

What was President Eisenhower's "great crusade?" That's the topic of guest columnist Bobby Hall's column which appears on page 2 of this week's issue.

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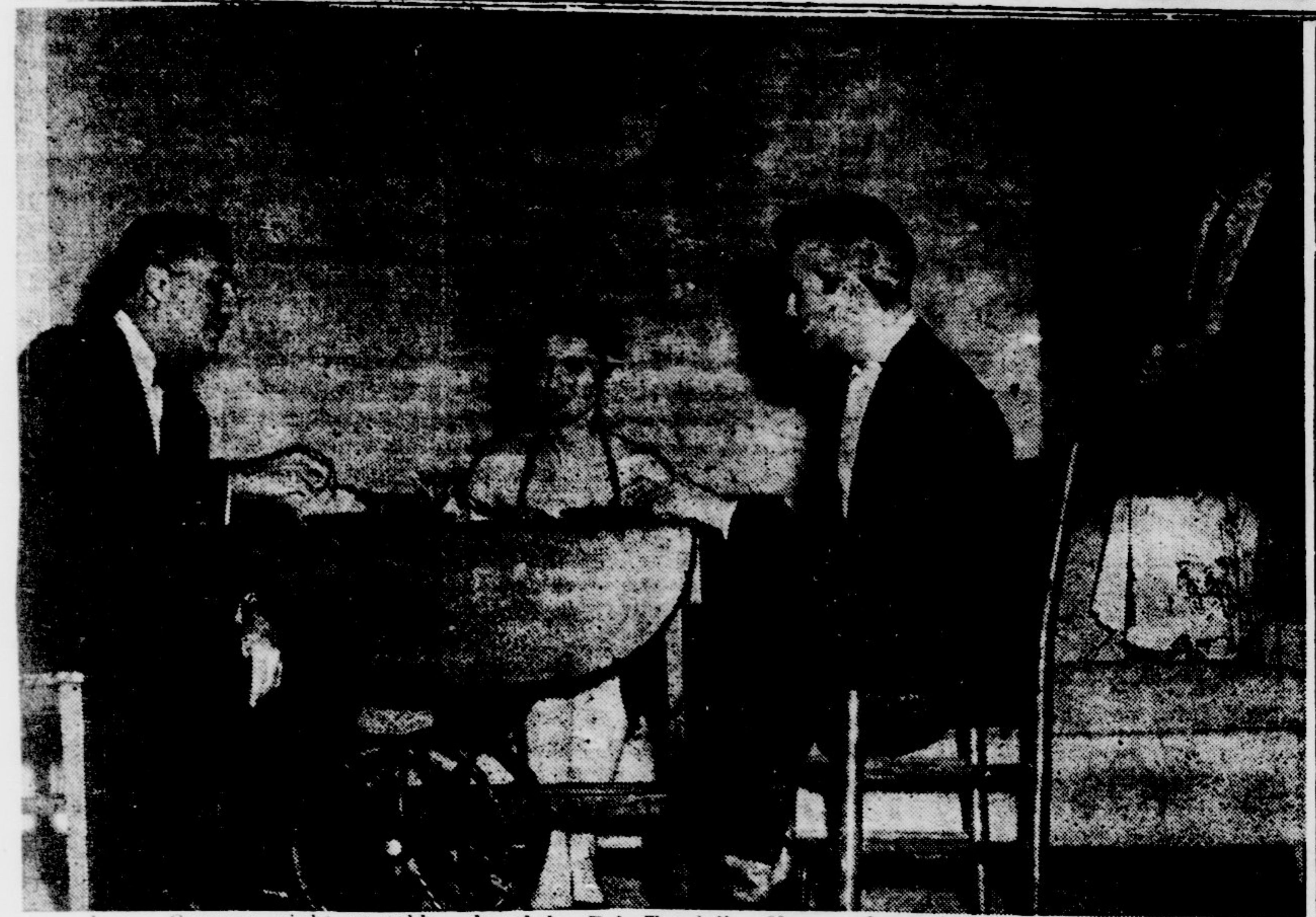
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James Conover, right at table, played by Bob Tyndall, offers a dramatic proposal to Grant Matthews, Jeffrey Lynn, left, and his wife Bobbi Harrell, as a critical moment develops in "State Of The Union." (page 1 photos by Nora Willis)

Starring Actor Jeffrey Lynn

"State Of The Union" Continues Run Tonight, Tomorrow Night In McGinnis

"State of the Union" will play again tonight and tomorrow night in McGinnis Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. The Pulitzer Prize-winning play by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse will feature guest star Jeffrey Lynn, renowned Broadway actor and star of screen and television, and a veteran college cast. The production is being presented by the East Carolina Playhouse.

"State of the Union" is a three-act comedy and satire on the current political scene. It is reported that for the first two nights audiences have responded enthusiastically to the presentations of the Playhouse's first major production of the year.

The players will be recognized by the audience for their participation in such productions held last year as "Blithe Spirit," "Detective Story,"

and "Darkness at Noon." Among the old timers in the Playhouse are Bobbie Harrell, Bill Dixon, Margaret Starnes, Bob Tyndall, and Tommy Hull. All of these have important roles in "State of the Union."

Others in "State of the Union" who have been active in Playhouse activities include Genia Truelove, Alice Horn, Al Carr, and J. C. Dunn.

Bobbi Harrell, who plays Mary Matthews, will be remembered for her role in "Detective Story," last year. Bobbie has done extensive work in dramatics while at East Carolina and this is her third year in the Playhouse. Bob Tyndall, who plays James Conover, played last year in "Cinderella" and "The Valiant." Margaret Starnes, who plays Kay Thorndike, had one of the leading roles in "Long Christmas Dinner," last year.

The leading role in "Blithe Spirit" was played last year by Genia Truelove, who acts as prompter in "State of the Union." Lloyd Bray, who plays the judge and is in charge of technical operations on the play, played in "Darkness at Noon." Bill Dixon, playing Spike McManus, also gained experience in "Darkness."

