

Homecoming, Dedication Of Building, Founder's Day to Be Observed On Campus This Week-end

German Regime May Be Facing Possible Tumble

Henry C. Wolfe Outlines Prevailing Nazi Trends

An indication that monetary and economic setbacks among the German people might cause an overthrow of the prevailing Nazi regime was advanced here Tuesday night by Henry C. Wolfe, author of 'The German Octopus' and widely known as an authority and lecturer on international relations.

He told of the loss of confidence in the German mark during the last inflation and how the middle class, which he described as "the backbone of any nation," received a heavy financial blow in savings, insurance and bonds.

The speaker, who was making footprints in European soil when the present clash came to the fore, pointed out that "instead of being a second World War, the present conflict is the second phase of the last World War." He explained that experts on foreign affairs regard the European war of today as the expiration of the Armistice signed when the last war supposedly ended.

That Russia's Communistic trends are taking root in German soil under the Hitler regime and is another possibility of revolt, was brought to the audience. In view of the belief that Germany's Minister of War Goering likely will be Hitler's successor, the speaker explained in a forum following his address that Goering has a popular following in Germany, particularly in the military realm, and would seek to eradicate Communistic practices.

After explaining that the intellect of the Finnish people is higher on a basis of population than that of the great world powers, the speaker declared: "Finland needs men. When one soldier is killed there is no one to replace him. If a Russian soldier is killed, there are several to replace him."

Lindsay Whitchard, E.C.T.C. senior, introduced the speaker and was the speaker's assistant in the public forum.

One Boy, 15 Girls In Publications Races On Campus

Elections To Be Held On Tuesday, March 12

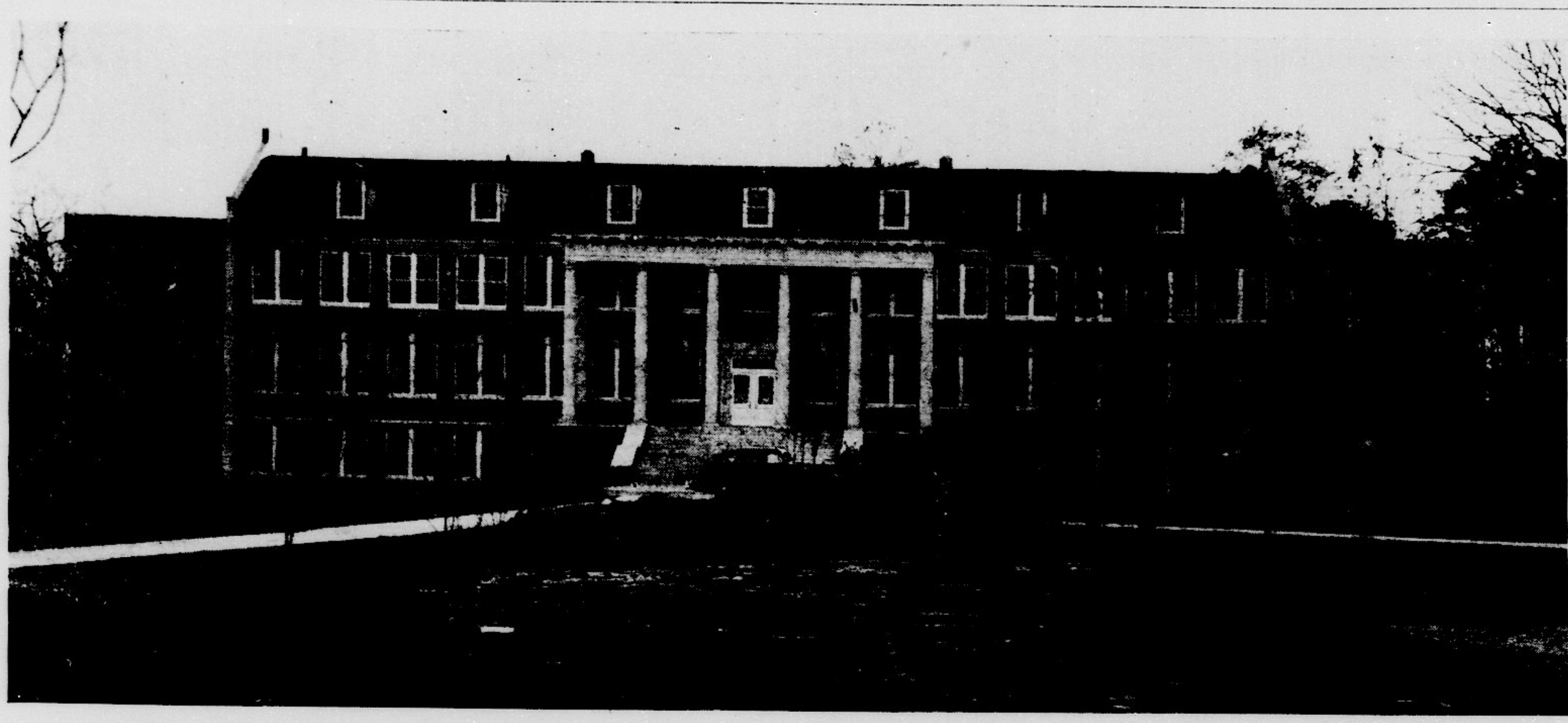
One boy and fifteen girls are candidates for editorship or business manager of The Teco Echo, The Tecoan or The Pieces O' Eight in the balloting to be held on Tuesday of next week, March 12.

Editors of the respective publications on the campus presented the Publications Board with a list of recommendations and candidates, were then approved by the Board and then placed before the student body and administration for final approval and consideration.

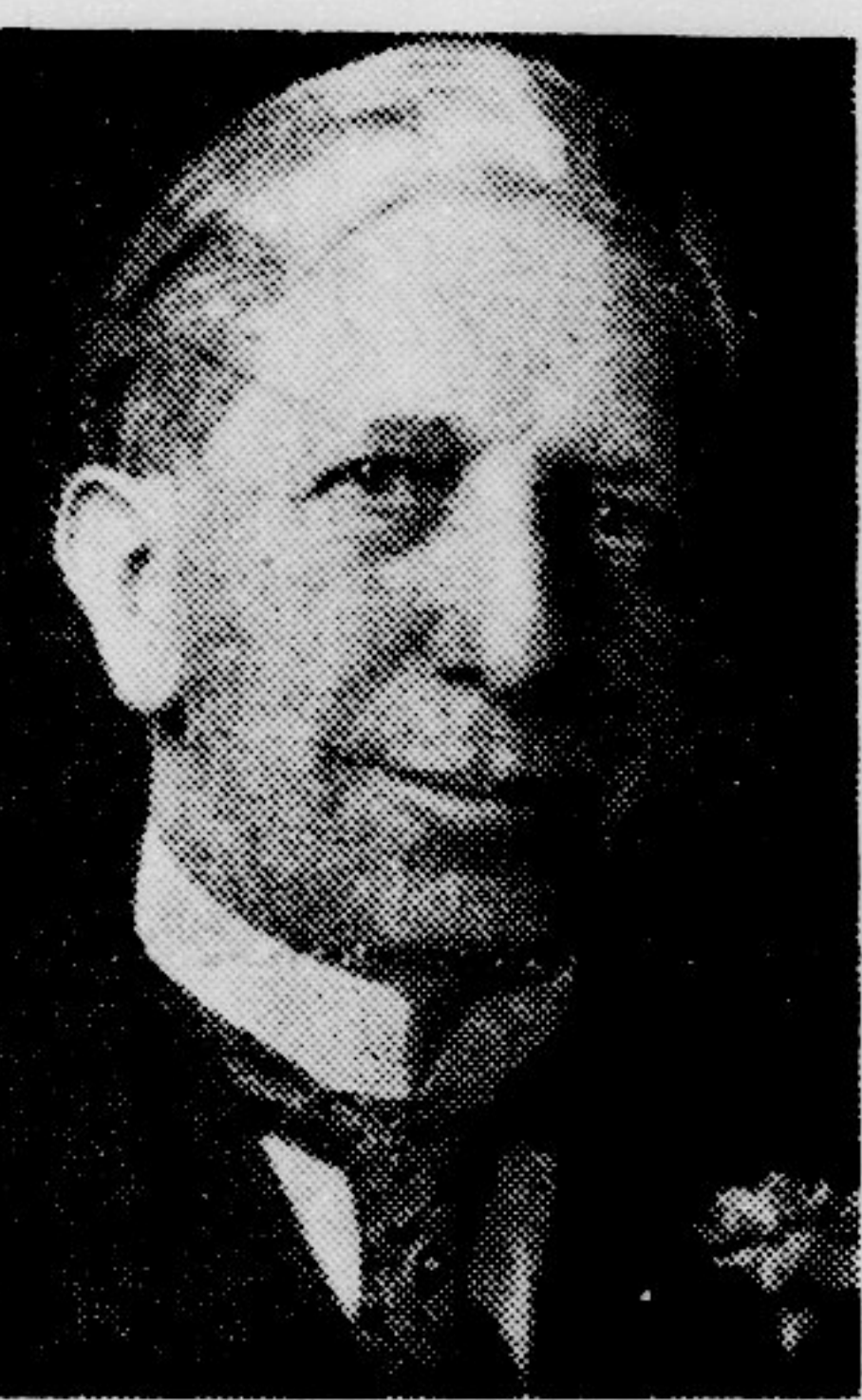
James Whitfield, Mary Horne and Barbara Keuzenkamp are entered in a three-cornered race for editorship of The Teco Echo. The business manager race is also a three-way affair. The candidates in this division are Mary Agnes Deal, Ellen McIntyre and Alice Powell.

The Pieces O' Eight went under the Publications Board recently and its executives will be elected for the ensuing year by popular vote. Editors for the year just ending were elected by founders of the publication. Those in the race for editor of the magazine are Rebecca Ross, Ruth Pollard and Louise Davis. Candidates for business manager are Kathleen Lewis and Patricia Brooks.

Betty Keuzenkamp and Margaret D. Moore are entered in a two-way race for editorship of The Tecoan. The office of business manager is being sought by Jessie Keith, Lillah B. Watt and Jean Wendt.



The new classroom building is pictured completed and ready for occupancy for the dedication exercises and for classes this spring. The building was accepted by the building committee made up of E. G. Flanagan, Greenville; O. P. Makepeace, Sanford; and Henry Bridges of Tarboro, on February 29. The building is located between the Science Building and the College Infirmary.



GOVERNOR CLYDE R. HOEY

May Queen

Dorothy Reed Miller, popular member of this year's Senior class, was voted "May Queen" of East Carolina Teachers College in balloting held all day Tuesday at the voting booth on the first floor of Austin.

Miss Miller was entered in the race with several other popular seniors nominated in a general mass meeting of the student body held last week. Members of the Women's Student Government Council held the polls.

Puzzle Of Brick and Crushed Stone Put Together To Form New Building

When you put 970,000 bricks, 5,280 bags of lime, 2,400 tons of crushed stone, and 462 windows together and mix all of them, you are bound to get results. While it isn't advisable for the average college student to undertake such a Herculean task, a group of workers with a couple of contractors can do the job very well. In the case of the college the result was a new classroom building. What the result would be if an individual started the work—well, "there just ain't no tellin'."

The area covered by the new classroom building is approximately 66 acres which would make a pretty good sized potato patch in any man's land. The people who have to wash the windows will only have to go over 4,500 square feet of window space. The person or persons who sweep the floors will have to do only five times as much as the window washers will do.

Another dandy thought is what would happen to a person if the largest stone in the building, weighing merely 9,037 pounds, fell on his head. That would make a nice little damp spot on the pavement.

Student Body Goes To Polls Tuesday, March 12, To Vote For Outstanding Campus Officers

NYA Students To Attend Meet

Five students will represent East Carolina Teachers College at a state wide meeting of college N.Y.A. students to be held at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill on Sunday, March 10.

The purpose of this meeting is to attempt to prevent Congress from cutting the N.Y.A. apportionment for next year. This is a counter movement against a recent action on the part of Congress to pass a bill cutting the N.Y.A. funds by twenty-nine per cent. Reasons for this cut were based on a supposed twenty-nine per cent increase in the prosperity of the nation. A petition signed by students from all the N.Y.A. colleges in the state was presented to congress the latter part of February but this step seemed to have no effect so a meeting is being called to plan some method of halting such a cut.

Representatives from E.C.T.C. are Vern Kuetemeyer, Harriet Marshall, Carolyn Lamb, Helen Gray Gilliam, and Bill Davidson.

Since 1923, 16 colleges and universities have made R.O.T.C. optional or abolished it altogether.

W.S.G.A. Offices To Be Filled By Popular Vote

With nominations for officers of the Women's Student Government Association having been announced recently in a mass meeting, the women students have now aimed their political guns at the election to be held in Austin Building next Tuesday, March 12.

Candidates for the following offices will be voted on: President, vice president, secretary and treasurer of the Women's Student Government Association; Chairman of the Campus Committee; House president; and the editors and business managers of Tecoan, Pieces of Eight and The Teco Echo.

Those nominated are as follows: For President of Student Government, Doris Blalock, Erlene Sawyer, Rebecca Shanks; for Vice president, Harriet Marshall and Ida Ruth Knowles. Nominees for Secretary were Sara Gorham, Bessie Faye Hunt, Virginia Elam, and Nell McCullen; for treasurer, Joyce Bunhan, Estelle Davis, Grace Ross, Edith Roebuck, Charlotte Shearin.

Emily Murphy, Christine Trippe, Agnes Watson, Annie Laurie Keen, and Nancy Darden were put up for chairman of campus committee. The following were nominated for house presidents: Virginia Whitley, Ruth Britt, Shirley Johnson, Myra Godfrey, Margaret Reed, Dorothy Davis, Caroline Miles, Mary Elliott, Wilda Royall, Marjorie Baker, Maybelle Pollock, Evelyn Bazemore, Nan Lovelace, Elizabeth Stacey, Esabelle Johnson, Mildred Loverman, Celia Blanch Dail, Elizabeth Noe, Camilla Bisset and Mary Bailey.

ECTC Twin Freshmen To Represent State

Misses Ruth and Clara Crumpler, freshmen from Greenville, N. C., have received an invitation from Governor Clyde R. Hoey to represent the state of North Carolina at the Annual College Twin Convention to be held at Baylor University, Waco, Texas, April 5th and 6th.

