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New \$30,000 Organ And Its Pipes



Shown above at the \$30,000 organ is Carl Anderson, East Carolina music student, who is practicing on the organ, one of the finest organs in this part of the country. The organ, which was designed largely by Dr. Philip Willmann and others on the East Carolina music faculty, was constructed originally by the Tellers Organ Company in Erie, Pennsylvania. Mr. Zimmerman of the Tellers company is pictured below admiring a few of the pipes which have been arranged in two specially constructed rooms. The organ is also equipped with an electric harp and a set of chimes.



New Organ's Chimes May Become College Tradition

The melodious chimes in Austin tower greeted students returning to East Carolina early this month. For the old students it was the climax of a year's waiting; for the new, it was something taken for granted.

The organ with its chimes can be heard all over Greenville at times, is fast becoming a tradition at East Carolina—a tradition that much-needed faculty at East Carolina. The organ is said to be one of the best in this part of the country. Constructed originally by the Tellers Organ Company, Erie, Pennsylvania, the organ was dismantled, and parts were shipped to Greenville. Work of rebuilding it in the tower was begun May 26, and most recently been concluded at a cost of approximately \$30,000.

Organ Fills Long-Felt Need—The instrument fills a long-felt need at East Carolina. Students in the rapidly expanding department can now study organ and become performers. They will then be able not only to teach, but also to be service in many towns and cities where the state where skilled musicians for church and civic work are in demand. The design, made largely by Dr. Philip Willmann, director of the East Carolina Music department, and other faculty members of the department, enables the instrument to fulfill a three-fold purpose. Church, school and popular music can be played on it with equal effectiveness. Thought and study over a period of time went into the plan for the instrument.

Work on the East Carolina organ began early this year in Erie. During the second week in May, news was received in Greenville that the instrument was completed, and by long-distance telephone Dr. John D. Messick, college president, listening from his office on the campus, heard the organ being played in Erie.

Dr. Willmann checked the instrument at the factory and on May 26, Mr. Zimmerman, of the Tellers company, and six assistants arrived on the campus to begin work. At least four men from this factory, assisted by S. S. Arthur of Greenville, organ technician, were on the job from the start.

3000 Pipes-In Two Rooms—The console is placed near the stage in Austin auditorium, which was recently sound-treated in preparation for the organ. There are three manuals and 80 different draw knobs, which control the various tonal effects. Upstairs to the right and left over the stage, 3,000 pipes have been arranged in two specially constructed rooms. These are not visible from the main auditorium.

The largest pipe, a wooden structure of 1 1/2 inch white pine, is 16 inches square and 17 feet long. It produces a bass tone. The smallest measures only one-fourth of an inch in diameter and three-eighths of an inch long. Ranging between these extremes are various types and sizes of wooden, metal and reed pipes.

In addition, upstairs eighty louvers, or shutters which control volume, are located in the openings of the two rooms containing the pipes.

Has Electric Harp and Chimes—The organ is equipped with an electric harp and a set of chimes.

District NCEA TO Hold 28th Annual Gathering At EC

Teachers from the 22 counties that make up the Northeastern district of the North Carolina Education association will gather at East Carolina Teachers college, October 3, for their 28th annual convention.

At the first general session at 10 a. m., C. M. Abernethy, president of the NCEA, will bring greetings. The program will be devoted to a discussion of association activities by members of the NCEA professional staff.

At the afternoon general session at 2:30 o'clock the featured speaker will be Dr. Lyle W. Ashby, secretary for professional relations, National Education Association, Washington, D. C. Dr. Ashby will speak on "The Role of the Teacher in Today's World." Mrs. Cora Lee Munn of Deep Run school, Deep Run, president of the Northeastern district, will preside at these general sessions. Other officers of the Northeastern district are: John L. Dupree, Bertie county schools, vice-president; and James M. Dunlap, Wilkinson high school, Belhaven, secretary.

The following counties make up the Northeastern district: Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Craven, Currituck, Dare, Edgemore, Gates, Greene, Hertford, Hyde, Lenoir, Martin, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrell, Washington, and Wilson.

Main Science Club Projects Reviewed By Doris Sanders

The first meeting of the Science club of East Carolina Teachers college for the school year 1950-51 was held in the Flanagan building, Tuesday evening, September 19.

Betty Doris Sanders reviewed the main projects sponsored by the Science club last year. She included the mobile program which is taken to surrounding towns, the Sadie Hawkins dance held in November, the annual Science club spring that eligible members take each trip, and the contest sponsored for high school students doing some interesting or unusual work in science.

President Harry Moore, presiding over the meeting, introduced the following: vice-president of the club, Milam Johnson; secretary-treasurer, Jennie Cannon; publicity chairman, Junius Rose; and advisors, Miss Mary Caughy and Mr. R. M. Helms. The president explained the purpose of the club and stated to be a member of the club one has to be interested in science and actively participate in the club program.

Dr. T. H. Eaton and Dr. A. D. Bond, new instructors in the science department this year, were introduced to the club.

The next meeting of the club will be held Monday, October 2, and will be followed by a social hour and refreshments. No new members may join the club after this date.

President Messick Requests Additional Appropriation For Campus Improvements

Principals At District FTA Meeting



D. H. Conley



Marion Brown

Cheerleaders To Appear At Game Saturday Night

As the East Carolina Pirates football squad makes its appearance on the home front for the first time this season, Saturday night in the game with Hampden-Sydney, the East Carolina cheerleaders led by Jack Everton will also make their debut both in fact and fashion to the students in the grandstand. New uniforms have been purchased for the cheerleaders. White sweaters with purple letters will be worn with white, pleated skirts with purple-insets for the girls, while the boys will wear white sweaters and white pants. Head Cheerleader Jack will wear a purple sweater. The skirts are being made, and the sweaters purchased by the Athletic association are just waiting to be worn.

Plans have been made for a big pep rally Friday afternoon at 4:00 in front of the Wright building. Highlighting the rally will be the new cheers in which the band will play along with the yell, such as in the "Huckle-Buc" and "Boogie Beat." All the cheers will be practiced so as to be fully prepared for the Saturday game.

Chief Cheerleader Jack Everton urges the student body to support the team with good sportsmanship yells. "The school spirit has been excellent so far," Jack says, "keep up the good work. The student support makes the cheerleaders, so our cheering squad should be O. K. this year."

Assisting Everton will be the following: Pat Crumpler, Lou Yates, Joan Britt, Peggy Barrow and Drucilla Bain.

Other cheerleaders that will be present Saturday are Janet Shore, J. B. Edwards, Ramona Sawyer, Hazel Burke, and Robert Williams.

Substitute cheerleaders, Johnnie Friscoe, Frances Davis, Annie Frances Riddick and Jean Mohorn will be on hand to help the squad.