Lynn
All of the members of the "State of the Union" cast have commented on the participation of Jeffrey Lynn. Most feel that he has contributed in a large degree to the overall success for the first two night's run of the production and to the development of the playhouse.

Fall Exam Schedule Listed

The final exam schedule for fall quarter has been announced by Dr. Leo W. Jenkins, vice president and dean of administration.

Monday afternoon, November 19, first period classes will have their exams sixth and seventh periods; third period classes will have their exams eighth and ninth periods; and ninth period classes will have their exams from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m.

On Tuesday, November 20, second period classes will have their exams first and second periods; fourth period classes will have their exams third and fourth periods; fifth period classes will have their exams sixth and seventh periods; and sixth period classes will have their exams eighth and ninth periods.

1:00 p. m. on Monday, November 19. The schedule for exams to be held on November 19, 20, and 21 follows:

On Monday afternoon, November 19, first period classes will have their exams sixth and seventh periods; third period classes will have their exams eighth and ninth periods; and ninth period classes will have their exams from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m.

On Wednesday morning, November 21, seventh period classes will have their exams first and second periods, and eighth period classes will have their exams third and fourth periods.

Hooper Recognized For FTA Service; Awarded Life Membership In Education Association

In recognition of long and outstanding service as sponsor of the East Carolina Chapter of the Future Teachers of America, Miss Emma L. Hooper, English Department faculty member, has received a life

membership in the National Education Association presented by chapter members and other friends.

Last week-end, the presentation was made during the Northeastern District Convention of the North

Carolina Education Association on campus here.

Presentation of the certificate was made by Doris Mae Bryan, president of the Northeastern District organization of the F T A. Doris praised the work of Miss Hooper as sponsor and congratulated her on the achievements of the college chapter. The Northeastern District FTA president is treasurer of the North Carolina organization and in 1955 was the chapter representative at the convention of the National Association of the Future Teachers of America.

Sponsor
Miss Hooper became sponsor of the college chapter when it was chartered May 10, 1939, and has been associated with members in their work since that time. She has taught in the department of English at East Carolina since September, 1924. In addition to her work with the Robert H. Wright chapter, she served for a number of years as chairman of the commencement committee at the college and has held other important posts as a faculty member.

Much Joy
"My work with the Future Teachers organization has given me much joy. It has been an inspiration to be See HOOPER, page 4

Thirty-Four Students Chosen For National Who's Who List; Students Favor Social Frats

Only One-Third Of Student Body Voice Opinion

By OLIVER WILLIAMS
Social fraternities received an overwhelming vote of approval by the student body and a large vote of disapproval by the faculty in the campus-wide straw poll conducted here earlier this week.

Final tabulations showed that the student body voted 4 to 1 in favor of fraternities, while the faculty voted 3 to 1 against them.

Only one-third of the students turned out to vote on the rainy Monday, however, and a general feeling that there is not enough interest in such organizations seems to be circulating.

Commenting on the small vote, Dean Tucker, chairman of the student-faculty committee studying fraternities, said, "It seems to me that the students did not show enough interest in it."

SGA President Dock Smith stated that although only one-third of the students voted, it was still one of the largest ever recorded at this institution.

"With such a clear and overwhelming vote of the student body in favor of social fraternities, I see a great challenge ahead for our administration. I see a great challenge ahead of us also if we are to prove ourselves worthy of this great opportunity," President Smith said.

"This approval may be only an opinion," Smith continued, "but it certainly gives a clear indication of what the students here at East Carolina want and feel they deserve."

Committee Meeting
According to Dean Tucker, the fraternity committee will meet today and consider the vote. It will then pass along its findings to President Messick who will present the findings and recommendations to the Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees will consider the student and faculty opinion as expressed in the opinion poll and will take some action on social fraternities.

Analysis of Vote
An analysis of the vote showed that of the 1,114 students voting, 829 voted for fraternities, 204 voted against them, and 81 had no feelings for or against them.

The vote from the faculty showed that the faculty voted three to one against such organizations. Fifty-four faculty members voted against fraternities, 19 voted for them, and 14 had no feelings.

Further Break-down
A further break-down of the vote which showed the results according to classes showed that of the 167 seniors voting, 102 were for fraternities, 48 against, and 17 had no feelings on them.
Ninety-one seniors said they would join a fraternity if asked, and 54 See POLL, page 4

Jitterbug Contest

The Record and Dance Committee of the College Union is sponsoring a jitterbug-bop contest Wednesday, November 7, in Wright Auditorium. Cash awards of ten dollars, seventy-five, and five dollars will be given to the winners. The judges who will be faculty members and others not connected with the student body will judge the participants on the basis of rhythm, ability to keep time with the music, how well the basic steps work with music, and variations of basic steps used.

The dance will be held from 8:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., and entrants should have their name, the name of their partner, and their first, second, and third choice of records by which they wish to dance in Miss Mendenhall's office by twelve o'clock, November 3.

The Record and Dance Committee is headed by Greenville Banks.



It was pretty busy around the polls Monday, during the opinion poll concerning national social fraternities, although only one-third of East Carolina's students voted.

In Mock Election

Students Favor Stevenson Over Ike By 2-1 Margin

In the presidential poll conducted here this week by the East Carolinian, Adlai Stevenson and Estes Kefauver received approximately 68% of the votes cast or a margin of two to one over the Republican candidate, Eisenhower and Nixon.

With around one-third of the students voting, the final tabulations, excluding the faculty votes, showed the Democrats with a vote of 738 to the 346 cast for the Republicans.

Breakdown of Votes
A breakdown of the votes on campus showed that Stevenson received his largest majority from the senior and sophomore classes where he received two and a half votes for every one cast for Eisenhower. Not far behind, however, was the junior class who gave Stevenson a margin of two and a quarter votes to every one given to Ike.

