

Dramatic Club To Hold Tryouts Monday Night For Major Production

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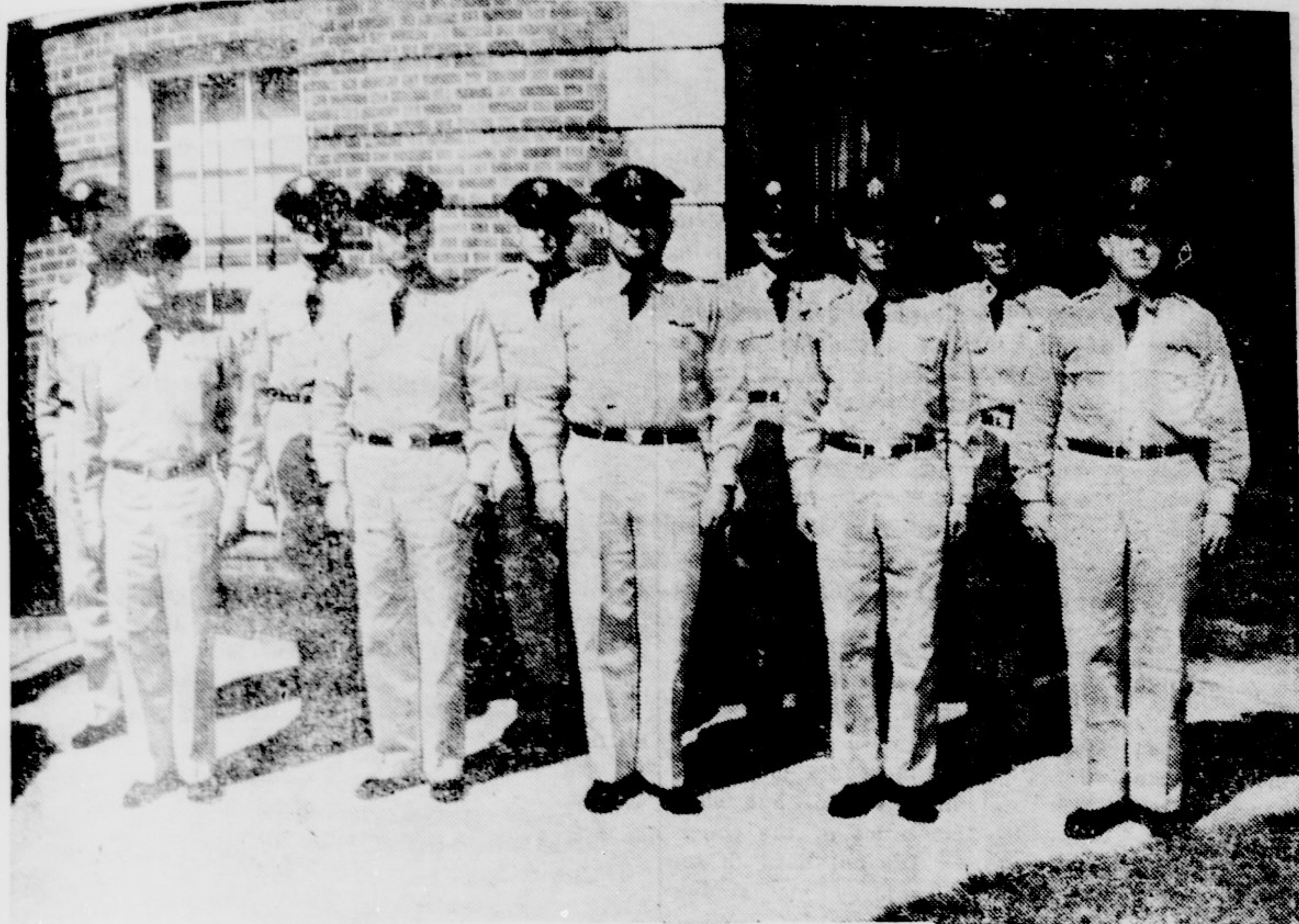
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## Air Force ROTC Staff Includes Ten Members



The Air Force Reserve Officers Training corps staff of East Carolina college has had five new personnel assigned to the unit for this year's program. The additions bring the total number of the staff to ten which enables the unit to adequately train approximately 400 cadets. The officers as appear in the above photo are from left to right, front row: Major James N. McDill, Captain William R. Young, Major Louis L. May, Lieutenant William R. Roney and Major Alfred E. Beaumont. Second row: Staff Sergeant Paul F. Freeman, Master Sergeant Herbert H. Salls Jr., Technical Sergeant Robert W. Spicer, Master Sergeant Ira H. Barry and Master Sergeant William H. Wise.

## College Installs New Equipment For Power Plant

Installation of new equipment at the East Carolina college power plant has been in progress for some time and will be completed by November, according to F. D. Duncan, business manager.

New boilers, coal and ash handling devices, and other equipment will modernize the plant and increase its capacity. Part of this equipment has already been installed.

Three new boilers are being added to present facilities at the power plant, one of 325 horsepower and two 650 horsepower. Each of these is equipped with steam jets and dust collectors designed to reduce smoke and soot to a minimum.

Contracts for additions and improvements to the power plant were awarded more than a year ago, Mr. Duncan states. Work was delayed partly because of the fact that the plant had to operate while old machinery was being removed and new added.

Engineers have assured East Carolina authorities, says Mr. Duncan, that on completion of the present work, the college power plant will be modern and efficient in every respect. Wiley and Wilson, construction engineers of Lynchburg, Va., planned the installation of equipment and are supervising the work.

### Notice!

Charles Shackelford, "Tecoman" editor, urges all students to cooperate with the photographer and their pictures taken as soon as possible. Students are requested to sign up on the list in the lobby or the Post Office. The pictures are being taken in the yearbook office in the basement of the Austin building.

Shackelford also announced that all those who are interested in working on the staff of the "Tecoman" should get in touch with him or be present at the meeting Monday night in the yearbook office at 7 o'clock. All who are interested are urged to come because the staff is in vital need of assistance.

## College Orchestra Begins Rehearsing For Coming Season

Approximately forty musicians were present at the first rehearsal for the 1951-1952 season held by the East Carolina orchestra in the Wright building on the college campus here Thursday, September 13. The organization is sponsored by the East Carolina college department of music and draws its membership from the campus, Greenville, and nearby towns.

Dr. Kenneth Cuthbert, who joined the East Carolina faculty this fall as director of the department of music will be conductor of the orchestra during the school year. Before coming to Greenville, he was head of the department of music at Illinois Wesleyan university at Bloomington, and was conductor of the Bloomington-Normal Symphony orchestra. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and holds the doctor's degree from Teachers college, Columbia university, where he has taught in the field of music education.

## Bulgarian Church Leader Delivers Talk On Europe's Communistic Experiences

### Homecoming Plans Occupy Attention Of Alumni Office

Preparations for Homecoming Day on Saturday, October 6, occupy the attention of the Alumni association office staff these days.

A gala homecoming day is in prospect, Alumni Secretary James W. Butler announces.

The schedule of events for the homecoming day includes:

Alumni council meeting in the Alumni office at 10 o'clock with President Henry C. Oglesby of Washington, D. C., presiding;

Alumni Luncheon in North Dining Hall at 1 o'clock, featuring an address by President J. D. Messick and a variety musical program;

College Students Parade at 3:30 o'clock, directed by President Charles Self of the Student Government association;

Homecoming football game between East Carolina college Pirates and Elon college "Fighting Christians," in the College stadium at 7:30 o'clock.

Homecoming Hop at 9:45 o'clock in Wright Auditorium.

Tickets to the luncheon are \$1.00 each and reservations for this luncheon must be made by October 1, by writing the Alumni Office.

General admission tickets to the football game are \$1.50 each, the reserved seat tickets selling for \$2.00 each.

A 16-member committee is completing plans for the events on the annual Homecoming day program.

### Messick Visits Capital To Request Materials For Building Program

East Carolina college President John D. Messick spent Monday and Tuesday of this week in Washington, D. C., where he presented requests to the United States Office of Education for critical material to be used in the campus building program.

The increased demand of the defense program for steel, copper and aluminum have made it unlikely, if not impossible, that new school construction needs can be met during the next few months.

## Navy Announces Testing Dates For College Training Program

### Successful Candidates To Receive Education And Navy Commissions

The Navy announced recently that the sixth nationwide competitive examination for its College Training program has been scheduled for December 8, 1951, and will be open to high school seniors or graduates within the age requirements. Successful candidates will be given a four year college education at government expense and will be commissioned as officers of the Navy or Marine corps upon graduation.

The program is open to male citizens of the United States between the ages of 17 and 21, and quotas have been assigned to each state and territory on the basis of its high school population. Those who are successful in passing the aptitude test will be interviewed and given physical examinations; then, if they are found in all respects qualified, their names will be submitted to state and territorial selection committees composed of prominent citizens and naval officers. The Navy expects to enter about 2,000 students into the program commencing with the fall term of college, 1952.

