

## East Carolina Food Service To Be Changed

### Cafeteria Style To Be Employed After June 5

Effective with the beginning of the summer term June 5, East Carolina will offer a new type dining hall service with food being sold outright on a cafeteria basis, but with each dormitory student required to purchase \$70 worth of meal tickets for each quarter, according to an announcement by Treasurer F. D. Dunne.

During the summer each student will pay \$35 for board each term and will receive seven \$5 books of coupons. A cashier at the end of the cafeteria counter will remove from the book coupons equal to the price of the meal selected by the student.

"It is thought," Mr. Dunne stated, "that if a student is economical and careful in his selection of food that \$35 worth of coupon books will last him for the term. Students who wish to secure the more expensive foods or a greater than average selection will, of course, be free to do so and when they use up the books issued to them at registration time, they may buy additional books from the cafeteria cashier or pay for their meals in cash. Day students wishing to take meals in the cafeteria may purchase single coupon books at \$5 each or may pay for each meal in cash."

The coupon books will not be replaced if lost, being equivalent to money, and any unused book or part of a book will be void at the end of the term or quarter issued.

"This arrangement has been found satisfactory by many colleges, including Appalachian State Teachers college," Mr. Dunne explained.

In the past the college has charged dormitory students a flat rate of \$6 for laundry and has allowed each student a maximum of 65 cents a week, but beginning with the summer term dormitory students and day students wishing to have laundry done at the college laundry will pay on registration day \$8 for a full quarter or in the case of a six-weeks term \$4 for a laundry deposit. The laundry work for each student will be charged against his deposit weekly. If there is any unused balance at the end of the year, the balance will be refunded to the student.

In case the student has an unusually large amount of laundry and uses up his deposit before the end of any quarter, he will be asked to make an additional deposit estimated to be necessary to last to the end of the quarter.

## Dr. Clarence Best Appointed As New Director Of Music

Dr. Clarence J. Best, director of music education in the school district of Maplewood and Richmond Heights, St. Louis, Missouri, has been appointed professor of music and head of the department of music of East Carolina.

He will enter into his duties at the beginning of the fall quarter in September.

Dr. Best has taught in the schools of Douglas, Kansas, and Webster Groves, Missouri, and has been connected with the St. Louis schools for a number of years, first as assistant superintendent of music and later as superintendent of vocal music. Since 1936 he has held his present position here.

For two years he was conductor of the Greater St. Louis Civic Symphony orchestra. He has served as president of the Missouri School and Orchestra directors and is member of the Board of Control Missouri Music Education and of several honorary scholastic fraternities in music.

Dr. Best holds the doctor's degree in music education from Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn. He has studied also at Kansas State Teachers College, the Eastman school of music, and Washington and St. Louis universities.

## Phi Installation Held

New members of the Phi Sigma Chapter of Sigma Pi Alpha, national honorary foreign language fraternity, were installed at a meeting of the fraternity Tuesday of this week.



HEAD VETERANS CLUB—Directing the Veterans club for the next year will be, left to right, seated: Paul Taylor, vice-president; and Jack Hedgepeth, president; standing, Jack Howard, secretary; and Ed Casey, treasurer. They directed plans for the club dance for the benefit of athletic scholarships to be held tomorrow evening.

## Dr. J. K. Long Employed As Registrar For College

Dr. J. K. Long, a native of Seaboard, N. C., and for the past eight years assistant superintendent in charge of secondary education of the schools in Louisville, Ky., has been appointed registrar and director of admissions of East Carolina and will enter into his new duties on September 1.

Doctor Long will replace Dr. Howard J. McGinnis, who will head the new bureau of field services to be established at the college at the beginning of the fall quarter of this year.

He has a long record of service in the schools of the state and elsewhere. Doctor Long was graduated from the high school in Seaboard and attended the University of North Carolina for three years. He holds the B. S. and M. A. degrees from Teachers College, Columbia University, and doctor's degree from Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee.

After teaching and coaching for a time at Holly Springs, N. C., Doctor Long went to the schools in Ayden, where he was principal and teacher for five years and superintendent from 1928 to 1931. Later he was supervising principal of the Warsaw schools.

After serving as professor of education at the Presbyterian college in Clinton, S. C., for two years, he became director of research of the Louisville, Ky., schools and has been there for the past eight years as

## Talks At Assembly Robert L. Humber

Robert L. Humber, well-known world federationist from Greenville, addressed the East Carolina student body in the semi-monthly assembly program last Thursday noon.

## Likeable Dean Ronald J. Slay Joined ECTC Faculty In 1923

by Johnny Corey

Likeable Dean of the College Dr. Ronald J. Slay hails from the magnolia state of Mississippi in the deep, deep, south. Although born in Marthville, Louisiana, he considers Mississippi his home state, having moved there at the age of five.

Attending elementary school and high school in Purvis, Mississippi, he graduated in 1907 and taught in a rural school one year prior to entering college.

At the University of Mississippi Dr. Slay was an active student. Besides being a member of the varsity football team, debating team, and manager of the baseball team, he was president of the freshman class, junior class and Student Government association.

Majoring in science and French, he graduated in 1912 with a B. S. degree.

In the fall of 1912 he accepted a position as head of the science de-



Dean R. J. Slay

partment at Mississippi Southern college in Hattiesburg and served there (See DR. SLAY on Page 4)

## East Carolina Summer School Begins June 5

### Faculty Of 49 To Include Eight New Members

Dr. R. J. Sivy has announced that the summer session at the college will open on June 5 with a faculty of 49 members, eight of whom will be at the college for the first time.

Dr. Harold C. Jones now professor of biology at Berry college in Georgia, and Mrs. Bernice W. Wragg, a supervisor of art in the Houston, Texas, schools, will begin during the summer session their duties as members of the regular college faculty.

Six others will be at the college for the summer only. L. W. Hammen, who is now doing graduate work at Duke University, will teach in the health and physical education department. He is a graduate of Oberlin College and has the master's degree from Duke. Marjorie Crisp of the faculty of Louisiana College will also be a member of the health and physical education department.

Dr. Stanley N. Reeves, superintendent of schools in York, S. C., who received his doctorate at Peabody College, will join the faculty here as a member of the department of administration.

Dr. James R. Patrick, member of the department of psychology at Ohio University at Athens, will teach psychology. He is a graduate of the University of Georgia and received the doctor's degree at the University of North Carolina.

Mildred Johnston of the Wilmington city schools will teach here in the department of social studies. She is an M. A. graduate of ECTC.

## McGinnis To Head New ECTC Bureau Of Field Service

A new bureau of field services will be established at East Carolina and will be opened at the beginning of the fall quarter in September with Dr. Howard J. McGinnis, present registrar, as director, according to an announcement by President Dennis H. Cooke.