The appointment was made by Governor Hoey February 29, 1940. As yet the twins have not definitely decided to accept the invitation but they stated that they would probably do so very soon.

Graduates of Greenville high school, they entered school here winter quarter after an active high school career.

Attractive programs for tomorrow's celebration have been arranged by Miss Sallie Joyner Davis. On the front they will have a picture of the new building and inside a catalog of the day's activities. These will be printed on substantial paper so that those who wish may keep them.

Eight Graduates Receive Positions

Since January 1, the following graduates of East Carolina Teachers College have been reported placed in teaching positions: Lottie Gaddy in Thomasboro School, Mecklenburg County; Catherine Hester Thompson in East Roxboro; Beulah B. White in the New Salem School, Union County; Elizabeth Wilder in Roanoke Rapids, Charles S. Wooten in the Goldsboro High School, Franklin County; and Ludell Bellflower in Beulaville High School, Duplin County. In addition, two more of the December (1939) graduates are teaching—Miss Gladys Gaskins, vocational home economics in the Cool Spring High School, Iredell County and Miss Nancy Haislip in Mercury Hill, Bertie County.

Spring Holidays

Spring holidays begin at noon on Thursday, March 14, and will continue through March 20.

Registration and classification will take place on March 21 and classes will begin the following day, Thursday, April 4 will be the last day in which one may register.

Growth Of Construction Of Building Is Brought Out In Progress Story

By MARY HORNE

Approximately \$325,000 was appropriated in the fall of 1938 by the North Carolina state legislature and the Federal Works Project Administration for a new classroom building at East Carolina Teachers College. Of this amount \$300,000 was to be spent for the construction and the remainder was to be spent for equipment.

The lot between the Science building and the Infirmary was selected for the site of the new three-story building which has a 221-foot front and two wings of 188 feet each. Plans for the building were drawn up by Eric G. Flanagan, architect from Henderson, N. C. The building committee was made up of E. G. Flanagan, Greenville; O. P. Makepeace, Sanford; and Henry Bridges, Tarboro.

Early in November Dr. Meadows announced that the project would

Gov. Clyde R. Hoey To Deliver Address

Committee For Occasion Headed By Hooper, Bloxton

By MARGARET MOORE

Under the capable direction of Miss Emma L. Hooper, chairman of the Centennial Committee, the dedication of the new building, at which Governor Clyde R. Hoey will deliver the dedicatory address, will be the climax of the celebration of the centennial of Teacher's Education in America and the celebration of founders day at E.C.T.C. Homecoming, which will also be held on March 9, is under the direction of Mrs. Adelaide E. Bloxton, chairman of the standing Homecoming Day committee.

Centennial Committee



PRESIDENT L. R. MEADOWS

The Centennial Committee which was appointed in March 1939 was given the special assignment of celebrating the centennial, and the dedication of the new building to the centennial is the climax of their year's work. Serving on the committee with Miss Hooper are Miss Sallie Joyner Davis, Miss Dora E. Coates, Miss Gussie Kuykendall, Miss Katherine Holtzclaw, Dr. M. N. Posey, Dr. Leroy Hilldrup, Dr. Howard McGinnis, and Mr. P. W. Picklesimer. Working together they have sent out nearly five hundred invitations, made programs of the day, sold college emblems, arranged several chapel programs on the centennial celebrations, organized a mixed chorus for music on March 9, given publicity to the celebration with the cooperation and much work on the part of Miss Lois Grigsby, made arrangements concerning the traffic on March 9, and made preliminary arrangements of the professional. According to Miss Hooper, the professional was probably the biggest job of all.

Program For Day

The program will begin with the alumni registration in the lobby of the Robert H. Wright auditorium at 10:00 o'clock. This will precede the academic procession from the new classroom building to the auditorium where the address will be given by Governor Clyde R. Hoey. He will be introduced by Clyde Erwin, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

The procession from the classroom building to the auditorium will be led by the college band. The mixed chorus will sing "Gloria in Excelsis" by Mozart, and the entire audience will sing the "Old North State."

After the address by Governor (Please turn to page eight)

Dedication Program

- 10:00 a.m.— Reception and registration of Alumni, lobby of Robert H. Wright Auditorium.
11:00 a.m.— Dedication.
Academic Procession, from the new Classroom Building to Robert H. Wright Auditorium.
Professional: Andante from "Surprise Symphony," Hayden College Band.
Invocation: Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction 1902-10.
Anthem: "Gloria in Excelsis," Mozart.
Mixed Chorus.
Song: "Old North State."
Audience.
Welcome to Homecoming, President Leon R. Meadows.
Presentation of the Speaker, Mr. Clyde A. Erwin, Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Dedicatory Address: Governor Clyde R. Hoey.
Presentation of Guests of Honor: President Meadows.
Song: "Alma Mater," Students and Alumni.
1:00 p.m.— Luncheon, Campus woods.
2:30 p.m.— Alumni Social Hour, Austin Building.
3:00-4:00— Band Concert.
3:00-5:00— Tea with the Home Economics Department at Hoopes, New Building.
7:00 p.m.— Basketball Game, Wright Building.
9:00 p.m.— Alumni Dance, Wright Building.

Research Article Written By Browne

"A New Prospectus for Geography," was the title of a research article by Dr. W. A. Browne of East Carolina Teachers College that appeared in the January issue of the Journal for Geography.

The article takes up present trends in the field, points out the contribution being made to society by the geographer even now and indicates the importance of the work of the geographer in the society of tomorrow.

Dr. Browne joined the geography staff of the College in the fall of 1937. He came to Greenville from the staff of the State Teachers College at Nacogdoches, Texas.

Miss Lucille Turner of the English Department, spoke at the regular meeting of the Round Table Book Club last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Turner's subject was "The Bible—a Primary Source of Linguistic and Literary Greatness."

East Carolina Teachers College Headed By Dr. Robert H. Wright For 25 Years

Former President Was One of Foremost Educators in State

For twenty-five years after its beginning, East Carolina Teachers College went forward under the leadership of one man, Dr. Robert Herring Wright. One of the foremost educators and citizens of the state, Dr. Wright, in the twenty-five years of his presidency, saw the school grow from an institution of barely 175 students to a college of over one thousand.

Robert Herring Wright was born in Sampson County, May 21, 1870, the son of John C. and Bettie Vaden Wright. His entire boyhood was spent in the community in which he was born and his early education was received in a private school operated by his mother. His further training was received in the public schools of Sampson County and in Oak Ridge Military Institute. At the age of 18 he applied for a teacher's certificate. His first teaching job was in the Hungry Neck section of Bladen County where he taught for two years. In 1892, he accepted a school in the northern section of Marlborough County in South Carolina. After teaching in South Carolina for two years, he entered the University of North Carolina as a sophomore in the fall of 1894. He graduated in 1897 with his B.A. degree.

During the years 1897 and 1898, he was principal of Stranhope Schools in Nash County and from 1898 to 1901 he was instructor in English and Mathematics at Oak Ridge. Entering Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, as a graduate student, he did work in philology and economics during 1901 and 1902. From 1902 to 1906 he was instructor of history and economics at the City College, Baltimore.

In December, 1903, Dr. Wright married Miss Pearl Murphy of Sampson County. Four children blessed their union.

In the summer of 1906, he attended Teachers College, Columbia University and in the subsequent fall he became principal of Eastern High School, Baltimore, where he remained through 1909. In 1909 he came to Greenville to assume the presidency of the newly established East Carolina Teachers Training School.

Dr. Wright's reputation in educational circles was national in scope. He served as president of the National Association of Teachers Colleges in 1926 and 1927 and on important committees in the Na-



ROBERT H. WRIGHT

tional Education Association. In the state, he served as both president and vice president of The North Carolina Education Association and was for many years on the executive committee of that organization. He was a member of a special committee for codifying the educational laws of North Carolina and did important work in standardizing certifications of teaching.

Dr. Wright's interests were not confined to the campus and his profession. He was keenly interested in civic life and gave freely of his time, talent and finances to further any and all movements that he felt were for the good of the community.

"No man ever lived who was more willing, eager and ready to serve the youth of his country, his home, his friends and associates, and the community in which he lived, in any way, in any capacity, at any time, than Robert H. Wright."

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Meadows, McGinnis Attend NEA Meet February 22-28

Hospitalization Of Local College Is Best Among Teachers Colleges

President Leon R. Meadows and Registrar H. J. McGinnis returned on February 28 from the annual meetings of the American Association of Teachers Colleges and the National Educational Association of School Administrators which met in Saint Louis, Missouri, from February 22-28. At a special committee meeting of the A.A.T.C. it was found that E.C.T.C. had the best set-up of hospitalization for students in the teachers colleges in America.

Dr. Meadows, previous to the first meeting, gave a report of our set-up at a committee meeting on Health and Physical Development of Institutions; and at this time it was found that E.C.T.C. had the best set-up. It has an infirmary with fifty beds, two registered nurses and two physicians on call. Besides this, each freshman is given a complete physical examination.

The theme of the American Association of Teachers Colleges was how to promote education through the second century of teacher education. There was only about three hundred representatives from all the teachers colleges in America.

At the National Educational Association of School Administrators the main subject was "What is right with schools of America?" Two years ago it was "What is wrong with schools of America?" This group, represented by all the schools in America, is said to be the largest organization in the world.

Ann Redwine Speaks To ACE

On Monday night, March 4, the meeting of the Association for Childhood Education was sponsored by the Child Care Group. Sarah Britt, chairman of this studio group, introduced as guest speaker for the evening, Miss Ann Redwine from the Training School. In her inspirational talk, Miss Redwine helped those present see more clearly the needs of the child and the responsibility of meeting these needs. Speaking out of her rich experience with children, she gave to the listeners much information and practical help.

At the close of the meeting, the president, Mary Lou Butner, made an announcement concerning the A.C.E. luncheon to be held in Raleigh on March 15 as a part of the N.C.E.A. Miss Marjorie Hardy, outstanding in the field of childhood education throughout America, will speak at the luncheon. The state bulletin published by the A.C.E. will be distributed at this meeting. It was urged that as many members who can, attend the luncheon.

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Pictured are the charter members of the faculty in 1909, thirty-one years ago. Reading from left to right, top row, they are: Kate W. Lewis, W. H. Ragsdale, Birdie McKinney, and Sallie Joyner Davis; second row, Maria D. Graham, Mamie E. Jenkins; bottom row, C. W. Wilson, Mrs. Jennie M. Ogden, Fannie Bishop, Herbert E. Austin, and Robert H. Wright, first president of the college.

Rapid Growth of Local College Shown In History of Institution

Exactly thirty-three years ago today, the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina passed an act authorizing the establishment of East Carolina Teachers Training School in the city of Greenville. On July 2, 1908, the ground for the first building was broken. The doors of the college were opened for the first term on October 5, 1909. The first student body of the new institution was made up of 174 students. Of that number 19 were men. The school was known as East Carolina Teachers Training School until 1921 when it was given the right to give a four-year course and grant degrees and the name was changed to East Carolina Teachers College.

The site of East Carolina Teachers College is well-nigh ideal. It is situated on a tract that is partially covered with native trees. Since its establishment the campus has grown from the original 47½ acres to over 100.

Since the college first opened its doors, there have been approximately 1,300 A.B. graduates, 2,866 two-year graduates. Since 1929 when the college was authorized to

grant Master's degrees, six students have received the M.A. degree. The sum of the annual enrollments since the first year is approximately 30,000.

The college operates a training school on its campus in connection with the Greenville City Schools in which all Primary and Grammar Grade Majors do their student teaching. High School Majors teach in the Greenville High School.

Within the first decade of its existence, East Carolina Teachers Training School increased the number of its buildings from six to eight. At the same time the student body increased from 174 to 278 and the faculty was increased from 11 to 29.

During the next decade, the school showed signs of growth in the fact that the buildings increased to 13, the student body to 976, and the faculty from 30 to 60.

Within the past ten years, the buildings have increased in number to 27, the student body to 1,269, and the faculty to 90.

The two-year normal course was discontinued in 1937.



Members of the first faculty still with the school in 1934 are left to right: Sallie Joyner Davis, Mamie E. Jenkins, Robert H. Wright, Kate W. Lewis, Maria D. Graham, and Leon R. Meadows, present president of the college. Of this group five are still members of the faculty today, Robert H. Wright being the only one deceased.

Gulledge Reports Books Added To Library

According to a report from J. R. Gulledge, librarian, a number of books of general interest have recently been added to the college library. The following list includes a number of these:

Achmed Abdullah, *Deliver Us from Evil*; S. H. Smith, *Incredible Era*; Carl Bridenbaugh, *Cities in the Wilderness*; William Brownell, *Learning as Reorganization*; Fanny Cannon, *Rehearsal for Safety*; J. H. Daughtry, *Daniel Boone*; John De Meyer, *Benjamin Franklin Calls on the President*; John Dewey, *Freedom and Culture*; W. S. Elsbree, *The American Teacher*; M. S. Falme-stock, *I Ran Away to Sea at Fifty*; S. K. Farrington, *Athletic Game Fishing*; Vardis Fisher, *Children of God*; R. N. Flew, *Jesus and His Church*; D. S. Freeman, *The South to Posterity*; C. A. Harper, *A Century of Public Teacher Education*; H. W. Heppner, *It's Nice to Know People Like You*; Sidney Homer, *My Wife and I*; J. W. Hudson, *The Old Faiths Perish*; A. A. Hunter, *Three Trumpets Sound*; G. W. James, *In and Out of the Old Missions of California*; J. A. Kinne-man, *Living with Others*; J. C. Lincoln, *The Ounley Inn*; Karl Lowenstein, *Hitler's Germany*; J. W. McSpadden, *Beautiful Hawaii*; Sydney Mangham, *Earth's Green Mantle*; G. P. Putnam, *Soaring Wings*; Herman Ranching, *The Revolution of Nihilism*; Maxwell Reed, *America's Treasures*; H. W. Robinson, *Suffering Human and Divine*; I. T. Sanderson, *Caribbean Treasures*; Allan Seager, *They Worked for a Better World*; F. H. Simonds, *The Great Powers in World Politics*; George Steward, *God in Our Street*; Ethel Vance, *Escape*; Mrs. Edna Waldo, *Leadership for Today's Clubwoman*; L. C. Wright, *Trails for Climbing Youth*.