EC Dance Band Is Ready For Current Season On Campus

The East Carolina Teachers college dance orchestra has been organized for the school year under the supervision of Herbert L. Carter of the faculty as music director. Lee Rogers of Rocky Mount was recently selected as business manager.

A sixteen-member group known as "Boo Lee and His Collegians," the orchestra played for the opening dance of the season here and will appear for campus and off-campus engagements during the school year. Membership is open to all students on the campus, and the personnel is chosen through tryouts.

George E. Perry of the faculty of the department of music is pianist for the Collegians this year. Student members of the group are Charles Davis, Durham, drums; Ernest Black, Portsmouth, Va., bass; Rollins Mims, Henderson, Lee Rogers, Rocky Mount, and Herbert Ireland, New Bern, trumpet; Charles Lee, Stantonsburg, and Boyd Elliott, Thomasville, trombone; and Charles Klutz, Henderson, William Glasgow, Rocky Mount, L. B. Starling, Rocky Mount, Glenn Cox, Elizabeth City, and Mr. Carter, saxophone. Bernard Ham, Portsmouth, Va., is vocalist with the Collegians.

Methodist Official To Address College Students At Church

Miss Margaret Briggs of the Personnel department of the Board of Missions of the Methodist church will address the student class at the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church, Sunday morning, October 1, at 9:45. Miss Briggs will come here from the New York office of the Board of Missions.

Miss Briggs will also hold an informal discussion at the Methodist Student center at Vespers, Sunday evening at 6:30. The purpose of her visit here is to further the interest of students in Christian vocations.

Miss Briggs will be available for personal conferences Sunday afternoon and all day Monday at the students' convenience.

Head Of Pitt County Schools Will Speak To District FTA

Mr. D. H. Conley, superintendent of Pitt county schools, will be the featured speaker at the annual Northeastern district meeting of the Future Teachers of America club to be held on the East Carolina campus Tuesday, October 3 at 11 a. m.

Mr. Conley, a graduate of Duke university, has been in the field of education for several years. Before coming to Greenville as Pitt county superintendent, he taught in Winterville and served as principal there. He will speak to the FTA on the subject, "The Qualifications of a Good Teacher."

Miss Marion Brown, senior at East Carolina, who was elected president of the Northeastern district last spring, will be in charge of the program. Other officers of the district serving with the president are: Bill Reams, vice-president, Winterville; and Joy Taylor, secretary-treasurer, Atlantic Christian college.

President Margaret Powers Hawthorn of the Robert H. Wright chapter of the Future Teachers of America of East Carolina Teachers college will briefly report to the assemblage on her trip to Washington, D. C., where she represented North Carolina at the Institution of Organization of Leadership. This meeting was held at the American university for a period of six weeks this summer.

Atlantic Christian college and East Carolina Teachers college constitute the Northeastern district. All Future Teachers of America club members are eligible to attend the district meeting. Other students interested in the topics to be discussed have been invited to attend also.

Music Education Club Holds First Meeting Of Year

Welcoming new members into their group formally, the Music Education club held its first meeting of the 1950-51 school year Tuesday, September 26, with L. B. Starling presiding.

All old members welcomed the newcomers into their organization. New members of the club were informed of the various activities that the Music Education group promotes throughout the year.

Ed Reynolds, vice-president and program chairman, proposed group singing for the evening under the direction of Ethel Reid Clement. All members joined in with the singing of their old favorites.

President Starling appointed Jeanette Ennis Tecocoan reporter, while Annette Hughes is serving as TECO ECHO reporter.

In order that the old members of the Music Education club might meet the new members, a weiner roast was sponsored by the club at the college fireplace on the evening of September 19.

The "acquaintance party" was organized by the social committee, which is headed by Carolyn Eisele. Working with the chairman were Marilyn Hannegan, Jeanine Ennis, James Cozart, Ernest Black and Leonard Starling.

The approximately 65 music majors and minors present for the occasion were led in group singing by Mr. Herbert Carter, music instructor.

Applications Are Being Accepted For Study Abroad

Dr. L. F. Brewster, Fulbright Program advisor at East Carolina, has announced to the students or alumni of the college who are interested in securing a grant enabling them to do graduate work or to conduct special research projects abroad that they should make application at the earliest possible date.

Opportunities for more than 600 Americans to study or do research work abroad during 1951-1952 under the terms of the Fulbright act are offered by the Department of State. Countries in which study grants are available are Australia, Austria, Belgium, Burma, Egypt, France, Greece, India, Iran, Italy, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, the Philippines, Thailand, Turkey and the United Kingdom. The grants are made under Public Law 584, 79th Congress, the Fulbright act.

Interested students may obtain forms from Dr. Brewster. The closing date for receipt of applications is October 31. Those not enrolled at present at East Carolina should direct inquiries and requests for applications to the Institute of International Education, U.S. Student Program, 2 West 45th Street, New York 19, N.Y. The last date on which applications will be issued by the Institute is October 15.

Men's Glee Club Is Organized; Officers Are Chosen For Year

The Men's Glee club, composed of approximately 50 men on the East Carolina campus, was organized this week for the 1950-1951 term under the direction of Dr. Rudolph R. Willmann, director of the Music department. Appearances have not yet been planned but will be disclosed upon completion of the organization.

The officers of the club for the current year are: Francis Gay, president; Bernard Ham, secretary; and Charles Self, business manager. Rehearsals are scheduled for Monday and Wednesday evenings at 6:45 in the Austin building, room 123.

Commerce Club Has Large Number At 1st Gathering Of Year

The Commerce club of East Carolina held its first meeting of the school year in the commerce club room in the Flanagan building, Tuesday evening, September 19, with an attendance of nearly 100 members.

Allan Berman, president of the organization, welcomed both old and new members to the gathering, stating that the purpose of the Commerce club is, "to foster better relations between students in the department and to enlarge our knowledge of the teaching and business professions."

Seeks \$1,406,050 For New Buildings And Improvements

President John D. Messick of East Carolina Teachers college and Treasurer and Business Manager F. D. Duncan, traveled to Raleigh September 22 and met with the State Budget commission, and asked for building appropriations amounting to \$1,406,050 for constructions and improvements on the campus.

Included in the request set before the Budget commission were \$578,000 for a new girls' dormitory, and \$151,800 for driveways and sidewalks. The remainder of the money asked for will be used for reverting the present library building into a classroom building, for reverting the basement of the Wright building into a student union, and for various other improvements.

Present Constructions—Under construction at the present time is the new gymnasium on East Tenth street back of the football field. The gym, which will have a seating capacity of approximately 2200 for basketball, will have an indoor swimming pool, 75 feet by 35 feet in the basement. It is hoped by the administration that the gym will be ready for use by the basketball season of 1951-52.

Additions to the Training school, including a gymnasium and an auditorium, are nearing completion and should be in use by the grammar grades within the next two or three weeks. New boilers are being installed in the power plant at the present time. The warehouse and workshop beside Slay hall is expected to be finished by Christmas of the present school year.