The physical requirements for the NROTC are exactly the same as those required of candidates for entry into the United States Naval academy. These standards are necessarily exacting and have been established in the light of many years of experience by naval personnel on duty in all parts of the world under changing and extreme conditions of service.

The students selected by these competitive examinations will be assigned to the 52 Naval Reserve Officers' Training corps units which are located in various universities and colleges in the United States. If accepted by the college, they will be appointed Midshipmen, USNR, and will have their tuition, book and normal fees paid for by the government. In addition they will receive pay at the rate of fifty dollars a month for the four-year period. Upon graduation they may be commissioned officers in the Regular Navy or Marine corps and are required to serve on active duty for two years.

At the end of this time they may apply for retention in the Regular Navy or Marine corps, or transfer to the reserve and, depending upon the needs of the service, return to civilian life.

Applications are available at Dean Leo W. Jenkins' office for those who are interested.

### Plays Organ



George Perry

## Perry Will Appear In Organ Recital In Elizabeth City

George E. Perry, faculty member of the department of music at East Carolina college, will appear as guest artist at an organ recital in Elizabeth City Wednesday evening, September 26. The program will be sponsored by the Music club of Elizabeth City and will take place in the First Methodist church at 8 o'clock. A dinner meeting of the organization will precede the recital.

The program chosen by Mr. Perry for his appearance in Elizabeth City will include Handel's "Water Music Suite," Sibelius' "Finlandia," and selections of sacred music by Bach, Dupre, Weinberger, and other composers.

Mr. Perry is president of the Greenville Music club and of the North-eastern Division of the North Carolina Federated Music clubs. He has appeared in recitals in various North Carolina towns and cities, including Greenville, Raleigh, Farmville, New Bern, Wake Forest, and Goldsboro.

### Notice!

Thornton Staples, Student Government association treasurer, announced today the schedule of the open hours of the Budget office. They are: 9:00-9:50 a.m. and 3:30-3:50 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays.

## Students, Faculty Hear Litov Describe Life Behind Curtain

Communism "as millions of people in Europe and Asia experience it in their daily lives" was pictured concisely and graphically by Tzevan Litov, Bulgarian church leader, at a student-faculty assembly at East Carolina college Wednesday morning.

Addressing a group of approximately 1500 men and women in the Austin auditorium, the speaker drew upon his own experiences as he described the hard conditions under which people in Communist-dominated countries live. He appeared under the sponsorship of the National Committee for a Free Europe, and was introduced to his East Carolina audience by Dean Leo W. Jenkins of the college.

### Life Behind Iron Curtain

Behind the Iron Curtain, he said, life in a country like his own Bulgaria is marked by lack of basic freedom, injustice and hardship. He emphasized the fact that there, in a country of politically individualistic people, a one-party system is enforced. Suppression of the press and of free speech, concentration camps and forced labor, and the "scaling off" of the country so that entering and leaving it are highly difficult or impossible, he mentioned as characteristic to Communistic rule there and elsewhere.

Urging his hearers to know Communism "by its fruits," Mr. Litov reminded the East Carolina audience that Communism is a world problem of gravest concern to all free men. "Communism," he said, "strives to achieve world domination. Your country is the prime objective of Communistic aspiration."

### Students Ask Questions

A period of question and answer directed attention especially toward the Voice of America and Radio Free Europe, which Mr. Litov said are reaching the masses in the satellite countries of Europe. Titoism he described as "a cancer to Communism," and he stated that other resistance movements, particularly underground activities, are a threat to Soviet power. Idealism, the desire for power and material gain, and fear he cited as varying motives guiding those who support Communism.

For fifteen years minister of the largest Methodist Church of Sofia and a prominent journalist in his own country, Mr. Litov came to the United States in 1947 to study at Emory university, Georgia. He has lectured extensively in this country.

## Free Will Baptist Meet To Organize Student Fellowship

Twenty-one Free Will Baptist students of East Carolina college met Monday night, September 17 at 7 o'clock in the Y-Hut on the campus to organize a FWB Fellowship.

Leah McGlohon and Ruth Little led the group in singing some choruses after which Rev. Rashie Kennedy of the Greenville FWB church read the scripture and made comments on the need of a closer fellowship among the FWB students at the college. Rev. J. B. Narron led the group in prayer after which he made a short talk on "Fellowship."

The following officers were elected to head the Fellowship: Matthew Prescott, president; Agnes Faye Mallard, vice president; Joyce Calhoun, secretary-treasurer. The following committee chairmen were appointed: Program committee, Agnes Faye Mallard; Publicity committee, Leah McGlohon; Enlistment committee, Mae Silverthorne; Infirmary committee, Ethel Massengill; Refreshment committee, Margaret Grant and Charles Bedford.

The Fellowship will meet each Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Y-Hut on the campus. Each Free Will Baptist student who was not present at the meeting is urged by the officers to attend the Fellowship, and other students are welcome.

## College Band Makes Schedule For This Year's Performances

### Organization To Make First Public Showing In Homecoming Parade

The East Carolina college band for the coming year are being made by Director Herbert Carter and band officers.

The students of East Carolina and the citizens of Greenville will have their first opportunity to view East Carolina band in action October 6. The band's first performance will be in the homecoming parade followed by public appearances at the football game with Elon college. The band, under the leadership of its director, Herbert Carter, will play at the four home games and will journey to the out of town game.

Immediately following the football season the concert band will be organized. The first major concert will be in February for the All-State Band contest to be conducted at the campus of East Carolina college. A program of Christmas selections will be featured by the band at the annual Christmas assembly at the student body.

A formal spring concert will be the major project of the East Carolina band during the spring quarter. Other activities scheduled for the spring quarter include the Azalea festival parade at Wilmington in March, and an informal lawn concert.

Mr. Carter hopes it will be possible for the band to visit the high schools of this area and play for them. If this project is undertaken,

## English Professor Accepts Invitation To Speak At Meet

Edward J. Rutan of the department of English at East Carolina college has accepted an invitation to appear as guest speaker before English teachers of the Rocky Mount high school at a dinner Tuesday evening, October 2, at 7 o'clock in the Ricks hotel.

The meeting is an annual occasion. Jesse Johnson of the high school faculty is in charge of arrangements for this year's program.

"Creative English" will be Mr. Rutan's topic, and the talk will lay emphasis upon the teaching of composition. Among the audience of Rocky Mount teachers will be a number of Mr. Rutan's former students during the summer session at East Carolina.

Mr. Rutan is the author of "Successful Devices in Written English" and of a workbook in composition published by Harper and Brothers. He has acted as consultant to various public school faculties of this area in setting up programs of remedial reading in their schools.

## Josef Schwarz To Visit Campus For Observation

Joseph Schwarz, educator from Heidelberg, Germany, has arrived at East Carolina College, where he will spend the next two months in study and observation of American educational methods and of American schools. A teacher in the Gymnasium Heidelberg, Mr. Schwarz is particularly interested in secondary education and during his stay here will visit a number of public schools in the eastern section of the state.

Opportunity to study in America came to Mr. Schwarz following his participation two years ago in a workshop in teacher education. At this conference in Germany, ten American educators acted as consultants and worked with German teachers on plans to change and improve teacher education in Germany. Through the efforts of these consultants, the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education secured aid enabling eight German teachers to come to this country for study and observation of schools.

Four of these teachers have already completed their work here, and Mr. Schwarz and three others have recently arrived to begin their studies in the United States.

Mr. Schwarz received his education at Freiberg, Munich and Heidelberg universities and at the Sorbonne in Paris. He specialized in the study of French and at the Gymnasium Heidelberg, a school attended by approximately 800 boys and girls, he teaches French, German and English.

### Republicans To Meet

There will be a meeting of the Young Republican club next Wednesday evening, at 7:30 in the Flanagan building.

Bob Hughes will report on his trip to the Young Republican's convention held in Boston. All faculty members and students are cordially invited to attend.

## EC Dramatic Group Begins Production Of Workshop Plays

The Teachers playhouse dramatic club of East Carolina college, opened its 1951-1952 series of weekly workshop plays Thursday evening of last week with a production of Alice Gerstenberg's "Overtures."

Ralph Rives, senior from Enfield, directed the play, which was presented in the College theatre. Lloyd Whitfield of Kinston, president of the Teachers playhouse, welcomed the audience. Dr. Lucile H. Charles of the department of English, director of dramatic arts at the college, who is in charge of the workshop productions and faculty advisor of the Teachers playhouse, gave a brief outline of the workshop program for the year.

The Teachers playhouse will present one of its workshop dramas every Thursday evening during the school year at 7 o'clock in the College theatre. All performances will be open to the public. Programs will include, in addition to the short plays, evaluation meetings at which a group of selected critics, members of the Teachers playhouse, and guests will comment on various aspects of productions.

## Lighted Cross Guides Students To Center

by Mary Frances Eilers

"A city that is set upon a hill cannot be hid," very aptly describes the Methodist Student center overlooking Fifth street, directly across from Wilson hall. With the lighted cross over the door the Center serves as a "home away from home" and a place for Christian growth and fellowship for the many students who drop in to chat or just to refresh themselves spiritually.

