

Homecoming 1968

Homecoming 1968 is slated to become one of the greatest events to hit the East Carolina University campus, the popular entertainment committee, the university union, and the athletic department combine forces to provide a wealth of Homecoming entertainment. Kicking off the full Homecoming schedule will be a pep rally Thursday night in Picklen Stadium, as the cheerleaders, football team, and interested students generate

winning spirit for the football game with Tampa. Following the pep rally, there will be a street dance in the parking lot of Minges Coliseum, featuring the music of the Shadows and the Psychotrons in a special program emceed by Dynamic Dave. Friday morning and afternoon will furnish a brief spell for classes, but the slate of Homecoming events gets back in full swing Friday evening with the Platters in concert in Minges.

After a short sleeping period Friday night, the Homecoming rush will reopen, as the parade winds through Greenville Saturday morning at 10:00 a.m. Pretty girls, dignitaries, and music join with football excitement to form the order of the day Saturday afternoon at 1:45 in Picklen Stadium, as the festivities continue with the pre-game show, the football game with Tampa, and the coronation of the 1968 Homecoming Queen.

After the conclusion of the football game, alumni and students will rush over the university union for an open house featuring the Allan Moore Trio at 4 p.m., followed by the Paul Anka Show in Minges at 8:15 p.m. And then, as if the day were not full enough, there will be a dance in Wright Auditorium with music by the Road Runners, starting at 10 p.m. Finally, for those who are not still sleeping Sunday night, the ECU Orchestra Concert will provide soothing sounds to appropriately end the Homecoming Weekend, as the music begins at 8 p.m.

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Platters Have 'Magic Touch' After Many Glorious Years

"The Paul Anka Show was tremendous there was such a great reaction to Anka that he took no intermission one of the most professional shows ever at State," standing room only. Anka even took no intermission students ended on feet, screaming for more.

"Most professional show ever at East Tennessee State University." Anka went out of his way to make his concert one of the greatest to ever hit this campus. Such are the reactions to the Paul Anka Show, coming from

North Carolina State, Campbell College, East Tennessee State University and Lees-McRae College, respectively.

This kind of reaction has been common for the new Paul Anka Show which highlights Homecoming Weekend at East Carolina Saturday night in Minges Coliseum.

Anka has been touring American colleges and universities this fall, and all reports indicate he is rapidly regaining the popularity that was once his. Representative of the schools he has performed for are Georgia Tech, Chowan College,