Allotments Set Aside—An allotment has already been set aside for the construction of an approximately \$750,000 library, \$250,000 teachers' dormitory and \$50,000 home management house.

After the teacher's new dormitory has been constructed and the wing has been added to Ragsdale Hall, the girls will be the occupants of all of Ragsdale.

Mr. Duncan stated that the main reason that the other buildings for which money has already been appropriated are not under construction is the fact that there is a shortage of materials and most companies have so much work piled up that they will not offer bids.

Opera Soprano To Initiate Series Of Entertainments

East Carolina will open its five-number 1950-1951 entertainment series October 26 at 8:00 p.m. when Eleanor Steber, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera association, will initiate the series in the Wright auditorium. She is an American singer sometimes known as the "perfect vocal artist," and has won success in opera, concert and radio programs.

Today Eleanor Steber may be heard regularly as the star of "The Voice of Firestone," considered to be one of radio's highest-rating musical programs.

Other programs scheduled for this year are: a production of "La Boheme" by the Wagner Opera company, November 29; the Vienna Choir Boys, March 21; Oscar Levant, pianist, April 2; and a dance orchestra to be booked for the fall or the winter quarter.



Eleanor Steber

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VERSE OF THE WEEK

"I can do all things in him who strengthens me."
—Philippians 4:13 RSV

SLAY HALL MEETING—NO SECOND CHANCE

At a meeting of Slay hall residents Thursday evening, September 21, several points were brought forward which should prove beneficial to all concerned, both students and administration.

Dean of Men and Student Affairs W. E. Marshall spoke to the group concerning certain regulations to be followed by those living in the new men's dormitory. In presenting the rules to the men, he explained diplomatically but clearly that the rulings were handed down from the Board of Trustees of the College.

Very definitely it was made known to the men students that the drinking of alcoholic beverages would not be tolerated. According to the Dean, the first offense will be the last. It is well that those who forego sober reasoning for alcoholic indulgence will not be given a second chance. It would seem to be the wisest action, for any other measures would only be flagrantly violated and sarcastically ridiculed. To stop the indulgence of intoxicants a definite ruling must be laid down and enforced. Rulings with loopholes present an adventurous challenge to many students who would engage in drinking for the purpose of "getting by with something."

It was also made clear to the men that the new furniture in Slay hall and the building itself must be kept clean and intact. Any damage to the State property will be paid for by the students living in the room in which the damage was done, if it cannot be ascertained who perpetrated the defacing.

These directives of the Board of Trustees will in the long run prove beneficial to the students both morally and physically. Students who do not drink will not be bothered or laden with the burden of having to put up with drunken and disgusting students. Abstaining students will not be forced to associate with the noise and disregard of unthinking drinkers. In the long run those few who have been in the habit of indulging will profit too in time and money saved, not to mention friendships.

Certainly we can understand the desire of new students to find their living quarters in good clean condition. Therefore it is up to the juniors and seniors each year to depart the dormitory as they found it. There should be no more than "fair wear and tear" upon the building or its contents. Slay hall is a beautiful building; it is hoped that the men who reside there will prove deserving of their fortunate positions.

SCHOOL SPIRIT SHOWN AT LENOIR-RHYNE GAME

"We don't have school spirit at East Carolina," is a phrase we have heard constantly since we have been here and the same or similar remarks have appeared regularly in editorial columns of this paper. Those who were at the game Saturday night, September 23, know a different story. There were about one hundred and fifty East Carolina rooters at the game, but we are sure the Lenoir-Rhyme crowd thought there were more. About half the crowd was made up of alumni now teaching in the Hickory area, although many of them traveled far for the game. After the game a number of the East Carolina players told us it gave them a warm feeling to know there were friends in the stands to cheer them on. Most of the alumni we talked with told us they were looking forward to the Homecoming week end.

ONE IMPROVEMENT NEEDED TO CURB NOISE

The suggestion by one of the men at the Slay hall meeting that rubber pads be put on the legs of all the chairs in the dormitory was one of the best of the evening.

When scraped across the stone and concrete floors the noise involved is sufficient to be heard from one end of the dormitory to the other. The slightest movement of the chairs is enough to disturb those on the floor beneath or across the hall. While noise in the dormitory has been on the whole kept to a minimum, the building, so solidly constructed, may be likened to a vault in which noises are magnified beyond just proportion. The suggestion, well-taken, would be invaluable in the reduction of noise in the dormitory.

STUDENT LEGISLATURE TO BE COMMENDED

The Student Legislature is to be commended for its work at the regular meeting of that body, September 20. While it was expected that the consideration of the budget would take much longer, the Legislature managed to finish its work in the hour and a half time limit. The appropriation of \$28, 144 to the various campus organizations was not legislative action in haste; let there be no mistake about that. The Budget committee which presented recommendations to the Legislature had spent much time in research, going over past records of organizations and deliberating at length, before its figures were decided upon. When recommendations were then presented to the Legislature that they be carefully considered and carried on the procedure was a commendable one. While there were some disagreements, the whole were pleasing to most organizations.