Dr. McGinnis, registrar of the college and director of admissions since 1927 will retire from his present position on August 31, and will take over the work of organizing the bureau and directing its activities for one year.

Connected with the new bureau will be Dr. Allen S. Hurlburt of Phelps, N. Y., who will join the faculty in September as chairman of the department of school administration and supervision and will devote half of his time to field service. Dr. J. L. Oppelt, director of student teaching and placement at the college, will also be a member of the staff.

The bureau of field services has been organized, according to President Cooke, to meet demands and requests of public schools for aid and counsel in meeting their problems and to keep the college close to the schools of the eastern section of the state.

## 75 to 100 Vets Enlist In New Naval Reserve

Approximately 75 or 100 East Carolina veterans of all three branches of the service have been enlisted in the New Naval Reserve program during the last month of recruiting on the campus, Chief J. A. Watson of the New Bern recruiting office has revealed.

"We expect to enlist a good many more veterans here during next week (May 18-25) which is Naval Reserve week," Chief Watson stated. Next week will climax the Naval Reserve recruiting drive.

During that week there will be no recruiter on the campus as there has been in past, but the recruiter may be seen at the Chamber of Commerce office at Five Points.

## Bostian Elected Head Of Fellowship Group

Jean Bostian has been elected president of the campus unit of the Westminister fellowship, organization of Presbyterian students, for the 1947-48 school term.

Other officers include Brownie Bradshaw, vice-president; Mae Shepard, treasurer, and Betty Jean Sanders, secretary.



Varsity Sweetheart—Pat Morton, attractive sophomore from Carolina Beach, was revealed as queen of the campus beauties and Varsity club sweetheart at the club dance Saturday, May 3.

## Teco Echo Wins Highest Rating In CSPA Judging

### Earns 880 Points Out Of Possible Total Of 1,000

The Teco Echo was placed in the first class bracket in judging in the Columbia Scholastic Press association contest for teachers college newspapers, according to information received from New York this week.

Representing East Carolina in the national newspaper judging contest for the first time in a number of years, the Teco Echo won 880 out of 1,000 possible points. For first class 850 points were necessary. The issues published in the spring quarters of this year were submitted for judging.

The paper rated especially high on sports news and coverage, general news coverage, editorial make-up and content and advertising in general. Under the section headed "general considerations" the judge's comment was "excellent work."

The paper was submitted prior to the CSPA convention in New York March 20-22, which was attended by five staff members.

## Veterans To Give Dance Saturday Night

by Jack Hedgepeth  
Veterans Club President

A little more than a year ago the Veterans club here at East Carolina was organized. The membership of this club is made up from the ex-service personnel connected with the college.

The veterans who organized this club had in mind two purposes. These purposes are: first, help for the veterans themselves in their personal and school problems; and second, the establishment of scholarships to help and encourage students who play on East Carolina intercollegiate athletic teams.

Although the club has been handicapped by the lack of cooperation, plans are now being completed to bring it up to its original purposes. Entertaining programs are being arranged for the forthcoming meetings. At the final meeting of the year to be held this quarter there will be an open discussion in which individuals will have an opportunity to express their opinions and criticisms of the club's policy—past, present and future.

For the past several weeks, the club has been busy planning for its annual dance which is to be given tomorrow night at 8:30, the object of this dance is to raise money for the Athletic Memorial Scholarship fund, which is dedicated to the memory of former students who lost their lives in World War II.

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## Popular Lyric Tenor Perry Gives Senior Recital May 22

Donald Perry, popular East Carolina lyric tenor from Washington, N. C., will present his senior voice recital in Austin auditorium Thursday night, May 22. He will be accompanied at the piano by Miss Elizabeth

Flower" by Campbell-Tipton; "Love, I Have Won You" by Ronald; "Iris" by Wolf; and "Miranda" by Hageman.

Donald's vocal ability is well known at the college and this section as a result of his appearance as the tenor lead in the opera "Martha" presented by the college music department in March, 1943. He has also scored as tenor in the production of the Veterans club and Kiwanis minstrels this year.

Perry appeared in two joint recitals at East Carolina before the recent war. The first group of his senior recital will consist of "Have You Seen But a White Lillie Grow"—anonymous; "Care Selve"—Handel; "Nina"—Pergolesi; and "I Attempt from Don Giovanni by Mozart composes the second group. The third group will be composed of "Apres Un Reve" by Faure; "Elegie" by Massenet; "Du Bis Rak" by Schubert; and "Ungeduld" by Schubert. The final group will be "A Spirit Drake of the English faculty.

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## Louise Caviness Chosen State President Of Home Ec Clubs

### Sally Johnston Gives Voice Recital Monday

Delighting the audience by singing in her beautiful contralto voice songs such as: "The Cry of Rachel" by Mary Turner Salter, "Let My Song Fill Your Heart" by Ernest Charles, "All My Tears" (St. Mathew Passion) and an aria from the opera, "Che Faro Senza Ewiedice" by Christoph W. Von Gluck; talented Sally Margaret Johnston presented her senior voice recital Monday night in Austin auditorium.

She was accompanied by Mrs. Karl Gilbert and assisted by William Adcock, clarinetist, who played Mozart's Concerto, Opus 107—Allergro. He was accompanied at the piano by Miss Elizabeth Drake.

The first part of the program was broadcast as the college radio hour.

Louise Caviness, East Carolina student, was elected president of the Home Economics College clubs of North Carolina in the state workshop held on this campus, May 2-3.

As state president she will represent North Carolina in the national meeting slated for St. Louis, Mo., in June.

Audrey May, Annie Maud Bivins, Myrtle Davis and Misses Mabel Lacy and Mary Poindexter represented ECTC at the meeting here which was attended by some 30 representatives from 10 colleges in the state.

After the meetings on Saturday, May 3, conducted tours of the ECTC home economics department were made by the delegates.

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Ed Casey was elected president of the Commerce club for the incoming year at an election held recently.

Other officers elected were as follows: Margaret Carr, vice-president; Ann Boddard, secretary; and Gene Hedgepeth, treasurer.



**BEAUTY TO PRESERVE**

East Carolina Teachers college can boast of one of the most beautiful campuses in the state of North Carolina. The long expanses of green grass, the cool mounds of the weeping willows and the havens of shade cast by numerous trees make the 100 acres of our grounds a pleasant place to live, and study and work in.

The pleasing effect of our environment is largely the work of the late Mr. M. L. Wright, one time professor of sociology and friend of the college. It was he who laid out the pleasant surroundings for the various buildings and procured the shrubs that now adorn the lawns. Unwittingly, he created a living memorial to his kindly nature and defied the words of the Great Bard—the "good was not interred with his bones" but "lives after him."