The cross over the Center, the symbol of Christian light, was designed by Jimmy Warren, an alumnus of the Wesley foundation, the official organization of the Methodist students on campus. Lighted by a floodlight, the sign beacons students to the "high way" of life and points the way to understanding and love.

Fellowship is very evident in the activities of the students who gather at the Center. In the words of Mamie Chandler, the director of the Center, "This is the singiest crowd I've ever seen." Besides singing, the Center offers facilities for games, cooking, meditating and reading.

Students may be seen at any time of the day playing pickup sticks on the floor or, for more dignified students, checkers on a card table. Several students' friendship groups have used the kitchen to prepare snack suppers or to enjoy the coffee and cookies often supplied by the Women's Society of Christian Service. The study and the little Chapel call students to a life of consecrated meditation and prayer. In addition to these home-like experiences

the Center provides for students to use a radio, with both popular and religious records, and the latest editions of popular magazines.

A friendly welcome awaits everyone who enters the Center. Mamie, as the students call Miss Chandler, stands always ready to counsel students on questions of religion, vocations, home and school problems and most any type of problem that students might confront. All who enter the Center soon realize it is "A city that is set on a hill which cannot be hid." Many who attend the services and take advantage of its facilities leave with the feeling of "They really have something over at the Methodist Student center."

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"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

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## VERSE OF THE WEEK

God is not a man, that he should lie, fill  
Neither the son of man, that he should repent:  
Hath he said, and will he not do it?  
Or hath he spoken, and will he not make it good?  
Numbers 23:19.

## Staff Sets Policies

A new school year is now underway. Murmurs can be heard down the halls of all the buildings; there is again activity in the soda shop; our football team has started its season and students are seen over the campus studying and making new acquaintances. With the beginning of the new school year, a new editorial staff takes over the reigns of The TECO ECHO. We have to set our policies before the student body, for the East Carolina publication is printed for the students, by the students and student funds make it possible.

The editors of this year's paper hope to serve East Carolina in the best way they can. We wish to cooperate fully with the various clubs, the student body, the faculty and the administrative staff. We sincerely ask of you your fullest cooperation and help. To publish a weekly newspaper, as has been done for the past couple of years, we will need assistance from everyone.

If at any time you, the readers of this paper, have any worthwhile suggestions, the members of the staff will be more than glad to hear them. We want you to drop in to see us and give us a helping hand, for the job that we are setting out to do is not going to be a picnic. The TECO ECHO will print the news as it sees it. It is impossible for a publication to follow one set editorial policy. The diverse and unpredictable nature of news and our constantly changing conditions make such a policy impossible to follow directly.

We will try in every way that we can to make your paper informing and interesting to you. A school publication should make a true reflection of what is going on in and around the campus, and that is what we will be making an earnest effort to accomplish. This paper will not be used to harm any organization or individual, but will be used to benefit the students who make the publishing of it possible through the funds given out of their budget. We welcome any open letters that you might like to have published.

The staff of The TECO ECHO is looking forward to the biggest year in the history of East Carolina college, and we know that with cooperation from each and everyone, it will be a year enjoyed and long remembered by all of us.

## Students Forget Themselves

There are some students on the campus who need to learn a little more about how to conduct themselves in a public assembly, such as the one held Wednesday morning for the entire school. The assembly was an all-college meeting and classes were not held during the assembly, which made it mandatory for everyone to attend. The turnout was large enough to fill the entire auditorium, which was very good.

What we are driving at is the fact that many of the students got up while the speaker was still talking and left the auditorium. The reason may have been to get in the early line at the cafeteria or for something else, but when you invite a speaker to deliver a talk, you should have enough respect to stay in your seats until dismissed by the person presiding over the meeting. In the future let's be a little more considerate. Remember your best manners. Be courteous!

## Team Receives Welcome

The newly elected cheerleaders should surely be commended for the way that they carried out the welcoming back of the East Carolina football team Monday night from the long trip to Mississippi. The student body should be commended.

Our team lost, but it did not lose the spirit of the student body behind it. Despite the 40-0 licking handed down by the Mississippi squad, a large portion of the students turned out to welcome back Coach Dole and team. At times there was a little rain, falling during the outdoor pep rally.

If the cheering squad, which was just elected this week, continues to operate as they have started out, we are sure that the school spirit at East Carolina will stay at the very highest peak.

## Ye Editor's Say

by Tommie Lupton

Another week, another TECO ECHO and another column! We received our first exchange paper early this week. It was "The Appalachian" of Appalachian State Teachers college. Just for a comparison in the size of East Carolina with that of the Mountaineer college, we had over twice as many freshmen students for the beginning of the new year. The Apps had 265 frosh, and the total here was over 700, but don't get us wrong, for at the present time the building program as Appalachian includes the construction of a new boys' and girls' dormitory and a music and arts building. We could use a couple of new dorms, because there were many women students who were unable to come to East Carolina due to the lack of dorm space. With the present world conditions as they are, it looks as if we might have to tough out the crowded and cramped conditions.

Students who tuned into radio station WGTC Saturday night to hear the East Carolina-Mississippi Southern football game were really heart-broken with the score, but it surely was good to be able to listen to the game. Students look forward to hearing the games that they are unable to attend, so through this column we would like to send our hearty thanks to the local firms that made the broadcast possible. We are looking forward to the future broadcasts of the ball games.

The photographer for the college yearbook has arrived and has started the job of taking pictures of the students. We wish the staff of this year's "Tecocoan" the best of luck in publishing the East Carolina annual. Charles Shackelford and staff will appreciate the cooperation of all the students in the scheduling and taking of individual pictures. The "Tecocoan" staff has a big job. Let's make it easier for them to publish our yearbook!

Special to persons who receive our paper through the mail! If you have never seen Mrs. Suzie Webb on Saturday morning when she is addressing the paper that you receive, you should drop in to see her and maybe give her a helping hand. Take it from us, she really has a job. She folds, staples and addresses 1200 newspapers every Saturday, and then sorts them out into the various districts, counties, cities and such. All papers, over four, going to the same city have to be tied separately, and all papers have to be taken to the Post Office in neat bundles in a box. That is one task that the ECHO staff is glad that they do not have to worry about. Our hats are off to Mrs. Webb!

Are there any students on the campus who do not have enough work to do? If so, drop by the TECO ECHO office and we will give you a job. We still have plenty of openings on our staff. If you cannot write, we still have a job for you.

## Who's Who At East Carolina

by Janice Hardison

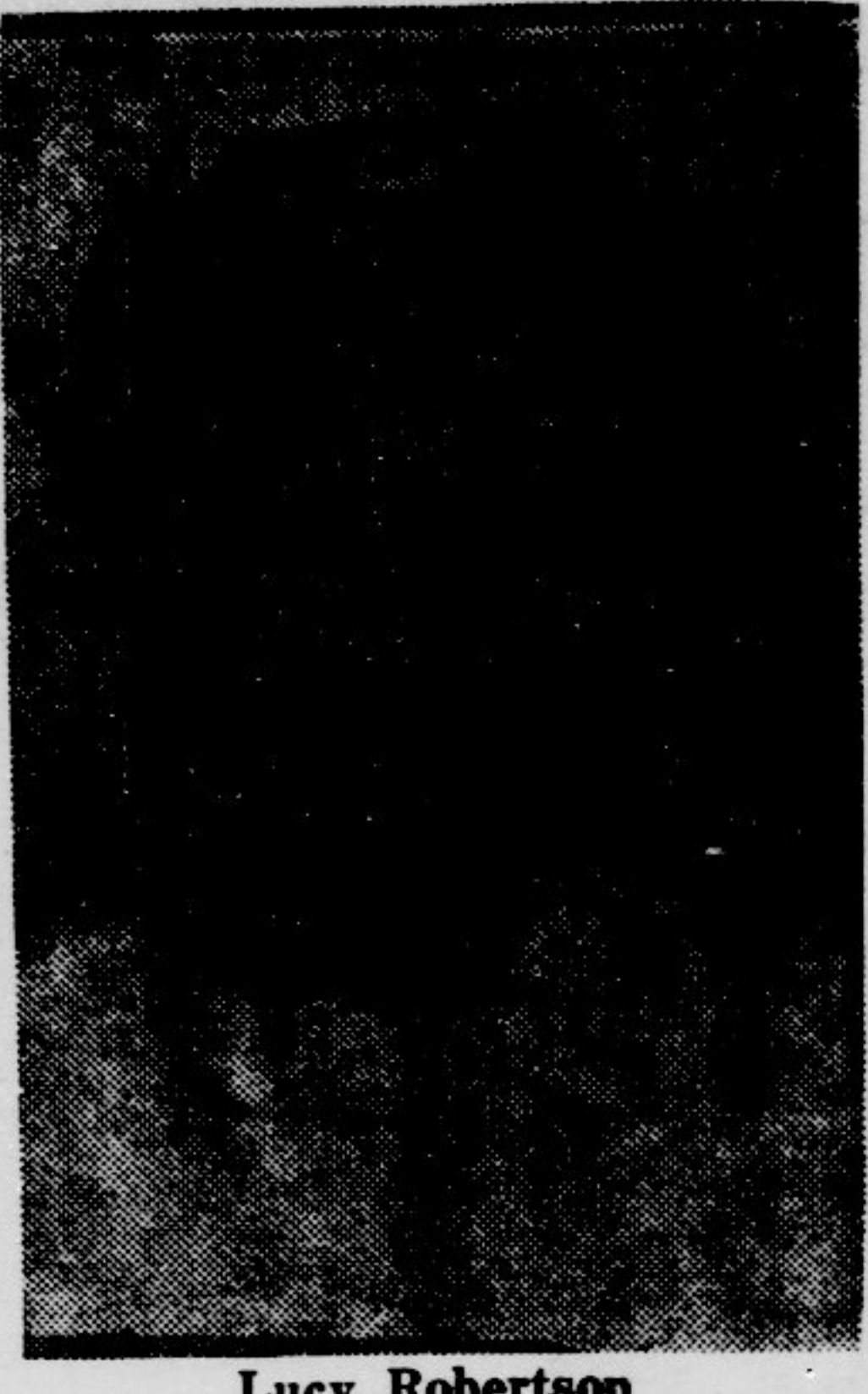
Here's a surprise for those of you who have the idea that only very rainy men are science majors. A trim, slender, blond has been doing well in this particular "man's field"—a very feminine science major indeed.

