

Now Is Your Chance To Vote!

All year we have heard nothing but criticism on this year's Entertainment series. We have only been able to talk about it, but the 1953-54 SGA administration is giving the students at East Carolina a chance to do something about next year's program now. The program that will appear here next year will be largely determined by a student vote Thursday, April 9.

We are running a sample of what the ballot will look like elsewhere on this page. We feel that it is the duty of each student to see to it that everyone goes to the polls Thursday and votes for next year's entertainments. In the past the students have only been able to talk about the programs after they have appeared here, but now each person who so desires has the chance to express himself before the schedule is set up for next year.

The ballot, which is in a survey form, should be taken seriously by all persons who fill it out. Each school year the programs that appear on campus cost the student body over \$7,000. It is the students that pay this money, and every student should do all in his power to see to it that he gets his money's worth.

Are we going to do anything about our Entertainment series? If we are, we better do it Thursday because that is when we will have the chance that we have been wanting.

Teachers Playhouse Presents Annual Children's Play Soon

Dramatics Group Plans To Stage Six Showings In Schools Of County

Adventures of Robin Hood and his men will be enacted by members of the East Carolina college Teachers playhouse when they present in April their annual play for children. Six performances, primarily for the enjoyment of school children in Pitt county, have been scheduled for presentation in Greenville. Two additional performances will be given in Kinston.

Several thousand people, both children and adults, are expected to attend the play.

Sponsoring the children's play again this year as formerly will be the Greenville Branch of the American association of University Women. Mrs. C. A. Bowen of Greenville is managing the distribution of tickets to schools throughout Pitt county.

Dr. Lucile H. Charles of the East Carolina English department, director of dramatic arts for the college, will direct the Robin Hood production. The cast and the technical and business staffs will be composed of student members of the Teachers playhouse.

The dramatization chosen for the production is "Robin Hood, or The Merry Outlaws of Sherwood Forest" by the well-known playwright Owen Davis. It presents in an attractive version legends of the famous outlaw and catches the spirit of Merry England. Characters include many of those who have become immortal in story and ballad—Robin Hood himself, Maid Marian, Little John, Friar Tuck and others.

The play will be first presented April 16 at the Eppes high school in Greenville. Adults will have an opportunity to attend an evening performance April 20 in the College theatre. Matinee performances in the College theatre are scheduled as follows: April 20, 21, 22, 23. The two performances in Kinston will take place April 24.

New Counselors Begin Functions Next Fall Term

Twenty-six women students at East Carolina college have been selected to act as counselors to new women students attending the college during the 1953-1954 term, according to an announcement from the office of Dean of Women Ruth White. Their duties will begin with the opening of the fall quarter of 1953.

Counselors were chosen for the excellent qualities they have shown in scholarship, leadership, character, cooperation with others and service to the college. Their work will be directed toward the orientation of women students to campus life and adjustment to the college program.

Those honored by being chosen as counselors are Anna K. Avant, Whiteville; Airlee Barbour, Four Oaks; Nancy Bruce, Wilmington; Betty Jo Carroll, Greenville; Jane Mann Credle, New Holland; Laura B. Credle, New Holland; Patsy Davis, Raleigh; Sadie Francis, Conway; Hazel Garner, Roanoke Rapids; Betty Kay Harris, Halifax; Nancy C. Henderson, Hubert; and Erleen Lilley, Greenville.

Others who will act as counselors include Sara Harrington, Fairmont; Janet Latta, Roxboro; Mary Ann Loughlin, Southport; Carol Lucas, West End; Joyce McNeely, Rocky Mount; Mary Packer, Warsaw; Audrey Phillips, Trenton; Frances Poe, Fuquay Springs; Mildred Reynolds, Columbia; Barbara Rigbee, Durham; Jane Riley, Fuquay Springs; Susie Spivey, Windsor; Beverly Sumner, Wilmington; and Marvina White, Winfall.

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Pick Your Entertainments

In order to help the East Carolina college Entertainment committee to bring cultural programs to the campus which meet with the majority of the students' approval, the Student Government has requested the Entertainment committee to prepare a questionnaire which will be circulated among the student body on Thursday, April 9. It is hoped that each student will answer the questionnaire at that time.

The questionnaire will be in three parts. The first part lists all the programs that were presented by the Entertainment committee during 1952-53. Every student is asked to rate each of these programs according to good, fair, or poor and to indicate whether he attended the program.

The second part of the questionnaire lists 15 programs which the committee has tentatively selected for the 1953-54 school year, and it is hoped the students will check eight of the programs which they would like most to see.

The third part of the questionnaire permits each student to make any comments which he feels necessary in order to help the Entertainment committee selecting its 1953-54 series of programs.

Sample Ballot

Listed below are the programs which were sponsored by East Carolina college Entertainment committee during 1952-53. The committee should like to have your reaction to these various programs. Please check after each program whether you saw it, did not see it and rate it according to good, fair, poor:

Program	Did See	Did Not See	Rate
VALENTINA OUMANSKY, dramatic dancer			
PAUL FLEMING, magician			
WILLIAM AND EMILY MUIR, sculptor and artist in lecture demonstration			
BYRON JANIS, pianist			
ROBERT SHAW CHORALE			
EUGENE CONLEY, tenor			
THE SALZBURG MARIONETTES			
DR. T. K. BEBEK, lecturer			
RAY ANTHONY, concert-dance band (future event)			