Incidentally, Stevenson received his largest vote percentage from the upperclassmen, many of whom will be eligible to vote in the presidential

election next week.
The smallest majority the Democrats received in the poll came from the Freshman Class where they received only one and three-fourths votes for each one cast for Ike.

The class participating most extensively in the poll were the juniors with 45% of that class voting. Close behind, however, were the sophomores with 44% voting. The seniors and freshmen had the lowest percentage of voters with 33% and 29%, respectively.

Hall Comments
Bobby Hall, President of the Young Democrats Club on campus, feels that the trend of college voting in North Carolina indicates that Eisenhower can expect a much lesser vote in this state this year than he received in 1952.

According to Hall, the difference between the election this year and the one in 1952 is "that in 1952 the people went to the polls shouting 'we want a change' but this year they are shouting 'short changed'."

Annual Yearbook Includes Top College Seniors

Thirty-four seniors have been chosen to represent East Carolina in the 1956-57 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." The annual publication lists student leaders from approximately six hundred educational institutions throughout the nation.

Nominees are selected by a student-faculty committee and final choices are made by officials at the organization's national headquarters in Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Determining factors for the choice of representatives include excellence in scholarship, leadership, participation in extra-curricular and academic activities, citizenship and service to the school, and promise of future usefulness to business and society.

Probably the youngest of the nationwide honor organizations, "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" was established sixteen years ago. All students chosen from East Carolina will be pictured in the feature section of the college yearbook.

Representatives

East Carolina's contribution to this year's publication include Betty Joan Ashley, Greenville Banks, Jr., Lloyd Bray, Jr., Decoma Jane Byrd, Samuel David Carson, Lemuel Howard Cox, June Frances Crews, Neel Dupree, William Mack Edmondson, Jr., Marion Murray Evans, Patricia Ann Everton, Jimmy M. Ferrell;

Freda Jean, Fisher, Louise Fitzgerald, Robert S. Forrest, Eugene Hayman, Billy Charles Helms, Martha Ann Johnson, Rachel A. Lang, Bobby Mann, Annie Lee Mayo, Frances Jane Midyette, Frank Leslie Moore;

Jay B. Nichols, Ann Davis Peel, June Allen Quinn, Elizabeth Ann Randolph, Edith Peatross Rogers, Horace Leslie Rose, Jr., Thomas Eugene Ruffin, Dock Garner Smith, Kenneth J. Smith, Jr., Wiley Beverly Teal, and Barbara Caroline Tucker.

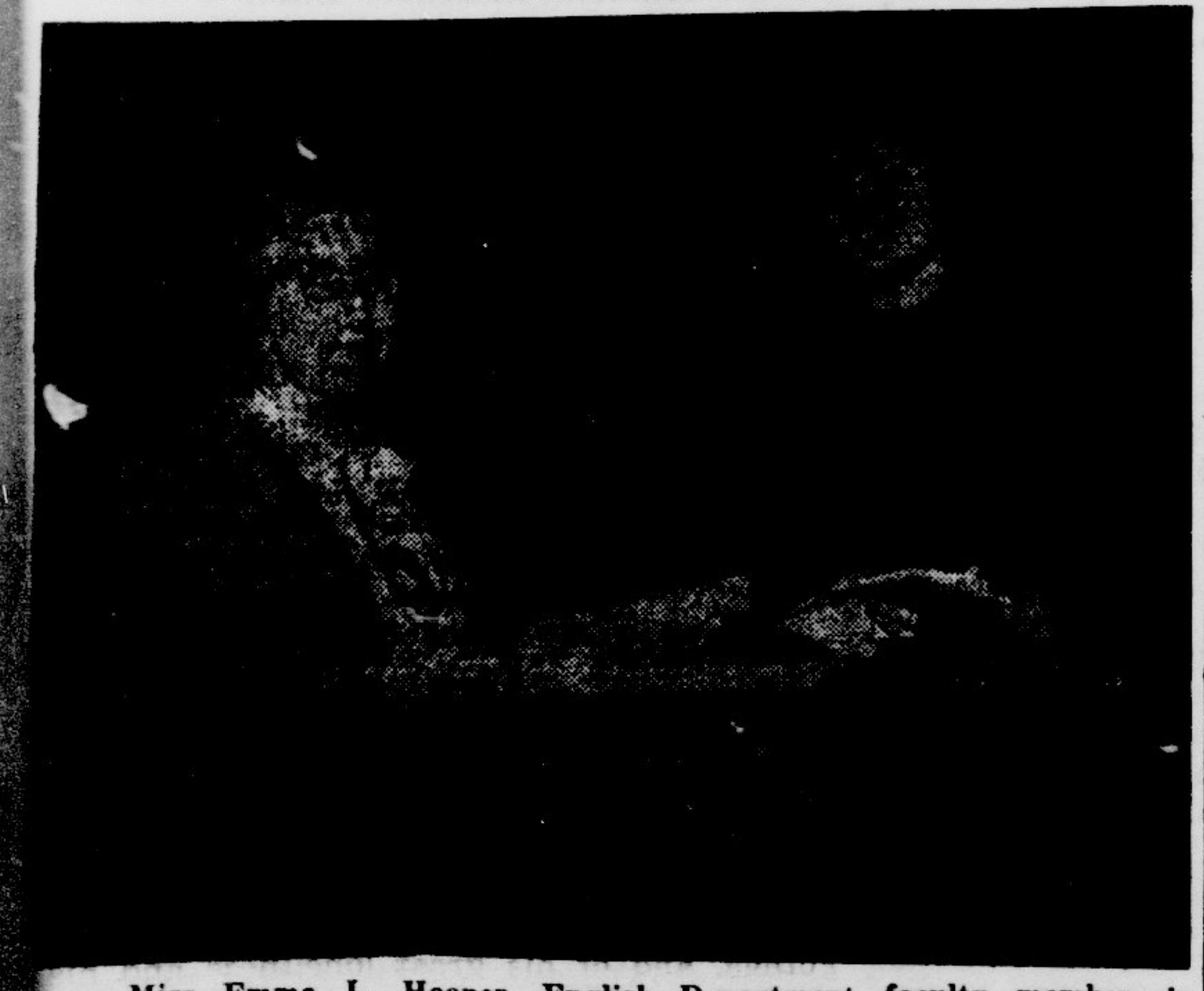
Ashley
Betty Joan Ashley is a grammar grade education major from Whiteville. She has been active with the Methodist student organizations and is presently serving as chairman of the vesper commission at the Methodist Student Center.