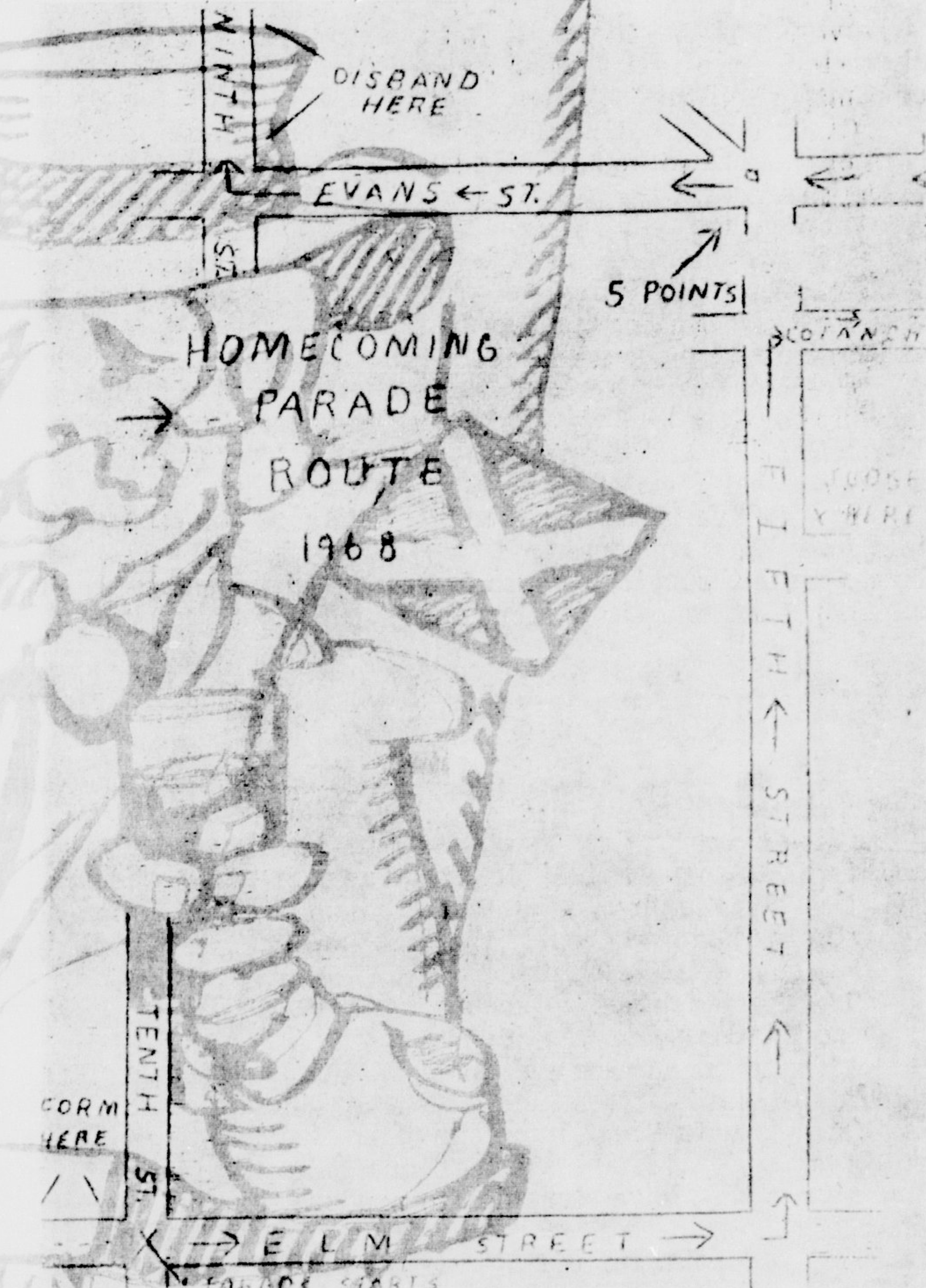
East Tennessee State, Catawba, Campbell, Clemson, Western Carolina, Florida State, Louisiana State, University of Georgia, and Atlanta Christian.

The show begins Saturday night at 8:15 p.m. in Minges. Tickets are available at the Central Ticket office until Friday afternoon. There is a 50c service charge on tickets for the performance. Tickets for the general public will be \$3.00.

Anka first achieved national prominence in 1950, when his recording of "Diana" swept into the top selling position on the record charts. Since that time he has won 15 gold records, each of which represents a record that sold one million or more.

Anka slipped from national renown in the past couple of years, not because of any decrease in ability, but because his composing duties for movies scores and night club performances have prevented his earlier volume of recording.

The Paul Anka Show includes a 17 piece orchestra, which Assistant Dean of Student Affairs Rudolph Alexander calls the best he has ever seen for a pops concert. According to Alexander, the 17 musicians who will accompany Anka are all studio-quality performers, as opposed to the usual road musicians.



PARADE ROUTE—Saturday morning's Homecoming Parade, which will feature bands, floats, and lots of lovely girls, will begin at the corner of Elm and Tenth Streets, proceed down Elm Street to Fifth Street, where it turns left and moves on to a right turn when it reaches Cotanche. After going one block down Cotanche, the parade will cross over to proceed down Evans through Five Points and on down to the corner of Ninth and Evans, where it will disband.



HOMECOMING PERFORMERS—The Platters, who have thrilled millions of audiences over their long career in the popular music business, open the first half of the concert phase of Homecoming Weekend Friday night, as they entertain in Minges Coliseum at 8:15. Tickets are available at the Central Ticket Office.

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Anka Brings Best Pops Sound To Campus For Homecoming '68

EC Students Also Elect Nixon

By JAMES HORN

Richard Nixon and Jim Gardner were the winners by a wide margin in the mock presidential election held last Tuesday in the lobby of the College Union.

Nixon pulled 779 votes (58 per cent of the votes cast) and Gardner received 557 votes (42 percent). Robert Humphrey came in second in the presidential race with

383 votes (26 per cent), and Wallace took in 200 votes (14 per cent). Bob Scott, runner-up in the gubernatorial race garnered 607 votes (44 per cent).

Write-in candidates for president included McCarthy (9 votes), Pat Paulsen (8 votes), Eldridge Cleaver (3 votes), and Ted Kennedy (1 vote). Hawkins and Kid Brewer were write-ins for the gubernatorial race.