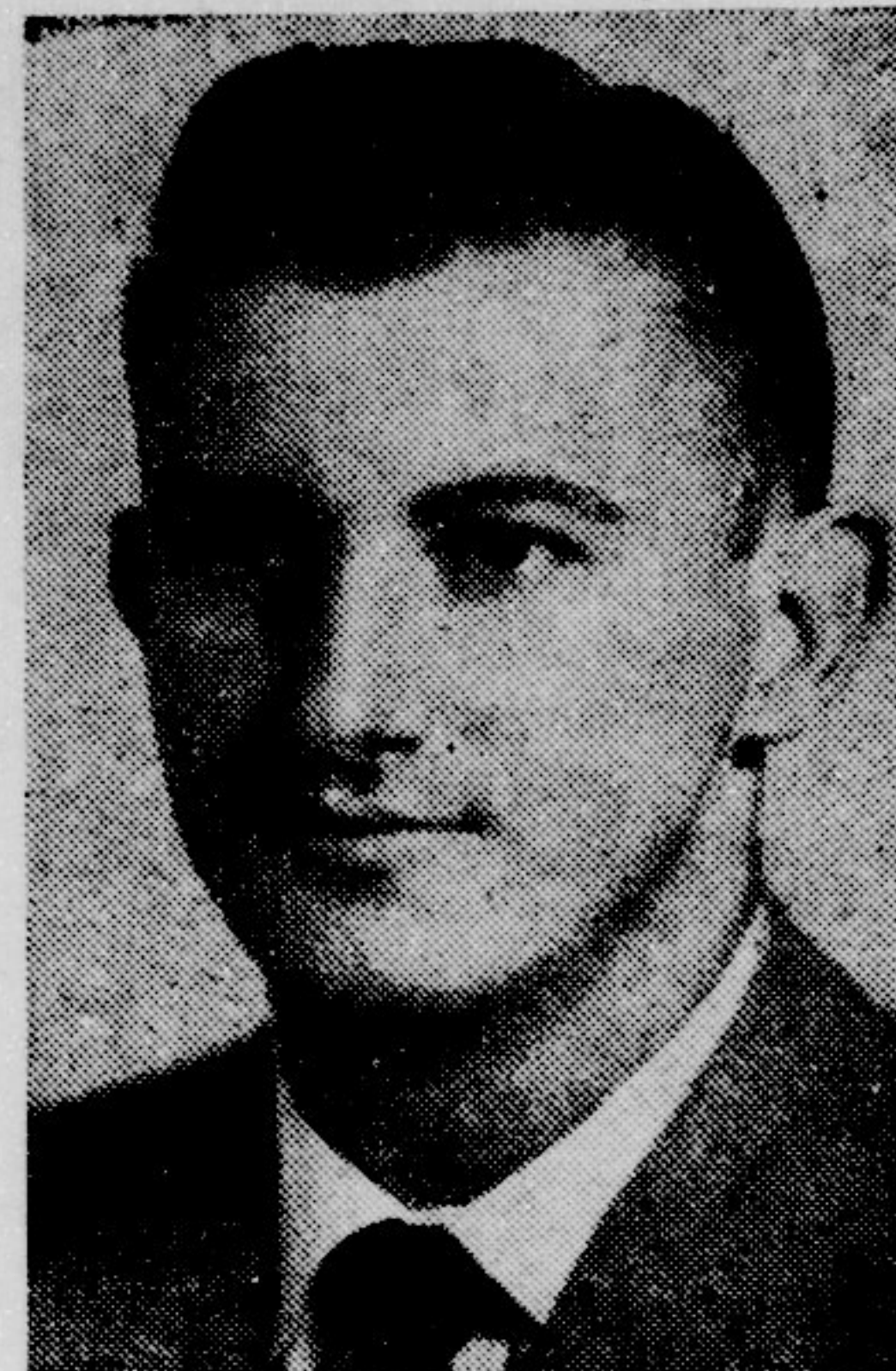
Who's Who At East Carolina

by Barbara Grimes

As one looks about the campus of East Carolina, he sees an unusual amount of red-heads, both boys and girls; the most popular of those red-headed boys is Hogan Gaskins, first vice-president of the Student Government association.

From kindergarten to college years, Hogan has been on the East Carolina campus. A native of Greenville, he attended the East Carolina Teachers college Training school and Greenville High school. Vice-presidency isn't a new thing for Hogan, because he was vice-president of the Junior class at GHS. During his college years Hogan has participated in many college activities. At the present he is a member of Circle K, Phi Sigma Phi, Science club, and he plays the trumpet in the college band. Formerly he played in the dance band but he doesn't now. Last year he was president of the Day Students committee. Last summer he was chairman of the Student Handbook committee.

A science major and pre-med student, Hogan will be graduated after completing the spring quarter of this year. After graduation from East Carolina he will enter either the Medical school of the University of North Carolina or Bowman-Gray Medical school at Winston-Salem. As to which field of medicine he will specialize in, Hogan is still undecided. Even after graduation from UNC or Bowman-Gray, he will have to serve his internship in some hospital before he will



Dr. Hogan Gaskins.

Hogan is very fond of music, and Stan Kenton is his band of the day. Semi-classical rhythm appeals to our red-headed man of the week although "any kind is O. K." says Hogan.

A great movie-goer, Hogan likes the romantic pictures MGM and Twentieth Century Fox are so talented in releasing. "The ones in which the boy ALWAYS gets the girl are my favorites," Gaskins related. In the sports line, football is at the top of the list for our SGA veep. Of the Big Four (Carolina, Duke, State, and Wake Forest) Wake Forest is his preference of teams. Hogan will have to

change his tune about that if he goes to Carolina next year!

Seafood is Hogan's favorite food although any kind of food appeals to him.

A hobby? Oh Yes! Astronomy and girls. When asked if he combines the two, he remarked, "No comment." Of the extra-curricular activities in which he takes a part, band is Hogan's favorite. He's the man with the horn.

A past course with laughs attached for Hogan is his creative writing course in the winter quarter of last year. His masterpiece "There's Always A Gimmie," sent both the class and the instructor, Dr. Pingle, into gales of laughter. A humorous mysterious short story remains in the memories of the members of that class as something "out of this world."

Hogan is a loyal student. He finds no fault with East Carolina at all; the curfew hours of the young ladies of the campus are his only complaint. A fellow who loves his school, is full of school spirit, and who is doing his part in making that school loved by more students each year, Hogan Gaskins is an asset to East Carolina. A happy-go-lucky type of person who is quite popular with both boys and girls on East Carolina's campus, he is liked by all who know him.

The student body of East Carolina couldn't have elected a more qualified or a more deserving boy for first vice-president of the SGA.

ROUND THE CAMPUS

by Anne Jones

Well, (that's a deep hole in the ground with water in it, so my boy friend reminds me), at any rate, here we are at last on another little spin to see what's happening on this ole college campus. For two weeks this columnist has been racking her brain wondering how to go about writing this column. Take it from me (this is strictly off the record, so please don't tell our editor) she hasn't figured out what to write yet, so what appears below is purely accidental.

Over in the Y room in the Austin building, from what we're able to gather in a little excursion over there, most of us students are having a heck of a time picking the picture we want to go in the annual; they're all so good you know!

So we've been told, quite a few of you boys, and gals too, might just by chance find a piece of paper, size 8x10 from need we say whom in your Christmas stocking. Sounds interesting to us. Agree?

Girls, it seems that you've at last caught up with the boys, at least in hair length anyway. Guess you boys have at last about gotten used to the girls' short hair, but never trust a woman. She's liable to let it grow long again. It looks cute, girls, the short hair, that is, so keep it short as long as your hearts desire.

Finally the day is about to arrive. Our first home game in football is tomorrow night. Our boys have done a bang-up swell job in their two games away from home. Let's be out there supporting them tomorrow night from start to finish.

What's this we hear about a lot of couples "breaking up" around here? Such is the grind of love. There's always another fellow or girl around somewhere about, so we'll say just grab one of the others.

Just can't get over all the bright colors in the men's clothing line. Why, the other night one boy was seen wearing a pair of light green trousers and a gay plaid shirt. We like variety, and the boys certainly have it this year.

Something new has been added to the Y store! We're all proud of the individual booth selector boxes for the juke box. They come in right handy, especially for those who like music while they drink cokes, play bridge or just chat, yet don't want to exert too much energy to get the music. Sounds complicated but maybe you understand what we're trying to say.

Here we are harping on the freshmen once again. It seems that a bunch of freshmen girls were talking about

all the studying they had to do. They didn't see how all these upperclassmen could just loaf around all the time. You'll learn dearies, you'll learn.