Banks
Greenville Banks of Maple is majoring in business education. He is president of Pi Omega Pi, treasurer of the North Carolina FBIA, and See WHO'S WHO, page 4

Publicize "State Of The Union" Production



The animals and students pictured above created quite a bit of noise around campus on several occasions this week, publicizing the playhouse production of "State Of The Union" which will play again tonight and tomorrow night in McGinnis Auditorium.



Miss Emma L. Hooper, English Department faculty member, is shown after receiving a life membership in the National Education Association.

ECC Cagers Preparing For Coming Campaign

Veterans, Host Of Newcomers Give Team Depth

Coach Howard Porter, East Carolina basketball mentor, who has had his 1956-57 hoop candidates in drills off and on since the first of October, is eyeing the coming season with little anxiety.

There's a very good reason. With a crew of green youngsters and one senior, the Pirates whipped through the tough North State Conference last year, ending up in the top three, rolling up a home court winning streak of 46 games and gave a good account of themselves in NAIA National tourney in this section.

Though they won neither the NAIA nor the loop title, they finished the season rated one of the top teams in this area. They made observers everywhere eat their words, for ECC had been ranked near the bottom of the league in pre-season polls.

Better Than Before
The primary reason why the Fox is showing no lost sleep over the coming prospects for 1956-57, is the fact that the same four starting cagers that manned last year's spittle aggregation, will be back again this season—with plenty of experience beneath their belts. Only senior J. C. Thomas will be missing from the starting quintet.

Coach Porter has told reporters recently that the team is in "better shape than we were at this time last year. Our boys have had much more experience, they know the system and no one is hurt." Last year, three of the key Buc first stringers were out much of the time with injuries.

Back in the fold for another try at the North State crown will be Don Harris, a dead-eye shooter from Laurinburg, who led the team with an average that exceeded 21 points per ball game. Harris is expected to lead the scoring assault in his final season.

With him, will be three excellent Juniors, Guy Mendenhall, Nick Nichols and Freddy James, all veterans of last year's starting varsity outfit. Mendenhall, a 6-5 center will combine with Nichols, a 6-4 forward, to give the Bucs both a one-two scoring punch and a rebounding duo. James, 6-1, is a flashy guard who commanded the team from the floor last season and is expected to repeat.

Many Newcomers
All four of the above named averaged in the double scoring columns last winter.

Among the string of new comers in the Pirate camp will be Charlie Adams, a fine shot from Cary; Ike Riddick, of Greenville; Roy Dennis, of Newport; Eddie O'Brien, of Pittsburg; Charles Hoffman, of Virginia; Eddie Lauter, Raeford Walker, Ace Warren, Wallace Lewis and Durwood Hoffman.

Famous for his rapid-fire style of basketball, Coach Porter stated that he intends to continue to use the fast-break run-shoot style.

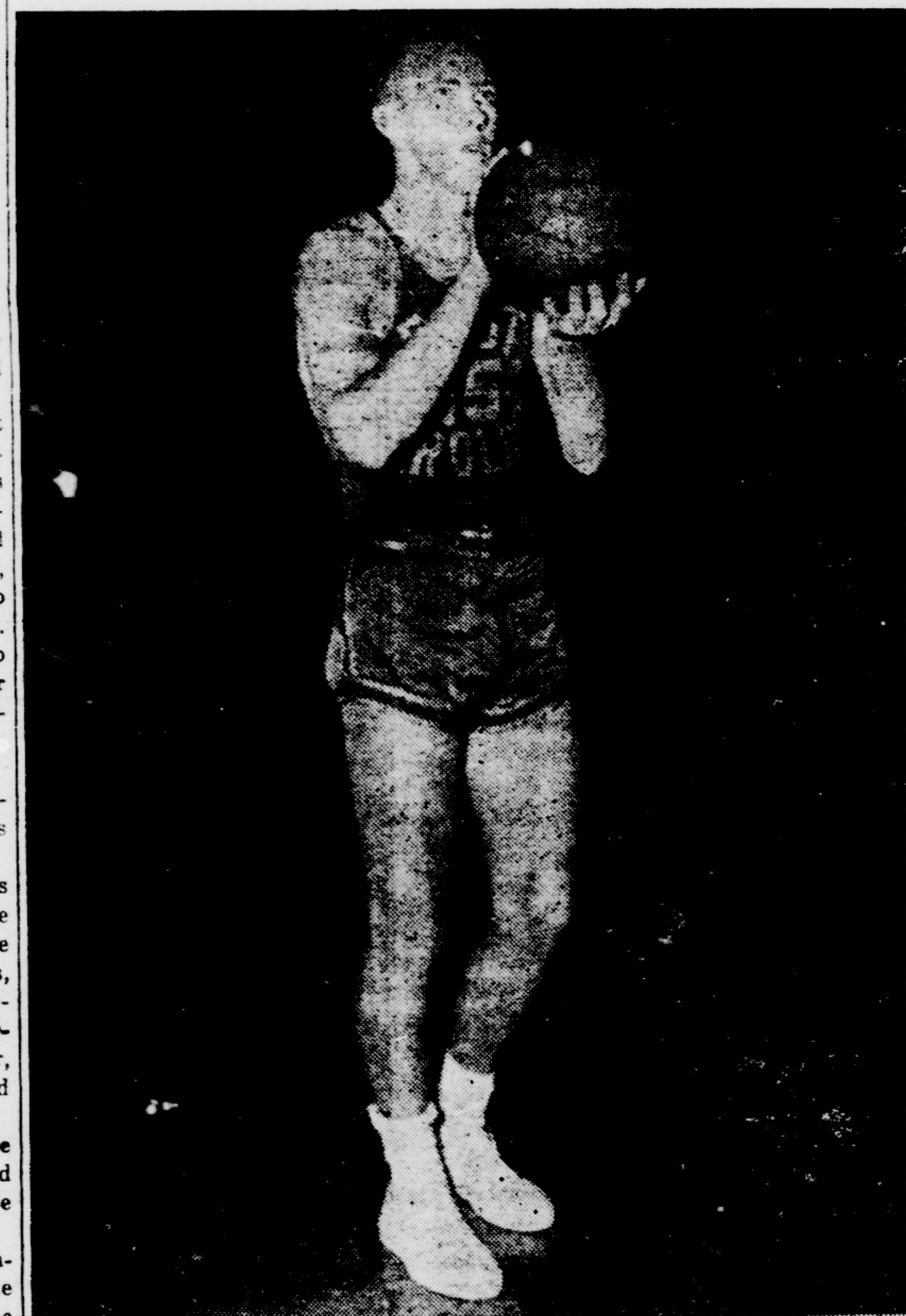
Under that system of play, Mendenhall, Nichols and Harris are the big firing guns in and around the basket, while James and the other guard (unnamed as yet) will handle the deep duties.

