for Mr. Hitler!

STUDENT OPINION

Dear Friends:

My country has called me to the Army, so I take this means of saying goodbye. It is with a note of sadness and deep regret that I extend this last fond farewell, as I may never see any of you again. Guns of Europe are thundering more loudly, and belching more death and disaster. Soon the boys in khaki—and that's what I'm slated to be wearing within two more weeks—may spill blood on the field of battle to keep this "one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

I'm leaving more than a group of brick buildings, as students make a school, and friends make an individual. During my three years on this campus I have acquired a wide circle of life-long friends. And more than once when I go away I shall sit in front of the barracks, or in front of my pup tent, and think of Ann, the Young Democrats who call me "daddy," the campus building, hours in the staff room working on the *Teco Echo*, the movies on Saturday night, the soda shoppe, and Fleming Hall, but more recently, Jarvis.

Since the word got around that I have to go away, my friends have remarked: "We're going to miss you", "School isn't going to be the same," or some other rejoinders that give a fellow the feeling you have when you hear the dull thud of hard clay as it bounces off the casket of a close friend after the remains have been lowered into six feet of earth. I'm going to miss all of you, too, and especially one person whom I have already mentioned. And when my bus rolls away from the station at the foot of the west campus at 12:25 on October 16, you can rest assured that Uncle Sam is not getting anything but my body, as I'm leaving my heart at East Carolina Teachers College.

From time to time I'll be sending the *Teco Echo* bits of information about the contrast of college life and Army life to keep you informed on national defense efforts. And I shall be interested in what's going on back here, too.

When I get out of the Army, I shall complete my education here. So until then, goodbye, take care of Ann, and may God be with all of us until we meet again.

Sincerely, Jimmie Whitfield.

and support from members of the Merchants' Association that programs to publicize and build up the college football team might be printed, the Association calmly turned thumbs down on the proposition and produced rules directed at preventing any such requests from ECTC or others from being complied with.

Obviously these rules have as their purpose to prevent the merchants' losing money in fraudulent advertising schemes. But should an ECTC football program be considered such a scheme? Certainly the college is attempting to make no money at the expense of the merchants. An institution as large and as important to the business interest of local merchants as in this college should receive special consideration in this matter.

Tell Your Friends About This, Students

The Greenville Junior Chamber of Commerce again is co-operating with the Entertainment Committee of East Carolina Teachers College in an effort to bring better entertainment to the College. Tickets are being sold at a reduction to outsiders and members of the student body are urged to tell their friends about this offer, enabling them to get the best in entertainment at the lowest possible cost.

Club News

By Margie Davis

ACE: Annie Laurie Wilkerson, president of the Association of Childhood Education, announces that there will be a meeting of the executive council of the club tonight at 6:30 o'clock in room 103 of the Education Building.

Societies: The three societies, Emerson, Poe and Lanier are sponsoring "rush week" for any persons who are interested in joining. These societies form prominent social groups on our campus and are sponsors of various entertainments throughout the year. Choose your society and join now! See the bulletin board for announcements.

Freshman Class: Joyce Dunham, president of the Junior Class, announces that plans for the organization of the freshman class and Fresh elections will be posted soon.

YDC: The Young Democratic Club of East Carolina Teachers College, largest college or university organization of its kind in the United States, will begin its membership drive in the near future. Professor Edwin H. Paget of State College extended an invitation to the Young Democrats of this College to be represented in the Student Legislature to be held on October 24 and 25 in Raleigh.

Notice: Clubs expected to be represented in this column should send or bring their notices to the staff room.

VACANCIES

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classes. He is a graduate of Iowa State Teachers College and the Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester. He is living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wright.

In the public school of art department Miss Madalen Towers will fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Miss Vida Wicks. Miss Powers is a graduate of a Minnesota Teachers College and of Teachers College, Columbia, and has been serving as an art consultant and supervisor in Posts Children's School, Quantico, Va.

Miss Dorothy Parks will teach physical education in the place of Miss Helen McElwain, who resigned to do graduate work on a teaching fellowship at Harvard. A native of Florida, Miss Parks is a graduate of Florida State College for Women and Teachers College, Columbia.

In science, the place of Miss Mary Caughey, on leave of absence to complete work for the doctor's degree at Duke, is filled by Miss Mary Humphreys of Maryland. Miss Humphreys holds a Master's Degree from Duke and last year was graduate assistant there in botany while working toward her doctorate. Miss Parks, Miss Powers, Miss Sellman and Miss Madison, N. C., new assistant nurse at the college infirmary, is a graduate of Roanoke-Rapids Hospital and has studied at Peabody College. She has been in Greenville the past year as nurse at the NYA training center.