Lucy Robertson enrolled at East Carolina in 1948 with every intention of becoming a laboratory technician. This meant she would be here for only a short two years, but Lucy loves science! Two years work didn't give Lucy a chance to take the science courses she wanted, so she decided to forget pre-lab and become a science teacher.

This quarter Lucy's ambition is becoming a reality. She is practicing teaching at the Greenville High school, and, like any good teacher, she's enjoying it. "I like my students a lot. It's fascinating," she says of her daily lessons with the eighth and tenth grades in general science and biology.

Lucy is minoring in physical education, and from the looks of her high school record, she's a natural athlete. In spite of the fact that she was a guard on her basketball team four years, football is her favorite sport. No, she doesn't play—she just watches.

Athletics and science aren't Lucy's only interests. Residents of Williamson (her home town) remember



Lucy Robertson

Lucy as an excellent majorette, dependable enough to be head majorette her fourth year with the high school band.

Her talent as a majorette has been put to use ever since she has been at East Carolina, for Lucy has been strutting with the college band since her enrollment here. Very enthusiastic about anything she undertakes, Lucy strives for no less than perfection in her twirling.

Versatile and friendly, Lucy Robertson has proved a very popular member of the house committees

where she has lived. This is evidenced by the fact that she served as secretary-treasurer of Cotten hall when she was a freshman in 1948-49, and secretary-treasurer of Fleming as a junior.

Lucy was also president of the Freshman "Y" in 1948-49. This past summer, she was president of Cotten hall and chairman of the Woman's judiciary. Residents of Fleming dormitory are again receiving benefits of Lucy's capable supervision, for she is their house president.

It's doubtful though, for Lucy Robertson intends to go right on teaching science for a long time. "Next to science I like social dancing better than anything," Lucy says. A smooch number by Johnny Long is just right for the dancing she likes to do but she'll listen to Frankie Lane anytime.

Since she's been in college, Lucy has had little time for a lot of the things she likes to do, but she's learned to like a lot of the things she has to do. It's not hard to see why she has enjoyed her studies at East Carolina so much. When February comes again, Lucy will receive her B. S. degree and join the ranks of teachers who are in the profession only because they love it.

## ROUND THE CAMPUS

by Barbara Grimes

From electric fans and sunback dresses to blankets, skirts and sweaters, is a big jump, but such was the situation earlier this week when ole man weather brought forth one of his cool, rainy, dreary days for East Carolina co-eds.

When Ken Casey motored up from Goldsboro with a huge load of watermelons for the cafeteria last week, one of the melons detoured by Cotten hall. With silverware on hand, the watermelon party turned out to be in true southern style.

The cheerleaders, with plenty of support, were on hand Monday night to salute the returning Pirates. The boys played Southern Mississippi Saturday night. It was a nice, long trip for the boys. We can hardly wait for October 6 to roll around so that we can get a peek at our team.

Here is a P.S. on last week's story about "Bobbie," the bob-tailed cat who became the proud mother of three kittens in a Cotten hall closet. Two of the kittens are bob-tailed too. How is that for a lesson in genetics?

From the strains of music echoing through the dormitories, it sounds as if WCKY in Cincinnati, Ohio, with its "Hillbilly Jamboree" is running a close race to last year's popular "Best to You" from Raleigh. That fast number "Down Yonder" even appeals to the music majors!

With the sudden increase in business education majors, and with the two year commercial course making its debut in the curricula, the Business Education department is undergoing a few repairs and changes. A new tile floor was completed this week.

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"Do you know your combination?" says one girl. "I think I do," or "I thought I did," says another as two girls struggle with one of the new fangled post office boxes. Most of last year's boxes had no glass in the window and combinations were even broken on some of them.

Everyone knows that r. Coleman, even in his most jovial moods, does not allow a student to chew gum in his classes. One day this week he asked a boy what he was "doing with gum in class?" The boy logically replied, "Chewing it." "Well, tomorrow," says Dr. Coleman, "chew it in someone else's class."

## BSU Provides Second Home For EC Co-eds

By Elizabeth Pate

Come with us on a visit to the Baptist Student center, and let's see what we find. We walk over to Eighth street and up to the four-hundred block. There at 40 we find a nice, eight-room home with a sign out front bearing a welcome. As we turn up the walk, we can hear the sound of gay voices and singing, and our steps quicken. Up the steps and thru the front door we rush, eager to join the fun that awaits us inside.

The center is filled with friends playing games or just talking. We notice a group crowded around something in the corner, and over we go to investigate. There we find the piano. Since a song is beginning, we blend our voices with the rest. Like everyone else, we stopped for only one song, but end up singing several.

This singing certainly makes folks thirsty, so into the Snack Bar we go to get a bottle of pop and a candy bar. There a small sign says: "We practice the Honor System here."

Those who feel energetic may perk some coffee. While we help drink it, we hear the sound of voices coming from below, so we descend the steps and see a room with freshly painted light green walls, ivory overhead and a gray floor. This is the "Rec Room," and at one end of it is a ping pong table where some of our classmates are having a fast and furious game. Two sofas with dark green and wine plaid covers and numerous chairs give laughter to the room which matches the fun shared there. Former students are thoughtful when it comes to teaching newcomers how to play ping pong. We see others playing carroms, checkers, crokinole or monopoly. And it's fun to play pick-up sticks when you have one with a magnet! Yes, students who were in summer school redecorated this nice play room. When we take one look at our watches, we know we must leave!

But as we hurry up the stairs we glance at the back lawn and see another group of students playing badminton, pitching horseshoes or sitting in the swing (and around it) just swapping campus news.

As we come back through "Our House of Fellowship" to return to the campus, we pass through a spacious kitchen. This is really a busy place, especially on Friday nights when we have (Dutch) supper forums. When roommates or friends wish a home-cooked meal (student style!), they may engage the kitchen for an evening. Boys, this is a good place to find out whether that girl friend can cook!

Most students have seen the attractive little chapel, known as the Vesper room, where groups meet for fifteen-minute worship periods on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

day evenings.

This place of fellowship, congeniality and worship is under the competent direction of Miss Gloria H. Blanton. She lives at the Center and is on hand twenty-four hours a day to help students to better understand and work out their problems. Gloria, as all of us know her, received a B. A. degree, "cum laude," from Wake Forest, and she has done graduate study in counseling at Bowman Gray in Winston-Salem and at Columbia and Union Theological seminary in New York city. Most everyone who visits the Center has dropped into Gloria's office, at some time or another with a problem to be ironed out. Try it, if you haven't, for it really helps!

When you look at the scrapbooks you'll find that the Baptist State convention is purchasing the house, complete with furnishings, over a period of seven years—with only four to go! Dedication ceremonies were held in September, 1948. The Center is maintained by the Convention and the Memorial and Emmanuel Baptist churches of the city and is considered "an arm of the churches." It's open every day in the week, except Thursday, and every night until ten o'clock, except when students are at the churches.

East Carolina students who go to the Center keep it clean and orderly and take great interest and responsibility for this BSU "base of operations."

All in all, the Baptist Student center is a grand place to have fun, to worship and to make friends, who encourage and uplift, and who make college days more meaningful while we are at East Carolina . . . and ever after.

Girdle—A device to accentuate the positive and eliminate the negative. Marriage—The only life sentence from which the prisoner gets a release for bad behavior. Flirt—Woman who believes it is every man for herself.