Regarding the schedule, Porter stated that "we'll play at least 25 regular season games against some of the best teams in the Southeastern area. There may be more including the various tournaments. That hasn't been settled yet."

East Carolina's basketball team has not lost a ball game in the Memorial gymnasium since the dedication contest with Carolina, five years ago. The victory string is now 46 games long.



AT CENTER—Big Guy Mendenhall, a 6-5 import from Cary, N. C., will be working at center for East Carolina's hoopsters this year, for the third straight season. The lanky junior was one of the top point-makers and rebounders on the team in 1955-56.



AT FORWARD—Nick Nichols, another member of the 1955-56 Pirate quintet that preserved a 46-game home court winning streak, will be back as a starting forward in the ECC hoop outfit this season. He averaged in the double scoring figures last year and was a strong backboard man. He's 6-4.

Bucs At Lenoir Rhyme Saturday For Loop Game

This week, East Carolina journeys to Lenoir Rhyme for the toughest game of the season against the unbeaten, untied Bears.

Defending champions of the North State, the Bears have breezed through seven games this season, winning all of them by very, very impressive margins. In the league, they clobbered Western Carolina, Catawba, Guilford, Appalachian and Elon.

Last week, they thrashed another small-college power Emory and Henry 25-6. It was Emory and Henry's first defeat of the year and the Bears didn't even work up a sweat, according to reports.

30-Point Underdogs
Sympathetic observers have rated East Carolina only 30 points below the raging Bears in the coming weekend tiff. With quarterback Gary Mattocks, halfbacks Bobby Perry and James Speight and fullback Bobby Gay in good shape, along with most of the linemen, the Bucs are expected to put up a forceful fight—however, one that will not strain the horses of Lenoir Rhyme.

With a 2-2 record in conference play, the Pirates no longer figure in the title outcome. Whether the game should go win, lose, draw or postponed, Lenoir Rhyme will still be tops in the loop and the Pirates in a shaky top three. A Pirate victory, however, would be one of the upsets of the year.

Martinez' Swimmers Bolstered By Addition Of Talented Frosh

(Editor's note: This is the second in a series of four articles dealing with this year's swimming team.)

The swimming charges of Coach Ray Martinez have been bolstered this season by the addition of a group of outstanding prospects for the coming season. This year's team shall be a mixture of ever-improving veterans and newcomers who shall carry the hopes of Pirate supporters for swimming prominence against some of the finest teams in the area.

Newcomers to the squad this year are Mike Williamson, Glen Dyer, Dave Thompson, Sidney Oliver, and Herb Consolvo. Sidney Oliver hails from Greensboro which possesses the strongest swimming team among southern high schools. It will be up to this newcomer to fill the spot left by the loss of Frank Moore in the Butterfly and the Breaststroke events. Glen Dyer is another Greensboro boy who excels in the diving event. His presence on the team along with veteran Ken Midgette gives East Carolina a strong representation in this event. Dave Thompson, a Durham boy, appears like a good prospect as a running mate for fleet Jimmy Meads in the 50 yard freestyle. Portsmouth, Virginia will be represented in personage of Consolvo, a good all-around swimmer now working on the 200 yard backstroke. The final member in this new group of mermen is Mike Williamson, a freshman from Rhode Island. Williamson appears to be the "surprise package" of this year's

team. A strong swimmer, he will team with Harold McKee in the 220 and 440 yard freestyles.

Because of rule changes that now make the dolphin kick (up and down simultaneous movements of the legs) legal, a veteran of last year's aggregation, Ted "Anchor" Gartman, has been training for this new event. Much of the team's success against their tough competition this year depends on how fast and how well this junior athlete develops.

Dickie Denton, a senior member of the team, will "shoulder" a big responsibility—he will anchor the opening medley relay, plus swimming the 100 yard freestyle and a leg of the final freestyle relay. It's a job which requires stamina and ability, one that will influence the Pirate's

showing greatly.

The other senior on the squad, Joe Wallace, is a veteran backstroke. Wallace will take the place of Ronnie Rose and will give the Buc mermen a good duo in the 200 yard backstroke along with standout Bob Sawyer.

In a matter of a few weeks, the swimming season will begin for the mermen. The mermen have been through rigid practice sessions under the watchful eye of Martinez. Team manager, A. B. Benfield, remarked that the team as a whole is in splendid condition this early in the season.