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adieu to our friendly editor. So, from now on it will be "up with the Chickens, and to bed with the hens." (and I do mean the kind with feathers!)

Can't you just picture him on a twenty-mie hike, with fifty pounds on his back, and tramp, tramp, tramping! Where his theme song used to be "I Only Have Eyes for You (Ann)." It will now be "Twenty-one dollars a day, Once a month!" Well what are you kicking for? You are one in a million and a half, now!

So, "Goodbye, Dear." We will be here in a year, don't forget ole E. C. T. C. while you are away. We will be practicing a little army tactics, and when you come back we will "Present Arms!"

Don't forget to be at the bus station at 12:20 on October 16 to "Kiss the Editor, Goodbye," girls. Thus ends my last story for the biggest chewball editor, and most radical makeup man in the newspaper world.

STUDENT'S CORNER

By Pearl Edwards

Again with the opening of school comes the newspaper, and with the newspaper comes Student's Corner. In each issue we attempt to tell something about one of the members of our student body who we think deserves recognition. For this issue Charles L. Marks is the selectee.

Charles came to us in the fall of 1939 as a transfer from Wake Forest. He entered E. C. T. C. with the right spirit. He knew that all work and no play would make Charles a dull boy so he started with extra curricular activities from the beginning. In the summer of 1940 he was Y. M. C. A. representative to New York President school, vice-president of the Junior Class in 1940-41 Treasurer of the Y. D. C. 1940-41, and now he is serving as president of the Y. M. C. A. He has also been a very active worker in dramatics for the past two years.

I am sure that most of you know Charles by this time, but in case you don't, he is the boy that keeps you out of the weekly movie if you forget your ticket. Another way to help you recognize him is by his pleasing personality and his never dying smile.

We are very glad that we can claim Charles as one of our own because he is a promising student and we can feel that he will always be a credit to our college.

GUESS WHAT?

Things have happened in the lives of East Carolina students and faculty since last June . . . Things always happen but these are big things. For instance wedding bells have been ringing all summer.

On the Mr. and Mrs. list there is Coach Christenbury, Wilson Schuerholz, Jean Cooper, Cecilia Cobb, Charlie Harris, La Peterson, Dick Chadwick and Mr. McHenry. To all we say "God Luck."

Remember George Roberts? You know that long tall blonde who helped pace East Carolina to victory on the basketball court. Well anyway he is now a Highway patrolman and you should see him in uniform. The last time we heard he was stationed in Raleigh.

And speaking of patrolman . . . Dick Chadwick bears that name also. He's stationed in Greenville at present. He seems to like married life, too. . . But who wouldn't with a beautiful wife like he has.

Harold Taylor and Jennings Ballard are working in Portsmouth, Va. All for Uncle Sam . . . and some darn good wages.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings have a son . . . or is it a daughter? We don't know. But we do know that family numbers three instead of two.

Bill Dudash is selling Peanuts for Planter's in the Pennsylvania area.

Well, there are probably a thousand more we didn't mention, but after all we can't keep up with everybody. Anyway, we hope you had a wonderful summer and that all sorts of exciting and interesting things happened to you.

Waltzin' Football Players Have Their Troubles In Social Dancing

By Bernice Jenkins

Left, right, together. Oh, this stuff isn't so hard. It's twelve o'clock noon and time for the social dancing class at the Campus building.

All right, let's go now . . . Left, right, together. Now then, you're getting it. Left, right—Wait a minute—what's this? Na, Charlie, when I say left, right, I don't mean that we're having a boxing class. Get in position with your feet, not your mits, Mr. Craven.

This is the basic waltz step we are learning. Now, are you ready? All right, left, right, shift position. My gosh! How did Coach John's backfield get in here. No, boys, I didn't mean shift to single-wing formation. Just shift your weight from one foot to the other. That will be sufficient.

Now you're all doing pretty well. There might be quite a few sore toes around the campus for a few days, but you'll get the hang of it after a while, and it will be easy as falling off a log, or as running through the entire opposing team for 100 yards and a touchdown.

He's at it again. Bill "Romeo" Grant has slipped out of the crowd and is up there on the stage piddling with the nickelodion. Hey, Romeo, come down from that balcony. With 160 members of the more populous sex present, a handsome male is much in demand! There are about 15 of the bashful males present. Maybe the clause that says physical ed. majors must take the course has something to do with it.