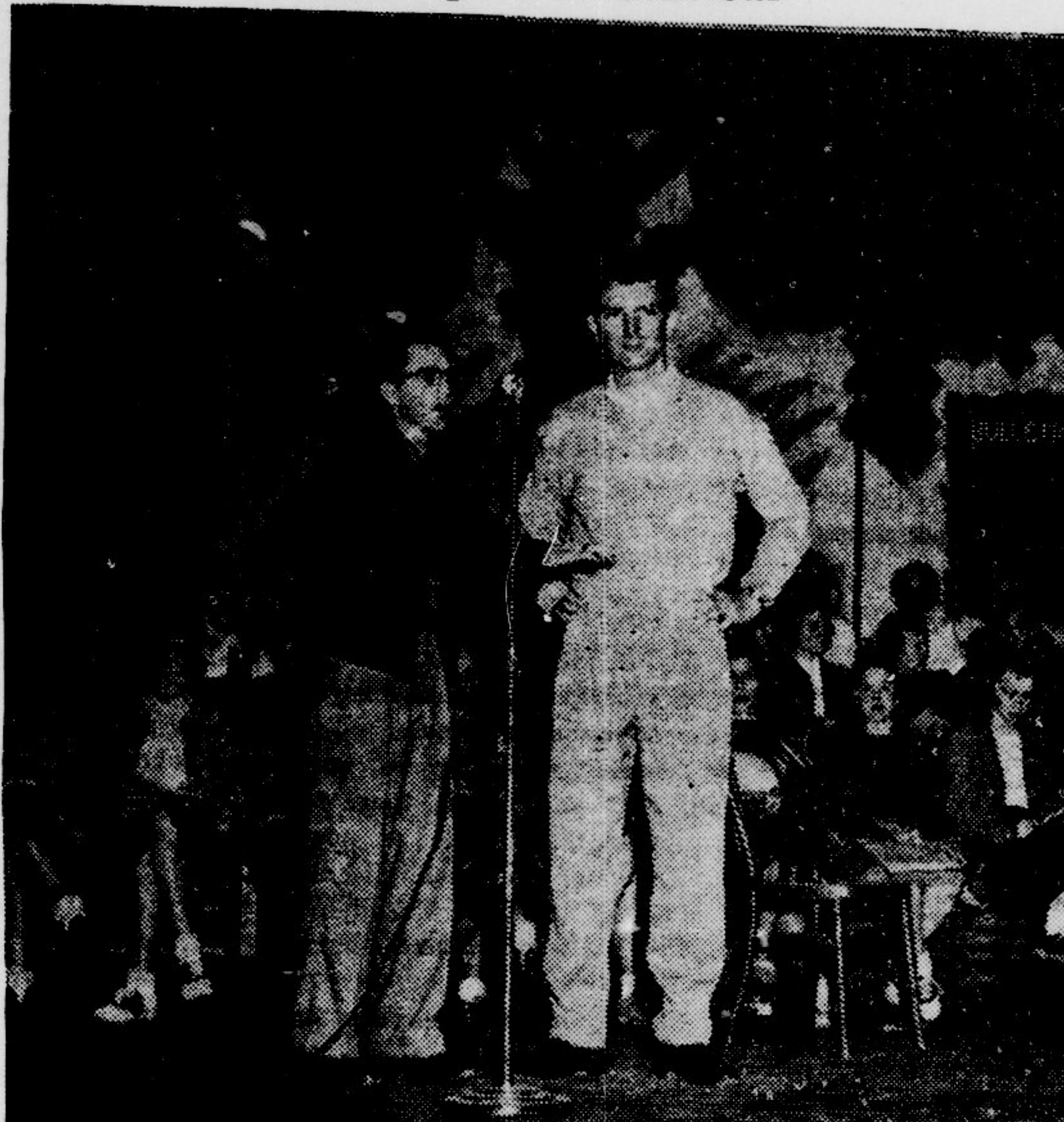
In order to help your Entertainment committee bring cultural programs to the campus which meet with the majority's approval, there is listed below a number of programs which are being tentatively considered for 1953-54. Please check eight programs which you would like to see most:

1. DON COSSACK CHOIR AND DANCERS—Twenty-five male singers and dancers of Russian folk songs and boisterous regimental Cossack dances.
2. NORTH CAROLINA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
3. BORIS GOLDOVSKY'S OPERA THEATRE—presents Mozart's "Merry Masquerade," a three-act comic opera with seven featured singers and accompanists.
4. THE AMERICAN ALBUM OF FAMILIAR MUSIC—The company includes an orchestra of 20 excellent musicians, a chorus of eight and four brilliant soloists. This group of 32 brings you the music America loves best. (Similar to Rogers and Hammerstein program!)
5. BARTER THEATRE—presenting Eugene O'Neill's most disarming play, "Ah Wilderness."
6. IMMORTAL MUSICALS—An evening of Sigmund Romberg's music in concert form, featuring a concert version of "Desert Song" with a special narration written by Oscar Hammerstein II, four featured singers and a mixed vocal chorus of twelve voices.
7. BALLET RUSSE DE MONTE CAROLO CONCERT COMPANY—featuring "Gaité Parisienne"—Company of 17 with two pianos.
8. PANEGYRIS—Twenty-two foremost singers, dancers and instrumentalists in a colorful panorama depicting 300 years of the art and culture of the Cradle of Civilization.
9. BUZKADI—a festival company of Basque dancers and singers known as "Euzkadi." Very colorful.
10. PHILHARMONIC PIANO QUARTETTE—Four-piano team—Something new and spectacular in piano playing.
11. DOROTHY WARENSKJOLD—Soprano.
12. MILDRED MILLER—Mezzo-soprano.
13. ANNA RUSSELL—Comedienne—"Mimic of highbrow music."
14. CHARLES L. WAGNER GRAND OPERA COMPANY—presenting "Verdi's 'Il Trovatore.'" The company includes a 26-piece orchestra, select chorus and six featured singers.
15. FAMOUS CONCERT-DANCE BAND.

In the space below please make any comments which you feel necessary in order to help the Entertainment committee in selecting its 1953-54 series of programs.

Annual High School Day April 17 Offers Seniors Varied Program

Principals In Musical



George Starling and Leonard Starling will be two of the featured soloists in the musical "Student Prince." There will be two performances of the musical, Thursday and Friday nights of next week. Students will be admitted free of charge on either of the two nights. Other members of the cast of over 200 are pictured in the background.

Packed Day Of Events Includes Campus Tour, Talks, Luncheon, Game

Final preparations are now being made for the annual High School day here at East Carolina college. Over 3,000 high school seniors from the Eastern and Piedmont sections of North Carolina are expected to attend the special day on April 17.

The seniors will engage in a varied program planned for their entertainment, according to Dr. Ed J. Carter, director of the East Carolina Bureau of Field Services and chairman of the High School day committee.

The day's event will begin with a parade by cadets of the college Air Force ROTC wing accompanied by their Drum and Bugle corps and a program in the Wright auditorium. Dr. Carter will preside at this assembly and President John D. Messick of the college will deliver an address. Lt. Col. Roger G. Fuller, head of the department of Air Science and Tactics, will discuss the AFROTC program. Music by the College choir, the College Concert band and the Varsity Glee club will be presented.

Parts From Comedy Excerpts lasting 45 minutes from a production of Romberg's "The Student Prince," with a cast and a chorus of college music students, will be a special attraction in the morning. In the afternoon the comedy "Born Yesterday" will be presented by the members of the Teacher's playhouse, the college dramatic club.

Educational exhibitions will be on display in classroom buildings. Through them the seniors will have an opportunity to gain an idea of the activities of the departments of instruction at East Carolina and to talk with college students and teachers working in areas of interest to the visitors.