Curtis Nichols, ex-managing editor of the TECO ECHO and writer of this column, came into the office last weekend. Curtis is working at the Ford plant in Norfolk. He says he'd take a job with a newspaper for less money any day.

Never seen the like of sparklers on the girls' fingers these days and times. Wonder who the lucky men are? Boys, you'd better watch out how you flirt with those gals! Really now, you might get yourselves in trouble.

Speaking of sparklers, if you'd like to know how it feels to be handed one when you're not expecting it, just ask Virginia Faucette. So we understand she had such an experience this past week end. The lucky man couldn't be a guy from North Carolina, or could he.

My brain refuses to work a minute longer so this'll have to be all for this time. Anyway, by now you have formed your opinion of this writer and you probably won't ever read this column again. But, let me clue you in, we'll be back next week whether you read us or not.



MILES BEHIND THE MIKE.

by Miles Buck

When are you going to start broadcasting has been the question parading in the minds of many students on the campus. It is expected that the technical problems involving the installation of a telephone loop to the Graham building and the final installation of an amplifier in the studio will be completed in another week.

The response for staff assistants has been gratifying, our only regret is our lack of definite information about starting broadcast operations. Those of you who are interested drop by Miss Austin's office and leave your class schedule so we will be able to locate you when we begin operations.

The control room equipment has been worked on and several new features have been added. The tables have been shortened by three inches so that the engineers won't get stiff necks from straining to see the performers. We now have two turntables in working order eliminating the long pauses on our recorded

shows. Dr. Willman will appreciate this new addition; he had heart failure a dozen times during a recorded show wondering if the engineer was going to drop the disc when he turned it over. Through the kindness of George Dixon of Ayden, now attending N. C. State college, silent control switches were installed this summer.

In the past two issues we have pointed out the value of radio announcing and work with the technical staff. We now turn to still another phase of radio which the students at East Carolina might investigate, that of script writing. Several have mentioned in passing that they have written material that might be adapted to radio. Here is an opportunity for the beginner to test his wings, because, as most of you already know, there is only one way to find out how good your work is and that is by trying it out. There are many people on the campus who are willing to lend a helping hand to the fledgling writer. Dr. Martha Pingle of the English department is always happy

to meet anyone interested in writing. Drop around and see us and we will help you find an outlet for your work.

Last spring Kip West became interested in high school writers. While he was practice teaching he had his students write original short stories and he selected a number of the better ones and helped the students work them into radio scripts. He then secured time from WGTC and presented a program called "First Works of Tomorrow's Authors." This particular series of programs was well received in the Greenville area.

Kip was a mainstay on the "Once Upon A Time" program last year and at the present time is teaching English at the Greenville High school.

"Do you know, Fontanes, what astonishes me most in this world? Inability of force to create anything. In the long run, the sword is always beaten by the spirit." —Napoleon

Editor's Corner

News of the request for more funds for additional construction on the East Carolina campus falls on welcome ears among students of the college. If facilities are provided here for more students, there can be little doubt that they will be used to the maximum. Actually the best publicity for the college is the students themselves. Just give them something to look forward to in the way of progress on the campus and they will do the job of getting the news spread abroad. Students at East Carolina are as enthusiastic a group of students as there are anywhere, and they will take every opportunity to promote the interests of their college. There's no limit to what heights East Carolina can rise if the facilities are provided here for more students.

Our sports editor is really "on the ball." He has called the first two Pirate football games on the head. We hope he will call all of them in favor of the Pirates, and that his predictions will not be far off.

We can hardly wait to see the College band parade between halves at the football game here tomorrow night. They will travel to Elon next week when the Pirates tackle one of the most powerful teams of the conference. The band has planned to form a rainbow between halves at that game and will play "Over the Rainbow." This should be very impressive with the lights they wear on their caps. Let's hope they do the same thing here tomorrow night.

The cheerleaders should prove to be more effective this year than they have in the past. With tall, spirited Jack Everton, former basketball star, leading the squad, and the new uniforms to brighten things up a bit they should be rather flashy. Cheerleaders are not at the games to do all of the yelling, however, they are not there to put on shows for the crowds. The games will be the focal point of interest. The cheerleaders will be at the game to help the students to cheer the teams on and to coordinate the cheering support. They need the support and cooperation of all the students at the games.

The issuance of Student Identification cards will really prove a boon when the home football games, basketball games and entertainments begin on the campus. There should be much less confusion and more accuracy in admitting persons to these events than there has been in the past.

Here's one we chuckle over!
Freshman: "I don't know."
Sophomore: "I am not prepared."
Junior: "I can't remember just now."
Senior: "I don't believe I can add anything to that which has already been said."

Did You Know That----

by Donald Blood

--- This is the first of a series of collected items, interesting or otherwise? If anyone knows of an item which might qualify let us know.

--- when the Entertainment committee was first organized the annual appropriation was about \$37? Compare this figure with this year's allotment of \$6300! Needless to say the students of those early years were not afforded the grand concerts and programs that we enjoy. It was soon discovered that a larger amount of money was needed, and as soon as it was made available the Entertainment committee established a policy of having only the best. One look at the schedule for this year and we realize that this policy is more than ever still in effect.

--- on October 21, 1931, the entire student body of 600 attended the tobacco sales at five warehouses? To quote the TECO ECHO of October 31, 1931, "The price of tobacco went up 3c a pound the day that the students were at the sales."

--- at one time attendance at Chapel programs was compulsory and unexcused cuts were dealt with rather severely? Two cuts meant that the student found himself ineligible for any help financially from the college including the self-help jobs. Any student having four unexcused cuts was asked to withdraw from the college. Aren't we glad that these regulations are no longer in effect? But the Chapel programs are still held, and attendance at them is not up to par. The program last Tuesday was a very worthwhile one. While there were over a hundred students present, there was room for plenty more. It is seldom that for an investment of just twenty minutes such satisfactory dividends can be had. It would be nice to see more faculty members there also.