Whichard, Noe, Barrow, Debate At I.R.C. Meeting

Foreign Policy Of U. S. Is Topic Of Discussion

"That the United States Foreign Policy Should Be One of Isolation" was the query debated at the last meeting of the International Relations Club.

Lindsay Whichard, leading the affirmative alone, stated that from a world standpoint isolation is the best policy. "Democracies have not tried to prevent what is happening today. If we become involved in a European war it would be disastrous for our nation." Whichard argued that this might mean dictatorship, a loss of the people's spirit, economic loss, the Pacific coast unguarded, and air raids were possible from Europe. In conclusion Whichard stated that "participation in Europe would cause us to form alliances that would not be in our favor."

Speaking in the negative of the query, Lucy Ann Barrow contended that strict isolation is impossible for the following reasons:

"Inventions cause nations to be brought closer together, monarchies are being replaced by democracies, materials and raw products, are dependent on other nations, and American colonial expansion brought large nations in closer relation to America."

Hampton Noe, speaking also in the negative, stated that America depended on England to protect her Atlantic coast. "It is not morally just to deny aid to small countries which need help," argued Noe. Climaxing his argument against isolation, Noe stated that "America will not be a great power if it isolates itself."

Because of sickness Helen Flanagan could not present her points.

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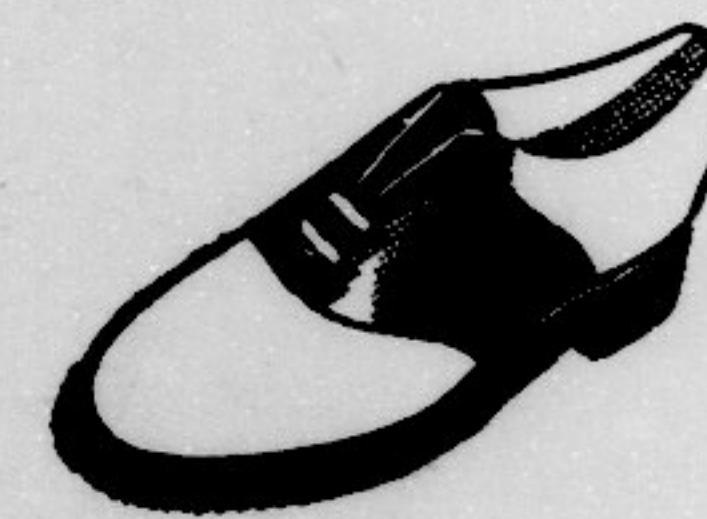
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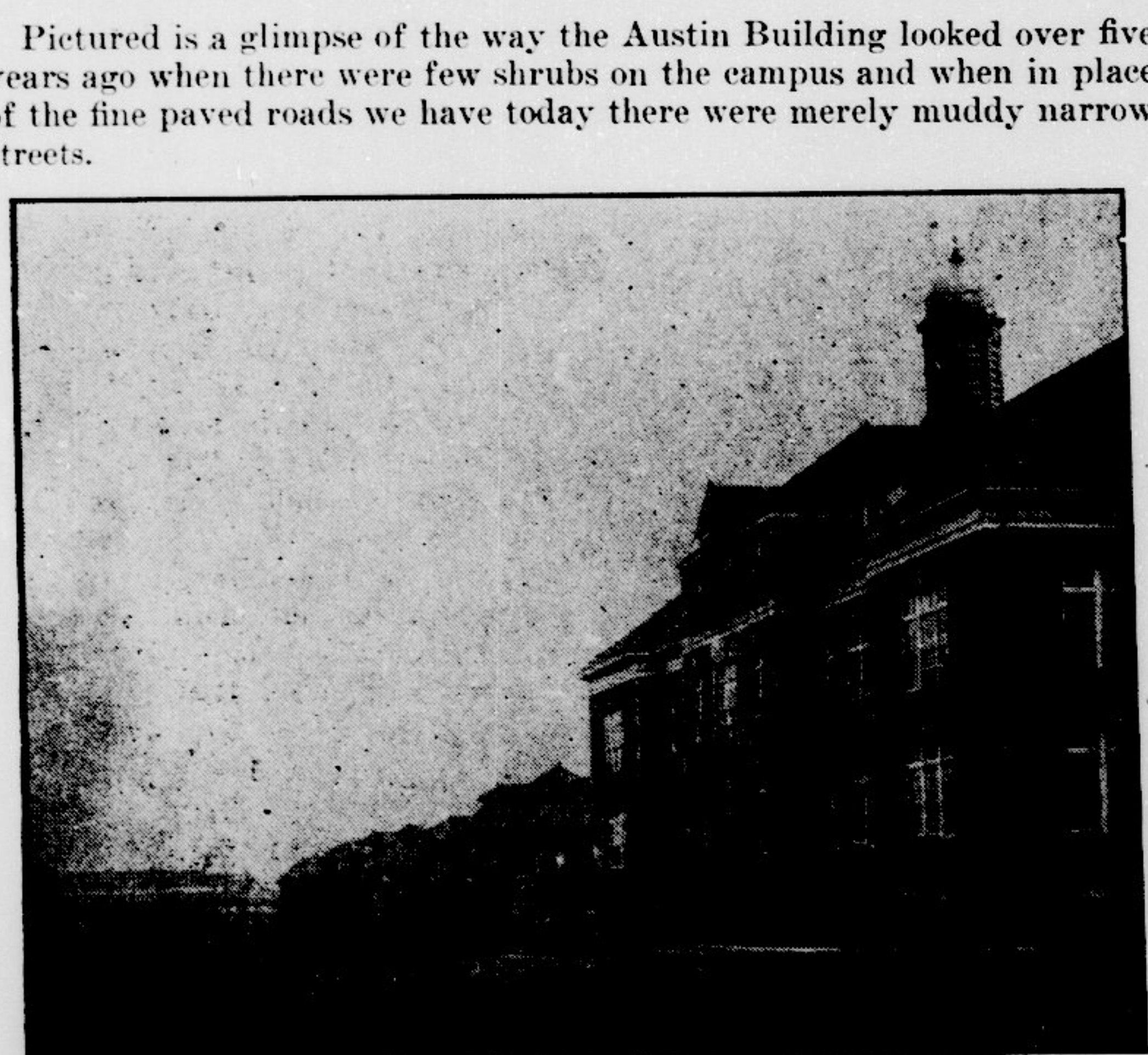
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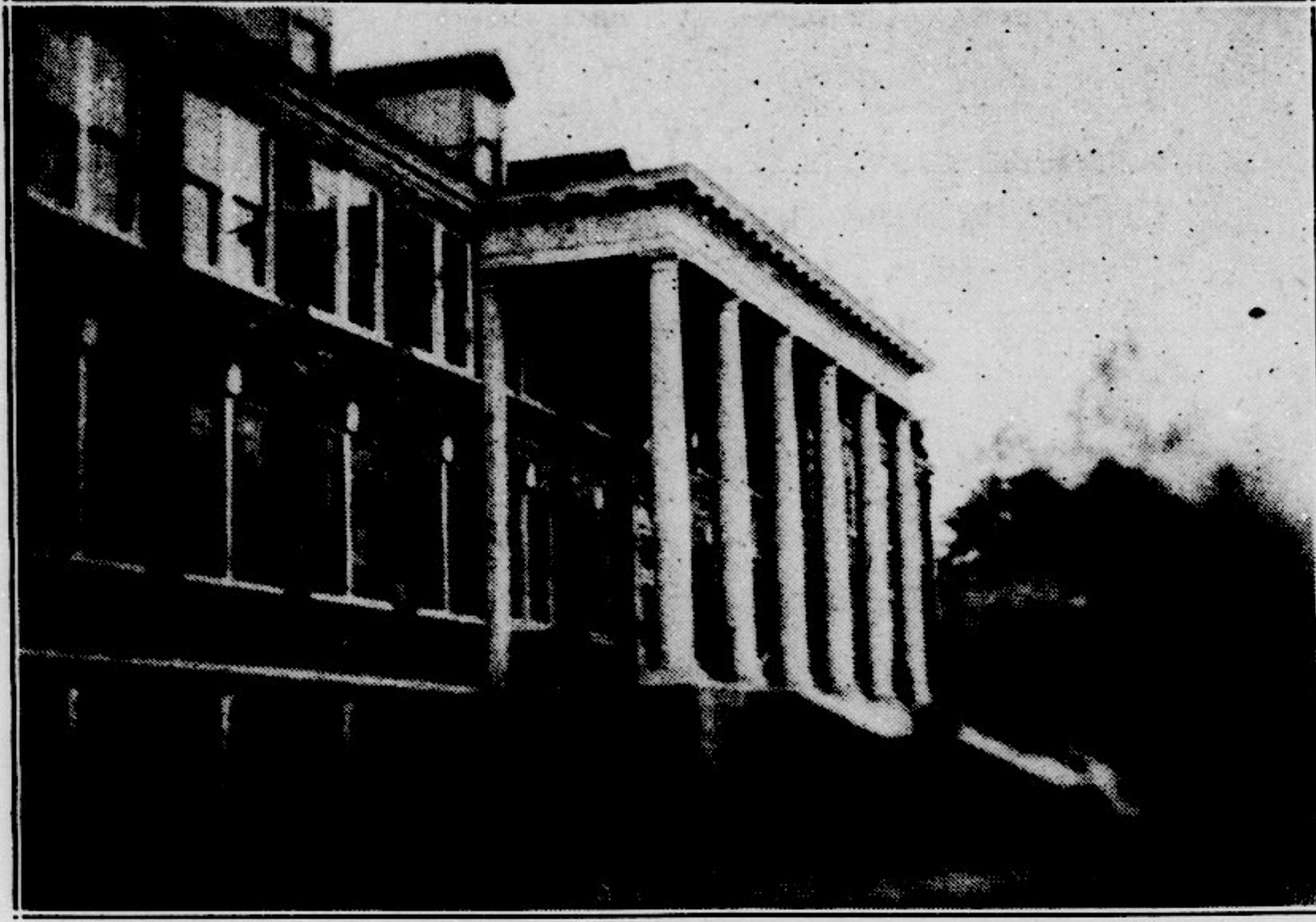
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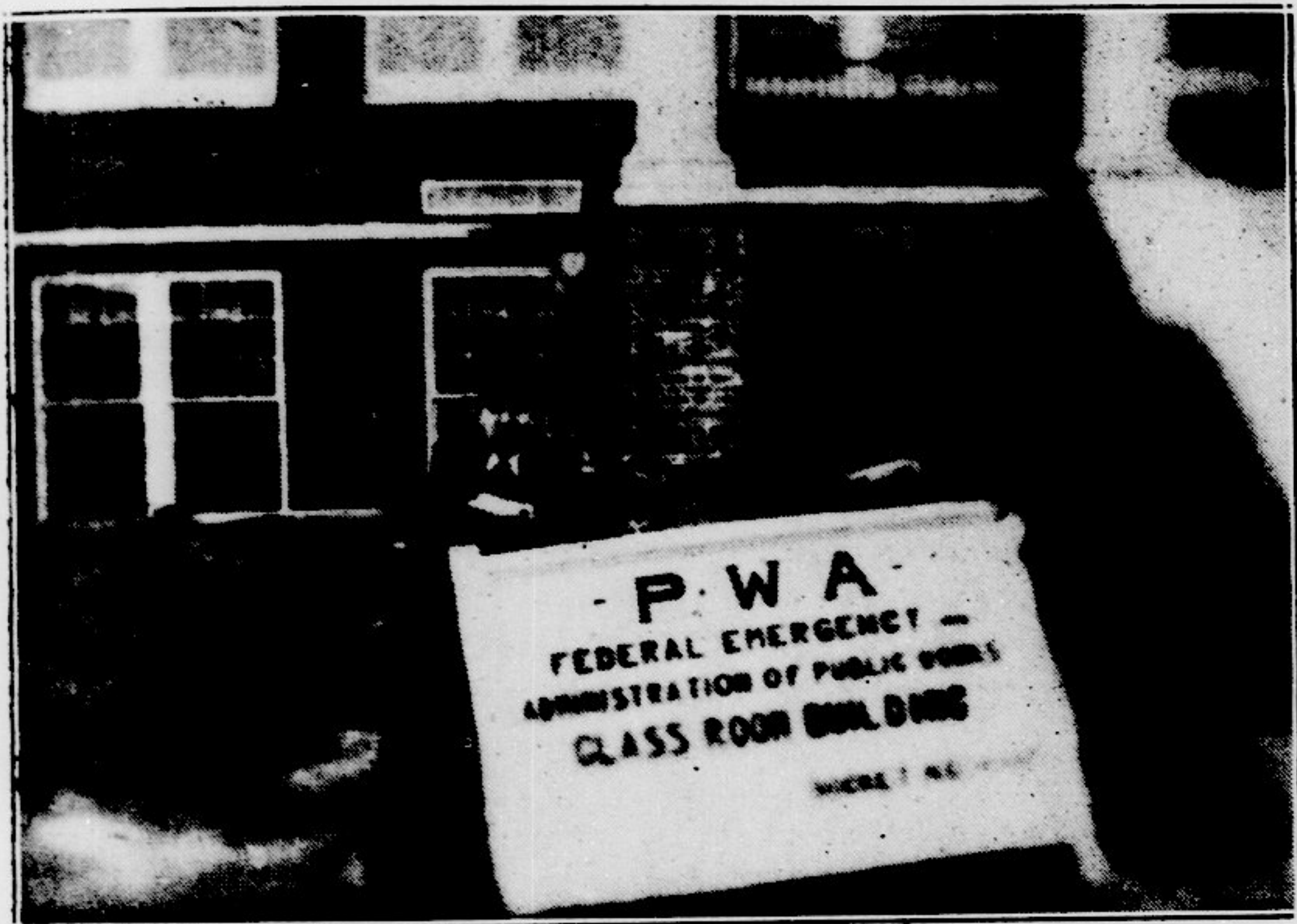
The northwest side entrance to the new Classroom Building, leading to the main floor of the building. Notice the iron railing and the arches.



A view of the front side of the new Classroom Building taken from a northeast position, looking west. The construction is framed by a background of trees in the distance.