## Did You Know That—

by Bob Robinson

- school has started? We mean for "really." It's even getting to a point where a guy has to study already. Yours truly, and quite a few others, have already had a couple of "quizzes" this week, which resulted in a rather rude awakening.

- East Carolina is one of the more friendly campuses in this state? We've always taken pride in this fact and we hope this spirit will continue to prevail. A few of the freshmen have said that we upperclassmen are "stuck-up," but this scribe is inclined to believe that judgment is a little too hasty and asks for a reconsideration. Maybe we could have a "Say Hello to Everybody" week or something to get you freshmen in the habit that makes for a more cheerful atmosphere all over the campus.

- there was a pep rally last Monday night if you don't then you must be deaf, cause the students that were there sure did kick up a ruck. The purpose of the rally was to welcome the team back from Mississippi, and if you want to know if the welcome pleased them, just ask any footballer if it didn't give him a lift to know that the student body was behind them, "rain or shine."

- the Flanagan building is having a internal face-lifting? Since the maintenance department has moved from the west wing basement, the Commerce and Industrial Arts departments have begun an expansion program. New partitions have been put up; the concrete floors have been covered with attractive asphalt tile and the walls are now being painted. Most of the work will be completed in about three weeks so drop over and see the improvements—both departments welcome visitors.

- Homecoming is only two weeks away! October 6, has been designated as the day and our football team meets the Elon Christians in a contest that should be a real thriller. Last year's game between these two North State teams wound up as a 20-16 decision in favor of the Christians—our Pirates will be seeking revenge and with our cheering support, they should be successful. (This is not a prediction—just a statement of fact!)

- we have a pretty good cheer leading squad? Come to the next pep rally and see if you don't agree.

- we have a student activity room? It's called "The Pirates Den" and is located in the Northeast corner of the Wright building, in the basement. "Alec" Hurst is in charge of the room and we understand it will be opened this week for dancing and all types of table games. See you down there some evening soon.

- this is the end of this column? See you around the campus!

## HERE AND THERE

by Tom Cox

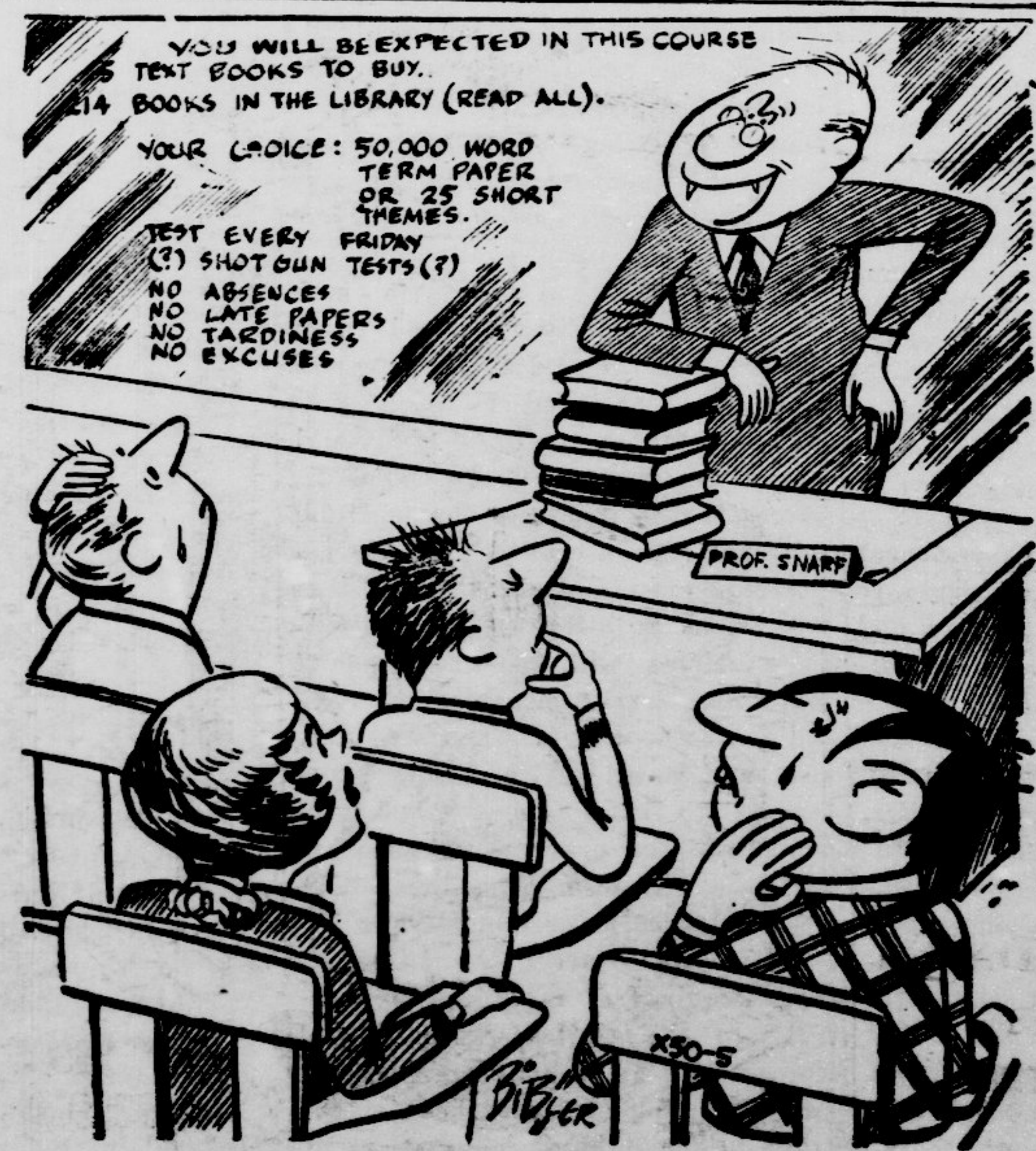
What about this new five day week? We are all for taking fewer courses and concentrating on them, and being delivered from Saturday classes is like discovering a fifth Freedom. However, although each class now meets five times a week, the professors continue to assign as much outside work per class meeting as they did in previous years when each class met only three times a week. Even though we are concentrating on fewer subjects, it still makes it rough on the troops. The consensus seems to be that most of us are behind already, and we are being worked to nubbins, which may be the point.

The college did well to secure the services of friendly, affable James W. (Jim) Butler as alumni secretary. Butler has been the executive secretary of the Goldsboro Chamber of Commerce for the past eleven years, and is a past district governor of Rotary International. He was very active in the civic and community affairs of Goldsboro and Wayne county, and the people there were sorry to see his leave. Their loss is our gain.

The Pirate gridders got a rough reception in Mississippi, but they were playing in a mighty fast league. While East Carolina can offer 19 football scholarships, Mississippi Southern has 52, and that, of course, makes a lot of difference. The footballers report that, aside from the crusty treatment accorded them on the gridiron, the Mississippians were warmly hospitable. Some consolation! Among those present at the Hattiesburg contest were alumni Thomas "Buck" Wilson, Dan Canady and Ed Casey of the Air Force and Tommy Rawlings.

A number of students turned out for the Monday night's pep rally held in front of Wright building to welcome back the team. Led by an array of enthusiastic cheering talent in its first public appearance this fall, the united voices managed to make the campus echo their welcome. Look for the Pirates to sink Naval AP-pretice tonight. It's in the bag!

And so the Slay hall sandwich war goes on. One vendor has reduced his prices to two for a quarter, with milk also for sale, while competitors advertise with a note of mystery, "Sandwiches will be sold fairly cheap . . ."