His work has grown and flowered through the years but lately the grass has been marked with long, unsightly brown streaks that constitute the wandering paths of numerous students. These paths are formed without intention but they are, nevertheless, there, and mar the beauty of the green grass. Holes have been pushed in the hedges along the front campus and in places bushes have been broken and bent by the passage of unthinking students. All this forms unnatural eye sores on the face of East Carolina's fine, natural campus and is destroying the years of hard work that went into it.

Students should THINK before they walk on the grass and use the sidewalks—they'll get there soon enough, anyway.

**SETTLED AT LAST?**

Student complaints about food and service at the college dining hall still are loud and numerous. The complaints are heard, quite naturally, despite the explanations of difficulties provided by dining hall staff members.

Method of preparation of the food, the insufficient quantities provided at some meals and the special privileges for faculty members are the objects of most complaints. The supervisors have offered explanations for all of these which have not generally been accepted as satisfactory.

It is thought that the new cafeteria system to be used beginning with the first summer term will eliminate most complaints. With the food coupons being good for any meal during the quarter issued, the student need never lose money on a meal missed for any reason. He may use the coupon at the next meal to purchase higher-priced foods for a greater variety.

The idea of requiring a minimum purchase of coupons is certainly a good one. It is a health protective measure and will insure that students do not spend food money in other ways. Some students may complain that \$70 is too high for the minimum, but that much or near that much for food during a quarter is essential for minimum health requirements.

**RIGHT DIRECTION**

During the last several weeks the East Carolina administration has made several policy changes which have generally met with the wholehearted approval of the student body.

The college is taking steps forward in obtaining men with Ph. D. degrees to head the physical education, administration and music departments and as associate professors in the math, English and science departments. Several other faculty additions have been made which pleased the students generally. The students realize that the administration is seeking men with doctor's degrees to head all departments and as teachers wherever possible, and they heartily approve this action.

When Professor M. L. Wright left the faculty several years ago, however, a backward step was taken when the two important and individual departments of history and social science were combined into one of social studies. History is, of course, a social study, but it is a most important one and is worth consideration as a separate department. This situation could easily be changed. There are already men on the campus with the Ph. D. degree and teaching in social science who could head their department.

**Do You Agree?**

By Johnny Corey

As soldiers will always "gripe" in the army, students will always complain in college. No matter how good their set-up is, they will always find FAULT with something, if it's nothing more than disliking the college president combs his

students do complain just to be complaining. For this group there is no need to complain. But to the group who have real complaints attention should be given. Their complaints are much more valuable constructive than the complaining.

Some students thought the out-cast of the college president was the only way to get rid of him.



**Why Not An Extra Hour On Sundays?**

It has long been a recognized fact that the parlor space provided in the women's dormitories at East Carolina is inadequate for the dating and social needs of the college. This has been one of the chief reasons for the demand for more adequate facilities and a student union, which President Cooke is attempting to obtain for the student body.

But at present the student union is still a dream and the parlor space shortage is still acute. Outside entertainment and recreation for college students and young people in the city of Greenville are almost nil. Practically the only place open to students is the moving picture theatre.

voiced their views loud and strong. Even though their opinions may step on some toes, they should be viewed, not as detrimental or harsh, but as constructive, helpful criticism.

Sue Lanier—"There is a need for better and more efficient teachers in ECTC."

Ruth Baker—"Although I don't know just what it is, I think there is a great need for something to create more interest in extra-curricular activities."

Alamenda "Al" Leggett—"More desirable men."

Hazel Jacobs—"There is a definite need for more entertainment. Dancing should be longer, and the girls should be allowed to stay out until 11:30 on Sunday night in order that they may attend the movies."

Myra Best—"ECTC needs more bird dogs running around campus."

Jesse Lamm—"More school spirit is needed. Students show a lack of interest in everything on campus, especially in athletics."

Ben Hayes—"There is a need for better athletic equipment and more efficient coaches."

**Dining Hall Problem**

(Editor's note: This is the fifth in a series of articles prepared by the supervisors of the dining hall staff explaining their problems in attempting to meet student's demands for healthful appetizing food.)

Attention students! The current meal tickets will be valid through June 2 for those who are staying for Commencement. Please be sure to take care of the ticket you are now using.

The work is progressing nicely on the steam tables of the cafeteria equipment in the South Dining hall. Sometime in the near future we will be able to keep the food hot at any time. Some foods are of course more palatable when hot and that has been one of our biggest problems this year.

**Letters To The Editor**

To the Editor: In the last issue of the *Teco Echo* there appeared an article by Mr. Robert Martin entitled "Checks Necessary?" As ex-chairman of the Women's Judiciary I want to answer that question and add a few other points.

The only purpose that I have been able to see that a check serves is this: It makes a few girls, and once in a blue moon a boy,

During the week when studies and the absence of outside visitors cuts down on the amount of socializing and dating by the women, the movies are open until 11 p. m. This means that the parlors are generally crowded. But on Sunday night when the number of dates generally greatly increase, the Greenville movies are closed at 6 o'clock and open again only from 9 till 11, leaving most of the couples parlor-stranded.

This creates an unpleasant situation, which could be partially remedied easily by allowing the East Carolina women to stay out until 11:30 on Sunday night in order that they might attend the 9 o'clock movie.

think twice before they break a rule. As long as the ECTC students have the attitude that they have now it will serve that one little purpose. In the present set-up no one reports anybody else. The cases come from the dean of women's office. The judiciary members do not go around snooping to see what everyone is doing.

I, personally, resent being called a "sheep." I want Mr. Martin, and people like him with the same opinion to know that no one from the "little room" tells anyone when to have a check. It is left entirely up to the chairman of the woman's judiciary. If everyone were trust-worthy, checks would not be necessary, but that point has been proved long ago.

The judiciary should not be blamed for the little rules that are made and the ones that are not made. All the judiciary does is to see that the rules and regulations are enforced that are made by the student body. Do they change any? No, they sit around and gripe about them. The women's judiciary that went out of office is the one that was the cause of the new changes about freshman and sophomores being allowed to go night riding next year.

The judiciary does have complete and final word on cases that come to their attention unless it is a major case that they refer to the discipline committee. It is the power of the discipline committee to call any cases up that comes to their attention.

The people that serve on the judiciaries are just campus "scape goats." They give their time and energy and get not thanks, but get criticism, sneers and bags under their eyes.

I'll admit that there are a few rules around here that are not in black and white, but most of them are what any well-bred individual should know. The new constitution is to be presented shortly; if there are some rules that should be in there, that are not, see that they are put in there. The committee has done its best to see that all the rules and regulations are in black and white.