Athletic Events The physical education department will present a program of various recreation, including swimming and diving. A baseball game is scheduled in the afternoon and is free to all high school seniors.

Home economics students will present in the afternoon their second annual High School day Fashion show in the Austin building. A tea-dance, with music by the East Carolina Collegians, will take place in the Wright building.

A barbecue luncheon, given annually as a event of High School day, is scheduled for one o'clock. Guests will be served on the college picnic grounds on the West campus.

'Student Prince' On Schedule Thursday, Friday Next Week

"It's terrific!"

So commented a visitor to a rehearsal this week of "The Student Prince," to be presented on the campus by the Student Government association Thursday and Friday, April 9 and 10.

Fourteen student soloists, a chorus of 120 men and women, the East Carolina orchestra of 60 pieces, Mr. Kenneth N. Cuthbert as director, Dr. Elizabeth Utterback as dramatic reader, plus the gay, spirited and tuneful music of Sigmund Romberg add up to what bids fair to be one of the most attractive musical shows ever to be staged on the campus.

The operetta will be given in a concert version. Soloists will be costumed for their parts, and will present scenes from the musical. Members of the chorus of 120 carefully selected vocalists will be dressed in formal evening attire. Elaborate

Students Do Not Pay

Students will be admitted to "The Student Prince" on either Thursday or Friday evening on presenting their identification cards, according to an announcement by Dr. Kenneth N. Cuthbert, director of the production. The April 10 performance will also be attended by the public.

lighting effects by George McFayden will contribute to the artistic staging of the show; and specialty numbers, including dances, will add variety.

George Starling, Carolyn Eisele, Carolyn Mahoney, Leonard Starling, Ruth Little and Robert E. Roebuck are principals in the cast. Also appearing in roles of the operetta are Bernard Ham, Andrew Meeder, Gerald Murphy, Willa Rae Bullock, Frances Smith, Irving Ennis, Charles Starnes and Mitchell Saied. This array of talented students promises an evening of fine music to those who attend "The Student Prince." The operetta will be given in the Wright auditorium in two performances, April 9 and 10 at 8 p.m.

Bob Neilson Heads Junior Class Work

Bob Neilson was elected president of the Junior class Monday of this week at East Carolina. Neilson was opposed by Bill Penuel.

Chosen to assist the president in carrying on the activities of the Junior class was Robert Baird, who was opposed for the vice presidency position by Kris Anderson.

Secretarial duties will be performed next year by Bobby Anderson, who emerged victorious over Mildred Rouse. Financial ends of the Junior class' business will be handled by Howard Rooks. Edwin Rooks was on the short end of the vote-count in the race for treasurer.

Ann Siler won the job of Student Government association representative by receiving more votes than her opponents, Charlotte Hales and Janet Hodges.

Campus Calendar

<p>Wednesday, April 8</p> <p>Spring holidays end; classes resume.</p> <p>7-8 p.m.—SGA meets in Flanagan auditorium.</p> <p>Thursday, April 9</p> <p>6 p.m.—Workshop play in Austin.</p> <p>1:30-6 p.m.—7:15-on—Northeastern district Debating contest conducted by Dr. M. N. Posey in Flanagan.</p> <p>8 p.m.—"Student Prince" production in Wright auditorium. (Student's night)</p> <p>Friday, April 10</p> <p>8 p.m.—"Student Prince" production in Wright auditorium. (Town-</p>	<p>people night)</p> <p>Saturday, April 11</p> <p>7 p.m.—Movie in Austin auditorium.</p> <p>Tuesday, April 14</p> <p>4 p.m. in Austin and 7 p.m. in Training school—Italian movie.</p> <p>Wednesday, April 15</p> <p>8 p.m.—Screen tour in Austin.</p> <p>Thursday, April 16</p> <p>6 p.m.—Workshop play in Austin.</p> <p>Friday, April 17</p> <p>High School day.</p> <p>Arts festival in Wright in the evening.</p>
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Plays In Faculty Recital



Elizabeth Drake, faculty member of the college department of music, will appear in a recital of compositions for the piano Sunday afternoon, April 12, at 4 o'clock in the College theatre. The program will be one of a series presented during the school year by members of the faculty under the sponsorship of the department of music.

File Applications Now

Male students who desire dormitory space for either or both of the summer sessions are asked by Dr. Clinton R. Prewett, dean of men and director of student affairs at East Carolina, to make application now.

Dean Prewett also reminds students who desire to apply for self-help positions for summer or fall sessions at East Carolina to do so soon. Men students should file application at the office of the dean of men, and women should contact Miss Ruth White, dean of women.

Cantor: I'm trying to get tickets for a train that leaves on tracks seven, eight, nine and ten. Von Zell: That must be a long train. Cantor: No, a woman engineer; she brought it in sideways!

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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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Ye Editor's Say

by Tommie Lupton

Well, spring holidays are here. There will be no more vacation periods until the end of school, but there are only 28 more school days left until summer vacation. The period of a little more than five weeks is really jam-packed with activities.

There seems to be something big just about every week. Next week we are having two showings of "Student Prince," and that will be a treat in itself. The following Friday will be High School day, and we at East Carolina will be entertaining some 3,000 high school seniors, who will be visiting our campus.

April 20 will see Ray Anthony here. The concert and dance are the final programs on the college Entertainment series for this academic year. Each student can purchase one ticket to the dance for some friend who is not enrolled here; however, all persons at East Carolina will be given admission by use of student identification cards.

Juniors and seniors here are anticipating the Junior-Senior dance, which is on tap for May 2. This dance is usually one of the best of the year at East Carolina.

For persons who like to watch baseball, golf and tennis there will be an opportunity to do so nearly any afternoon of the week. The athletic calendar at East Carolina is rather full with the three spring sports.

And then there is studying, but we will not say anything about that.

Ushered in Wednesday night of this week was the new slate of Student Government association officers. The new administration has high ambition, and we feel that with the cooperation of everyone here the group will be able to employ its power to build a better East Carolina.

The "East Carolinian" stands behind the SGA, and we wish them a full and successful reign.

Male students who have been casting suspicious glances in the direction of their draft boards got some reassurance recently.

A federal judge ruled that a draft board acted illegally when it inducted an honor student in New Jersey because he flunked a chemistry course. The student, now at Fort Dix, will be discharged from the Army and return to Upsala college.

The court based its ruling on the fact that the student actually did not have to take the chemistry course but enrolled voluntarily in summer school in order to graduate early.