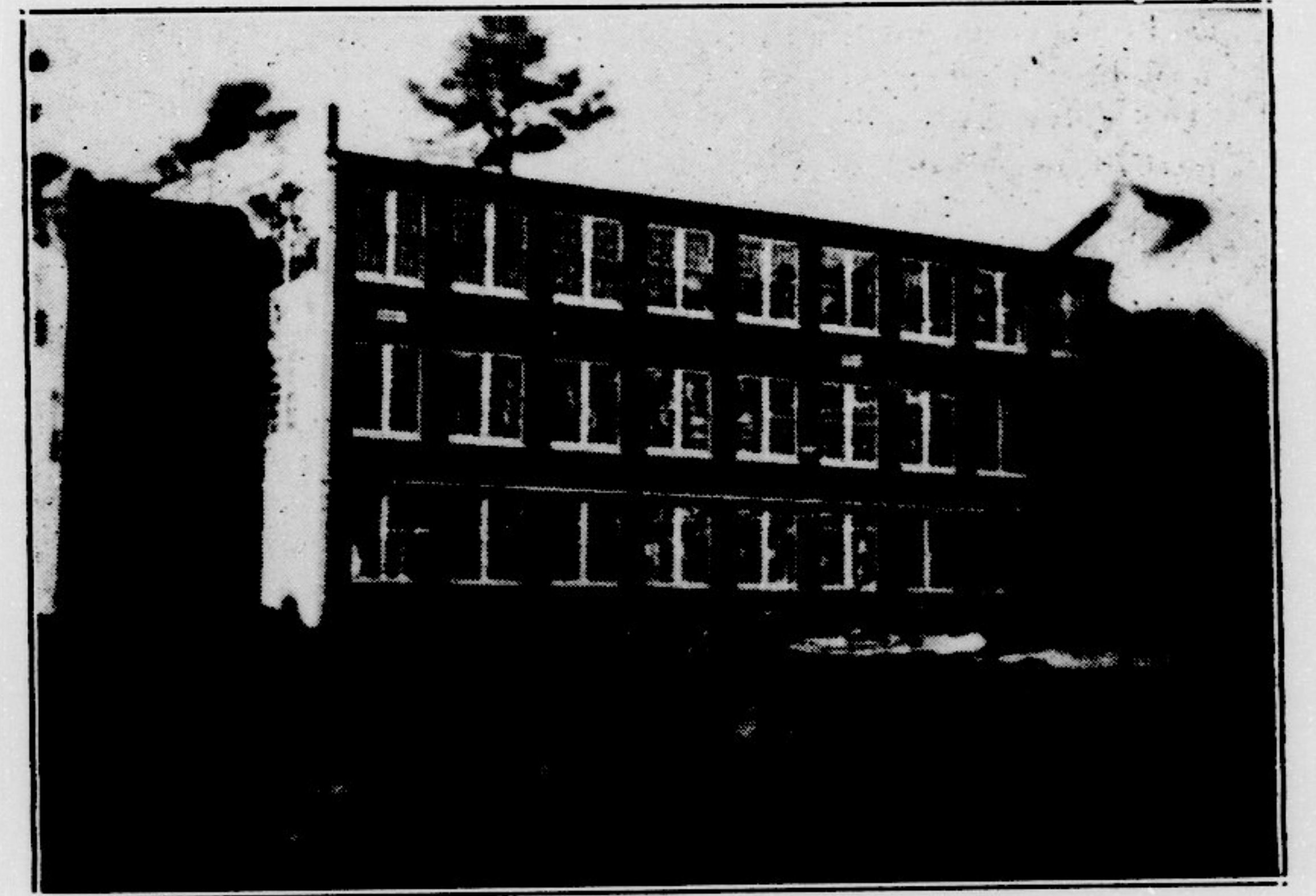
Pictured above is a double door on the interior of the new Classroom Building. Notice the panel work on the doors and the nearby walls.



The P.W.A., Public Works Administration, sign which stood in front of the construction of the building throughout the period of time when work was being carried out. The sign was removed a few days ago when the grounds were cleared for landscaping.

OUR BEAUTIFUL NEW BUILDING COMPLETED AND READY FOR ITS DEDICATION

WILL HOUSE CLASSES THIS SPRING



A view of the back side of the new Classroom Building snapped recently before final completion had been made. On the right can be seen a wing of the front side of the building.



Colored laborers working to clear away the trash from around the building and to smooth out the landscape in preparation for the dedication exercises and the opening of the spring term.



Mr. T. A. Poole (right) and Mr. Clarke (left) of the Gregory Construction Company are shown discussing plans for the building before final completion and before turning the building over to the Building Committee.



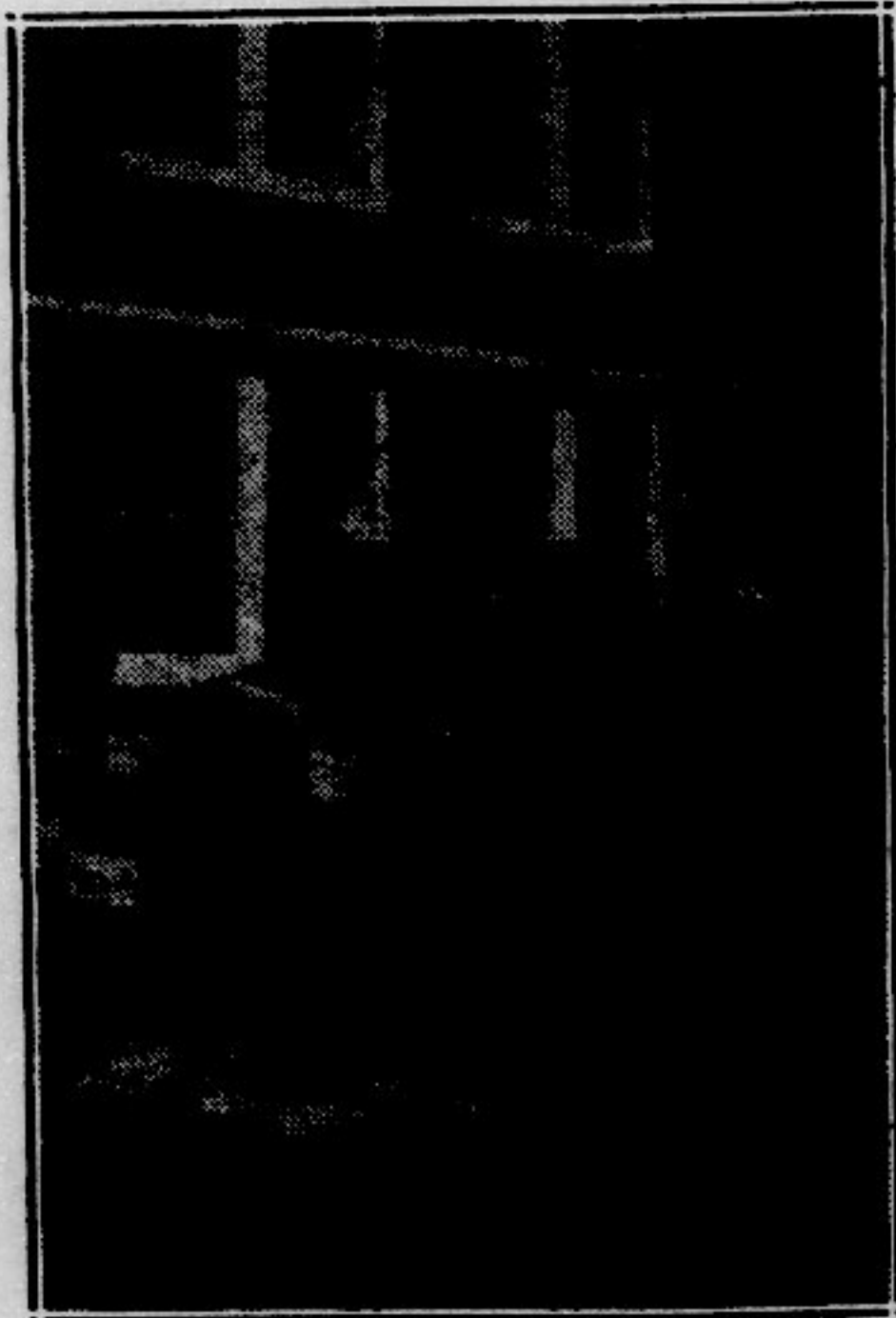
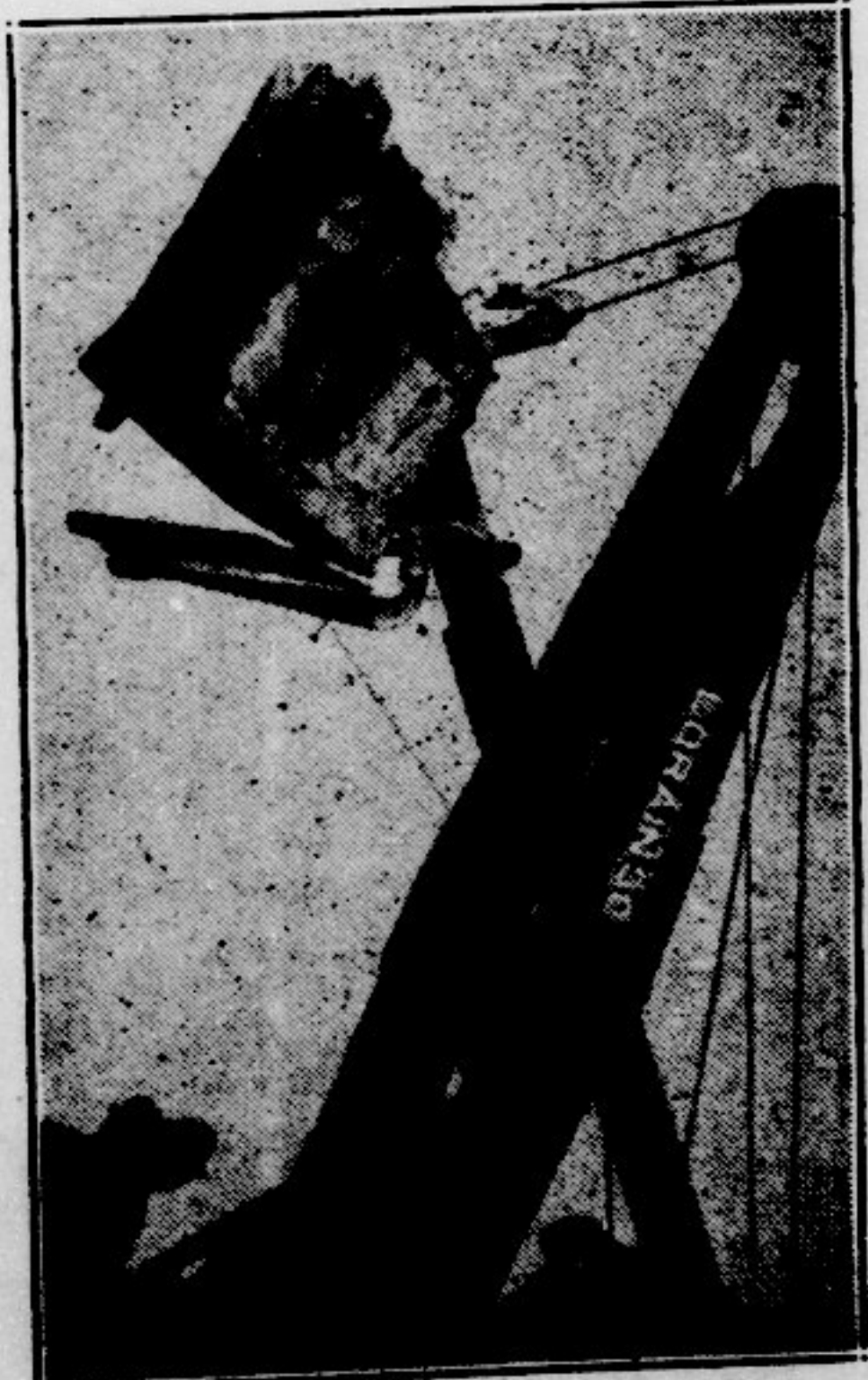
A Home Economics cooking laboratory in the new building, showing separate booths and a cabinet for storing goods in the background.