In the survey that was made during winter quarter it was found that ECTC rules were very lenient compared to the majority of the colleges, with the exception of the riding and freshman not being allowed to go up town. Well, that is taken care of in the new constitution.

I don't think anyone has any right to complain about what the women's judiciary has done this past year. Their only right would be because it was too lenient. And I do wish people would get facts before they start blowing their tops. I have been accused very unjustly about some things around here. It was all due to the fact that someone did not have facts.

When we get so that we can control

human nature checks will not be necessary, nor will rules and regulations.  
Margaret Hall  
Chicod High School

Editor, 'TECC ECHO  
Dear Bernice,

I'm trying to audit my financial status, but I need help. The situation is "simply" this: N. C. pays me \$148 a month to teach on a "B" certificate at Chicod High School. I pay N. C. \$8 for staying in state teacherage. Uncle Sam reimburses me \$65 per month subsistence to pay N. C. Since Uncle Sam will only allow me to draw \$110 per month, N. C. overpays me \$38. Instead of repaying N. C. because of overpayment, I pay Uncle Sam the \$38. On the other hand, Uncle Sam pays N. C. \$48 for my tuition this quarter at ECTC. Also, N. C. pays ECTC twice what Uncle Sam pays her because the college is state-supported. Because N. C. pays me over \$500 a year it deducts \$14.50 withholding tax from my pay, which it pays Uncle Sam. The \$14.50 is based on \$148—all of which I don't receive because \$4 is withheld for retirement, which N. C. keeps, and \$38 is refunded by me to Uncle Sam because N. C. paid me more than Uncle will allow.

Confusedly,  
George Haefner.

**Scumming**

by the Keyhole Korrespondent

For the past two weeks Ye Olde Scum-magers have been digging, sweeping, and dusting—spring cleaning in general—to get some new dirt for this column but dirt is hard to find on the surface, especially. As we didn't have a drill to go deeper, we got only a bucketful, which we now throw in your face . . . .

Mary P. is sporting a mighty big "rock." Guess that penny tax that Perc has been collecting adds up.

Billy Tucker is again on the loose he is really making the rounds since he and Georgia had a mutual parting of ways. He has been seen on campus with Louise Bate-man and Jerry Johnson and with a nurse and a few anonymous figures off campus.

Pat M. and Abb always seem happy, carefree and devoted when seen together in public but "how are things in Glocca Merro?"

It seems that Evelyn Collins has a new light in her eye which is focused on her brand new beau—what's his name?

Emily Robinson is mighty cute to be seen unescorted so much. We know someone who is very anxious to know you, so how about giving him a chance—you could at least smile.

Will someone please enlighten us on the case of the "Missing Stocking." We have the stocking straight from Lakewood Pines. But now the question is "who has the leg?"

Jean Chaplain had four of 10 softball players from Carolina Friday night—not a bad average at all. Okay, girls! It's up to you to make her divide with you.

To corn a phrase "Frank Coiner has been cornered" by some cute bangs, which goes to prove that radicals do change. We remember when he was a woman-hater and thought women were the trash of the universe. Boy, don't times change. Bet Amos Clark is next?

The other week-end in Chapel Hill

Donald Perry tried to disprove the old adage that "man cannot fly." What say "Bat Man?"

Mr. William Denton, the great tobacco-nist, is again back on the campus and he seems to be very willing to take care of his share (or anyone's share) of girls. But still his sympathy remains with "Dead Soldiers."

There's one thing we want to know and that is "Why 'Cocker' doesn't date any more?" We know she gets plenty of chances. Could be that she is looking for the real one this time and not just another line.

It seems that "Pot" has torn up his new What happened to Helen Davenport as of late. She's often without male companionship. Could there be a rival to our campus wolves?

So the bottom of our bucket has been reached and if we have offended or insulted anyone, we will make our retribution in the hereafter . . . . And so to bed.

**They Are Bouqueting**

the Jarvis Forensic club for its achievement in winning a national award.  
the Veterans club for its unselfish presentation of its annual dance tomorrow night to raise funds for athletic scholarships.

**The Teco Echo**

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**Student Spotlight**

by Ella Cashwell

"Comme j'aime cet homme—(How I love that man)—and I do mean Doug!" says attractive blue-eyed Mary Messengill better known to friends as "Thayne."

A graduate of Peace Junior college in Raleigh, Mary is a French-English major. In class during lectures she spends her time sketching, taking notes in shorthand and has even been known to have that habit of resting a hand casually on her forehead and casting her eyes downward.

Voted the prettiest girl in the senior class at senior superlative election Mary also made Who's Who and was the senior representative for the *Teco Echo* this year. She is now vice-president of Cotten hall and was secretary of women's judiciary last summer. She holds membership with the English club, Emerson society and Sigma Pi Alpha, national honorary foreign language fraternity.

Hailing from Danville, Virginia, "Thayne"—a petite brunette with long hair caught up in front and clasped sophisticatedly atop her head—thinks that Tar Heels are "all right." As further proof she states that upon her graduation in June she will stay here and work as Mr. Duncan's secretary in the Ad building.

Mary likes variety in life, if you don't believe it just ask her to list her favorite music. You'll probably get an answer like "Sentimental Reasons," "Night and Day," "Sentimental Reasons," "Stardust," "Sentimental Reasons"—(This could go on for-



ever). At the mention of their song that dreamy look comes into Mary's eyes.

"Thayne's" favorite leisure activity is hunting with Doug. No, correction—"Just shooting the gun." Cruising in a new Chrysler with Doug ranks high, as do dancing, fishing and eating fried chicken.

"I'll be ding-dong, but the days just aren't long enough. Ding-dong, is a favorite expression which she murmurs when waiting for the bell to ring. She divides her time between working in the Ad building, helping in the postoffice and watching Doug play tennis.



Sports View

By Bernard West



Another East Carolina athletic team has passed into the ever-expanding past. As the resounding of the big sticks wielded by our potent batsmen echoes into the bygone and the dust slowly settles on the diamond, we see our 1947 baseball team march up the road of history without shamefully bowed head, as many thought it would at the beginning of the season.

From an unsteady, weak, hapless team at birth, our 1947 diamonds emerged as a powerful hitting and high class outfit—a baseball aggregation capable of facing any nine in the North State conference without fear.

The weak batting and poor fielding exhibited in early-season tilts was ironed out and replaced by a potent hitting attack and fair fielding through the diligent work of the coaches and the players.

If anyone has been paying a good deal of attention to the sports section of this paper, he will recall that the number of trophies in the East Carolina collection has expanded slightly in the past year.

For instance, the trophy won by the Greenville All-Stars of ECTC in the Goldsboro Men's Open basketball tournament is a fairly recent addition.