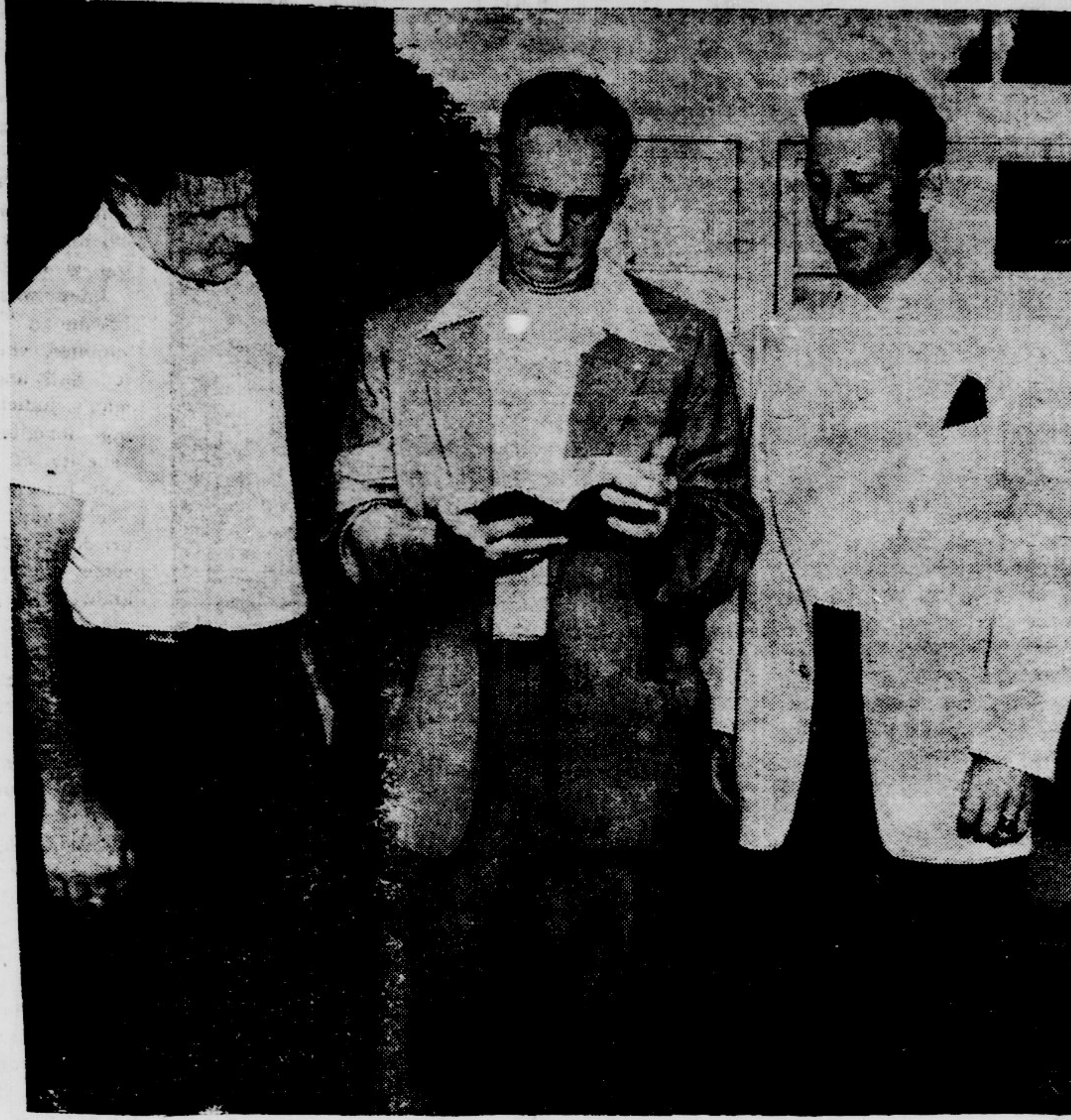


"You hate me now, but think of the fun you will have telling new students I teach a snap course."

# SPORTS ECHO

BY LLOYD WHITFIELD

## Pirates Coaches Prepare For Apprentice Game



The East Carolina Pirate coaching staff talks over their plans for the game tonight in Newport News, Va., where the Buccaneers will be seeking their first victory in two attempts. Shown in the above picture are Buck Hardee, Head Coach Bill Dole and Flash Morrison. Hardee was Dole's extra point specialist and defensive standout last year and is now a member of the line coaching staff.

The East Carolina Pirate football squad opened its 1951 grid season last Saturday night in Hattiesburg, Mississippi against a rough Mississippi Southern eleven. The locals came out on the short end of a 40-0 score and found out that they play hard football along the Gulf coast.

Even though the Buccaneers were whitewashed by the opponents, the game was much better than the score indicates. The locals continued to play their same fine brand of football, but they were up against a college that awards 62 scholarships—52 of these go for the gridiron and ten for basketball, with no financial aid being given the basketball team. There is no money in the college baseball game, so they put their money where it pays the best dividends, and it paid off in grand style Saturday night.

What makes the game so good down in Mississippi Southern is its financial ability to recruit excellent ball players cheaper by the fifties, whereas the local college had to do it by the twenties or thirties. The Southerners are in big money.

There were approximately 10,000 fans present for last week's intercollegiate game with about 7,000 being paid customers. After meeting all expenses and paying the East Carolina team for its trip, they had cleared money way into the thousands of dollars.

Members of the Gulf Coast conference, which they have successfully won for the past three years, Mississippi schedules many of the nation's leading teams for which they again pour into the thousands of dollars clear profit. For instance when they play LSU this year they will get a fat guarantee for the trip to Baton Rouge, La. The trip is only a few hundred miles, and the transportation will cost approximately two or three hundred dollars.

They play other leading colleges in which they collect the same amount of money. It is not correct to say Mississippi works football on a professional basis. They just pull the right strings and make the game pay off enough to make a sizeable profit.

Coach Dole was not depressed over the showing his team made for he felt they had played hard but were up against one of the best. He had plenty of praise for several members of his team. He feels that maybe two of Mississippi's touchdowns could have been prevented had he altered his defense earlier in the game or even before. However, he knew nothing of the Mississippi's personnel.

Perhaps the biggest surprise of the trip for Coach Dole was meeting an old friend, Reed Green, the athletic director at Mississippi. He and Dole were in the same endocrination platoon while in the navy. Dole did not realize that Green was even in the state until he walked into the athletic office Saturday.

In commenting on the game Dole had the following to say: "It was a long way to go to play football, yet we have a long way, even though the score of 40-0 may not sound like it on the surface. There is always somebody who can pin your ears back.

"We stepped up a notch in playing a team that for the past several years has played such outstanding teams as Kentucky, Alabama, Louisville, Chattanooga and Tennessee.

"Mississippi Southern is a college about the size of ours, yet they have a splendid athletic program. They award 62 full scholarships—52 for football and ten for basketball. The athletic director, Reed Green, told me they were making it pay.

"When you get up against tough competition, your weak spots always show. We have a tremendous amount of work to do to be ready for the North State conference schedule."

The Charlotte Observer quoted Coach Dole from Hattiesburg Saturday night as saying "the only thing I saw cheap in Mississippi was gasoline. Everything else was first class! Mississippi Southern had a fine football team and they play a man's game. They knock 'em down in one alley and rack 'em up in the next. Southern has had a lot of good football rubbed off on them by teams like Tennessee, Louisville, LSU, Alabama and Chattanooga, and I hope that our team will benefit by the same process."

East Carolina had a lot of boys who played a mighty fine brand of ball on the five-day trip and then there were some who played sixty-minutes of top notch football, which Dole said would never happen again. Beginning next Friday night at the Naval Apprentice School in Newport News the locals will definitely be a two platoon ball club.

The reason many of the payers had to play an active part throughout the entire game was due to injuries and three of the Pirates failed to make the trip. Al Auerback was greatly missed at the tackle slot. He missed the game because of an ankle ailment. Jack Britt, a starter at one of the halfback posts, was in the infirmary with influenza, while Archie Congleton was also riding the injured list.

Coach Dole thinks he found another good offensive backfield man in Paul Gay, a freshman from Wilson with only one year's football experience. He played a fine ball game last week and will see plenty from here on out. Jesse Aldridge and Dennis Smith played a whale of a ball game on defense as they seemed to appear in every tackle. Larry Rhodes, a freshman from High Point, substituted for Auerback at tackle and did a commendable job despite the fact he had never performed in that position before.

Illard Yarborough, transfer from High Point college, was a demon on offense and defense and hustled all the way, even when the going was rough. John Daughtry got off a few nice runs from his fullback position and Sandy Siler did a line job at the quarterback slot. Siler threw some wonderful passes and Dole feels that he has a fairly good replacement for Rober Thrift.

All considered, the Pirates had a fairly good trip, physically speaking with only three minor injuries. Sandy Siler, Bobby Hodges and Don McKenzie suffered light injuries, but all will be ready to go Friday night against the Apprentice school.

## Yarborough, Aldridge Chosen As Buc Athletes Of The Week

East Carolina's grid coach, Bill Dole, had plenty of good words for the play of Illard Yarborough and Jesse Aldridge when the team returned from Mississippi Monday, and so did their teammates. The consensus was that these two stars had given the Southerners a performance of football that they will long remember.

Both played good defensive ball consistently all night and Yarborough pitched in to pull double duty on both offense and defense. It has been a long time since local fans have seen a halfback like Yarborough.

Last year when the Korean warfare brought about a government decision to begin the selective service again, the shortage of manpower was hit hard at High Point college, North State conference brothers, and as fortune would have it, the 175-pound junior matriculated to East Carolina, along with Lyn Grissom.

While at the Panther college he was power in their attack as many local fans will recall from last year's contest with the High Point eleven. He was the only man able to really penetrate the Pirate line. He was playing left half, and one can still see his hard charge around the right side of the Buc line. Again this year he will be a tremendous threat for Coach Dole's charges. He is dangerous when he starts wide because of the combination of great speed and his ability to evade the tacklers.

He has speed and the determination to give all he has for his teammates. He also is very durable, never having been seriously injured. Coach

Dole commented that he took quite a few hard knocks in the Mississippi game, but shook off the injury as if it were an everyday occurrence, and went charging back for more.

In other words, he has what it takes. He has the running power to break through the line and once he gets through, he has the speed to cut in the right direction, which has been described as the mark of a great halfback.