An American history prof asked his class for a list of the eleven greatest Americans, reports the Postscript, Richmond Professional Institute, Va. While the students wrote, the teacher strolled around the room. Finally he paused at one desk and asked the youth if he had finished his list.

"Not yet," said the student. "I can't decide on the fullback."

A psychology professor at Bristol University, England, puts his students at ease by serving free cocktails before each lecture. The professor, who serves as bartender, says he is testing his students on the effect of small doses of alcohol. (Hope no one transfers.)

Couple Of The Week

Betty (better known as "Little-Bit") Tally and Jimmy Bazemore have been going steady since October 3 of this year. Betty is a sophomore and Jimmy is a junior, and they think ECC is "the best."

Before Jimmy and "Little-Bit" got to know each other too well, they both thought the other was very conceited. The moral is, get to know a person you think is conceited; there might be a romance in it!

This summer both Little-Bit and Jimmy plan to work in their own hometowns, but the week ends will be spent together.

(Editor's note: By being named "Couple of the Week," Jimmy and Betty will each be given a carton of Chesterfields, a free pass to the Pitt theatre, a free meal at the Olde Towne Inn and an item from Saslow's Jewelers.)

An East Carolina co-ed wrote:

Dear Parents,
 I'm getting along fine at ECC. I weigh 113 pounds, stripped for gym.

Love,
 Daughter
 Dear Daughter,
 Who's Jim?
 Love,
 Mom and Dad.

Who's Who At East Carolina

by Phyllis Carpenter

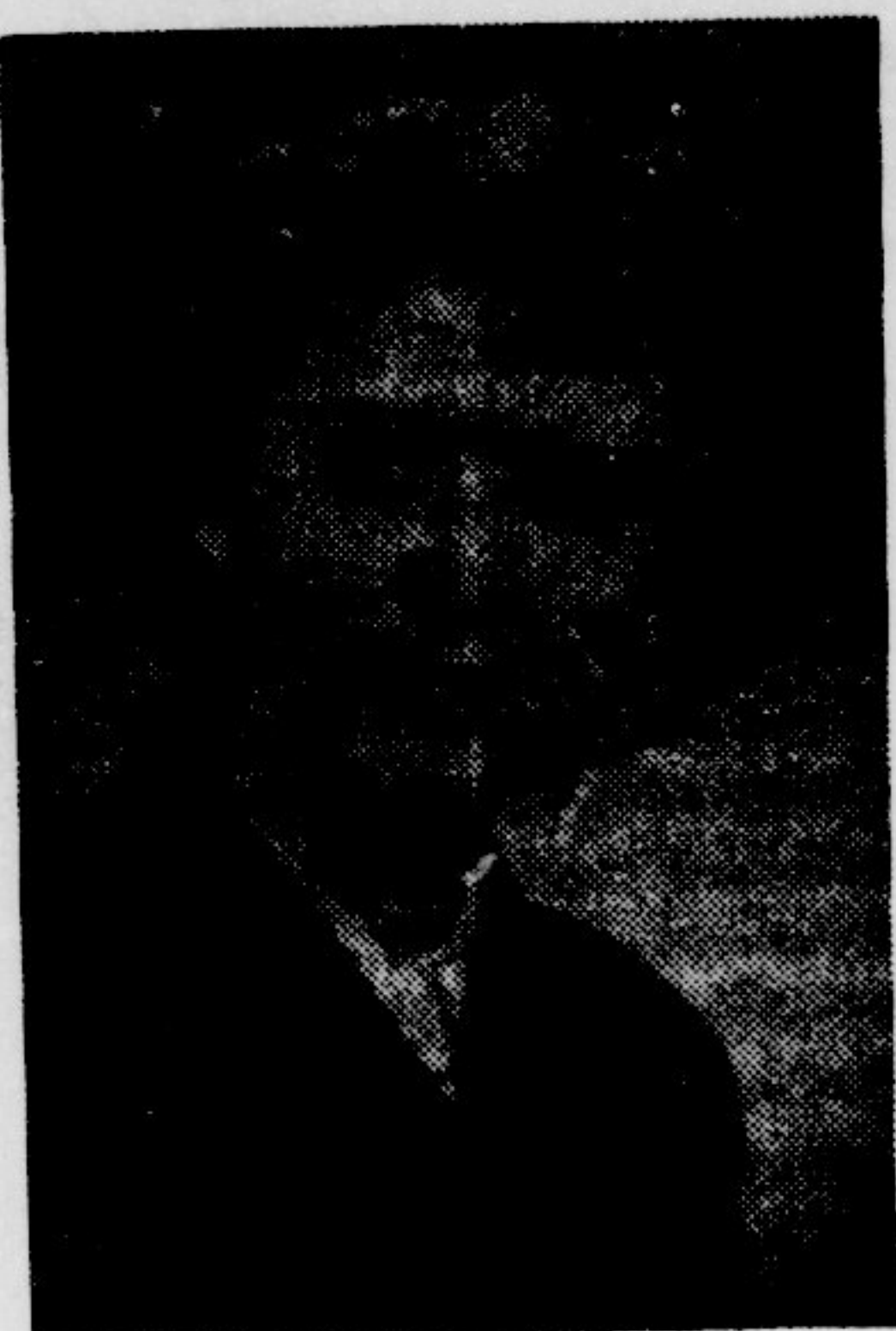
This week's Who's Who spotlight points to Emily Dell Faircloth of Fayetteville. She came to East Carolina college Fall quarter of '49 and plans to graduate May 18 of this year with a BS degree in Home Economics.

When Emily was asked if EC was her first choice, she said, "Definitely, for several times before graduating from high school I visited friends here and liked the campus and people so much that I soon decided that this was the school for me. You also hear a person talk about a place so much that you want to go there. Well, that's what happened to me."

The first quarter that Emily was in college, business was her major, but she changed to home economics and said that it certainly was her calling, for she likes it very much.

Practice Teaching
 This quarter she is doing her practice teaching at Greenville high school and has about 30 students in second and third year home economics. She is enjoying teaching, but says it is a lot of hard work. Emily remains after class many afternoons to help the students who want and need the extra help that she is quite willing to give. She said that one class period just wasn't enough time to cover all of the material.

"Now, my classes are studying family relations and the girls seem to be getting up hope that they will some day, after graduating from college, marry the boys that they are going with now," she said. "And, oh yes, they like for the student teachers to be either engaged or married so that we won't take their boy friends away from them. They don't even think about the age differences in the matter."



Emily Faircloth

Emily definitely plans to teach after graduation but first she is to be married to her high school sweetheart, now a senior at North Carolina State. The date has been set for June 10.