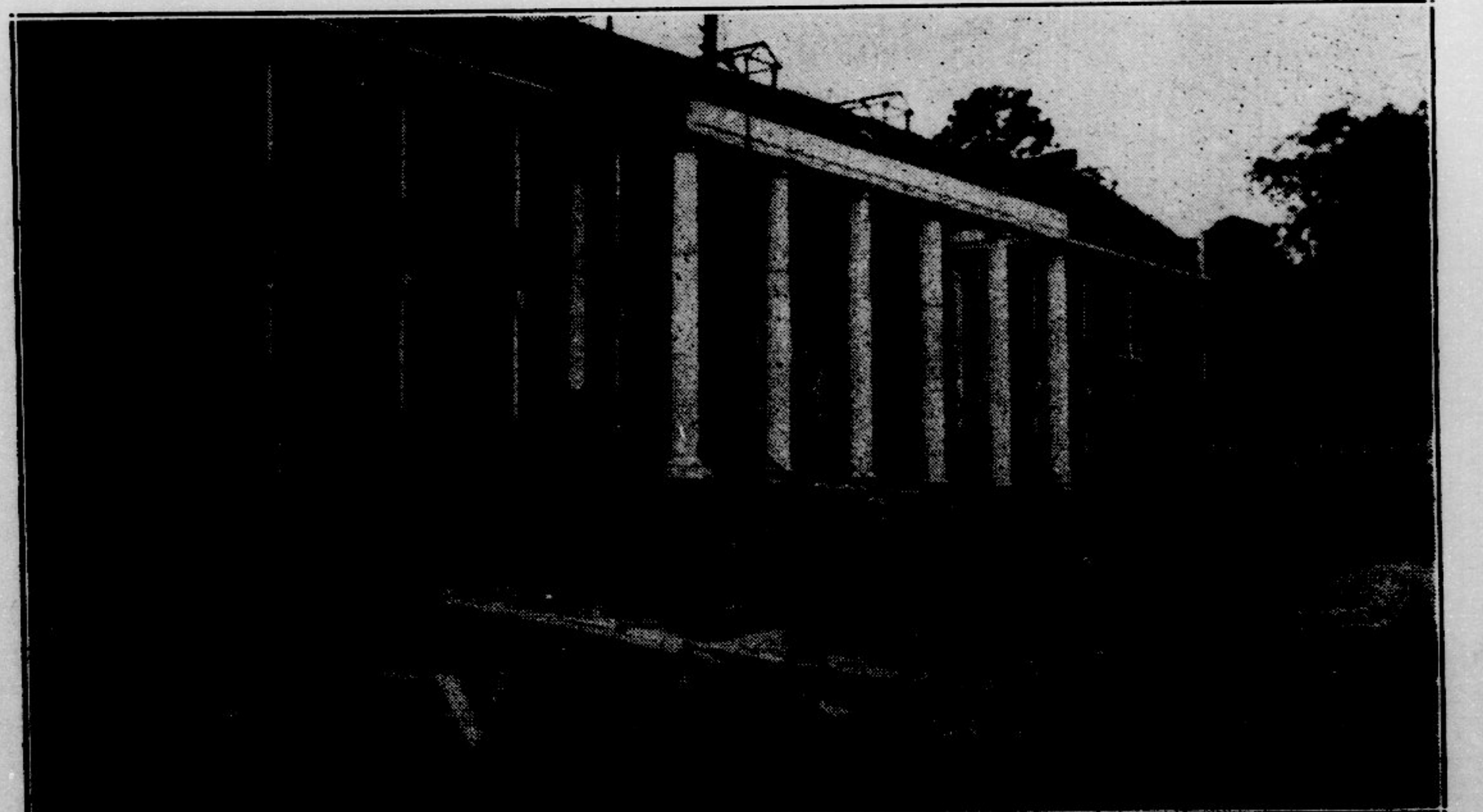
Dr. Slay snapped from above is shown looking between two columns on the front porch of the new building. Dr. Slay is head of the Science Department, which will be housed in the building.



The surveyor pictured above is shown laying off boundaries preliminary to beginning excavations on the new Classroom Building last year. On the right above is a picture of a steam shovel, "machine labor," in operation, making excavations last year as a preliminary step in the construction of the new building.



A hauling truck backed up to the front of the building ready to receive a load of dirt to be carried away from the grounds. Notice the man shoveling.



The new building under construction as it looked before the main windows of the building had been set in and before the dormer windows had been built. On the grounds are seen pipes, ladders and other working equipment.

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Significance of Homecoming

Homecoming in our college has a certain special significance that is important in the lives of each and every alumnae and alumni of East Carolina Teachers College.

This year homecoming has special significance—more so than ever before for this time there will be in addition to the usual observance, the dedication of the new classroom building, the celebration of founders day thirty-three years ago today, and the observance of the anniversary of one hundred years of teacher training in America.

Our celebration is just one more step in the progress of the college. Further progress depends upon the students of the college and the people of the state.

Welcome Alumni

Your college extends a cordial welcome to each and everyone of you on this our homecoming day this year.

Just relax and make yourselves at home. We want you to feel a part of everything that goes on today.

Hello, Greenville

Hello, Greenville. We are proud to salute you as our home town and as the location of our own East Carolina Teachers College.

Over three thousand copies of the Teco Echo have been distributed to the residents of Greenville. Our purpose in so doing is an attempt to show you what we are doing at the college and to better acquaint you with the celebration of homecoming and the dedication of our new classroom building of which we are so proud.

So we say, Hello, Greenville. We'd like for you to know what we're doing, as we feel we are a part of you.

Vote for Capable Persons

Within the next few days the students of this college will go to the polls to choose officers for the ensuing year.

The happenings of next year and the way in which the functions of each organization is carried out will depend upon those persons on whom the student body entrusts the duties of the major offices.

When each student votes he should take into consideration the qualities of the person for whom he votes and whether or not that person is capable of the job and will perform the duties of that office in the best possible way, for without leadership there can be no progress.

This is the time to forget that you owe your vote to a person just because he or she happens to be your friend.

It is only through intelligent voting that the functions of the Student Body of East Carolina Teachers College can be indicative of the will of the majority of her citizens.

We Reply to Green Lights

Our attention has been called to an editorial in a recent issue of Green Lights, student newspaper of Greenville High School, which bore the following title—"Unpreparedness of Practice Teachers—Drawback to High School Students."

"For years editorials, containing numerous suggestions for improvements, have been written on the subject, 'Why Don't We Have Better Practice Teachers?' However there seems to have been little effort made by those in authority to improve or remedy the deplorable situation.

"If in some way when the practice teachers are chosen, the college officials could be more certain that their knowledge, genuine ability, and personal fitness to teach the subject is sufficient to meet the requirements of G.H.S. students, perhaps the situation would be greatly improved."

The inference of the above editorial is that our student practice teachers are not well versed in subject matter and that they should be better chosen before they are allowed to teach in the Greenville High School.

Perhaps some of our practice teachers do not have some of these qualities—but such is the case with some teachers with years of experience, with some preachers, doctors, and lawyers, and such is true with some students.

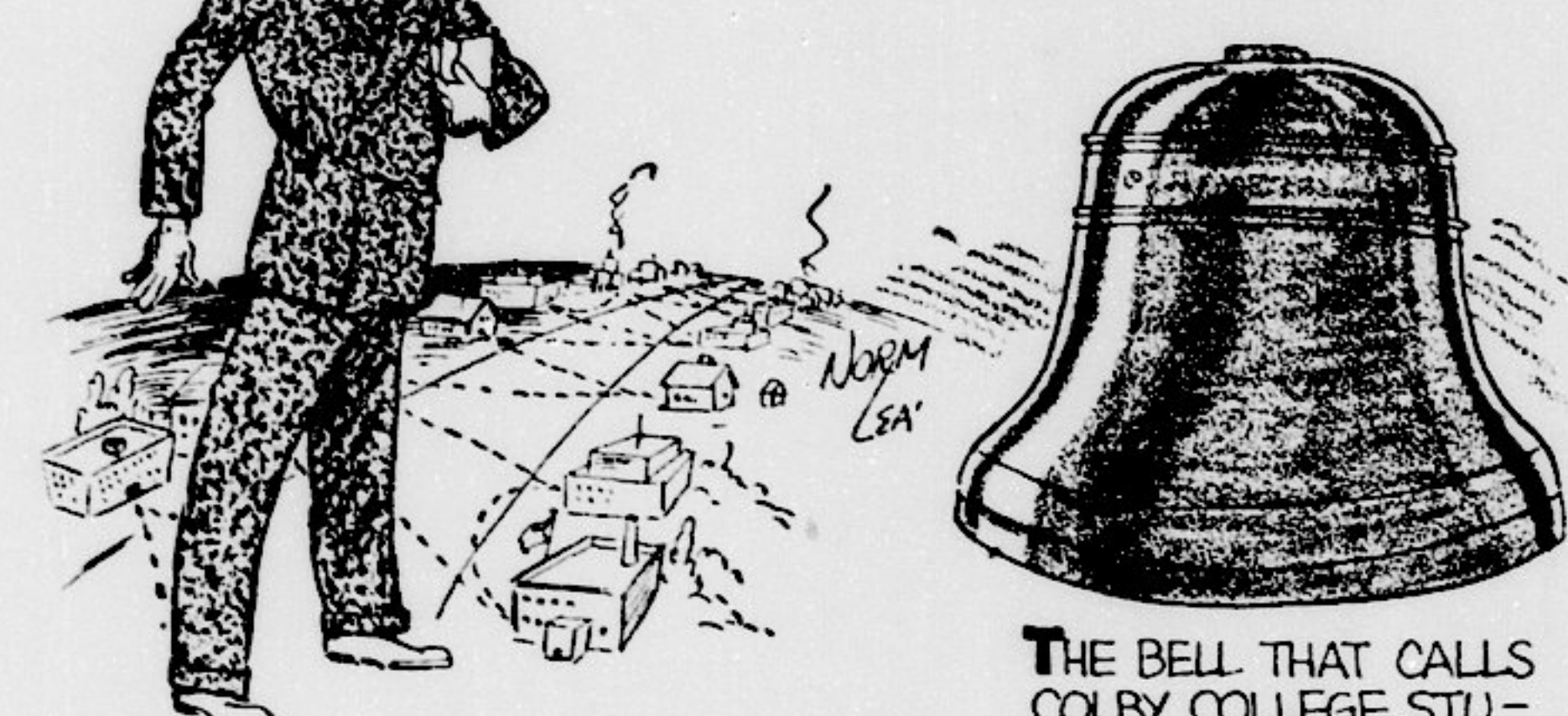
We admit that we aren't perfect and we probably never will be, but we do contend that after an individual has spent three years in college specializing in one field that he will most probably have acquired a minimum of knowledge in that subject so as to be able to teach adequately. And if there are some things that he does not know, he certainly has access to a much better stocked library in the library than the G.H.S. library in which he can find material on practically any topic under discussion.

At the editorial makes a false implication when it refers to the necessity of college officials in picking those whom they let practice teach in G.H.S. The college does have certain requirements that student teachers made to meet before they may practice teach. Each applicant for practice teaching must have a scholastic average of a 75 in all his college work before he will be admitted to the practice teaching group. In order to do this a person must have acquired a certain amount of knowledge in this subject or else

Campus Camera



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THE BELL THAT CALLS COLBY COLLEGE STUDENTS TO CLASS BEARS THE HALLMARK: PAUL REVERE & CO. 1824.
KEN HALL, RENSSELAER POLY STUDENT, ATTENDED 100 DIFFERENT SCHOOLS DURING HIS FIRST EIGHT SCHOOL YEARS.

OPEN FORUM

Editor's Note: This Department is open to all students in school here. The Teco Echo reserves the right to censor or reject all communications. Letters published herein express individual opinion, and do not represent the editorial policies of this newspaper.

Your Cooperation is Appreciated

Our "Y" has found that it pays to give our student a second chance. When it became necessary to close our reading room no one was more regretful of the fact than those who worked so hard to make such a thing possible.

Lucy Ann Barrow.
A Lamentable Situation
Dear Editor: Some people will say "man is a funny animal, ain't he?" and Confucius would say: "Gals is damn funnier!"

In illustration of this I would like to state that the girls on this campus greatly outnumber the boys, and it is true that some of the gals will go with anything that wears something similar to pants, and at big occasions let our co-eds run around with their heart strings broken.

From Confucius' Little Brother.
Baptist students will participate in a Regional Training Union Conference in Washington, North Carolina, March 23, presenting the play, "Choose Ye This Day."

A Boost from a Local Editor

East Carolina Teachers College is one of Greenville's greatest assets and since its establishment it has probably been the cause of bringing as many new residents to Greenville as any other industry or organization.

FRENCH FASHION ADS

By Barbara Keuzenkamp

Romantic and glamorous evening gowns are the thing this season. Silk chiffon is the favorite material, especially when starched.

At Ponte Vedra Beach, a secluded but chic southern resort, sheer fabrics, in bouffant styles lead for evening wear. Also a few large but discreet prints were noted.

From Paris news comes that Suzy is using hemp lace for evening hats. It has a large mesh and comes in a wide range of colors.

Here And There And Anywhere

Is that all? Giraffes grow up to be about 16 feet tall.

Have You Heard These? Confucius says: "Woman who sit on thumb-tack is better off."

He has a head like a doorknob—anyone can turn it. Unconquerable as chewing gum.

In the Language of Flowers: A yellow chrysanthemum means slighted love.

A daisy means innocence. A lily-of-the-valley means return of happiness.

A red tulip means a declaration of love. A tulip of mixed colors means you have beautiful eyes.

After reading this, girls, you'll know what your boy-friend wishes to say to you when he gives you flowers!

Growth of Construction of Building

(Continued from page one) siderably, however by April the workers were busy setting door and window frames in the first floor of the main and east wings.

Work was speeded up during the summer vacation by favorable weather conditions and by September nearly all the external work was completed.

Attention was then centered upon the interior and such work as laying tile floors, plastering the walls, putting in woodwork, etc. began and finally after much trouble with the installation of the equipment the building was completed and accepted on February 29, 1940, by the Building Committee.

The Southeastern regional conference of the International Relations Clubs will meet at Chapel Hill this year March 21-23.

Watching The World

by GEORGE LAUTARES

The war between the Allies and Germany has passed its first six months of activity with no major encounters. The naval blockade of Germany is said to be very effective.

The Russians have driven continually against the Finnish defenses, and only recently have encountered any outstanding victories. The fall of the city of Viipuri is almost inevitable within a few days.

As the result of a recent trip to the Canal Zone, President Roosevelt has declared that in event of aggression, the countries of South America should aid in defending the vital Panama Canal.

President Roosevelt's statement is undoubtedly a result of Congress' veto.

Student-On-The-Stand

Question: Do you favor a third term for Roosevelt? Why? Emmett Sawyer: "No! I do not think President Roosevelt should run for the third term.

Clifton (Minski) Britton: "No! Roosevelt should not run for third term. Washington thought two terms enough for a person to hold the greatest office in our nation.

Ida Farrior Davis: "No, I don't think that a person is physically able to render his best service toward such a responsible position as president for a time longer than 8 years."

Robert Hollar: "Well, yes and no! If the United States goes to war in the next year or so Roosevelt's leadership would probably be the wisest because it is a bad policy to change presidents during a war.

Deuces Wild

ASA SPADES

QUOTE: "I can read only at night because I went to night school."

UNQUOTE. DEAFINITION—RAIN: Something that will keep you dry if you come in out of it.

WITFIELDISM: "If you love me like I love you. Then R.S.V.P. and P.D.Q."

Next time we go to a dance we're going camouflaged as a column. A jitterbug at least has respect for his own feet.

P. U. LITZER PRIZE-WINNING PLAY: The scene is a breakfast room in the 1860's. The characters are C. Lazarus Epstein, Sr., and C. Lazarus Epstein, Jr. Senior is 20 and Junior is 10. Ten years elapse between each act.

ACT I Jr.: "Pappy, pass me the cream for the cornflakes, please." Sr.: "Coming up, son."

ACT II Jr.: "Pappy, May I have some more cream for my cornflakes?" Sr.: "Coming up, son."