Coach Dole also finds Yarborough a very able pass defender and will probably use him at one of the defensive posts.

As Aldridge, it makes no difference what position he performs at, for he will look like an old pro all the way. In high school he saw action at every position available and was a star and hustler all the way. Last season he played offensive guard, but was switched over to defense, his first love, for the 1951 campaign.

Coach Dole plans to use him at the defensive guard for a couple more years if he continues to tackle as ruthlessly and ferociously as he did against Mississippi Southern last week. He won the praise of his opponents and also that of his coach, something which Dole seldom does.

The 200-pound junior is a defensive marvel as he forecasts the opposition's play and then hits the ball carrier hard. Sometimes he breaks through the offensive line to throw the foe for a tremendous loss.

Aldridge has the determination to play football. If he gets hurt he fails to mention it to his teammates; instead he remains in the ball game. One cannot help but admire his returning to the gridiron this season and playing defensive ball. Last year he had his shoulder knocked out of place a couple of times, and the doctors had a rough time getting it back in position. This summer he did everything imaginable to strengthen his shoulder so he could see action on defense.

He would not let the coaches know it, but his shoulder was still bothering him when fall drills began. He started last week's game and went all the way on defense. His only remark was that if he could have had two shoulders to use he might have made a few more tackles. It makes one stop and wonder how many tackles a guy wants to make in one game.

## Fall Drills Held For Buc Netters With Eight Frosh

As North State conference runners-up in 1950, the raquetters of East Carolina college have begun their season practice sessions without the services of their '50 star Bob Williams, who was lost by graduation.

Although East Carolina will be minus number one man, Bob Williams and number three man, Dick Palmer, who will lay down his racket to swat golf balls, Captain Joe Hallow seems confident the Pirates will improve a conference winner.

Hallow, who hails from Goldsboro, was chosen captain and will take the spot vacated by Williams who will be followed by number two man, Paul Cameron, a capable swatter from Kinston. Cameron moved up from number four slot from last year's experience and is counted on highly. David Jones, number three is also expected to have a good year. He is followed by Bill Mulligan and Larry Kincaid which will wind up all the returning lettermen.

Tennis Coach Howard Porter has a new crop of boys out for the team which he terms "look pretty good." The eager prospects are Amos Stroud, Frazier Bruton and Dal Foscoe, all from Kinston, and Jimmy King and Travis Martin from Wilmington. From Tarboro comes Donald Muse and from Greenville Joe Jenkins.

Last year the local team came in second in the conference losing out to High Point. The total record compiled by East Carolina netmen was four wins and three losses.

## Pirate Gridders Encounter Apprentice School Tonight

### Mississippi Eleven Defeats Bucs 40-0 In Season's Opener

A potent grid machine from Mississippi Southern college ruined East Carolina's opening game of the 1951 grid season last Saturday night in Hattiesburg, Miss., when they ran unmercifully over the Pirates to the tune of 40-0.

It was a non-conference clash witnessed by some 10,000 fans, and the campaign opener for both schools. The Southerners are defending Gulf Coast conference champions, a title which they have held for the past three years, and are heavy favorites to repeat in the current season.

The Southerners reached paydirt in the contest when the Pirates failed to gain a first down after taking the opening kickoff. The locals punted on fourth down, and the home team drove 50 yards for the tally. The drive was climaxed when Bucky McElroy carried over from the one yard line. The conversion was good and Mississippi led after five minutes of play, 7-0.

McElroy scored the second touchdown after one of Sandy Siler's passes was intercepted by Milton White and returned to the EC 18. A few plays later McElroy carried over for the score.

The third touchdown and the final one for the first half came on a brilliant pass when Tom LeGros passed 47 yards to End Bob McKellar for the tally. Web Farris again converted and the Southerners led at the intermission 21-0.

Mississippi's fourth TD came as the result of a pass interception. With the ball on the Pirate 27, substitute quarterback Jim Mitcherson passed into the ends zone to McKellar to put the Gulf Coast champions out front 28-0.

Not content they tallied again when Milton White went over tackle for eight yards. The drive had started a few minutes earlier when Illard Yarborough's fumble was recovered by a Southern lineman deep in Buccaneer territory.

Mississippi's scoring finally ended in the final minutes when Lee-man McHenry passed to End Herman Billing for four yards. Farris' attempt for the one-pointer was good.

East Carolina's only real chance to score was stopped by a sturdy Mississippi line. Don McKenzie recovered a Southern fumble on the opponents 41, and Siler passed to Jack Benzie for eight yards. Yarborough picked up three bringing the ball to the 36. Fullback John Daughtry rammed through the line for 11 yards. An unnecessary roughness penalty against the home team was good for 15 yards and Pirates were down in scoring territory.

Daughtry's running attack was stopped cold and Siler could find no open pass receivers and the ball was taken by the victors.

East Carolina's highly publicized passing attack failed to live up to its goal and the Bucs were held to 88 yards through the air while Mississippi was busy gaining 125 yards. The Southerners led in first downs 10 to 14. The locals had rough time on the ground also as they only managed to gain 31 yards as compared with the hosts 247.

### Dole's Gridders Meet Navy Team In Newport News

The East Carolina Pirates will be after their first victory in two outings tonight at eight o'clock when they invade the Naval Apprentice school in Newport News, Va., in a non-conference clash.

With the 40-0 licking handed them by Mississippi Southern last week-end still fresh in their minds, the Buccaneers will be out to register their first win. Also, Naval Apprentice will be out for a revenge win and their first victory of the 1951 campaign. Last Saturday they were beaten by William and Mary's B team 20-12. The Virginia school will also be out to avenge the 21-7 licking handed them by the Buccaneers last season.

Little is known here of the strength of tonight's foe, but they are expected to give the locals a rough battle. With the continuance of the drafting they should be loaded with material and ready to meet some of the top college teams.

Coach Dole will definitely employ the two-platoon system in tonight's game with no player seeing 60 minutes service. The probable starting lineup will find Bobby Hodges and Dwight Shoe at the ends, Bill McDonald and Don McKenzie at the tackle slots. Doc Smith and George Graybill at the guards and Frank Madigan at center. Pete Meadows will probably see considerable action at center also. Sandy Siler will operate from the quarterback slot with Illard Yarborough and Jack Benzie at the halfback positions. At fullback will be John Daughtry.

## Chief Cheerleader Chosen As 30 Try For Cheering Team

Bo Thorpe, a freshman from Rocky Mount, was chosen as East Carolina's chief cheerleader Monday evening when final tryouts for 1951-52 squad were held. Approximately 30 students tried out for the cheering squad and went through various yells and motions together before the final choices were made.

Chosen to work with Thorpe from a field of top notch performers were: Barbara Weir, Dot Raney, Ann Siler, Faye Farmer, Florence Helms and Drucilla Bain. Returning from last season's squad are Britt, Shore, Barrow and Bain.

The number of cheerleaders was increased this year from nine to twelve. Practice sessions are to be held every day as plans are underway for a large and more efficient squad.

Chief cheerleader, Thorpe, has had plenty of experience in his field and plans to start the popular card tricks here as far as possible. He initiated the cards in Rocky Mount high school with amazing results. Plans are also being made to obtain a platform for the chief to stand on and announce the yells through his megaphone or a loudspeaker.

## Cage Drills To Begin With Eight Returning Lettermen Available

Basketball practice at East Carolina will get underway soon, possibly this week, with eight of last year's lettermen to return. Missing from the squad will be Lou Collier and Jim Blake.

The lettermen expected to report to Coach Porter are: Warren "Sonny" Russell, Charliq Huffman, Toddy Fennell, Paul Jones, Richard Blake, Bobby Hodges, John Postas and Clarence Butler.

Last year, the Pirate hoopsters finished the season with a record of 13 wins and 11 losses. In North State Conference play, they won 9 and lost 6 and finished in fifth place. In tournament play, the Pirates went to the finals of the NS tournament before losing to High Point 66-62. In the District 26 NAIB play-off, they again went to the finals before losing.

Four members of last year's squad were named on the All-Tournament team. "Sonny" Russell and Bobby Hodges were named to the first team, while Toddy Fennell and Lou Collier made the second team. Bobby Hodges was also named the tournament's most valuable player.

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## Teachers Playhouse Presents Drama As Workshop Creation

### Second Play In Series Includes Cast Chosen From Freshmen Class

"The Bishop's Candlesticks," a drama by Norman Mckennel, was presented in the Training school last night as the second in a series of workshop plays. The drama is an adaptation of an incident in "Les Miserables" by Victor Hugo.

Included in the cast were Bobby Hilldrop as the convict; Sarah Walters as Persome, the bishop's sister; Peggy Goodwin as Marie, the maid; Edwin Leiner as a gendarme and Garland Jackson as the bishop. The play was directed by Garland and was assisted by Janet Waters. The entire cast except for the director was made up of members of the freshman class who volunteered during a mass meeting. Freshmen volunteers will also make up the cast for the October production.