This outstanding student has many extra-curricular activities on her record. For four years she has been a member of the Home Economics club, vice president her junior year, president her senior year and vice president of the state club her senior year. She takes part in the activities of the YWCA and BSU. Both her freshman and junior years she served on the House committee, and sophomore and junior years was piano accompanist for the May Day festivities.

As a freshman and sophomore she was a member of the WAA and president of the Sophomore class. Her

junior year she was a member of the YDC and Teachers playhouse. This year she received her greatest honor which was being named in Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges. "I truly was surprised and honored to be chosen," she said, "but I feel that there are others on campus more deserving than I."

Attends Workshops

Emily has attended two Home Economics workshops sponsored by the state. The first at which she was a delegate was held at Flora McDonald college. She was a sophomore at the time and at the convention was elected vice president. They exchanged ideas and gave suggestions that the delegates might carry back to put into practice in their own clubs.

The second was at WC of UNC in Greensboro. There she gave the purpose of the workshop, introduced the main speaker, and was chairman of the nominating committee.

When a junior she was elected to represent East Carolina college at a Providence workshop at Clemson, S.C. She said that they did approximately the same things here as at the other two, only covered more territory. This convention included North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and eastern Tennessee.

Emily has helped work her way through college with self-help jobs, except for the past two quarters. She has worked in the circulation department of the library and also the physical education department as piano accompanist for the various dance classes.

"I hate to think of not being back at ECC again, but I'm looking forward to the future very much," Emily stated when asked whether or not she was glad to be graduating.

Female Views ROTC Program: Proud Of Work Of EC Group

by Faye O'Neal

If the uninformed grandmother of an ECC coed should appear on the campus for a visit on Tuesday or Thursday while the AFROTC is having drill exercises, she would really be surprised, don't you think? Grandmother would probably shriek with horror and run to the nearest telephone to get her granddaughter's parents on the line.

Vehemently and pointedly we might explain to mamma and poppa that "little Iodine" is attending a college that has been taken over by hordes of servicemen, and that, in her opinion it is not at all proper for a nice girl to come in contact with so many experienced men. Let's hope that mother and dad would succeed in calming the dear lady before she fainted away.

Seriously, the currently new change in campus life to accord with the present military emergency has its shocking aspects to those of the old school, so to speak. Things have really made a radical change since Grandmother was in school; even since our older brothers and sisters were in school.

Probably the last four years have yielded more change in the number of college men enrolled in reserve officer training than any others in history. This change has been so emphatic that campus life has necessarily been changed to an extent to agree with it. Almost all of us have been personally affected by this change.

Probably the men will disagree

with our comments on drilling, for they are purely expressive of a woman's view of the situation. Actually, watching the AFROTC drill brings a feeling of exalted patriotism right up into our throats. The men seem to take on a mature look, and one of commendable seriousness. Maybe this is "uniform magic" working on gullible females, but nevertheless it is true.

Certainly one will stop and watch the men as they keep perfect (we hope) time to the efforts of the drum and bugle corps. Also it is interesting to note the differences in personality and ability to give orders among the flight leaders and group commanders. Some of the boys may seem reluctant to act as a superior to their classmates, but most of them seem to be real officer material. It may be said that there is no fooling around in drill practice which shows that the East Carolinians who are members of AFROTC have become well adapted to military practice.

We are without doubt proud of the AFROTC on campus, and it is not hard to accept the changes that are a part of its program. It is good that our young men may receive a part of their military training while they are getting their formal education. Even if it is strange to have "flyboys" all over the place, we have gotten adapted to it and are silently thankful that so many of our classmates are here with us instead of in a boot camp or overseas somewhere.

Colleges Oppose Discrimination

(ACP) Most college students are against discriminatory clauses in fraternity and sorority constitutions, according to the ACP National Poll of Student Opinion. Clauses which discriminate against Negroes meet with more approval than clauses which discriminate against Jews.

The poll was taken last December against a backdrop of increasing student dissatisfaction with national bias clauses. Fraternity chapters at Williams, Amherst and elsewhere have recently violated their national constitutions by admitting either a Negro or a Jew. Student governments at more than a dozen universities and colleges have set deadlines for fraternities to get rid of bias clauses on penalty of expulsion.

ACP asked the question: Some fraternities and sororities have clauses in their constitutions stating that they will accept as members only individuals of the white race. How do you feel about this policy?

The answers:
 Approve 25%
 Disapprove 66%
 No opinion 7%
 Other 3%

"I would have it no other way," says a student from the University of the South, Tenn., referring to all-white fraternities.

A freshman at the University of Nebraska is sorry he approves of bias clauses. "Wish I felt differently," he says, "but habit and training are hard to overcome."

Students in the South are evenly divided on the question, while students in the North are overwhelmingly against discriminatory policies. Here's the breakdown:

	North	South
Approve	20%	44%
Disapprove	71%	44%
No opinion	7%	8%
Other	2%	4%

As for policies which limit membership to non-Jews, student opinion is as follows: approve, 12 per cent; disapprove, 80 per cent; no opinion, six per cent; other, two per cent.

"People of the Jewish faith usually have their own fraternities and sororities," says a sophomore coed at Richmond Professional Institute, Va. Says a senior at the University of Toledo who disapproves of "Aryan" clauses, "I believe in equal rights."

Shooting The Bull

by T. Parker Maddrey

It seems that no matter where an East Carolina student goes, he'll meet a fellow student.

Take for example, this past week end at the Wilmington Azalea festival. There were quite a few ECC students there and they called for a class reunion. In the midst of the ceremonies, they chimed in with "Praise to Your Name So Fair." Yes, by golly, everyone knew that East Carolina was there. One of the boys even asked Alexis Smith for a date. She accepted, but it seems that Romeo forgot where Alexis was staying. Too bad.

In New York we were crossing 42nd and Broadway which is called the "Crossroads of America." At this point it is said that if one stands here he will see someone he knows in less than ten minutes. Well, we did not have to wait, for a member in our group met an old friend from East Carolina.

At the Junior-Senior dance at Weldon high school last Friday night, we were surprised to see four East Carolinians and to see the EC orchestra playing.

This Summer at a ball game in Washington, D. C., six students attended in three different parties and were dumbfounded when they all met accidentally in the stadium.

Well, the whole thing boils down to one or two things: It must be a small world or there must be a lot of East Carolina students and alumni circulating in this country.

High School day is slated for April 17, the date of the next issue of this paper. The whole college is preparing for this date. Dr. Ed Carter is busy with the invitations and some of the activities for the high school seniors in the state. James W. Butler, Alumni secretary, is rushing around making preparations. The county clubs are assisting also with the preparations.