(Next week's article will inform Pirate followers of the caliber of opponents the mermen will face in Memorial Pool this season.)

Apps Drop Pirates 22-19

Three touchdowns, a safety and a well-played first half netted the Appalachian Mountaineers a 22-19 victory over East Carolina last week at Boone, and dropped the Bucs to a 2-2 record.

The loss left Coach Jack Boone's gridders no chance to figure in the title race.

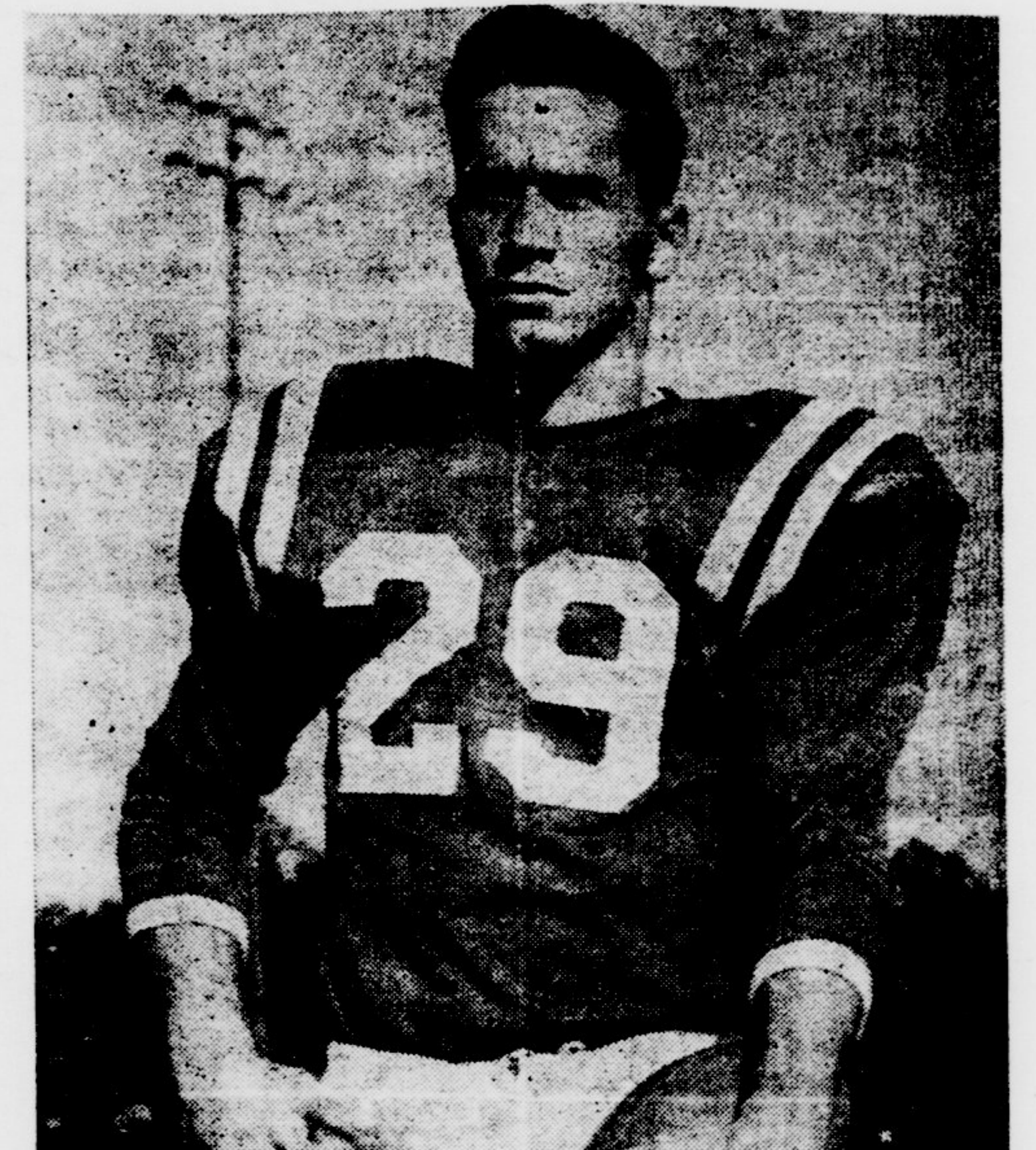
After racking up two touchdowns and a safety in the first half of play, while holding the Pirates to nothing, the Mountaineers added one more score to the pot in the opening

minutes of the second half to clinch the game.

East Carolina came back in the second half, roared away for three TD's and held the hosts to a single first down during the whole last half, but were unable to push across the final winning score.

Outstanding for the Bucs on offense were Bobby Perry, Tommy Nash, Gary Mattocks and Bobby Lilley. Aigy Faircloth, Bucky Dennis and Tommy Waggoner led the defensive play.

Running At Halfback



AGAINST THE BEARS—James Speight, tiny 170 pound sophomore half-back for Coach Jack Boone's gridders, will be running at a starting berth Saturday night when ECC tangles with mighty Lenoir Rhyme at Hickory. Speight is a shifty, breakaway runner, hailing from Greenville.

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Coeds Spend Spare Time Training Horses

By MARTHA WILSON

In addition to the "Who's Whoer's," football stars, beauty queens, and big wheels of any normal campus, ECC boasts a new quirk—two accomplished equestriennes.

Keith Wilder and Ruby Handley made acquaintance as competitors in the annual Tidewater Circuit of horse shows while still in high school. Both are amateur riders, showing horses for the love and thrill of the sport.

Keith was introduced to the art of horse riding at the age of seven, when she attended Camp Glenrochia in Abingdon, Virginia, during the summer months. Upon her return home her father bought Keith her first horse, Red. "He was just a plain old cowboy horse from Kansas," she observed, "branded and all."