Again this year the Teachers Playhouse, under the direction of Dr. Lucille Charles, will sponsor a drama workshop each Thursday night. Previously the workshops have been held in the Flanagan auditorium, but this year for the first time the auditorium of the Training school will be used.

A special feature of each workshop is the evaluation after the play. Dr. Charles usually leads the discussion, starting her evaluation with the good points of the production and ending with suggestions as to what could have been better. These discussions are not compulsory for anyone attending.

The October 4 production is a comedy, "If Men Played Cards As Women Do." It is the story of a typical women's bridge party with all the trimmings. Taking part in the play are J. W. Browning, Bobby Davis, Erwin Ennis and Fred Futrell. Lloyd Whitfield will direct the play, with Gwenn Williams as the assistant director.

## YWCA Begins Task Of Recruiting New Members Into Club

A campaign for new members was begun on Thursday, September 13, by the YMCA when they held open house for freshmen in the "Y" Hut. The drive continues through September 21.

After the regular vesper services under direction of Janie Parker, the clubs jointly entertained a number of freshmen who dropped in for refreshments and group singing.

"Open-house" initiated the extensive drive being conducted through this week for new members of both organizations. Interested persons were solicited in the dining hall lobby on Friday of last week and Monday of this week. At present members are making a room-to-room canvass of the dormitories in view of greatly increasing the membership.

In a report to the YMCA cabinet on Tuesday of this week, Ann Osborne reported that more than seventy women students had joined at that time.

## Science Club Initiates Year's Work At Meet

The Science club of East Carolina college held its first meeting of the year Tuesday evening, September 18, in the Flanagan auditorium.

Hilton Biggs, program head introduced Mr. J. O. Derrick, who showed pictures that he had taken on annual Science club trip last April. Claude McAllister then delivered a brief talk on the museum which the Science club maintains on the top floor of the Flanagan building.

The Science club is open to all freshmen, transfers and old students at East Carolina, also to any student who has an interest in Science and wishes to broaden that interest.

## Scripture Is Dedicated To Frosh

(Editor's note: The following item was taken from the April 26, 1946 issue of the Sig Ep Review published by N. C. Zeta, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Wake Forest.)

The Twenty-Third Psalm (Dedicated to All Freshmen Who Fail)

A woman is my teacher; I shall not pass. She maketh me to sit down in the classroom; She leadeth me to the blackboard; She handeth me the chalk; She guideth me in the straight path for my grade's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of knowledge, I learneth not, for I am too dumb. My notebook and pencil accompany me. She maketh me show my ignorance before my fellow students. She anointeth my head with examples. My fountain pen runneth over. Surely algebra and English shall follow me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in the freshman class forever.

## 'Samson' Tries To Take Spotlight From 'Bobbie'

Sampson, the Methodist Student center's pet cat, has attracted as much attention as Cotten hall's "Bobbie."

During summer school two kittens wandered into the backyard of the Student center. Seeing that everyone else seemed to make themselves at home there, the kittens decided that they would also stay at Mamie's. Two regular patrons of the center took one of the kittens, and Sampson became the mascot of the center. After much debating as to whether the cat should be "Sampson" or "Deliah," a science major definitely decided it was Sampson. "Sampson" helps to make the Student center a little more that "home" away from home.

There once was an old man of Lyme Who married three wives at a time: When asked, "Why a third?" He replied, "One's absurd! And bigamy, sir, is a crime."

## Sarah Jane Hester Presides At Meet Of Future Teachers

Sarah Jane Hester, president of the Robert H. Wright chapter of the Future Teachers of America, presided at the first meeting of the year on Thursday night.

After a short business session, Roberta Hall, program chairman, introduced Josef Schwarz who was the guest speaker for the meeting. Mr. Schwarz is making a study of American schools. He is now at East Carolina college and plans to visit a number of public schools in the eastern part of the state. He received his education at Freiburg, Munich and Heidelberg universities and at the Sorbonne in Paris. He teaches French, German and English at Gymnasium Heilberg.

The Future Teachers of America is a campus organization for those who plan to become teachers. It is open to students in all departments.

The next meeting of the FTA will be with the FTA Department of the NCEA—Northeast District Meeting, on October 2 at 11:00 a.m. The FTA clubs of Washington high school and Elizabeth City high school have been invited to attend this meeting. The FTA department includes the college FTA's of East Carolina college and Atlantic Christian college.

## Men's Glee Club Meets To Organize For Year

Under the direction of Dr. Kenneth Cuthbert, the new head of the Music department, the "Varsity" Men's Glee club has been organized and is meeting on Monday and Wednesday nights at 7 o'clock. The Glee club is now composed of about 30 voices. Out over 40 are expected by the time the program gets fully under way.

Dr. Cuthbert has enthusiastic plans for concerts to be given on the campus and in neighboring high schools. The type of music will vary with some operatic, some classical and some semiclassical, including Fred Waring arrangements.

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### Notice!

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## Freshmen Attend Party

A special invitation was extended to the freshmen at East Carolina college by the Methodist Student center on September 14 and 15, as an open house was held in the center.

Refreshments were served and the group joined in the singing of several songs.

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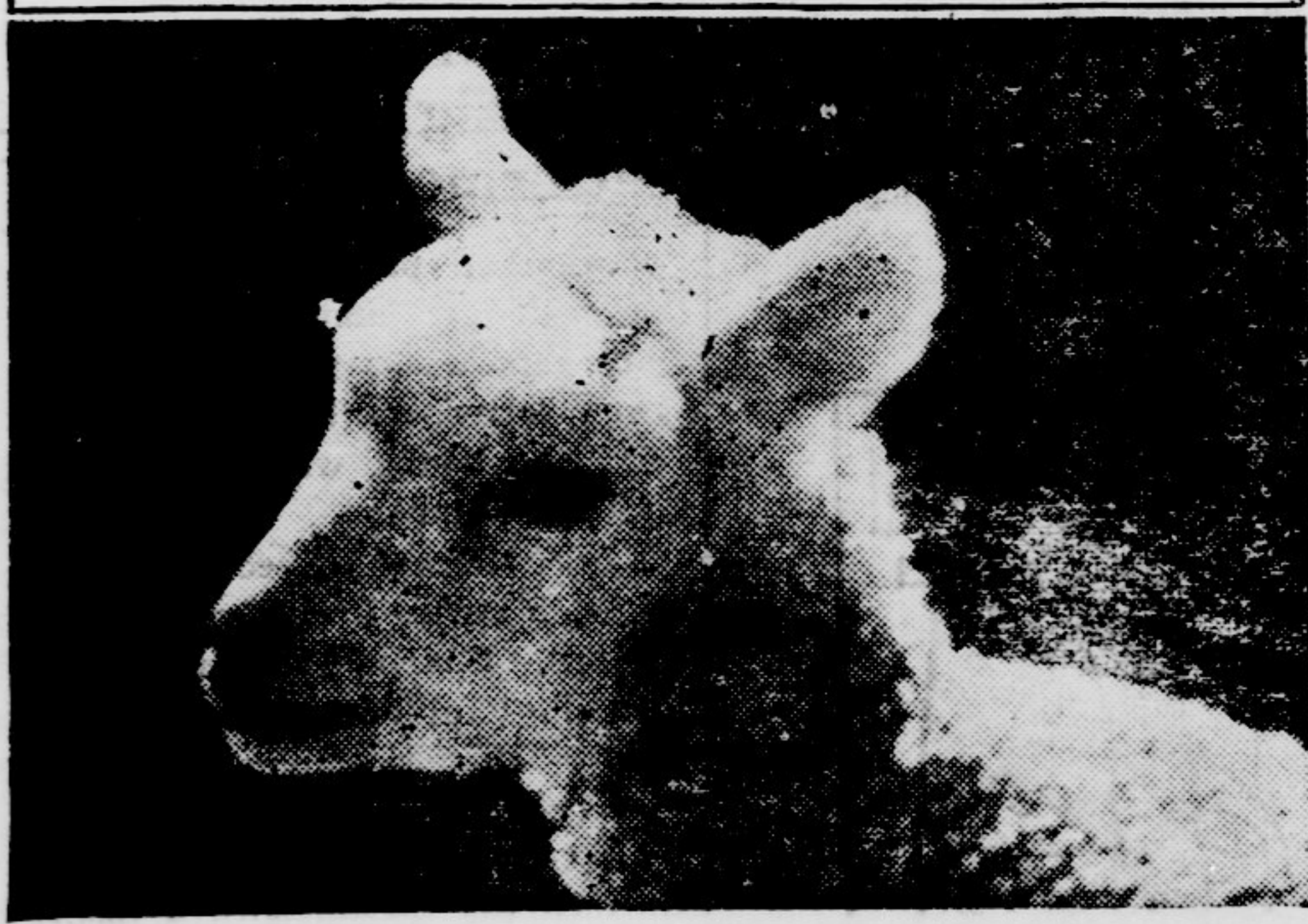
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