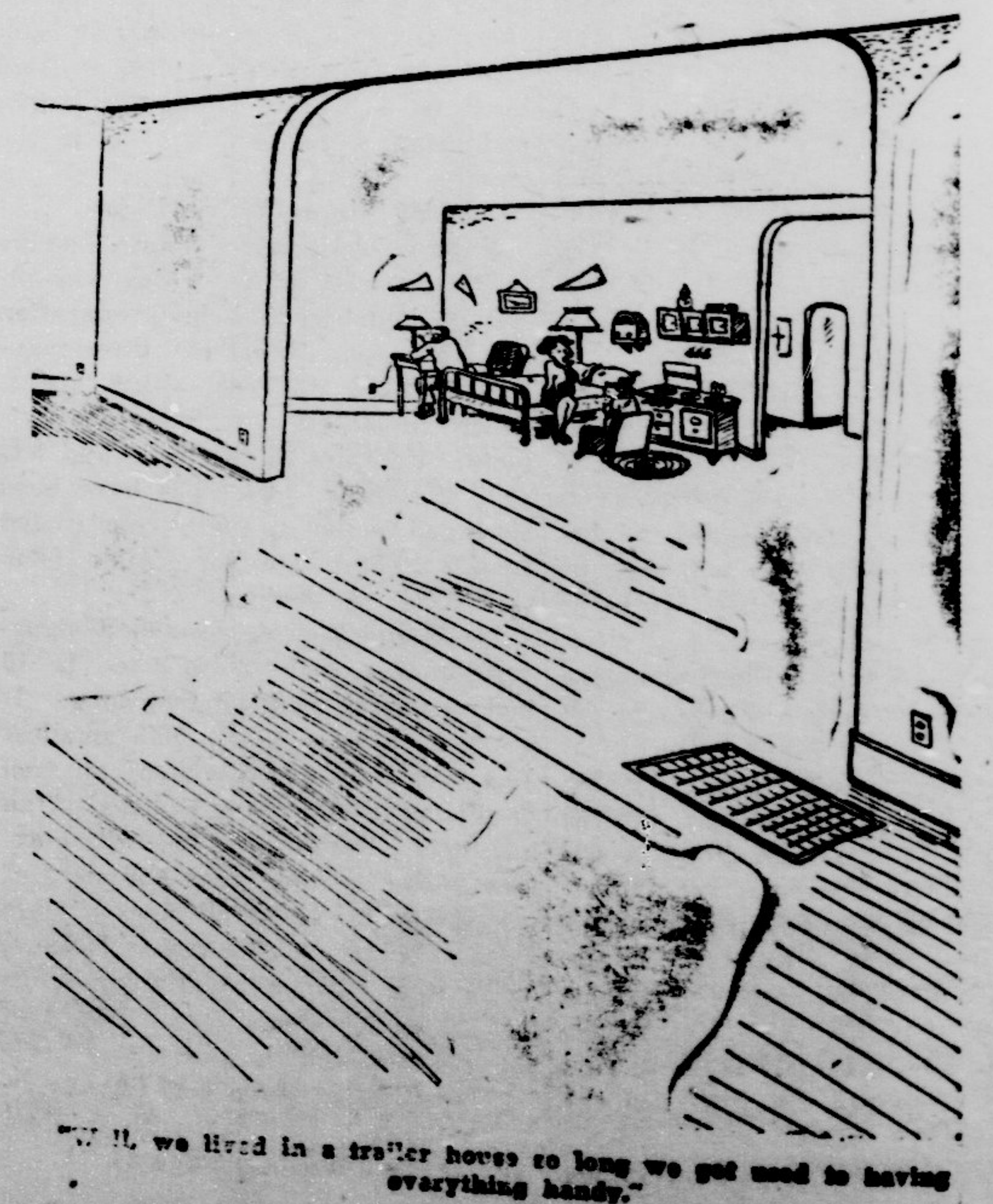
--- Mlle. Genevieve Longeviale of France arrived in Canada last Monday and will be on our campus soon to assist in the Foreign Languages department?

--- Dr. Enid Bryan, formerly Order Librarian of the college library, is now the Training School librarian and is teaching in the Library Science department?

--- at a memorial service for the first president of the college, Robert H. Wright, on December 16, 1935, Senator Frank Graham was the main speaker? He was then president of the UNC.

--- Volume Five in the current series by Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Smiley has been released by the publisher? This latest volume is a masculine number entitled "John Stevenson Smiley."

--- "The moving finger writes, and, having writ, Moves on; nor all your piety nor wit, Shall lure it back to cancel half a line, Nor all your tears wash out a word of it."—E. Fitzgerald.



"If we had in a trailer boxes so long we got used to having everything handy."

SPORTS

VIEW

BY LLOYD WHITFIELD



Right from the start it looked like the Pirates had the better ball club...

There were no heroes in the Pirate victory—it was just a case of dejection...

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HIT TOP IN CONFERENCE AGAIN IN 1950

In 1949 when Thrift was the league's top quarterback, and rated as...

East Carolina's famous "Choo Choo," wearing jersey 22, was once again...

ARCH RIVALRY, ATLANTIC CHRISTIAN WALLOPED 33-6

After the locals' surprising 27-19 win over Lenoir-Rhyne, requests for...

MEANWHILE ALL IS IN READINESS FOR THE HOME OPENER TOMORROW NIGHT.

BASKETBALL DRILLS TO START MONDAY

Local Grid Squad Scores Important NS Conference Win

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Week's North State Schedule

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Dole's Pirates Open At Home Tomorrow

Benzie Works On Handoffs While Melton Watches



In preparation for tomorrow night's home opener before an expected capacity crowd...

Undeclared Bucs Seek Win Over Hampden-Sydney Here

With one North State conference win tucked under their belts, Coach Bill Dole's East Carolina Pirates closed out a week...

Pre-Season Cage Drills To Open Monday, Oct. 2

Basketball Coach Howard G. Porter will issue the first pre-season practice call to his East Carolina Pirates Monday afternoon...

Led by All-conference forward, Sonny Russell, the lettermen include Guards Lou Collie, Len Bauer and Toddy Fennell...

Two sophomores who sparked the 1950 freshman team, Richard Blake and John Postas, will also be on hand...

The Pirates, who impressed 3500 spectators last Saturday at Hickory against Lenoir-Rhyne...

Reports on Hampden-Sydney indicate that the Bucs will have their hands full in attempting to register their third victory without a setback...

A rugged defensive team has been sent through stiff drills this week for the contest with Al Auerback...

A record crowd is expected for Saturday's non-conference scrap. Since last week's impressive 27-19 licking handed Lenoir-Rhyne...

Missing from last year's squad is Porter's 6'7" scoring ace, Jack Everton, who has used all his eligibility...

The local quint will open their 1950-51 season on November 30 against Camp Lejeune here.

Table with 5 columns: Team, W, L, P, Pct. Lists standings for Appalachian, Elon, East Carolina, West Carolina, Guilford, High Point, Atlantic Christian, Lenoir-Rhyne, and Catawba.

Bears Defeated In 27-19 Revenge Victory By East Carolina Eleven

Local Grid Squad Scores Important NS Conference Win

Table with 3 columns: EC, LR, and statistics. Lists stats for first downs, net yards, passing yard, passes attempted, passes completed, passes intercepted, punts aver, fumbles recovered, and penalties.

Billy Smith, a brilliant downfield runner, made a spectacular pass interception on Lenoir-Rhyne's 32-yard line...

for the Pirates came sailing back in the last minutes of the half on a sustained 80-yard drive...

Defensive Team Shines The third period was highlighted by defensive play on the part of Dole's smartly-coached eleven...

In the early minutes of the fourth quarter, the Pirates were not satisfied with their lead so Billy Smith, halfback on defense...