In last winter's Men's intramural basketball league, the winning team was awarded a trophy. This trophy, with the names of the players on the winning team engraved on it, is to remain at East Carolina so the future populace of ECTC will remember that championship team.

The traditional Bohunk Trophy is inevitably in and out of our possession at the present, it is "in."

With these and possibly other trophies unbeknown to me in our domain, it is logical that we need some manner in which to display these trophies.

A trophy case is indeed needed at East Carolina. As the years roll by, and our athletic teams continue to show improvement, it is easily possible that the number of trophies in the possession of East Carolina will continue to grow.

There probably is in ECTC some club or organization that is looking for a memorial to leave to the school. An excellent suggestion for such a project, in my opinion, is a trophy case.

Another organization that is right in there battling for our athletic program is the up-and-coming Veterans club. The dance to be presented by this club tomorrow night is for the growth of athletic scholarships the club is sponsoring.

For the second time, this column salutes the East Carolina Veterans club!

A while back, it was stated in this paper that the Athletic committee, among its many projects, was trying to organize a softball team here to play other schools.

Recently a team has been picked from squads in the present intramural softball tournament, and several games have already been played by this picked team.

Here's hoping the Athletic committee is successful in all its projects, and that next year's softball squad will get a little earlier start and be better organized.

Cherry Point Marines Score In Net Meet

In the return tennis match with Cherry Point there last Wednesday, May 7, the Marines defeated the locals, 5-4.

Wayne Harrison and Keith Hudson scored for ECTC by copping the No. 2 and No. 4 singles. In the No. 1 seeded singles match, Doug Jones was defeated, while Connor Merritt, Clyde Wall and John Heath dropped the Nos. 3, 5 and 6 singles matches.

The No. 1 doubles match was won by Jones and W. Harrison for the locals, and the No. 2 doubles was captured by ECTC's Merritt and Wall. E. Hudson and K. Hudson lost the No. 3 doubles.

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Bucs Score In 12th To Edge Marines, 5-4

Netters Top High Point Champs In 5-4 Match

East Carolina's Buccaneer net team defeated the strong state champion High Point college tennisists last

St. Helena, W & M Defeated By Bucs In Virginia Jaunt

The St. Helena Saints exploded for four runs in the sixth inning Saturday, May 3, to defeat the East Carolina Pirates 5-4. The Pirates were ahead 3-1 when the Saints put together four hits, a walk and an out-field fly for their four tallies and the win.

East Carolina rallied in the eighth but poor base-running caused the rally to fall short. Garland Little led off with a double and scored as George Wynne singled, narrowing the margin to 5-4. Wynne was forced at second on Boyd's fielder's choice. Boyd was cut down on an attempted steal of second. Hayes walked and was trapped by the pitcher and out going in to second.

Whithurst was on the mound for the visitors and limited the Pirates to six hits, receiving credit for the win. Murphy went all the way for the Pirates and was touched for 11 bingles, six of the infield variety.

Score by innings: R H E St. Helena 100 004 000—5 11 3 ECTC 002 010 010—4 6 2

Wednesday by a score of 5-4. This was the first loss for the High Point lads in collegiate competition this year.

Singles: Harrison (ECTC) over Fleming, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; Henry (High Point) over Bailey, 6-0, Lombardy (High Point) over Merritt, 3-6, 10-8, 6-4; Hudson (ECTC) over Maddox, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2; Jones (ECTC) over Gleasner, 6-1, 6-1; Wall (ECTC) over Horney, 6-2, 6-1.

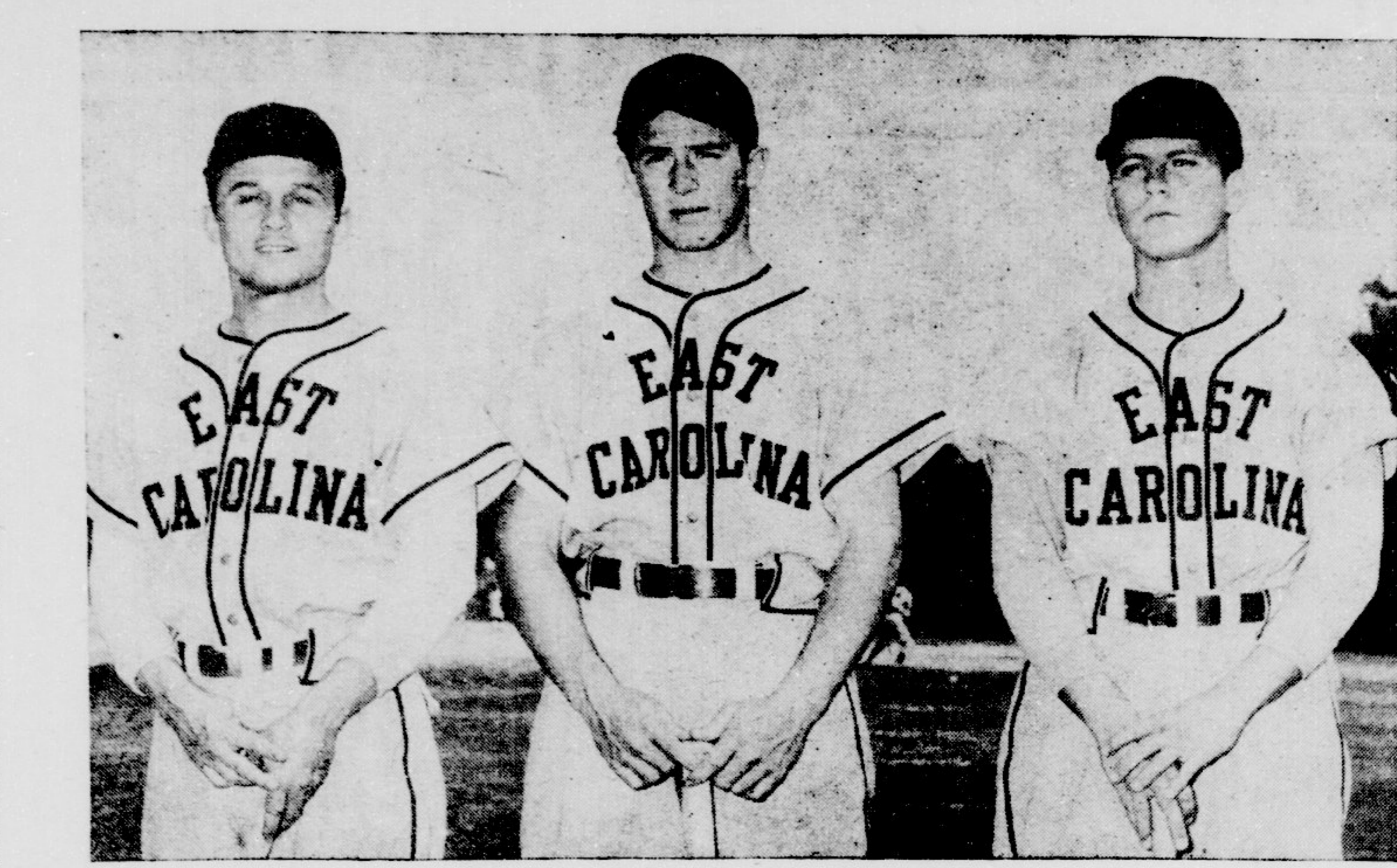
Doubles: Harrison and Jones (ECTC) over Fleming and Lombardy, 7-5, 7-5; Henry and Maddox (High Point) over Merritt and Wall, 6-4, 8-6; Horney and Gleasner (High Point) over Hudson and Heath, 6-2, 6-3.