The local horse shows in Virginia Beach began to draw the Wilder family's attention, with eight-year-old Keith entering Red in the pleasure classes. Her success in these shows prompted the buying of a three-gaited show horse, a mare named Velda Dare. Keith was embarking on a hobby which now carries her into arenas of Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, and Maryland.

Keith's horses are stabled at the Greystone Stables in Durham, North Carolina, under the supervision of trainer Jimmy Norris, also a professional rider. Here the horses are rested, bred, conditioned, and trained for the season, which runs from early spring through October.

Experiences
Keith cites her funniest experience to have happened about five years ago in Williamsport, Pa., where she was driving in a two-year-old fine harness class. Suddenly her horse started moving on away from the cart, leaving Keith just sitting, very embarrassed.

Her most unfortunate experience happened several years ago when she was hit in the face with the back of her horse's head and had to undergo plastic surgery on her nose. "My happiest moment," Keith ex-



Keith Wilder and Ruby Handley . . . They like horses.

plained, "is when I win a blue ribbon or receive a place rating in a large class of 15 or 20 entries." All the trophies and ribbons she has won over the years are displayed in the Trophy Room of her home in Virginia Beach.

This past season Keith has shown in the three-gaited classes her Sophie Tucker and Belair Bourbon and in the five-gaited classes her Greystone Delight, Highland Kitty, and Straight Bourbon (with whom she won the stallion stake at the Harrisburg National Horse Show in Pennsylvania two years ago.)

Ruby comes from a family of veteran horsemen, all six children having ridden from an early age. "Daddy first held me up on a horse when I was just two," she commented. The Handley Stables, located just outside Goldsboro, train, show, and sell saddle horses, having about 25 at present. The training aspect is carried on almost entirely by Ruby and one of her sisters.

About six years ago Ruby started showing horses and has appeared in shows throughout North Carolina and Virginia. This past season she has ridden the almost constant winners

High Society, Little Duchess, Sensation's Thrifty Miss, and Hit Parade.

The several trophies and ribbons which Ruby has accumulated are kept in the Tack Room at the Handley Stables.

"Horse riding is an interest which has been built up over the years by my constant association with horses," Ruby alleged. "I prefer riding in the five-gaited class. Jumping interests me least, partly because I think it's dangerous and also because I had a bad experience with such."

Camptown Ladies
These Camptown Ladies look very impressive in their riding habit of coat, riding pants, white shirt, tie, white gloves, derby or silk top hat, boots, and riding crop. Their steeds are bedecked with bridle, saddle, and boots.

The trophies, ribbons, money awards, or flower wreaths which they receive more than offset their occasional falls, bruises, or fractured fingers.

Keith is a freshman majoring in business, while Ruby is a junior double majoring in science and physical education.

At S. G. A.

Amendment To Elect Editor Fails To Receive Majority

The Student Government Association last week defeated a proposed amendment introduced by Jimmy Phelps, asking that the newspaper editor be elected by popular vote, and passed a motion stating that the honor of becoming Homecoming Queen be reserved for upperclassmen.

After a week's previous notice, Phelps made a motion to amend Article 17, Section 4B and article 6, Section 7B of the Student Government Constitution. The amendment would have left the election of the editor of the East Carolinian to the student body. The candidates for election would, Phelps proposed, submit their names to the Publications Board for approval before being placed on the ballot.

President Smith appointed Wiley Teal and Tommy Davis to investigate the cost of installing a stop light at the Beckwith Gate entrance on Fifth Street.

WHO'S WHO

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is a member of Kappa Delta Pi.

Bray
A native of Greenville, Lloyd Bray, Jr., is majoring in English. His activities have included membership in the East Carolina Playhouse, Wesley Players, and is president of the men's day students.

Byrd
Decoma Byrd, a primary education major from Garner, has worked with the College Union Student Board since it was organized here, and is presently serving as president.

Carson
Dave Carson is presently serving as president of the senior class. Other activities include membership in the Circle K Club and Alpha Phi Omega. A business education major, he is from Williamston.

Cox
Lem Cox, a physical education major from Four Oaks, has been director of the student intramural activities for the past two years. He served as president of Slay Hall during his junior year and has worked with the Wesley Foundation and the YMCA.

Crews
A voice major from Creedmoor, June Crews has been active in campus musical productions, including "Blossom Time," "Brigadoon," and "Oklahoma." She sang last year in the "Messiah" and an opera workshop. She has been a member of Sigma Alpha Iota for three years.

Dupree
Neel Dupree is a home economics major from Greenville. She served as chief marshal during her junior year and is now serving as president of the YWCA.

Edmondson
An accounting major from Kinston, Mack Edmondson has been active in Phi Sigma Pi, Pi Omega Pi, and Sigma Pi Alpha fraternities. He served as vice president of both his sophomore and junior classes.

Evans
Marion Evans, an English major from New Bern, has participated actively in the East Carolina Playhouse.

Everton
Pat Everton is a primary education major from Columbia. She is serving this year as historian of the SGA and president of the Amer-

Art Club President Designs Modern Pin For Playhouse Group

Nora Willis, president of the Art Club and photographer for The East Carolinian, recently designed a pin for the East Carolina Playhouse. Her design, one of several entered in competition through the advanced art class, was chosen by Playhouse members. A prize of \$5.00 was awarded the senior art major from John K. Kerr Dam, Virginia.

The pin is in the shape of a mask. At the top is a large printed "e" resembling a string and in the center a written "c" and "p" representing eyes and a nose. The pin will be gold and outlined in black.

"Since the club wanted a different and up-to-date pin I combined the traditional mask and the simplicity of modern design," stated Nora. The design was made to suit other purposes such as a letterhead for stationery or a banner emblem.

Designs Playhouse Pin



Art Club President Nora Willis displays a drawing of the pin which she designed and which is now the official insignia of the East Carolina Playhouse. (Ferrell photo.)