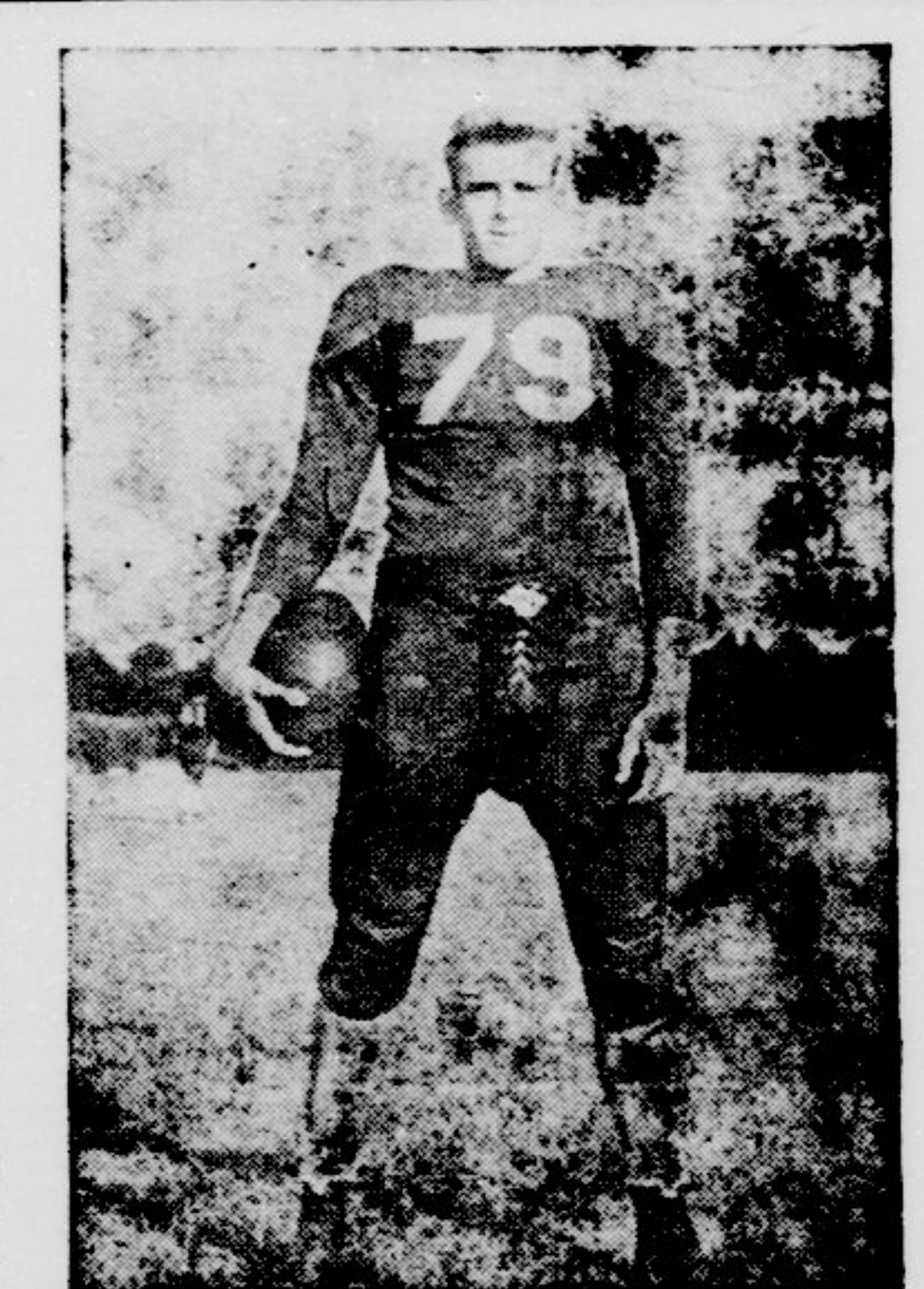
The locals opened the game with an aerial offensive which gained 231 yards and averted some 3,500 spectators with Roger Thrift's accuracy...

East Carolina Scores First The determined Pirates started things rolling midway the first quarter when Roger Thrift, all-conference quarterback...

However, the Bears, with the aggressiveness worthy of their name, came roaring back seven plays later to knot the count at 6-6.

The tie was short-lived, however,

Athlete Of The Week



Frank Maennle, who hails from Kearny, New Jersey, played aggressive football against Lenoir-Rhyne last week...

At Kearny high school Maennle participated in basketball three years, baseball one year and football one year...

With only that one year of high school football experience behind him, he earned a halfback position on the Pirate squad in 1947...

During the 1949 Atlantic Christian game, Maennle scored the winning touchdown. He remembers that game above all for he ploughed through the Bulldogs line at will.

Love for the game, ability and spirit are the essentials that make a good player. Therefore, Maennle should show Pirate fans and the opposition a few things they have never seen on any gridiron.

Frank Maennle is another reason why the East Carolina football machine got off to such a fine start this year, and if he has anything to say, the team will finish the same way.

Again tomorrow night, he will start at the end position when the Pirates entertain Hampden-Sydney at College stadium. Kickoff time has been set for eight o'clock and you can bet your "bottom dollar" that Maennle will be in there fighting and, as usual, giving all he has for an East Carolina victory.

Week's North State Schedule

- (Lost to Guilford 21-19) Hampden-Sydney at East Carolina (Beat Lenoir-Rhyne 27-19)
(Beat Atlantic Christian 33-6) Elon at Appalachian (Beat West Carolina 13-6)
(Lost to East Carolina 27-19) Lenoir-Rhyne at Newberry (Lost to High Point 14-12)
(Lost to Clemson 55-0) Presbyterian at West Carolina (Lost to Appalachian 13-6)
(First game) Wilson Teachers at Atlantic Christian (Lost to Elon 33-6)
(Beat Hampden-Sydney 21-19) Guilford at High Point (Beat Newberry 14-12)

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Alumni To Return For Annual Homecoming Day Celebration

Alumni of East Carolina Teachers college who will return to the campus Saturday, October 14, for the annual Homecoming Day celebration will be welcomed in a series of events now being planned by a committee headed by Alumni Secretary Ruth Garner and Dean of Women Ruth White, co-chairmen of the committee in charge. Invitations to attend have been mailed to former students throughout the state and elsewhere. It is expected that this year's program will bring a large number of alumni back to their alma mater.

Events announced for the day will begin with a meeting of the Alumni Association council at 10:00 Saturday morning in the Austin building. Approximately thirty chapter presidents from various sections of the state will confer with association officers and members of the Faculty Advisory committee on plans for 1950-1951 and on a major association project for the present school year. Mrs. Mildred Harrison Bullard of Wilson, president of the Alumni association, will preside.

A luncheon in the North Dining hall is being arranged under the direction of Dean of Men W. E. Marshall. Reservations will be received through October 7 by the Alumni office of the college. Mrs. Garner has announced.