Boyd Paces Win Over Little Creek With Two Triples

Jessie Boyd's second triple of the day, a towering blow to centerfield, drove home Garland "Lefty" Little with the game-winning run in the last of the ninth inning, as East Carolina defeated the Little Creek Amphibians, 2-1, here on Wednesday last week.

Little set the stage for the blow by drawing a walk and then stealing second. Pitcher Little offered a five-hit performance and fanned 13.

Each team scored in the third. The Amphibs took advantage of two ECTC



Three big guns who have blasted out most of the Pirate hits this season. Left to right: Garland Little, batting at a .340 clip plays right field and pitches, posting three wins at the latter position; George Wynne, stalwart catcher, with a .337 average, leads in the number of hits, with 20; Ben Hayes, who was out of the lineup during the earlier part of the season because of a sore arm, leads the hitters with a .364 average.

Raiders, Rebels Leading Loop, Softballers Battle UNC

The intramural softball league has been moving along at a rapid pace with the Raiders and Rebels leading the loop with 6-0 and 4-1 records.

From there on down it is pretty well nip and tuck with the hapless Giants residing in the cellar with a 0-6 record.

Last week-end an all-star team picked from the ECTC intramural league entertained the all-stars from Carolina in a double-header. The results were gratifying, as East Carolina split the bill, Carolina outthit the Pirates and won the first game, 12-7.

The second game, however, was a different story with the ECTC lads finally cornering a hard-fought game, 4-3. Jim Jarvis with four hits in seven tries, and Tom Flythe and Jim Taylor with 3 hits in six appearances, led the batters for ECTC.

Little was in command throughout the game, striking out 10 along the nine-inning route. The Virginians' lone run came in the third inning, when Beale drove a triple to left center, and scored as the relay to the plate was errored.

The Pirates pushed across two runs in the first inning which was enough for the victory. Larry James singled sharply to left. Gaylord shot a one-base blow to right, James moving to third, from where he scored on Hayes' grounder to short. George Wynne then cracked a single to center scoring Gaylord.

Russell Gaylord lead the ECTC attack with four singles in five attempts.

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Saints Explode In Four-Run Sixth To Edge Pirates

The East Carolina Pirates made a clean sweep of their two-game stand in Virginia over the week-end when they defeated the St. Helena Saints, 12-4, on Friday and took William and Mary (N.D.) by the score of 5-3 on Saturday.

Bob "Lefty" McCotter had an easy time Friday, in notching his third straight win against no defeats. His teammates gathered five runs in the first inning on four hits and an error and were never headed after that.

The Pirates knocked out fourteen safe blows, with each member of the lineup hitting safely.

Garland Little was robbed of a sure home run, when the St. Helena rightfielder made a sensational one-handed catch of his terrific drive to right-field.

Saturday's game found the Pirates not in a hitting mood. As a result they were behind 3-0 going into the seventh inning against William and Mary. With two away in the seventh,

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ECTC Slugs 10-1 Win Over Indians

The East Carolina Pirates, slaming two William & Mary pitchers for 13 hits, soundly trounced the Norfolk Division 10-1 Friday, May 2, behind the five hit hurling of "Lefty" Garland Little.

Little was in command throughout the game, striking out 10 along the nine-inning route. The Virginians' lone run came in the third inning, when Beale drove a triple to left center, and scored as the relay to the plate was errored.

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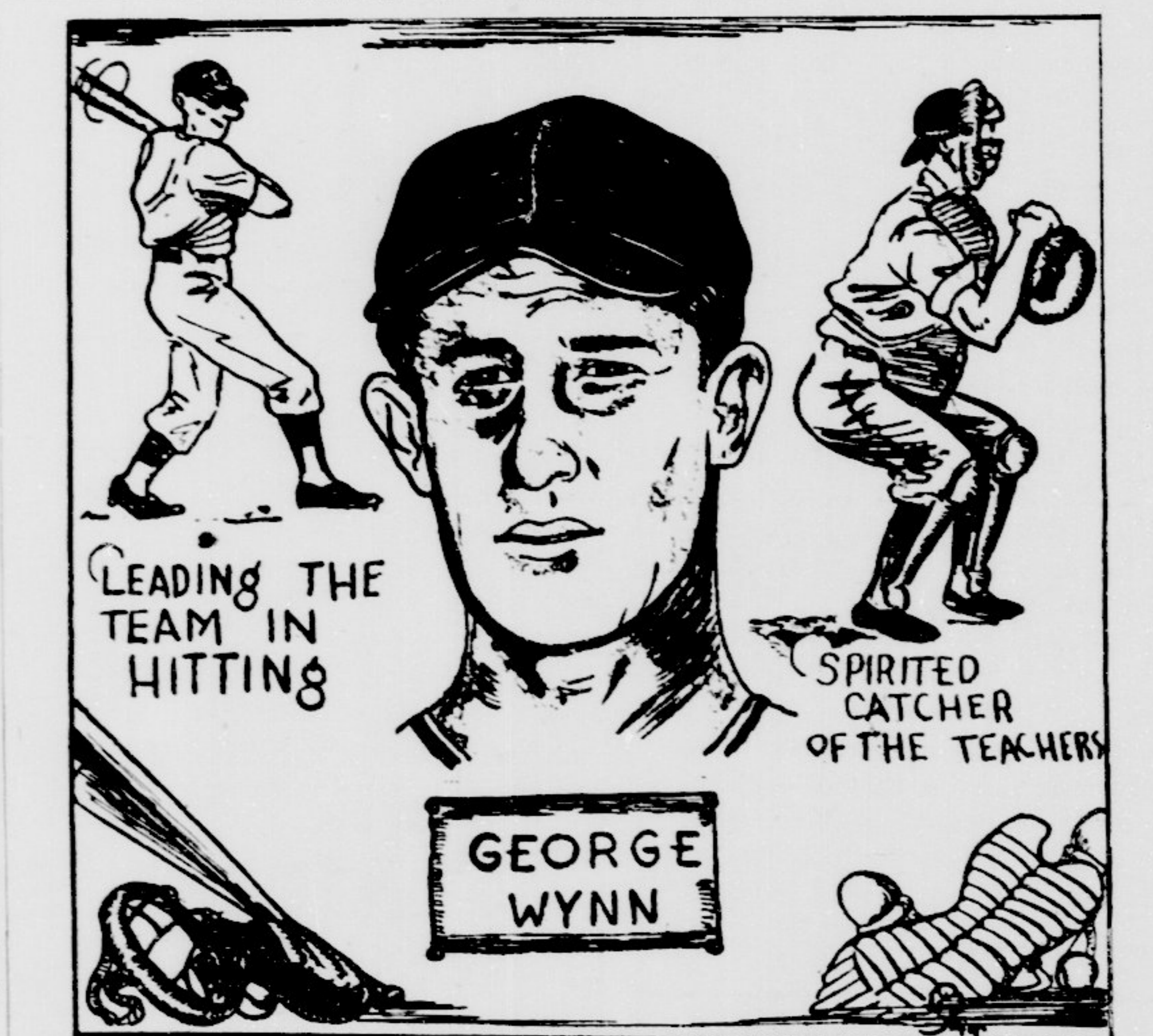
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George Wynne, easy going mainstay of the Pirate catching staff, and one of the leading hitters on the club, is easily recognized on the diamond by his never ceasing hustle and a jaw full of Beechnut (chewing tobacco, that is).