Plymouth. She is president of Sigma Pi Alpha and a member of Kappa Delta Pi.

Midyette
Jane Midyette is a primary education major from Fairfield. She has been active in religious activities, serving as president of the Wesley Foundation and secretary of the YWCA.

Moore
A grammar grade major from Farmville, Frank Moore is a past president of the YMCA, and is active in Circle K work.

Nichols
Jay B. Nichols, a business education major from Greenville, was chairman of this year's homecoming activities. He is president of Circle K and a member of APO.

Peel
Ann Davis Peel is a primary education major from Williamston. She is president of West Garrett Hall and a member of Kappa Delta Pi.

Quinn
June Quinn is a grammar grade education major from Williamston. She has been active in FTA work and a marshal.

Randolph
Ann Randolph is a grammar grade education major from Burlington. She has served as a marshal and is a member of Tau Sigma fraternity.

Rogers
An English major from Raleigh, Edith Rogers has been active in campus religious activities. She has been a member of the Canterbury Club

of the Episcopal Church, YWCA, and Inter-Religious Council.

Rose
Horace Rose is a science major from Richmond, Va. He has been active in fraternity work, serving this year as president of Phi Sigma Pi and vice president of Chi Beta Phi.

Ruffin
Thomas Ruffin is a business education major from Aoshkie. He is a member of Pi Omega Pi and was a representative last year at the national FBLA convention in Washington, D. C. where he placed fifth in the "Mr. Future Business Executive of 1956" competition, a national contest.

Smith
Dock Garner Smith of Princeton is president of the Student Government Association. His past activities include president of summer school SGA, junior class president, and president of Sigma Phi Alpha.

Smith
Kenneth J. Smith, Jr., is a science major from Raleigh. He is president of Chi Beta Phi and a member of Phi Sigma Pi and Kappa Delta Pi.

Teal
A business education major from Wadesboro, Wiley B. Teal is chairman of the Elections Committee. He is a member of Delta Sigma Pi and Alpha Phi Omega.

Tucker
Barbara Tucker is an elementary education major from Magnolia. She is serving this year as president of the Future Teachers of America.

Organizational Activities

Art Club Plans Active Year Of Promoting Art On Campus

Art Club
Since its organization last spring, the Art Club has been busy promoting interest in art throughout the campus. Just recently several members reviewed the State Fair Art Exhibit in Raleigh.

Led by President Nora Willis, Vice President Anne Hughes, Secretary Sydna Cash, and Treasurer Lettie DeLoatch, the club's main purpose is to afford a closer association between art majors and minors. Last spring the club sponsored a trip to Washington, D. C. This year they hope to make a similar trip and one to Raleigh to the State Art Gallery.

The club plans art exhibits for students and faculty and the showing of art films on the campus. They are interested in having slides shown and lecturers at their meetings. At the next meeting Mr. John R. Gordon of the Art Department will begin the first of three lectures on contemporary art.

Dr. Wellington B. Gray is the chairman sponsor for the club. His co-sponsors are Mr. Gordon and Mr. William Persick.

Library Club
The October 23rd meeting of the Library Club was called to order by the new president, Billie Evans. Other officers elected were Vice President, Nancy Spain; Secretary-Treasurer, Mary Neale; Reporter, Gwen McClamroch; and Advisors, Mrs. Crenshaw and Dr. Southwick. Several projects were discussed and it was decided to make a master schedule of all club meetings on campus, to catalog audio visual material, a campaign for new members, write up of campus movies, and to observe book week by having an open house with the well known author, Dr. Pierce speaking. The meeting was adjourned by the president until a further date.

Westminster Fellowship
On Tuesday, October 30, the Westminster Fellowship and the First Presbyterian Church of Greenville were hosts to a large number of

elders and deacons of the Albemarle Presbytery. The purpose of this meeting was to promote and substantiate interest in the building of a Presbyterian student center here at E. C. C. It was held in the college cafeteria with a dinner and speaker. The speaker was Dr. Lawrence Stell, a noted minister of Charlotte, and who is well-known throughout the state for his versatility.

Recently the Westminster Fellowship held its annual Fall Retreat on Bogue Sound near Morehead City, N. C. Sixteen students attended. The theme of the Retreat was, "Christian Witness on E. C. C. Campus."

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intimately associated with young people who have a purpose, an ideal—the ideal of serving as teachers. Whatever achievement may be attributed to me could not have been mine if there had not been the work, cooperation, and enthusiasm of the hundreds of prospective teachers—our FTA officers and members—who have carried on the activities of our chapter and have greatly contributed to the state and national FTA. To these many Future Teachers friends and co-workers I am humbly grateful," said Miss Hooper.

The chapter, named in honor of East Carolina's first president, Dr. Robert H. Wright, is now the oldest active chapter in this state and the seventh oldest in the United States. In 1953-54 it won the Banner Chapter Award of the national FTA, an annual citation to the outstanding chapter in the country. It has received other recognition for its commendable program for prospective teachers.

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said that they would not. Twenty indicated no choice on this part of the ballot.

Junior
In the Junior Class 193 of the 274 voted for fraternities. Sixty-three were against such organizations and 16 had no feeling toward them. When asked if they would join a fraternity if asked, 163 Juniors said yes, 69 said no, and 39 indicated no choice.

Sophomore
Of the 347 sophomores voting, 266 were in favor of fraternities, 56 were against, and 18 had no feelings. In response of whether or not they would join a fraternity, 232 indicated that they would, 55 said no and 48 were undecided.

Freshmen
In the Freshmen Class 268 of the 333 voting were in favor of social fraternities, 56 were against, and 18 had no feelings. Forty-eight were undecided as to whether they would join one if asked, but 232 said that they would, with only 55 saying no.

Total Vote
The total vote showed that four votes to every one that were cast were in favor of social fraternities. Besides this, 721 students indicated that they would join a social fraternity if asked, while only 213 said no.

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