Well, well, here's ye olde Sarge, himself (formerly the ed. of this sheet). Good morning, Mr. Whitfield, would you like to take this course. Oh, I see, she's in the class, eh? Well, Ann, maybe Jimmie can teach you some steps, or just who is the teacher on those frequent visits of his? Is dancing the only subject?

"Bashful and backward Bob Whichard and Bob Miller" are just unable to make themselves try this puzzle known as the waltz. Wonder if those poor little helpless girls put fear into the hearts of the stlwarts. But with "Jivin' Jerome" Butler and "Waltzin' Walter" Tucker it's a different story. Those speed merchants are wasting no time in stepping out with the little, big and medium bundles of pulchritude in the class.

Who said "ouch"? Looks as if she's going to have trouble with her feet for sometime. That big oaf masquerading as her partner weighs 190 pounds. He's a tackle, incidentally.

What I can't understand is Rosalie's reason for being in this class. Is it just her love for the art? Does she intend to aid Miss Parks in instructing the students. Or is it for a more personal reason? I haven't investigated that last possibility yet. Why is it, Rosalie?

Gosh, this dancing is hard on a fella. I'd rather play in a nice gentle game of football, or sumpin'. Well, gals and suckers, I'll be seein' ya. Me, I'm going home and soak my mistreated feet in some nice warm water. I'll be on hand for the next class, though. Good bye, now!



CAMPUS SILHOUETTES

by "Ho Hum"

IN MEMORIAM

This space is respectfully dedicated to the memory of Clifton Evans, late author of this column. He named the column in the Spring quarter and wrote under the anonymous name of "Ho Hum."

Bucs Crush Pioneers; Portsmouth Here Oct. 11



Along The Sideline

With "Smut" Burks

Howdy Do

Greetings to everyone and a special "hey" to all loyal sports enthusiasts on the campus, because that is what this corner means to all followers who will receive the favors. Another year is on tap and we are off to a flying start with the 1941 season of the Pirate football team. It looks like another rosy year for the records of E. C. T. C. athletic teams and before we know we will probably get used to winning teams that will bring recognition to our college, instead of very mediocre teams that have haunted this vicinity for such a dreadfully long time. E. C. T. C. out of the depths of defeat and gloom last year, and he is beginning to prove that last year was no joke. Some skeptical sports fans around the campus were a bit doubtful as to the ability of anyone to completely revise the record around here and present a winning team. "Winning" is a new word to the jargon of the Tecu Echo sports department, coming in with the fall of 1940, but Coach Christenbury is just that, and he seems to be doing exactly the same thing this year. Anyway, this corner is convinced of the ability of our Coach to put out good teams, and we explore all avenues to see if that way and get behind the Pirate football team that has already notched up one victory in its only contest this season. We've got something to be proud of and we all everybody know it.

Captain Gianakos

The E. C. T. C. football team showed its sense in choosing Gianakos as captain for the grid season, and we ain't kidding. He is a fine boy as well as an outstanding football player, and his sportsmanship is well beyond reproach. He not only has an opening game holes in the opponent's line, but he has such an understanding and easy-going attitude that he makes a darn good leader. Jimmy graduated from Blue Ridge College after attending high school in Hendersonville, and he is a fair campus last year after trying his luck at Mars Hill College the preceding year. He starred as a guard on the basketball team of 1940. We're behind Jimmy because we know he is made of the stuff that constitutes a clean sportsman. He is the Captain Gianakos and the team of 1941!

Let's Look Ahead

Although we are just starting football around here, it's not so much as begin thinking of the basketball and baseball schedules for the winter and spring. There was a little under-current talking around the campus last year about the apparently-inconsistent basketball and baseball schedules. We've got the material for this year, and we want fine schedules to go along with them. There's absolutely no point in having a good team if they're doing nothing for it to do that will permit it to really show its true prowess; so we want good schedules this year, and we must have them. E. C. T. C. is going places this year, but it has to have a good schedule or two to get there. Let's look ahead, what department!