On the campus, look for Marian Early and there you'll find George, contented as can be.

George led the Pirates in the RBI department and boasted a .340 batting average up to Wednesday's ball game. He was an early pace setter among his teammates, banging out a .400 average for the first 10 games. Against Cherry Point he knocked out four hits and drove in eight of his

teams 14 runs. While a member of the Robersonville high school nine, George batted .305 and pounded 11 home runs in nine games. After graduation George served 27 months in the navy; and last summer he caught for the Camp Lejeune nine, posting a .310 average. He is 20 years old and is the son of Mrs. J. H. Peel of Stokes. After graduation he hopes to enter the physical education field.

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# ALUMNI NEWS

## CHAPTER REPORTS

### Burlington

Dr. Dennis H. Cooke was guest speaker at the Burlington chapter banquet which was held on Tuesday evening, May 13, in the Alamance Hotel.

Dr. Cooke told of the work at the college, gave the results of recent appropriations to the college by the State Legislature, and described future developments.

Baxter Ridenhour, the president, introduced the speaker.

Miss Ella Outland welcomed the alumni and their guests.

Mrs. Clem Garner (Ruth Blanchard) brought greetings from the Alumni Office. She congratulated the chapter for the 43 members and the gift to the College Loan Fund.

Miss Ida Walters reported for her committee that Baxter Ridenhour was chosen as the outstanding member of the year. The following points were considered: attendance, membership, contributions, serving on committees, and attending out of town meetings.

Recognition for 100% attendance was given to Kenneth Qurnell, Mrs. Thomas Foley (Lucille Stokes) Mrs. Anna Outland Parker, and Baxter Ridenhour. As is the custom in the Burlington chapter, dues will be paid for each person having such a record.

The following officers for 1947-48 were recognized: Lester Ridenhour, president; Miss Ida Townsend, vice-president; Miss Thelma Adams, recording secretary; and Mrs. Thomas Foley, treasurer.

The banquet hall was decorated for the festive occasion. The college colors, purple and gold, were evidenced in the arrangement of peonies, irises, roses, and tapers which formed the centerpiece; the design of programs and nut cups added emphasis. A miniature Maypole with figures in costume added to the effect achieved by the banquet committee, which was headed by Mrs. T. E. Powell (Annabell Council). Other members were Mrs. Charles Pennington (Edna Bryan), and Kenneth Qurnell.

Miss Mary Alice Cozart led in the singing of the college song which concluded the program.

### Greenville Chapter Elects Officers

At the recent meeting of the Greenville Chapter Z. W. Frazelle headed the slate of officers as submitted by Miss Ruth White, chairman of the

nominating committee. Other officers elected were: Miss Dorothy Lewis, vice-president; and Miss Grace Smith, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Junius H. Rose, guest speaker was presented by Mrs. Thornton Meeks (Ruth Willard), the president. Mrs. Rose gave highlights on the life of the North Carolina poet, John Charles McNeill. She read from two collections of the writer's poems—one book, according to Mrs. Rose, expresses in dialect the philosophy of the Negro.

Frazelle, manager of the College Stores, received his B. S. in commerce and mathematics in 1943. After his discharge from the Navy he returned to his home in Richlands, where he helped to organize the Onslow County chapter of East Carolina alumni.

Hostesses for the meeting were Miss Christine Johnson, Mrs. Ruth Garner, and Mrs. Susie W. Webb.

Serving on the nominating committee with Miss White were Mrs. George A. Clark (Alice Allgood) and Mrs. Janie Jackson Simmons.

### Raleigh Alumni Elect Officers

Mrs. I. M. Bailey, Jr., (Caroline Richardson) was elected president of the Raleigh chapter Tuesday evening at the meeting at the home of the former president, Mrs. Richard Coke (Inez Winfield), on Holt Drive.

Mrs. Elaine Tunnell Phelps was elected vice-president; Mrs. Clyde R. Pleasant (Ruby Lee), secretary; and Mrs. Howard Turner (Mabel Rose Thomas), treasurer.

Mrs. Coke reviewed the work of the chapter during the past year, and stated that the major project had been establishing a loan fund to enable a Wake County girl to attend East Carolina Teachers College.

Miss Ruby Garris of the State School for the Blind, a charter member of the chapter, who is to be married soon, was honored at a miscellaneous shower by the chapter after the program.

Mrs. J. L. Marcom (Augusta Woodward) presided at the punch bowl. Lime punch, fruit cookies, sandwiches, nuts, and mints were served from a table centered with yellow lilies, blue Dutch iris, and candytuft in silver bowl. White tapers in silver holders flanked the centerpiece.

Mrs. J. E. Swindell (Florence Clarke) and Mrs. W. J. Hudson, III (Marjorie West) were special guests.

## Wesley Foundation President Commissioned By Methodists

Gordon Davis, president, and other new members of the local council of the Wesley Foundation, Methodist organization made up of students of East Carolina, were commissioned in a service conducted on Sunday even-

ing, May 4, at the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church of Greenville.