Why all the hustle-bustle? Well, the high school seniors are coming to look over the college to see if they would like to enroll here. Naturally, when "company" comes you've got to look and be your best to make an impression.

However, the high school senior will be impressed more if a student here would give him a personal chat first about the courses, social life, extra-curricular activities, living conditions and the type of college this is. Then the prospective enrollee will be looking forward for High School day to see for himself what East Carolina is like.

We urge all students to have the personal contacts with the high school seniors of their home during the Easter holidays in order to give them a preview of the college.

TIMELY TOPICS

By Bob Hilldrup

The big squawk among civic newspapers this past week, especially the Raleigh News and Observer, has been the move by the state legislators in Raleigh to ban reporters and the public from certain meetings.

It seems that a group of representatives decided that some of the discussions on finance had best be held in private and informed the press of their decision. In order to maintain their secrecy they chipped in money from their own pockets and rented a hotel room in order to discuss certain measures of the budget in private.

This met with extreme disfavor among the newsmen present, and although the legislators declared that it was not an official meeting they apparently went armed for lengthy discussion and held to their stand of refusing to admit the press. This caused a howl that has rebounded from front page to editorial page throughout the state. Just to make the proceedings legal the men concerned passed a ruling placing the secret meetings on the law books. Once more the press raised a howl.

We can see perhaps where certain measures might, in vague possibility, warrant secret discussion by various politicians; but when financial matters of the State of North Carolina are being discussed then the public certainly has a right to know what their money may go for. It is really surprising that this infringement of the people's right has been carried out and more audacious still that these men will so flagrantly abuse their position.

In addition to imposing the secrecy ruling a rider has been attached which says that any newspaper man violating the secrecy of the meeting may be fined. At last report several Raleigh reporters were fighting tooth and nail for the privilege of being the first fined and thereby becoming a martyr to the cause.

The people of North Carolina should be justly proud of those few representatives who have maintained their stand against this violation of right and should do everything possible to remove this ruling whereby public affairs may be carried on in secret. The representatives are there to serve those that elected them, and when they step from the floodlight of the public eye to carry on public business then something should be done.

Enough said.

POT POURRI

by Emily Boyce

The arrival of spring was culminated in the annual Azalea festival held at Wilmington this past weekend. Judging from the deserted campus during that time, it seems that most of the ECC students enjoyed the festivities there. Various comments were made by students who went. One girl said main street in Wilmington looked like our back campus, for there were so many EC students there. So we were really well represented.

If there is a run on the stores in Greenville during the next two weeks, you can believe about 40 girls in the WAA are buying beachwear for their coming annual house party. The house party is the highlight of the year's activities. There will be two cottages rented this year with around 20 girls in each cottage. Atlantic Beach will long remember the weekend of April 10, 11 and 12.

For those students majoring in elementary and primary education who have to make files should take advantage of the grand free material stacked upstairs in the College library. The material is good and should prove to be quite a help to those interested.

All those who saw *The Curious Savage* last week seemed to thoroughly enjoy it. Dr. Jones of the science department scored quite a hit with most students in his portrayal in the comedy. We say hats off to the staff for giving such grand performances.

The cinema actress, Gloria Grahame, won an Academy award for the best supporting actress for her role as the southern belle in *The Bad and the Beautiful*. This certainly surprised the majority of the southerners who saw the movie. Her role was a caricature, and not a comedy role. But the Southern accent and actions of Miss Grahame seemed to most Southern audiences as strictly comedy.

Maybe Hollywood needs to come south and take notice of our accent in the rough. The drawl of Miss Jones in the movie *Ruby Gentry* also received many comments, but these were overshadowed by others concerning the quality of the picture.

If most of the students were asked what they did this week, they would probably say they went to see *The Body*, alias Marilyn Monroe, in *Niagara*. When a girl was asked whether or not Miss Monroe deserved an Academy award for her performance, she said, "Marilyn should have an award, but I'd rather not say what kind."

Standards Of Humor Drop

This month's issue of 'Technolog'—the University of Minnesota's engineering magazine—has been withheld from students because of the magazine's "failure to maintain higher standards of humor."

A committee on student affairs has ruled that the magazine may be circulated provided it includes a "conspicuous insert" explaining the committee's disapproval of the magazine's humor. Also to be included is a statement by the editor saying he will "cooperate in the establishment of an effective procedure for pre-publication review of th humor content."

The Minnesota Daily considers the question to be one of freedom of the press vs. censorship.

SPORTS ECHO

by Bob Hilldrup

The recent release of East Carolina's 1953 football schedule has aroused much speculation and favorable comment on campus.

Beginning with Wilson Teachers College, of Washington, D. C., on September 19 the Pirates inaugurate a heavy nine game slate. The Washingtonians are the first of three out-of-conference foes to be met by the Buccaneers next fall.

Following the Wilson game the Bucs will play host to Lehigh-Rhyme's conference champion Bears. The Bears are going to be hard hit by graduation come spring and will lose virtually their entire squad.

Third on the list for the Bucs will be Catawba's Indians. The Bucs and the Indians battled to a 7-7 stalemate last year at College stadium and next fall's encounter promises to be one of the highlights of North State conference play.

The men from Salisbury seem to us to be the club to beat as far as East Carolina is concerned. Of course none of the other conference squads can be disregarded. Elon will be out to avenge last year's 25-9 defeat at the hands of the Pirates. Appalachian, Western Carolina and Guilford will also be seeking to upend the Pirates in retaliation for licks administered by the Bucs during 1952.

Despite the fact that the latter four clubs will be out for the Pirates, it still seems that Catawba presents the paramount threat. The Indians will have a veteran squad complete with an outstanding coach, as East Carolinians can testify.

Coach Clyde Biggers, who will take over the reins at Catawba, will undoubtedly be pointing for the East Carolina line-up. So far he has experimented in all nine positions to find the best combination.

Carolina game in an attempt to "show up" his former protégés.

The schedule at present calls for the final two contests to be played in Florida November 7 at Tampa and November 14 at Stetson. Although we do not know what arrangements have been made, it seems that the most logical thing to do would be to have the Bucs remain in the land of sunshine from the 7th through the 14th. The host schools would probably provide room and board for the boys and they would also be able to get in more practice in the Southern climate, so unlike Greenville's continuous rain.

New Jersey Team Faces Buccaneers At College Field

Closing out the week's baseball activities, the East Carolina Pirates traveled to Guilford today for an Eastern Division league contest.