Seeing Stars

In spite of the bedlam in the staff room all because of the new series (Meadows accommodated the students by bringing over his radio, thank goodness), your columnist can still think about the stars in the Pirate's 31-0 massacre of Tusculum last Saturday. The running of Don Marriot, congenial Yankee, was the highlight of the Buc attack, although Bob Young, shifty wingback, contributed plenty to the offense of ECTC. Marriot and Young really carried the mail for E. C. T. C., and with Wilson Schaubert returning to the lineup it looks like Coach John is going to present the student body a powerful backfield that has speed, and anything else that a good backfield needs. And incidentally, that forward walk talked for itself in the first game. Tusculum might as well have been trying to penetrate the side of the campus building, as far as their success goes. The star time the Pirate line, led by Captain Jimmy Gianakos, the Young, Roberson, Craven, Green, Lucas and Tripp, hurled the pirates back on its heel with devastating tackling and defensive strength. Jerome Butler, who ranks right up there with the two starting tackles, played a swell game while he was in there, and he was kicked the Pirates only point after touchdown.

Welcome!

Here's extending a hearty welcome to Miss Dorothy Parks, who succeeds Miss McElwain in the physical education department. Miss McElwain will be missed on the campus, but we are sure that Miss Parks can take up where her predecessor left off, and do equally as good a job in the department. Miss Parks has already proven that she has the initiative that makes for a good instructor when she announced plans for a faculty playnight this year. Anyway, it looks as if she is the one for the job, and this year is sure that she will come through.

Coach Becomes A Married Man

"I don't know much about it, it just happened to be there at the time." This was the answer received when Coach John Christenbury was queried as to details of his marriage of June 14 to Miss Mariana Cecil, recently of Crossnore.

Mrs. Christenbury, who did her junior college work at Flat River, Mo., received her A. B. degree at the University of Alabama. She graduated from the University in the same year

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Marriott, Young Lead In 31-0 Win Over Tusculum

By Bernice Jenkins

Exhibiting a smashing attack and an impenetrable line, the Pirates crushed the Tusculum College Pioneers of Greenville, Tenn., 31-0 in the season opener here Saturday, September 27.

Two passes by Marshall Teague, one to Charles Craven to put the ball on the two-yard Tusculum line and one to Bob Young in the end zone, resulted in the first ECTC score after five minutes of play. The Pirates scored twice more in the first half when Don Marriot carried the ball 30 yards to the visitors' one-yard stripe and then plunged over and when Bob Young raced 40 yards to score on a reverse. Butler converted from placement on the second touchdown to make the half-time score 19-0.

With 40 seconds gone in the second semester Marriot scored again for the Teachers on a 25-yard off-tackle jaunt. The final tally came when Stuart Tripp intercepted a Tusculum pass and dashed 24 yards to paydirt.

ECTC scored 10 first downs to seven for the Pioneers. Six of the visitors' firsts came via the air route as they completed ten of their 24 aeriols for 115 yards. They lost possession of the oval thrice on Pirate interceptions. ECTC completed five of eleven passes for 51 yards.

Lineups:

Pos.	ECTC	Tusculum
LT	Craven	Morgan
LG	J. Young	Allerton
C	Gianakos	Miller
RG	Tripp	Hollows
RT	Lucas	Tomasetti
RE	Roberson	Bowsher
RB	Greene	Hartsell
QB	B. Young	Mitchell
QB	Teague	Starnes
QB	Marriot	Marshall
QB	Waddell	Schulze

Score by periods:

Tusculum	0	0	0	0	0
ECTC	6	13	12	0	31

Summary: Scoring touchdowns, Marriot 2, Young 2, Tripp; scoring extra points, Butler (place-kick). ECTC substitutes—ends, Grant, Mallard; tackles, Butler, Little; guards, Scott, W. Brown; backs, A. Brown, Miller, Woody; Tusculum substitutes—ends, Morgan, Hyland; tackles, Kirkpatrick; center, Bewley; backs, Householder, Burris, Campbell, Barrett. Officials: referee, Latham; Elton umpire, Mock; Davidson; Headlinesman, Kaley; Duke; field judge, Knight; UNC.

The Pirates' 1941 first string forward wall averages 183 pounds, while the number one backfield averages 162, making the team average 172 pounds. The reserve strength has plenty of extra poundage, with Butler and Rogerson, alternate tackles, the main business, each weighing over 190 pounds. Schuerholz, with his 175 pounds, will add much needed weight to the pirate offense while he is in action.



"Coach John" Gets Fine Start Again This Fall

John B. Christenbury, affectionately known by students as "Coach John," who is beginning his second year as head coach of ECTC, has already begun the task of putting out a winning team in the sports department of the college this fall.