The service was written by James Warren of Greenville, a student at the University of North Carolina and former student here, and has been accepted for publication by the "International Journal of Religious Education."

In addition to Davis, other students who received the commission as members of the foundation council are Marion Burton, vice-president; Ray- onnell Bailey, secretary; and the following chairmen of commissions: Ophelia Kirven, William Sutton, Doris Teachey, Carl Kinlaw, Asmmie Lee Jones, Joan Oppelt, Lola Beacham, Rodney Roberts and Ruth Taylor Sam Strickland, an alumnus of the college, was made treasurer.

## Wesley Players Give Drama On Sunday

The Wesley Players, dramatic group of the Methodist student group at East Carolina, presented "Mansions," a one-act play by Hildegard Flanner, on Sunday evening in the annex of the Jarvis Memorial church of Greenville. The choir of the Eppes high school for Negroes sang.

The cast of the play included Lola Beacham, Bernard York, and Anne Askew of Greenville. Methodist Student Worker Mamie Chandler was director.



SPONSORS FOR VETS DANCE—Sponsors for the Veterans club dance to be held in Wright tomorrow night for the purpose of adding to the athletic scholarships fund are, left to right, front: Jane Smith, Mary Moyer, Louise Caviness and Frances Sutton; back row: Maxine Henderson, Betsy Hellen and Evelyn Collins.

## Here's Easy Way To Make Landmarks Squeal

Gather 'round, males and females, and hear (or rather, read) about a most startling discovery—a discovery that should draw the interest of everyone now connected with ECTC, everyone who has ever been connected with ECTC, and everyone who will ever be connected with ECTC in the future.

This discovery has been made after five years of careful, very secretive and thorough and almost endless experiments. In fact, this is the first time my works have been released.

To omit the gruesome, tiresome, boring story of each experiment and research that led to my amazing find is a waste of time; so, being as how I like to do wise things, I shall omit the gruesome, tiresome, boring story of each experiment and research that led to my amazing find. I shall simply relate the facts I found.

Believe it or not, ladies (and those who are not ladies) and gentlemen (and those who are not gentlemen) (I believe that covers everybody), I have stumbled upon a manner in which I can actually hear the ECTC landmarks speak!

It takes long and tedious preparations to accomplish this feat, but if there are those in the vicinity of this glorious alma mater who have the initiative, courage and ambition to attempt such a flight into destiny, I shall forthwith unveil the heretofore extremely secretive data that will enable said persons to do so.

First, obtain a one pound 13 ounce (empty) can that was used in canning. 's Improved Hominy during the month of August in the year 1907. Be sure that the can is clean and free of rust. (Also be sure to file a round edge on the top, or open edges of the can, so you won't cut your hand and spoil everything.)

Now that you have your can, you can sit around doing nothing until May 19, on which date and at exactly 8 a. m. you can begin what I am about to tell you to begin.

At 8 o'clock on said morning take a medicine dropper and draw a few

and recollections stowed away in ories.

To those who are dubious as to what their vast and growing stock of mem- I mean by ECTC landmarks, Bush 13 is a good example. Other examples: the fountain in front of Wright, the gate posts in front of Austin, and the arboretum.

Some of the things I heard the landmarks say are not printable, especially a few of the remarks made by Bush 13, but some of them are. For instance, among Bush 13's numerous quirks, I continuously heard it moan, "Oooo, I'm lonesome these nights! Times certainly have changed."

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## Three Audiences Acclaim Chi Pi Play, 'Snow White'

### 13 East Carolina Seniors Will Be Honored At Dinner

Thirteen seniors at East Carolina Teachers college who have the highest scholastic rank among this year's graduates will be honored at a dinner given on Friday evening, May 23, in the college dining hall by the Pitt county chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

Those whose outstanding records as students will be given recognition at the dinner are Florence A. Davenport of Dover, Mary Cameron Dixon of Wilmington, Aldine Early of Aulander, Opal Belcher of Columbus, Ohio, Robert Martin of Rich Square, Rebecca Kirkland of Durham, Mary Alice Davis of Greenville, Percy Russell Bunn of Spring Hope, Annie Belle Johnson of Ingold, Hannah Ruth Humbles of Ayden, Lou Ree Cantell of Campobello, S. C., Cora Bond of Edenton, and Janice L. Pake of Marshallberg.

### Delta Kappa Gamma Installs Officers

Newly elected officers of the Delta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary fraternity for women teachers, were installed at a meeting held on Saturday, May 3, in Ragsdale hall.

Miss Elizabeth S. Walker of the college faculty will serve for the second time as president of the local chapter, which draws its members from the counties of Pitt, Beaufort, Hyde, Pamlico, Craven, Jones and Carteret.

### Radio Hour Features College Orchestra

The East Carolina radio hour was presented on Monday, May 5 at 8:30 p. m. The program was made up of 30 minutes of dance music by the college orchestra featuring "Gotta be This or That," "Sooner or Later," "Oh, But I Do," and others.

Also included in the program were vocals by Don Adeock and Louise Carter. Miss Carter sang "Guilty" and "All or Nothing at All," followed by a novelty number by Adeock.

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," presented by the Chi Pi Players of East Carolina twice on the campus on Thursday and at the Eppes school for Negroes on Friday, won high praise from leaders in education and community organizations of the city and delighted the three large audiences, made up predominantly of school children of Greenville.

Sponsored by the Greenville chapter of the American Association of University Women, the play combined the old fairy story, singing, dancing, scenery designed for the production, and attractive lighting effects.

Dr. Lucile Charles of the college faculty, director of the play, was assisted by a large technical staff headed by Hubert Bergeron of Spring Hope and Gordon Davis of Beaufort, student directors.

Among the cast of 37 members, the dwarfs, played by seven veterans of World War II, delighted the audiences. The best performance of the play was given by Virgil Clark, who played the part of the court chamberlain.

### DR. SLAY

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for ten years.

Dr. Slay smiles pleasantly at the mention of Hattiesburg, for it was here that the love bug first bit him. In 1915 he married a Mississippi girl who was a home economics teacher at Mississippi Southern college.

Receiving his master's and doctor's degree from the Teacher's college at Columbia university, he also attended the University of Chicago and did one year of graduate work in chemistry at John Hopkins university.

Dr. Slay came to East Carolina in the fall of 1923 as head of the science department and served in this capacity until 1945.

During this period he spent two summers at Chapel Hill and eight at Duke university teaching science education.

Popular among the students and known as a friend of all young people, Dr. Slay was made dean of college in 1945.

"Teachers are definitely under paid," stated Dr. Slay, "and the only hope for better education, particularly in the somewhat poorer states in the south, lies in the federal government." He believes schools should be state controlled, but much financial aid should be received from the government.

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