ACT III Jr.: "Pappy, May I have some more cream?" Sr.: "Coming up, son."

ACT IV Ditto. Ditto. ACT V Ditto. ACT VI

Jr.: "Pappy, may I have some cream?" Sr.: "Sorry, son. The cow died in the last act."

A ONE-ACT DRAMA ENTITLED: "SHE WAS ONLY A WAITRESS, BUT HER PLATES NEEDED CHANGING."

HIM: "How's your plank steak?" HER: "It's oak by me."

CURTAINS.

CONFUCIUS SAY: "Will power is something all college girls should have—but they prefer Tyrone."

NEWS FLASH: Confucius is in the hospital recovering from a case of laryngitis. He's been saying too -it- much lately.





Above are pictured some of the Science Museum group at work in their laboratory. Working at the table (left to right) are Jessie Keith, Mary Horne, John Morrison, and Joe Biggs, director. Consulting with Dr. B. B. Brandt, adviser, are Helen Ward and Virginia Whitley.

Student Project In Museum Work Is Interesting

Joe Biggs Is Director of Science Group

Among the many projects underway on this campus, one of the newest and most interesting is the work being done by the Science Department of the College Museum.

This work was started last spring quarter by Joe Biggs, Science major from Washington, North Carolina, who is now director of the Science Museum group. Joe started out by making a few skins of local birds and now with the aid of several other science students the department has a sizable collection of mounted bird specimens, skeletons, and casts.

In the taxidermy department there are approximately 50 completed mounts and skins of which some of the most outstanding are: a long-eared owl, mounted by John Morrison; a red-tailed hawk, contributed by Dr. Slay and mounted by Joe Biggs; a Canada goose contributed and mounted by John Morrison; and a number of other excellent specimens. As his assistants Joe has had valuable help from John Morrison, Beaufort, and Jessie Keith, Atkinson.

The Osteological work has been done largely by Mary Horne of Greenville. The completed specimens consists of skeletons of an owl, bull frog, snapping turtle, cat, and a few skulls. At present, work is being done on a dog skeleton, but this is only in the very earliest stages.

Jessie Keith heads the casting department, and assisted by Helen Ward, Plymouth; Virginia Whitley, Nashville; and John Morrison has turned out some exceptional work. A number of casts of frogs have been made and recently a cast of a fish was attempted. These casts have been painted by Louise Davis and Patricia Brooks.

Four Departments To Occupy New Classroom Building Which Will Be Dedicated March 9 By Governor Hoy



Staff of Twenty To Take Charge

Slay, Holtzclaw, Browning, Picklesimer Will Head Departments

Four entire departments will be housed in the new classroom building at the opening of the spring quarter, March 21, 1940. These are the Science, Home Economics, Commerce, and Geography departments.

Dr. R. J. Slay heads the Science Department, assisted by Dr. B. B. Brandt, Dr. D. R. Stull, Dr. Charles R. Reynolds, Dr. Helen Spangler Van Hoy, Miss Mary Caughey and Miss Marguerite Austin.

In the Home Economics Department, Miss Katherine Holtzclaw heads a personnel made up of Miss Rosaline Ivey, Miss Ruby Scholtz, Mrs. Adelaide Bloxton, and Miss Evelyn Rogers.

Mr. E. R. Browning is director of the Commerce Department, aided by Miss Lena Ellis, Miss Velma Lowe, and Miss Miriam Mahl.

Led by Mr. P. W. Picklesimer, the Geography Department consists of Mr. J. B. Cummings, and Dr. W. A. B. Browne.

The main floor of the building is given over to the Home Economics Department, the third floor to the Science Department, and the first is shared by the commerce and geography departments.

As yet the fourth floor or attic has not been assigned to any department, but it is believed that it will be used as a general storage room.

Classes will begin in the new building on March 22, 1940.

G. O. P. presidential hopeful, Frank E. Gannett, was graduated from Cornell University in 1898.

Dramatics Class Presents Plays As Class Project

Lois Grigsby Teaches Group in Stage Production

"The Ghost of a Freshman" and "No Banners Flying," one-act plays produced and acted by members of Miss Grigsby's class in High School Dramatics, were presented in the Austin Auditorium on the night of February 22 before a small audience specially invited to view the "studio performance."

Gasps were heard and shrieks sounded in the audience as the ghost of a freshman, Frances Name (Diane), appeared in the weird, dimly lighted dormitory room of two mischievous sophomores, Ethel Gaston (Mary) and Pauline Abeyounis (Rhoda), who had planned to fool the newly arrived and most unwelcome freshman roommate, Julia Spencer played the part of an absent-minded college student, Gertrude, and Belma Lee (Helena) was a monitor in the boarding house where the girls lived.

This play was directed by Marie Tripp, and other members of the production staff were Mattie Lee (Pat) Jackson — stage manager, Mary Frances Byrd — properties, Jamie Everett — costumes, and Ward James — make-up.

"No Banners Flying" opened with an emphatic announcement made by Janice (Mary Elizabeth English) over the phone to her fiancé that she was breaking all connections with him because of his growing interest in the peace movement. A visitor, Mary Bedford (Ruth Luther) dropped by to call, and left the rebellious Janice some literature about the peace movement. Even the pleading of Elaine Terrill (Ursula Carr) with Janice to drop her ideas of heroism in war and bravery in fighting seemed in vain. As Janice thought that her father had died in battle "with banners flying," no one could persuade her that peace was more romantic than war.

Then Janice's mother (Iris Davis), who had just returned from the funeral of a war victim at the veterans' hospital, described to Janice the tragic occasion: the wrecked body, the cold day, the rain, the sound of taps, and the lack of "banners flying." Her mother told Janice then that though she had thought her father killed in action "with banners flying," he had in reality suffered a living death since the war, and that it was he who had just been released from his suffering. Then Janice awoke to reason — to the love of peace and the dread of war and the determination to work with her fiancé for peace.

Under the direction of Elizabeth Wilson, this drama was made into real life. Other members of the production staff were Mary Lou Willets — stage manager, and Juanita Etheridge, Alice Powell, and Mavil Smith, assistants in properties, costumes, and make-up.

Work was started immediately on the production of two other one-act plays to be given by the class.

Here's A Story About The Most Exclusive Club On The Campus

By JAMES WHITFIELD

Here's a story about the most individual organization on the E.C.T.C. campus; it has the most exclusive membership of any other club; it has fewer members than any other club and students know less about it than any other student organization on the campus.

Six girls, each of whom is an officer, have organized the G. G. Club. Their motto is: "Eat All You Can Get!" They refrained from saying what G.G. stands for, as they plan to keep that a secret.

Officers of the club are Mildred Spangler, president; Dorothy Powell, vice president; Lillie Easom, secretary; Helen Scarborough, treasurer; Mary Quinn Brown, chairman of entertainment; and Josephine Daniel, editor of the G.G. annual.

Members of the club hold a regular meeting each week as provided by a constitution which they have drawn up. To enter the meeting place a member must give the secret knock and pass-word. Like any other meeting the secretary reads

the minutes. Discussions — they're secret too — are featured along with the delicious eats the girls have.

Since the motto of the club is "Eat All You Can Get," and the girls appear to have no desire to overwork the kitchen staff of the College, they do all the eating they can in the meetings. Their diet consists of anything in the way of food they can buy from the sinking fund of the club.

But the dues they pay are not spent for food. Each member pays a fee of two cents each week and the money is deposited in a pickle bottle. When the girls acquire enough money they plan to have a theatre party.

Membership in the club is restricted to six members and the club will have to remain as organized until all the girls are graduated. In view of the elections in the fore, each of the officers is expected to be elected by acclamation.

The G.G. annual will be rolling from the presses pretty soon. But you can't learn anything about the club from that. The annual will be distributed only to members.

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Spelling Bees Now In Fashion As Are Bustles of Grandma's Day

By PAT JACKSON

Bustles and bonnets have been revived to lead in the fashions and attention is being focused on the arts of past ages. The past has thrown off its blanket of earth and has come forth rejuvenated. Even Confucius, with all his philosophic teachings, has been resurrected from 500 years before Christ.

activity than that which provides for a cultural and social life of a group of young people. So often culture is left out of the socials of today, but in the days of our grandparents wholesome recreation was sponsored by the schools in the form of spelling bees. The members of the spelling bee would meet at intervals through the year and form an

What could be a more wholesome

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Robert S. Fleming Is Outstanding In Science Work

ECTC Graduate On Staff of Southern Association Study

Robert Sugg Fleming, who is now on the staff of the Southern Association Study, was graduated with the degree of A.B. from East Carolina Teachers College in June 1935. In June 1936 he received the M.A. degree from George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee. The summer of 1937, he studied at Peabody; the summer of 1938, invertebrate zoology at the Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, Massachusetts. From February through June 1939, Mr. Fleming had a fellowship at the University of Chicago to work in Evaluation with Dr. Ralph Tyler, Dean of the School of Education and Director of Evaluation for the Progressive Education Association. He is a member of both the Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi fraternities.

Mr. Fleming has had the following teaching experience: summer '36, zoology and genetics at Henderson State Teachers College in Arkadelphia, Arkansas; school years '36-'37, '38 to February '39, critic teacher in the Greenville High School, Greenville, N. C.; and the first part of the summer '39 was on the staff at the summer workshop of the University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla. During the present year he is visiting the thirty-three schools in the study of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and is working with the teachers in these schools on their teaching problems. There are three schools in the study from each of the eleven southern states.

Spelling Bees Now In Fashion

(Continued from page five) Entertainment for members of the community. Maybe hours would elapse before all were "spelled down." Last Saturday afternoon an old-fashioned spelling bee was given by a small group at the "Y" hut. Dressed old-fashioned, the group enjoyed an hour of fun spelling in "the good ole fashion way." Medals were awarded the three who proved to be the best spellers of the group—Rose Marciole, Elsie Brendle, and Dr. Baughan. Join the spelling bee group.

Two Successful Alumnae



ROBERT SUGG FLEMING



MAMIE RUTH TUNSTALL

Patty Dowell Is Outstanding In Classroom

Miss Patty Dowell, who is now Associate Professor of Education at Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C., is an outstanding alumna of East Carolina Teachers College. She received the two-year diploma from East Carolina Teachers College; the Bachelor's degree from George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee; the Master's degree from North Carolina State College, Raleigh, N. C.; and has completed the course requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree at New York University, 1939.

When in college at East Carolina Teachers College she was the first president of the Y.W.C.A.; the first student to be enrolled; the first to receive a diploma; and the first student to be granted the A.B. and M.A. degrees, one of which she received from Peabody and the other from North Carolina State College, Raleigh, N. C.

Miss Dowell is outstanding in many fields. Her publications have been numerous including papers and editorials on various subjects. Miss Dowell has held office in many organizations; among which are: President, Kindergarten—Primary Association of South Carolina; officer in Rock Hill Branch American Association University of Women; officer in Outlook Club of Rock Hill; and present president of the American Association of University Professors in Rock Hill. She is a South Carolina State founder of the Delta Kappa Gamma.

Mamie Tunstall Has Achieved Business Success

ECTC Alumna Received Trip To N. Y. For Award

Miss Mamie Ruth Tunstall of Greenville is an E.C.T.C. alumna who has had a most successful career in the business world since graduating from the college from a two-year normal course. After graduation, Miss Tunstall later studied for one year at Martha Washington College, Washington, D. C. She taught a few years in Bayboro, N. C.; Grimesland, N. C.; and engaged in Community School work in Swannanoa.

In 1936 Miss Tunstall entered the insurance business and is still with the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Meeting qualifications based on production, she has taken the courses given by the company and has received the degree of Professional Life Underwriter (S.L.U.) in life underwriting. Recently she completed a special course in life underwriting, Equitable Assured Estates (E.A.E.). As a reward for production, Miss Tunstall was on the seventy-fifth anniversary of the company, the only woman insurance representative in North Carolina and Virginia to win a trip to New York for a meeting celebrating the occasion.

Information Please

Any students wishing to submit questions to be used in an "Information, Please" chapel program in the near future will please address all questions to Box 33, E.C.T.C.

Local Students Ten Per Cent Of Student Body

During the present quarter there are 306 day students attending E.C.T.C. About one-third of these, constituting approximately 10 per cent of the entire student body, are graduates of Greenville High School. This is more than the average number of G.H.S. graduates which is 95 per quarter.

Among those G.H.S. graduates and residents of Greenville who hold important offices on the campus are Harvey Deal, editor of the *Tecocoan*; Dorothy Hollar, editor of the *Tecocoan*; Helen Flanagan, business manager of the *Tecocoan*; James Whitfield, sports editor of the *Tecocoan*; Barbara Keuzenkamp, Mary Horne, and Elizabeth Meadows, associate editors of the *Tecocoan*; and Mary Agnes Deal, business manager of the *Tecocoan*.

Besides these are Mary Lou Butner, president of the A.C.E.; Ethel Gaston, president of the Ki Pi Club; Walter Tucker, vice president of the Men's Student Council; and John David Bridges, treasurer of the senior class.

The students have also been outstanding in dramatic work on the campus in many of the clubs, in the fraternity and sorority, on the new Constitution Committee and organizations on the campus.

Tom Parrish, Waylan Tucker, and Tom Cox have been outstanding in various athletic activities.

Arley V. Moore Is Indispensable To ECTC Campus

Miss Arley V. Moore is an alumna of E.C.T.C. who is indispensable to the college. Miss Moore was graduated from the two-year normal course of the college, and after graduation she started working as Dormitory Matron with Mrs. Beckwith, lady principal. She has remained with the college over the period of years and is now Housekeeper. Miss Moore taught for several years in the county schools.

Miss Moore is greatly to be admired because of the fineness of her person. A more sincere, honest or reliable individual is difficult to find. She goes about doing her work in a quiet, unassuming manner—never bringing herself to the front. As one friend says, "When you come down to the fundamentals, she is all there."

Over a period of several generations, Miss Moore's people have lived in Pitt County. She has made her home in the county all her life. The college is also her home, and is a home for the students and the faculty because Miss Moore gives it the beauty of cleanliness and order.