Coach Christenbury piloted the Pirate gridders through a most successful campaign during his first few months on the campus last fall, and his first ECTC eleven wound up the season with a record that surpassed any record established by an ECTC football team for many years previous. After the grid season, Coach Christenbury, who came to Greenville after coaching at Brevard College, led a hustling basketball squad to a record equally as good as the preceding football record, and the genial mentor capped his first year's work by putting out a better-than-average baseball team that did all right with a tough schedule. A victory over the powerful Elon Christians climaxed the season for the Pirate nine.

Mr. Christenbury has already shown that he is intent upon keeping ECTC athletic teams above the water. A one-sided victory over Tusculum in the curtain-raiser established Coach John's present erid machine as being able to hold its own against all opponents this fall.

Just as a matter of following the lead of other papers, the E. C. T. C. sports editor sticks his neck out with a couple of daring prognostications for tomorrow's football parade. Duke beats Tennessee two touchdowns. Wake Forest edges out Furman; and ECTC takes it easy for a week. Taking a few wild guesses, it looks like Carolina bounces back to murder Davidson, a powerful Fordham eleven defeats Southern Methodist.

WELCOME STUDENTS to The Frances Shop 408 Evans St.

Dorothy Parks New Instructor In Physical Ed.

"I think East Carolina Teachers College is a fine school; the student body has a wonderful spirit, and the faculty has a most friendly attitude," declared Miss Dorothy Parks, new teacher of physical education for women in the college, when interviewed by a Tecu Echo representative.

Miss Parks, who hails originally from St. Petersburg, Fla., received her B. S. degree from the Florida State College for Women and obtained her M. A. degree at Columbia University. She has had valuable experience in actual teaching also.

"The ECTC physical education department has wonderful possibilities," Miss Parks stated. "The equipment is excellent, and we should be able to accomplish a great deal with what we have this year."

In outlining her plans for the year Miss Parks explained that the Women's Athletic Association will function as it has in the past. She made known plans to establish a faculty playnight.

"I'm sure I will like it here with all these fine students and teachers to work with," commented Miss Parks. "Greenville is a very good location for the college."

Today's Ho-Hum

E. C. T. C. has thirteen lettermen back for another football season and Coach Christenbury has ten of them in the starting eleven. In addition to the starters, other lettermen returning are Rogerson, Butler, and Wiley Brown, all linemen.

All seven first-string linemen on this year's team earned letters last year and in the backfield are Schuerholz, Waddell, and Bob Young, all of whom were leaders during the 1941 fall campaign. Marshall Teague and Don Marriot, newcomers this year, are the other outstanding backs on the Pirate roster this fall.

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Schuerholz And Rogerson Back To Strengthen E. C. T. C. Squad

Take Notice, Boys

There will be a big freshman party for all boys who are here for their first year in the Campus building Monday night at eight o'clock. It is very compulsory that all freshman boys attend, because it is one of those get-togethers that is meant for the betterment of all those present. Incidentally, failure to be there will pay off the jack-pot in fearful consequences. In other words the varsity club is quite anxious to see all new faces Monday night. Remember, eight o'clock.

Camp Davis Canceled Game With Pirates

East Carolina's game scheduled with Camp Davis for tomorrow night at Wilmington was called off in a telephone conversation between a representative of the army team and Coach John Christenbury of the Pirates Monday.

This cancellation will give the Teachers an extra week of rest before they meet the Portsmouth Naval Apprentices here next week. The Pirates came through their battle with Tusculum last Saturday with no serious injuries and are looking good in their daily workouts at the practice field. Several late comers have reported for practice, including Wilson "Yank" Schuerholz, star back last fall, and Russell Rogerson, tackle who was last year voted the team's best blocker.

Good cheer has reached the Pirate footballers in the form of Wilson Schuerholz and Russell Rogerson, who joined the squad after the first week of practice. Schuerholz, speedy half-back of last fall's eleven, and Rogerson, tackle, were stars all through play in 1940, and their arrival in the Buc camp strengthens the squad considerably.

With the cancellation of the game with Camp Davis, Coach Christenbury's charges will have another full week of preparation for the game with the strong Portsmouth Apprentice School here next week end. The Coach will probably shift his starting lineup of last Saturday in the backfield. Added weight and fancy running will be added with the Yankee, and he will most likely get a starting nod next Saturday.

No injuries of any consequence were suffered by the Pirates in their first game with Tusculum, and barring scrimmage casualties, the Buc should be ready for Portsmouth a week from tomorrow. The starting line will probably be the same, with Craven and Green as ends, Robinson and J. Young as tackles, Captain Gianakos and Lucas as guards, and Stuart Tripp as center. Rogerson and Butler will see plenty of action as relief tackles. Both

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