George E. Perry of the faculty of the department of music will be presented during the afternoon in a recital on the new \$30,000 pipe organ installed during the summer months in the Austin auditorium. Members of the Teachers Playhouse, college dramatics club, will appear in a production of "The Boor," one-act comedy by Chekhov, with Janice Perry of

College Band Going To Elon For Between-Halves Performance

The East Carolina band will make its first appearance away from home this season on Saturday, October 7 at Elon college. Between halves the field will be blacked out and the band will form a rainbow using colored cap lights and lighted batons. When the formation is completed the band will play "Over the Rainbow."

Louisburg and Elmer Williams of Washington in the leading roles.

A parade along the campus drive-ways will be a chief attraction of the afternoon. Participating will be the Air Force ROTC unit and the 70-piece college band. Alexander E. Livesay of Rocky Mount, president of the Student Government association, heads a group of students who will decorate campus buildings and a number of floats for the parade.

The East Carolina Pirates will meet the Catamounts of Western Carolina Teachers college in the college stadium at 8:00 o'clock in the evening.

Notice

A special communion service will be held in the Jarvis Memorial Methodist church on Sunday morning at 9:20. The pastor urges all college students to attend.

Freshman Y Elects Officers; Plans To Secure Sign For Hut

Alice Jackson of Clinton was elected president of the Freshman "Y" at a meeting held Monday night, September 25, at the "Y" hut.

Other officers selected for the coming year were Betty Rae Outlaw of Elizabeth City, vice-president; Eleanor Sanderson of Kinston, secretary; Dorothy Smith of Oak City, treasurer; Ann Butler of Florida, song leader; Laura Harrell of Windsor, pianist; Sylvia McCoy of Snow Hill, devotional chairman; and Sara Louise Whaley of Elizabeth City, reporter.

Projects for the year include the securing of a sign for the hut and the opening of the reading room in the hut during the week for the purpose of reading and studying.

President Of State Young Democratic Club To Speak Here

Robert Williams, Jr., Asheville attorney and newly-elected president of the North Carolina Young Democratic club, has been invited to speak before the East Carolina Teachers college branch of the organization on the occasion of their opening program meeting for the school year. According to Joseph Congleton, president of the campus YDC, Williams will visit the campus during the first week of October. The Pitt county YDC has been invited to attend the meeting.

The East Carolina YDC, established last year with fifty members, launched this week a drive to increase its membership for 1950-1951. The club met Thursday evening, September 28, to close the drive and hear reports on its success.

This will be the State President's first appearance in eastern North Carolina since his election at the State YDC convention in Asheville, September 14-16.

Industrial Arts Club Plans Social Meeting

A social gathering was planned for all majors and minors of Industrial Arts at the first regular meeting of the Industrial Arts club held September 25, in the John Dewey room of the Graham building.

The purpose of the gathering will be for the students in the department to become acquainted with one another. This plan was adopted because of the increased number of students majoring in the industrial arts field.

According to Dr. Kenneth L. Bing, instructor, there are now 50 majors in the department compared to 22 for last year.

Officers of the club are: Bob Robinson, Royston, Ga. president; Vernon Tyson, Greenville, vice-president; Bob Wechter, Stumpy Point, secretary; Bill Price, Seven Springs, treasurer; and John Tooley, Belhaven, reporter.

\$30,000 Organ Chimes

(Continued from Page 1)

tric harp and a set of chimes playable from the organ console in the auditorium. The sounds are broadcast through speakers in the tower of the Austin building. An automatic clock has been set to play the chimes during the morning and evening.

The organ is operated by electricity. The blower which furnishes air is run by a five-horsepower motor which has its own generator of low voltage. Electric work was in charge of Robert Pfister of Erie. "Under each key are eight or nine contacts and throughout the mechanism so many wires and contacts that I've never taken time to count them," explained Mr. Zimmerman.

The organ was played for the first time at the commencement exercises in August. Plans are underway now for a formal dedication late in the fall quarter.

Physical Ed Class To Sponsor Amateur Show

The annual Amateur show, sponsored by the Physical Education class 127, will be held in Wright auditorium Wednesday evening, October 25 at 8 o'clock.

Eli Bloom, Greenville businessman, will be the master of ceremonies. The winners will be selected by the applause of the audience, and will be presented prizes of \$10, \$7.50 and \$5 for first, second and third place winners respectively.

Students interested in taking part in the show are urged by the PE class to notify Dr. Charles DeBose, class instructor.

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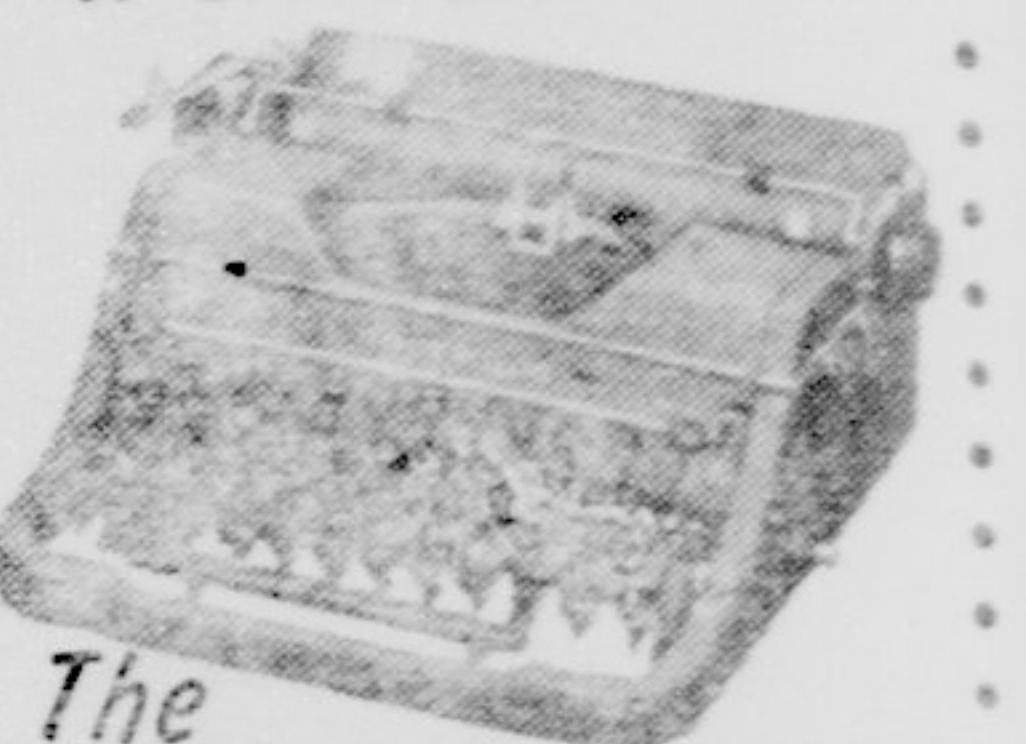
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