Jean Wendt, "Varsity Sweetheart," To Be Queen of Dance At Annual Varsity Club Boy-Break Hop, March 23



Pictured is Jean Wendt, Varsity Sweetheart, who was selected last quarter by the Varsity Club for the 1939-40 school year. She will be in the grand march at the Varsity Club Dance, March 23, and will be a sponsor for all of the major undertakings of the club for the remainder of the year.

Ted Ross' Univ. of N.C. Collegians To Furnish Music

This Year's Dance Promises To Be One of Best Ever

Ted Ross and his celebrated University of North Carolina Collegians will furnish the music for the annual dance of the Varsity Club of East Carolina Teachers College to be held March 23.

Even though all the sponsors for the dance had not been selected early this week, it was explained by one of the officers of the Varsity Club that dates of the executive officers would be sponsors for the dance.

Jean Wendt, selected by the Varsity Club last quarter as the "Varsity Sweetheart" for the 1939-40 school year, will be in the grand march as the sweetheart of the Varsity Club.

The dance will be held in the Robert H. Wright gymnasium and will get underway at 8:30 o'clock and be concluded at 11:45 o'clock.

Rules laid down by the Varsity Club for the dance follow: the dance will be a boy-break affair; all boys on the campus are invited, but will not be admitted with dates; a limited number of bids were sold to girls and all girls had to list the name of their date when signing up for the dance and no girl can bring a boy enrolled at E.C.T.C.

Chaperones are: Dr. and Mrs. Beecher Flanagan, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Adams, Coach and Mrs. O. A. Hankner, Coach and Mrs. Gordon Gilbert, Coach and Mrs. Roland Farley, Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Slay, Mr. and Mrs. Dean C. Taber, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dittmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Picklesimer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Browning, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Deal, Dr. and Mrs. M. N. Posey, Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Toll, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hollar, and Dr. and Mrs. Denver C. Baughan.

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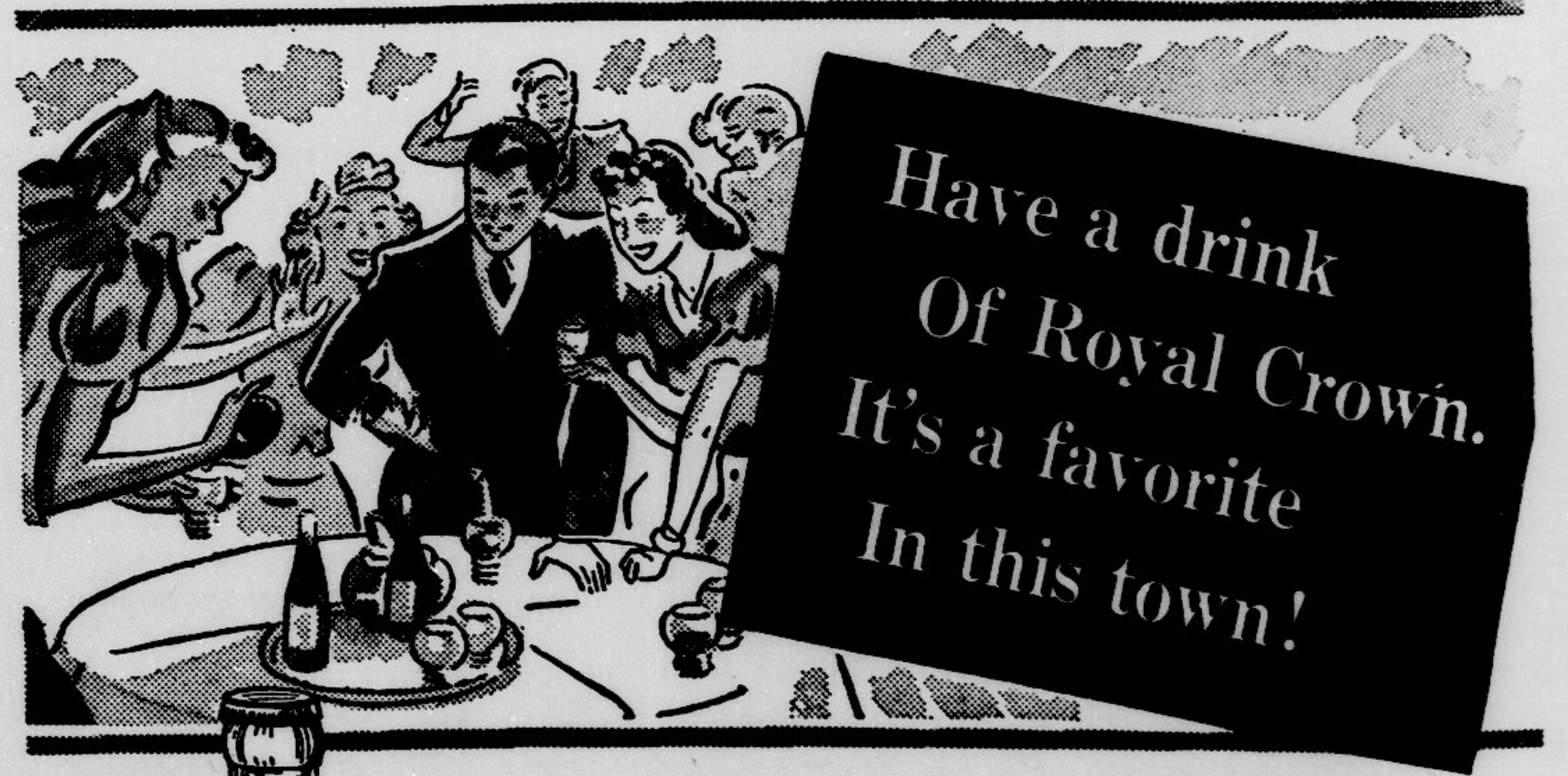
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WHAT PRICE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS?

Students of East Carolina Teachers College have been howling consistently about having to pay to witness tournament games held in the campus building. They didn't howl so much about the three-day tournament sponsored by the College. However, when the county school system launched its tournament, which took five nights of dancing from the students, and they were forced to pay to see the games or stay out, they began some talk that has not yet been subdued. Too, there is some foundation for their argument. Their argument is built around this contention. A year ago the entire student body voted to be assessed an extra dollar in the student activity fee for the development of athletics at the college. They had no desire to see athletics dwindle and thought they could safeguard the posterity of athletics as a result of the assessment. They thought the increase would enable them to see all athletic events of the college with their student ticket. It was discovered they couldn't do this for the money sponsored by the college. When the county tournament was played in the campus building, they had to pay to see that, too. Tournaments sponsored at East Carolina Teachers College or elsewhere do not have one inkling of developing athletes. They are staged primarily for making money. If you do not believe this, survey previous tournaments. How many participants of the tourney enrolled later as students of the college? If they did enroll, were the profits of the tournament sufficient to take care of the money expended for inducing the students to enter school? When the county tournament was held in the campus building the College was cooperating with the community by offering its services. Not one penny was paid to the school for the use of the building. One good thing about it was they employed E.C.T.C. students as scorers and referees. It is all right for the administration to cooperate with outside interests of similar nature, but it doesn't seem right to deprive students of cherished privileges. There are many points of view concerning tournaments. Our job is to present views of the students when they arise. What you have just read is the sentiment of the students.

COMMON SENSE AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

The development of a college student falls in these categories: mental, social, and physical. Dr. R. J. Slay, head of the Science Department of East Carolina Teachers College, expressed an opinion recently that was logical and it seems that his suggestion could be worked out satisfactorily. Dr. Slay explained there are varying characteristics in the physical condition of a student when he enters college and suggested that they should go through a clinic and then be grouped for the purpose of receiving types of food needed. His suggestion came on the heels of the contention that athletes should be served more or different types of food because they consume so much energy. There is much logic in this suggestion. Too, when more than 1,000 students are fed out of the same frying pan, some are going to be overnourished and others will be undernourished. When a graduate goes out to teach, his health must be satisfactory. The food he eats in college will determine to a considerable extent how good his health is when he gets out. Many schools have fallen down on the score of realizing that unless a student develops physically, there is going to be a laxity in mental development. If his mental development is retarded, he will not get along socially. Dr. Slay's suggestion of diversified food serving was not uttered to cast a reflection on the dining hall facilities of this or any other institution. It was not made because of favoritism for athletes. All in all, it's just plain common sense.

IT USED TO BE FUNNY, NOW IT ISN'T

When a flying cadet goes through the exciting routine of apprenticeship relative to taking his first solo, he is drilled in the fundamentals in the outset. That's what happened in a basketball course I'm taking. Coach Bo Farley had been drilling me all quarter in basketball fundamentals. Then came the time for attempting to play under conditions found in a regular game. Ten players took their position on the basketball court. I was included. The whistle sounded and the basketball began shifting from one player to another. L. C. Capps, playing on the opposing side, attempted to shoot a goal and I attempted to thwart his efforts. There was a sharp pain inside my shoe. I took off the shoe and crimson flowed rather freely. Examination disclosed I had split one of my toes open. My awkwardness in playing produced laughs in the early drills. But the injury was no laughing matter.

MORE TENNIS FACILITIES NEEDED

Since the tennis team opens its home schedule March 25, it seems that some provision should be made for supplying an additional court. Last year some of the doubles were cancelled or postponed because darkness overtook the players. Birthday candles were placed on the posts holding the nets, but they didn't reflect much light. There is a court on the southwestern section of the campus that has acquired a mantle of weeds since it was reconitoned about a year ago. This court could be made suitable for play, however, before the season opens and the players would not have to begin playing so early in the afternoon to evade twilight. Then, too, when players from such schools as Boston University journey to Greenville for a tennis match, it is likely they'll want to play the entire match in one afternoon. If they cannot, it is possible that thumbs would be turned on an invitation to play matches on the local courts in forthcoming seasons.

TRACK TEAM SUGGESTED FOR E.C.T.C.

After observing some of the College's basketball players sprint across the floor in a game some time ago, a Greenville resident who is a staunch supporter of the Pirates asked: "Why doesn't East Carolina Teachers College organize a track team?" He wasn't referring to the brand of College basketball the boys were playing because he likes that. His question was asked because some of the boys impressed him as being good track material. All students probably would like to see a track team at E.C.T.C. But there are two large barriers: finance and space. Overcoming such obstacles is a perplexing problem for State-supported schools, particularly when outside interests are concerned primarily with putting cream in their own coffee; and when a political handle is on the cream pitcher.

REGULARS VS. TRANSFERS

There seems to be a sense of rivalry between athletes who enrolled at E.C.T.C. as freshmen and continued their school here, and athletes who transferred to E.C.T.C. from other schools. When a coach does not have a wide range of material from which to select his varsity, he can not draw a dividing line between native students and transfers if they play sports in a favorable manner. If favoritism has been shown we have not detected it. In our opinion it is just as fair for one player to participate in a game as another. Each is a student of the college, whether he transferred or not.

ECTC Netters To Open Season In S.C. March 15

Three Games Be Played Within Next Two Weeks

The tennis team of East Carolina Teachers College, to be coached again this season by Dr. H. C. Haynes, will open the 1940 schedule on March 15 when they engage the strong Presbyterian College Netters of South Carolina.

While in the neighboring State they will tangle with the University of South Carolina on March 18 and The Citadel on March 19. The first home game will be played March 25 with Boston University, the most distant team the netters will confront this season.

Several boys are turning out daily for preliminary practices. However, with such an array of material in the fore, the matter of selecting the material for the varsity will promote keen competition.

Boys who saw action last season and who are slated to garner a berth on the varsity this year include Douglas Glover, Herbert Wilkerson and Charley Harris. Charley underwent an appendectomy some time ago, but is expected to enroll for study and tennis in the Spring.

Newcomers to the tennis fold are Jimmie Dempsey, who played with the University of North Carolina during his freshman year there; Dave (Dopey) Watson, a transfer from Louisiana, and George Lautares, a transfer from Duke University.

The glance at the early prospects does not mean they will do all the shining on the squad. There are other hopefuls in the tryouts and time will tell whether they make the varsity or whether they do not.

Games scheduled thus far other than those already mentioned are: Louisiana College, there, April 5; William and Mary (N. D.), here, (Please turn to page eight)

All Stars Trim Pitt Basketeers

By JOHN WILLIAMS

The E.C.T.C. All-Stars trimmed Winterville All-Stars 32-31 in an exciting thriller on Winterville soil last Friday night.

Captained by Walter Rodgers, the local All-Stars fought hard during the entire game and the score was close all the way.

The locals trailed the Winterville entry until the third quarter when Wiley Brown of the Teachers suddenly found the range from mid-court and sank two beautiful field goals.

Brown paced the E.C.T.C. All-Stars with 9 points. Rodgers turned in the best field performance for the locals. Hobgood and Gaylor were standouts for Winterville.

Ayden was pitted against the E.C.T.C. All-Stars in a game played in Ayden Wednesday night.



Here's some of the boys who turned out for the opening day of baseball training on the Pirate field Monday afternoon. The boys in the foreground are standing in the outfield waiting for someone to send a fly ball in their territory. The boys in the background are playing around and keeping the others waiting. Naturally there's nothing exciting in this picture. There'll be plenty of excitement when the squad opens its season, however.

Austins Defeat Wrights In Fast Last-Half Fete

Winners Trail 10-3 At Half, But Go Ahead

By NANCY ALBRIGHT

The Austin girls defeated the Wright team 21-16 in the intramural basketball championship game for girls played recently following another game between the East Carolina Teachers College Pirates and the Bulldogs of Atlantic Christian College.

Both teams fought rather furious in the opening half and the Wright team led 10-8 at intermission. The Austins began scoring rather rapidly in the second period and appeared to have little trouble in trimming the margin of their foe.

Featuring in the point-making for the losers was Mary Mullen, who sank five field goals. Eunice Herring scored 8 points for the Austin entry. During the half a tap dance was presented by Eileen Tomlinson, Hilda Martin, Irene Mitchell and Dorothy Wycoff, after which a cup was awarded the intramural champions.

The Wright team was composed of the following: Frances Kuebeck, Elizabeth Burns, Mary Mullen and Frances Nance, forwards; and Ethel Gaston, Eva McMillan and Frances Allen, guards. Composing the Austin team were: Esther Parker, Kim Tomlinson, Maybelle Pollock, Myrtle Hopkins and Eunice Herring, forwards; and Estelle Edwards, Doris Roberts, Maude Sawyer and Ruth Hall, guards.