The Bucs met the High Point Panthers yesterday in High Point. Both games were played after the "East Carolinian" went to press.

Returning to Greenville after the holidays, the locals enter a three-game series with Montclair State of New Jersey on Wednesday and Thursday, April 8 and 9. Elon's Christians invade the local field Friday, April 10.

During the week of April 13 the Pirate baseballers will face the High Point Panthers on the local field and the Guilford Quakers at Guilford college, on Wednesday and Friday, respectively.

Coach Jack Boone has yet to settle on a definite line-up. So far he has experimented in all nine positions to find the best combination.

Pirates Shutout Bulldogs By 7-0 In First Contest

Jimmy Byrd and Jimmy Piner combined their pitching abilities to blank a rival ACC pine on seven hits last Friday in Wilson as the Pirates gained a 7-0 victory in the opening contest for both teams.

Byrd hurled five innings and gave up five hits. Piner then finished the contest, allowing two singles.

Leftfielder Paul Gay was the only Buc to connect for two hits. He had two singles in five trips.

The box:

East Carolina	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Heath, 2b	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hoskins, 2b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hardison, 2b	1	1	1	1	0	0
Hooper, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Russell, 1b	1	0	2	0	0	0
G. Cline, 3b, rf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Britt, c	2	2	1	7	0	0
B. Cline, c	2	0	1	5	1	0
Gay, lf	5	0	2	4	0	0
Sanderson, 1b, rf	3	0	1	3	3	0
Cherry, 3b	1	1	1	0	0	0
Stevens, ss	1	0	2	1	0	0
Thompson, ss	0	1	0	0	0	1
Jones, ss	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corbin, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Webb, cf	2	0	1	1	0	0
Byrd, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Piner, p	1	1	0	0	1	0

Totals	34	7	9	27	7	1
Atletic Christian	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Byrum, cf	5	0	2	4	0	1
Morris, 2b	3	0	0	2	4	0
Davis, lf, 3b	3	0	2	5	1	0
Crowder, ss	4	0	1	3	1	0
Lane, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Williams, 3b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Willoughby, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Harris, 1b	4	0	4	0	0	0
Price, c	4	0	1	6	2	0
Dominquez, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hamp, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Todd, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Z-Holmes	1	0	0	0	0	0

z-Hit for Dominquez in 7th.

Score by innings:

ECC 010 100 014-7

ACC 000 000 000-0

Runs batted in: Hardison 2, Gay

Two-base hits: Sanderson, Crowder,

Lane. Base on balls: Byrd 2, Piner

2, Dominquez 3, Ham 3, Todd 1

Pirate Baseball Coach



Pictured above is Jack Boone, head coach of East Carolina's baseball fortunes. Under Boone's tutelage the Bucs triumphed in their first three contests of 1953.

Buccaneer Linksters Open Golfing Season By Downing High Point

The East Carolina college golf team opened its season Monday by downing High Point 12-6 at the Emerywood country club in High Point.

Atkins of High Point turned in the low score for both clubs as he carded a 77 over the difficult 18 holes. Claude King had a 79 to take medalist honors for East Carolina.

The pairings:

Atkins (HP) defeated King (EC), 3-0.

Braun (EC) defeated Beavers (HP), 3-0.

King and Braun tied Atkins and Beavers, 1 1/2-1 1/2.

Martin (EC) defeated Barrett (HP) 2 1/2-1 1/2.

Rainey (EC) defeated Lowe (HP) 2-1.

Martin and Rainey defeated Barrett and Lowe, 3-0.

Pirates Take Third Victory By Besting Textiles, 13-3

Pirate Hurlers Miss No-Hit Game In Last Of Ninth

Three East Carolina hurlers were deprived of a combination no-hitter by a ninth inning single here Monday as the Pirates whitewashed a New Bedford institute club 7-0.

The New Englanders' third baseman Wally England slammed one of Ted Barnes pitches down the first base line to break the ice. The two previous Buc pitchers who gave up no hits were Martin Byrd, the starter, and Clyde Owens.

Pacing the Pirates' plate attack was rightfielder Major Hooper, who knocked two singles in three trips.

The box:

New Bedford	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Camacho, cf	3	0	0	1	0	1
England, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Thatcher, ss	2	0	1	4	0	0
Poitrass, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Martinez, lf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Rodil, 2b	2	0	0	2	2	1
Katterman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Arruda, 1b	1	0	0	6	0	0
Chapman, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0
Pomber, p	2	0	0	0	4	0
Bachand	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 28 0 1 24 11 3

xHit for Pomber in 9th.

East Carolina	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Hardison, 2b	2	1	1	2	0	0
Heath, 2b	3	0	1	1	1	1
Hooper, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Russell, 1b	0	1	0	3	1	0
Britt, c, rf	5	0	1	7	0	0
Corbin, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gay, lf, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Hayes, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Sanderson, 1b, rf	2	1	1	3	0	0
B. Cline, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
Stevens, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Thompson, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Webb, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Cherry, 3b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sauls, 3b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Byrd, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Owens, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, p	0	1	0	1	1	0

Totals 34 7 9 27 8 1

Score by innings:

New Bedford 000 000 000-0

East Carolina 011 100 04x-7

Runs batted in: Hardison; G. Cline;

2; Britt. S Struck out by: Byrd, 4;

Owens, 5; Barnes, 2; Pomber, 4. Bases

on balls off: Barnes, 2; Pomber, 8.

Hits off: Byrd-0 in 4, Owens-0 in 3;

Barnes-1 in 2. Winning pitcher:

Owens.

The Pirates' defenders are looking

tactful and give the Bucs an infield

as tight as a hat band.

The outer garden is patrolled by

a host of speedy, sharp hitting hope-

fuls.

Ken Hall Gets Credit For Triumph Against Massachusetts Squad

Coach Jack Boone's East Carolina Pirates made it three straight and two in a row over New Bedford here Tuesday as they came out on the long end of a 13-3 count.

After giving up two runs to the Textiles in the first inning, the Bucs got back in the game in the third and went ahead in the fourth.

Top man in the hit column for the Boone-men was Cecil Heath. The spunky second sacker got three for three. Gaither Cline tagged the game's hardest throw with a homer over the right field fence in the sixth. Cline went two for three. W. C. Sanderson included in his two for four an in-the-park four bagger. Wilbur Thompson hit two for three.