Teams in the intramural program finished in this order: Town team, captained by Mary Mullen, 1,000; Fleming "X", 800; Jarvis "X", 800; Wilson "Y", 750; Cotten "X", 250; Jarvis "Y", 250; Wilson "X", 200; Fleming "Y", 200; and Cotten "Y", 200.

Pirates Grab Thriller In Final Minutes of Clash With Bulldogs

Retain Bo Hunk Trophy; School Bands Add Color

East Carolina Teachers College fought courageously against Atlantic Christian College in their traditional game played on the local court recently, with the Pirates emerging on the big end of a 49-46 score.

Coach Farley's entry as in front 23-21 at the half, with the score being tied a half-dozen times before intermission and three times afterwards. The Bulldogs pulled ahead 45-43 two minutes and two seconds before the end. Dave Watson's basket knotted the score at 45-all and another beautiful basket by Donald Brock put the Pirates ahead for keeps.

Since the game resembled a football game in disguise, fouls were rather frequent. Donald Brock was the scoring standout for the Pirates with 18. Bill Shelton was next with 16. All the Pirates turned in a fine floor performance.

"Red" Broughton did the most colorful distance shooting for the Bulldogs, but Gene Ange, who fouled out late in the final quarter, and Morton Lassiter, were the scoring aces. Each scored 15 points.

Game Be Played On Pirate Turf On March 23

Coach Farley Launches First Practice Paces

By GEORGE LAUTARES

East Carolina Teachers College will open its baseball season here with Elon College March 23 and has two games scheduled with Guilford and one with High Point College the following week.

The first baseball practice, held Monday under the supervision of Coach Bo Farley, who was the Pirates' baseball skipper in 1937 and 1938 and former manager of the Greenville entry in the Coastal Plain League, indicated that this year's nine would be an unusually good team.

Elon has been a standout in all phases of college athletics and is expected to be a rather tough foe for the Pirates. Guilford opens its two-day series here March 25 and concludes it on the following day. The High Point game is to be played March 28. Other early Spring quarter games include Campbell, here, April 2; Oak Ridge, here, April 4 or April 13.

Coach Farley's boys are still getting the feel of the ball and have not as yet attempted any heavy work. However, if the weather holds good it will not be long before the players are in shape for scrimmage games.

New arrivals who are expected to crash the opening line-up are Winstead and Chadwick. Winstead has played previously at N. C. State College, where he led his team in hitting his Freshman year. Chadwick is a former Elon product, reputed to be a good hitter and a sure fielder. Both boys are candidates for an outfield berth.

Returning to the fold this year from last year's team are Floyd Hinton, first-sacker; Bill Shelton, short stop; Norman Mayo, third-sacker; Charles Futrell, and Walter Moritz, outfielders; Kelly Martin, and Willie Phillips, pitchers, and Mickey Northcutt, probable catcher.

Last year's team won 7 games and lost the same number. At present, Coach Farley will be looking for new talent to replace the vacancies created by Earl Smith and Lester Ridenhour, lost through graduation. The pitching staff is another problem. Martin and Phillips are the only holdovers from last year, and are expected to see much action. Wayland Tucker, who starred for Greenville high school last year, should become another starting hurler.

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Among The Alumni

MR. RALPH C. DEAL GUEST SPEAKER FOR THE AYDEN ALUMNI CHAPTER, E.C.T.C.

The Ayden Chapter of the Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College completed its organization last evening, February 20. The officers for the organization are: Mrs. Clyde Tyndall, Jr., president; Mrs. James Ray Pittman, secretary and treasurer; and Miss Clyde Stokes, reporter. A Ways and Means Committee composed of Mrs. Roy L. Turnage, Jr., Mrs. John L. Jenkins, and Mrs. Clay Stroud, Jr.; and a program committee composed of Mrs. G. G. Dixon, Miss Elizabeth Copeland, and Miss Helen Foley was appointed. The members of the Ways and Means Committee were designated to find ways for members to attend Homecoming, March 9. The chapter will hold regular meetings once a month.

Mr. Ralph C. Deal, Director of Instruction in Foreign Languages at East Carolina Teachers College, discussed Alumni Organizations—the benefits of Local Chapters, what they could mean to the individual and to the college. He showed very clearly the worth of a close relationship between a college and its Alumni. As an organized group the Alumni of East Carolina Teachers College might be a powerful force back of the college. Mr. Deal assured the former students that the faculty and students wanted them to come back to the campus, whenever they desired.

INVITATION

The following invitation is given by the members of the Raleigh Chapter of the Alumni Association: "The Raleigh Chapter will again play host to the alumni members at a luncheon, to be given at the Womans' Club, on Friday, March 15th at 1:00 o'clock, during the annual meeting of the North Carolina Education Association. Dr. Meadows, Miss Estelle McClees, Miss Jenkins, Miss Graham, and other faculty members and friends of the college are being invited as special guests. Make your plans to come and tell others about the luncheon."

Mrs. O. K. JOYNER,
(Christine Vick)
President of the Chapter.

ALUMNI OF E.C.T.C IN COLUMBIA ORGANIZE

A very enthusiastic group of the alumni of Columbia, N. C. met Wednesday evening, February 21, and organized an Alumni Chapter. The following officers were elected: president, Marguerite Averett; vice president, Mrs. Russell Everton (Camille Bateman); secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Maxie Spencer (Thelma Ireland); chairman of the Ways and Means, Mrs. C. C. Lupton (Beatrice McCotter); and reporter, Hortense Boomer. The Chapter will meet the first Monday evening in each month.

The president, Marguerite Averett, is a graduate of the class of '39 and was, during her senior year, president of the organization—Alumni Daughters and Sons E.C.T.C.

GREENVILLE MEETING OF ALUMNI

In the "Y" hut on March 1, the Greenville Chapter of the Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College held its monthly meeting. After a short business session Herbert Waldrop, a new member to the local chapter, was asked to say a few words concerning the college when he attended in 1910. Miss McClees, alumni secretary, then explained her duties and in turn the cooperation that she would like to receive from the local units. Miss McClees invited members of the association and all other alumni to visit her in the alumni headquarters provided by the college.

The chapter welcomed four new members: Mrs. Sybil Clark Basart, Mrs. Fannie Jones Piver, Mr. Herbert Waldrop, and Mr. Charles Cobb. Hostesses for the evening were: Miss Mamie Ruth Tynstall, Miss Christine Johnson, and Mrs. Sallie Waters Hardee.

THE FOLLOWING ALUMNI HAVE RECENTLY BEEN ON OUR CAMPUS:

Mary Gray Moore, president of the New Bern Alumni Chapter, Mrs. Oettinger (Polly Melvin) and Kathleen Summerlin, Kinston, N. C., attended the Richard Crooks' Concert. Miss Summerlin spent Friday night with Miss Grigsby.

Alva Van Nortwick, Nashville General Hospital, Nashville, Tennessee, called by the Alumni Office and also called on several of his former professors. (While on cam-

pus, Alva joined the Alumni Association).

Bertha Cooper, one of the Math. teachers in Elizabeth City High School, stopped to visit with Estelle McClees.

Margaret Jenkins, teacher in Littleton, N. C., visited Elizabeth Fussell.

Lex Rhidenhour, teacher in Ayden High School, conducted Y.M.C.A. Vespers.

Mrs. B. M. Bennett, President of the State Alumni Association of East Carolina Teachers College, arrived March 6.

During the Pitt County Tournament (basketball), many former students were back on the campus.

Homecoming Dedication of Building

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Hoey, President Meadows will welcome the alumni and will present the guests of honor.

Barbecue lunch will be served at 1:00 o'clock and will be followed by a meeting of the alumnae in Austin.

The home economics department is in charge of a tea in the new classroom building during the afternoon and the program will close with a basketball game and the alumni dance that night.

Other Committee Members

Serving on the Homecoming Day Committee with Mrs. Bloxton of the Home Economics Department are Miss Graham, working with registration of the alumni on Saturday morning; Miss Velma Lowe, in charge of the alumnae dance; Dr. Carl Adams, helping with the alumni luncheon at noon; and Mr. Gordon Gilbert who arranged for the basketball game before the dance. The students, the Alumni, and a few special guests are invited to the Alumni luncheon which is being served right after the dedicatory address. "Chief" Williams is going to prepare the barbecue. In the afternoon a tea will be given in the new building to which everybody is invited to come and visit the new building.

Students Assisting

With the help of the student body as a whole in cooperation with the Centennial Celebration Committee, the event will be even more effectively carried out, especially in the processional to be held Saturday morning. Bill Shelton and Emmett Sawyer will carry the national and state flags, and twenty-four extra marshals under Miss Edith Harris are to be on hand to help the regular marshals with their work. Six of these were chosen by their classes to lead them in the processional on Saturday morning. There are also to be fourteen extra ushers.

Acknowledgment has been given by the committee also to nearly a hundred girls who are headed by nine girls who are assisting the three dietitians in serving the barbecue



The Emerson Literary Society sponsored the term dance of March 2. Sponsors chosen by the society for the dance were (top row, left to right) Madeline Warren, Meta Virginia Hammond, president of the society, and Irene Mitcham, (bottom row, left to right) Nan Lovelace, Jane Williams, and Frances Boyd.

luncheon. Eight members of the Alumni Daughters and Sons are also helping with directing the guests to the luncheon.

Future Teachers Association

As an outgrowth of the Centennial Committee's work a chapter of Future Teachers of America was organized in 1939 with Miss Hooper of the English Department as the sponsor. The chapter, which is affiliated with both National and State Future Teachers of America, was named in memory of Robert H. Wright, first president of the college.

The F.T.A. holds charter No. 2 in the National Educational Association in the North Carolina F.T.A. University of North Carolina holds charter No. 1. Mary Helen Boykin, junior, is a member of the State Steering Committee of the F.T.A. sponsored by the N. C. Educational Association. At its meeting on March 15 the local chapter will be represented at the first appearance of the F.T.A. chapters of the State Association. Officers and representatives of each chapter will be seated on the

stage at the general meeting that night, and will be welcomed as the youngest branch of the N.C.E.A.

In May 1939 a chapel program was given by the committee commemorating the thirty years of service and work by the five charter members of the faculty: Miss Sallie Joyner Davis, professor of North Carolina History; Miss Maria D. Graham, professor of Mathematics; Miss Mamie E. Jenkins, professor of English; Miss Kate W. Lewis, professor of Public School Art; and Dr. Leon R. Meadows, professor of English until 1934, and now president of E.C.T.C.

ECTC Netters to Open Season in S.C. March 15

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April 20; Lenoir-Rhyne College, here, May 3; Louisburg College, here, May 4, and William and Mary, here, May 18. Schools with whom E.C.T.C. is trying to arrange games, but have not yet reported are: Atlantic Christian College, Elon College, High Point College,

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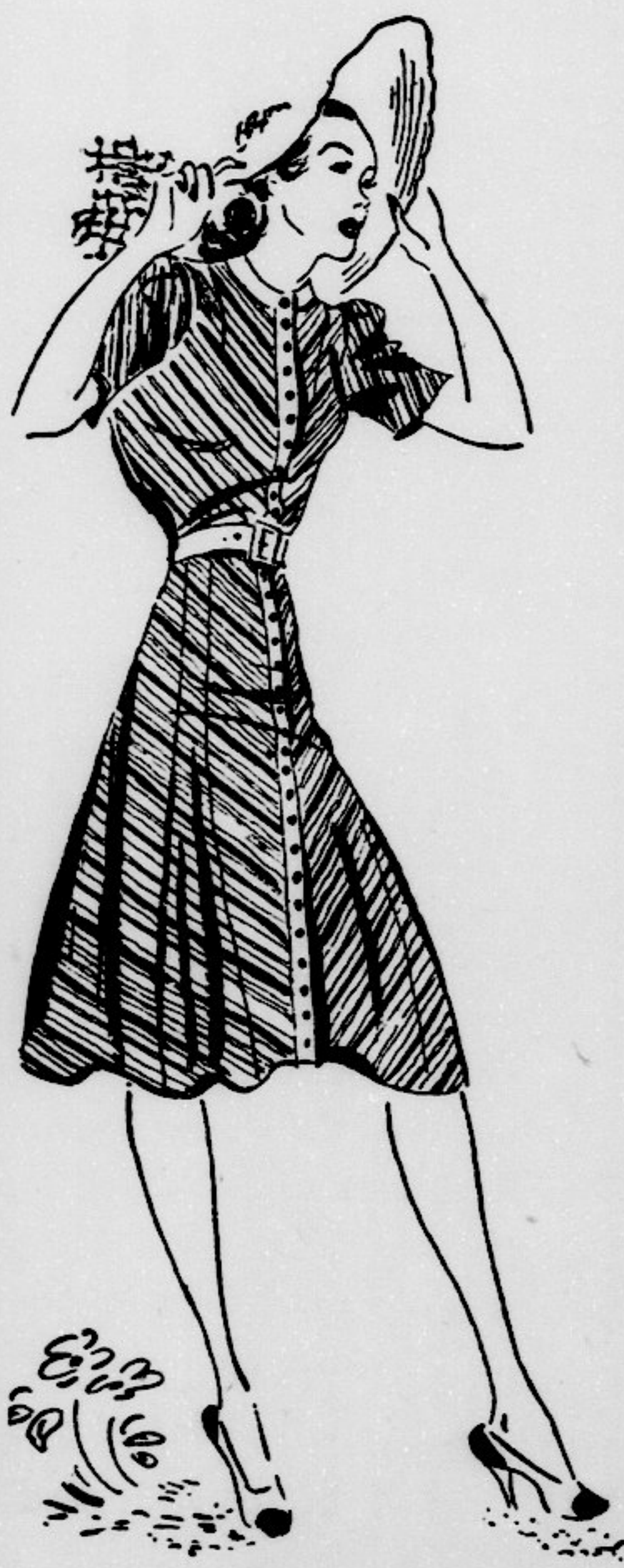
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put up his storm windows or do any little job around the house, but don't accept any money for the work.

Apple polishing procedure in classrooms includes sitting in the front row, responding to professional humor with loud, hearty guffaws, and liberal use of big words. This is important—never use a two-syllable

word where a five-syllable word will do.

Carry a lot of big reference books around. This is tremendously impressive and is worth an A minus in any class.

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