A. J. Rose, Ken Hall and Eugene Rose limited the Northerners to four base knocks.

New Bedford	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Camacho, cf	4	0	0	3	0	1
England, 3b	3	1	0	1	5	0
Thatcher, ss	4	1	1	1	4	0
Poitrass, c	4	0	1	3	0	0
Baines, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Martinez, lf	3	1	2	0	1	0
Rodil, 2b	3	0	1	3	3	0
Pomber, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Katterman, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chapman, 2b	3	0	0	7	0	1
Arruda, 2b	1	0	0	3	0	0
Bachand, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Dahlburg, p	1	0	0	0	1	1

Totals 31 3 4 24 15 5

East Carolina AB R H O A E

Hardison, 2b	2	1	0	0	2	1
Heath, 2b	3	1	3	1	1	0
Hooper, rf	2	1	0	0	2	1
Russell, 1b	0	1	0	3	1	0
Britt, c, rf	5	0	1	7	0	0
Corbin, rf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gay, lf, cf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Hayes, cf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Sanderson, 1b, rf	2	1	1	3	0	0
B. Cline, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
Stevens, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Thompson, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Webb, cf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Cherry, 3b	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sauls, 3b	0	0	0	1	0	0
Byrd, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Owens, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Barnes, p	0	1	0	1	1	0

Totals 39 13 14 27 11 1

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Audience Lauds Performances Of College Faculty In Comedy

East Carolina college staff members who appeared in two performances of John Patrick's comedy "The Curious Savage" Thursday and Friday, March 26 and 27, received hearty applause and many favorable comments on their performances from audiences representing both the campus and the city of Greenville.

The play, sponsored by the Greenville Branch of the American Association of University Women, was given as a benefit performance for the East Carolina college Foreign Study Scholarship fund. George E. Perry of the faculty was director.

More than 50 people, in addition to the members of the cast, participated in work on the production. These included college faculty members and administrative officers, and members of the AAUW and of the Teachers playhouse, the Student Government association, the Future Teachers of America and the foreign languages fraternity Sigma Pi Alpha of East Carolina.

Mrs. Dorothy W. Perkins, director of special education in the department of education, as Mrs. Ethel Savage, eccentric millionaire, had the title role in "The Curious Savage." Her sympathetic interpretation of the part won an enthusiastic response from audiences at both per-

formances. A supporting cast of ten staff members was made up of Elizabeth Walker, Dr. Harold Jones, Beatrice Chauncey, Donald Amelon, Mrs. Sally Klingenschmitt, Dr. Theodore Eaton, Dr. Hubert Coleman, Mrs. Agnes Barrett, Ruth Lambie, and Dr. James Poindexter. Larry Holt, eight-year-old Greenville boy, appeared as guest actor in the final scene of the play.

An attractive stage setting designed by Assistant Dean of Women Edith Zinn contributed to the effectiveness of the comedy. The artistic lighting effects which marked the production were executed by Ernest White, student from Waynesboro, Va.

BSU Student Attends Tennessee Conference

Gwendola Williams, junior from Oakboro, attended last week end in Nashville, Tenn., the National Planning conference of the Baptist Student union. She represents the campus BSU organization here. She was accompanied to Nashville by students from other Baptist Student unions of the state. At the college she is an active worker in the Baptist student group and is also vice president of the student Home Economics club.

Talk With Your Uncle

A Naval Aviation Cadet Procurement team for this area, composed of Lt. Cmdr. C. W. Perdue and Lt. John A. Henning from the Naval Air station, Norfolk, Va., will interview students interested in the Naval Aviation cadet program. They will be on campus at 10 a.m. April 10, and will remain here in the afternoon, if necessary.

Eligibility requirements for Navy cadet training are that the applicant must be at least 18 and not over 27 years of age; has completed 90 quarter hours in college; has not married and must remain unmarried until commissioned; and must meet with certain physical requirements.

Home Economics Group Names Williams Prexy

Gwendola Williams of Oakboro, sophomore at East Carolina college, will head the Home Economics club at the college during the 1953-1954 school year.

Other officers chosen in a recent election to serve next year in the club, one of the largest departmental organizations on the campus, are Marcelline Aycock, Black Creek, vice president; Evelyn Davis, Warsaw, secretary; Peggy Faircloth, Roseboro, treasurer; and Mary Lee Gillette, Jacksonville, and Kitty Geringer, Draper, reporters on student publications.

Home Ec Society Adds 11 Members Of Honor Rating

In recognition of their excellent scholastic records and high professional standards, eleven home economics students at East Carolina college have been chosen as members of Phi Omicron, honor society. All have completed or are now completing their sophomore year as majors in the department of home economics at the college.

Ruth Haislip, senior from Oak City, presided at an initiation ceremony in the Flanagan auditorium at which the students were formally accepted as members of the society. Ruth Lambie, director of the college Nursing school and faculty advisor of Phi Omicron, also participated in the service.

New members of the organization are Marcelline Aycock, Black Creek; Betty L. Boyette, Selma; Ann L. Carawan, Swan Quarter; Mary Sue Cook, Hertford; Peggy Ann Cox, Richlands; Sally Credele, Seranton; Emily J. Eaves, Henderson; Peggy J. Faircloth, Roseboro; Anna L. Loughton, Beaufort; L. Gwen Williams, Oakboro; and Bertha Pate Jones, Tarboro.

Inspection Team Awards AFROTC Highest Rating

The East Carolina college Air Force ROTC detachment received the highest possible rating during the annual Federal inspection conducted Wednesday and Thursday, March 25 and 26.

All unit facilities underwent a thorough inspection during the two days. The inspection was climaxed by a ceremonial wing parade on Thursday.

Colonel Adolph M. Wright, officer in charge of the Federal inspection team, met with Cadet Colonel Maurice H. Moore of Wilmington and his staff at the conclusion of the parade. At this meeting Colonel Wright said, "The cadets of the East Carolina college Air Force ROTC wing are to be commended on their splendid performance. It reflects a high degree of effort on the part of each cadet. Please pass this on to all personnel in the Cadet wing."

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Where do I take my training?

Pre-flight training will be at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. Primary, basic and advanced training will be taken at any one of the many Air Force bases located throughout the South and Southwest.

What happens if I flunk the training course?

Every effort is made to help students whose progress is unsatisfactory. You can expect extra instructions and whatever individual attention you may require. However, if you fail to complete the course as an Aviation Cadet, you will be required to serve a two-year enlistment to fulfill the minimum requirement under Selective Service laws. Veterans who have completed a tour of military service will be discharged upon request if they fail to complete the course.

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- 3 Next, you will be given a written and manual aptitude test.
- 4 If you pass your physical and other tests, you will be scheduled for an Aviation Cadet training class. The Selective Service Act allows you a four-month deferment while waiting class assignment.

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