When signed to Mercury Records in 1954, The Platters were by no means instant hits. They had moderate success until the year of 1956 when they "broke wide open." In 1956, one of their first million selling records, "The Great Pretender," led for the number one spot in America's top surveys with Presley's "Don't Be Cruel." Since that year, the Platters have remained at the top. Their early hits such as "Twilight Time," "Only You," and "The Great Pretender" have been matched equally as number one hits by their latest hits such as "Washed Ashore" and "I Love You 1000 Times."

Today, the Platters consist of the following expert singing showmen: Herbert Reed — "Mr. Platter," an original member; Sonny Turner — Lead tenor, a member since 1960; Sandra Dawn — "Dish of the Platters"; John Rodgers — Baritone; and Ron Austin — 2nd tenor.

How many of the popular record-

ing groups that are on the scene today will, in thirteen years from now, be remembered, recognized and heavily performed? Perhaps one or two. Thirteen years ago, the Platters were on their way to a successful recording career. Not beyond the widest stretch of the imagination was their prominence anticipated of such magnitude that has befallen them in the years to come. "The clamour for the service of the Platters was universal and still is . . . and will be for many more years."

Tickets are available for the November 8 concert now in the Central Ticket Office. Tickets for the public are \$3 each. Student, faculty and staff tickets are 50c each.

High Spirits For Homecoming

Homecoming is traditionally a time when alumni return to their alma mater for a festive weekend of sport, pretty girls, and entertainment.

This weekend will be such a weekend. Alumni of this university will return this weekend to see the Pirates take on Tampa in football action, and will tie in concerts and a fine parade as sidelights.

The weekend for them will be a time for reuniting with old classmates and acquaintances; reminiscing about past happenings, both significant and trivial; and of developing added pride in the progress of their university.

All these things will prevail on this campus this weekend. But perhaps the most lasting, and the most significant will be the sense of pride developed in the accomplishments of this school since the time of their matriculation here.

Some of the alumni will be able to compare a small, teacher oriented college to the sprawling metropolis that is East Carolina University today. Others, who have fewer gray hairs on their temples and fewer lines in their faces, will be able to point to the addition of university status to the college of just a few years ago. Even those who graduated just last year will be able to point to the expansion of the facilities of the physical plant in the past five months.

There have been great changes in the scope of this institution in the past years — yet there are things that have not changed at East Carolina — things that will never change as long as this school remains in operation. The sense of duty to the people of North Carolina that existed when the doors were opened more than fifty years ago is still evident. The desire to serve the nation, the state, and the student has always been characteristic of East Carolina, whether a teacher's college or a major university.

Other things still remain also. The friendliness and concern of the student body for the future of the world are just as evident today as they were when the student body numbered less than a thousand. The love of America and concern for her welfare in a changing world are just as strong today as they were on the eve of the major wars of past decades. Even today, East Carolina men are supporting the flag of our nation in the struggle to protect our society.

One more thing remains today that has existed throughout all the years that this institution has served the people of North Carolina and the nation — a love for East Carolina and a belief in her form of service.

It is in this spirit of a common bond that the students of this university welcome to this Homecoming all those who have passed through its doors in years past, and express sincere hopes for an enjoyable weekend.

Southern Tradition Prevails

"Life on the Old Mississippi" has been chosen for the theme of Homecoming, 1968.

It is an appropriate theme for a university where Southern tradition so gracefully blends with progress in academics, athletics, and the physical plant. East Carolina University, despite the scoffing of some, is the epitome of the best blending of Old South spirit with modern growth.

The theme is itself symbolic of the feeling of the student body at this Homecoming time.

Life on the Mississippi River in the period before and during the War Between the States was a curious combination of fun and work. This Homecoming Weekend is likewise the result of such a combination. Though the members of the committees that have struggled to produce this finished product greatly enjoyed their work, their greatest pleasure will come in full participation by every member of the student body.

Other aspects of this weekend's events tie in with the theme chosen by the committee. The young ladies competing for the crown of Homecoming Queen are as lovely as any who ever graced an Ante-Bellum ballroom, just as are the hosts of others who will attend the festivities on the arms of their favorite beau. The entertainment will be as lively as any that ever occurred on the huge plantation parties, and the sport will be as invigorating as any possible between two Southern schools.

Just as social events of that bygone era were looked forward to with the greatest of anticipation, Homecoming, 1968 has been long awaited by students of this university. The weekend promises to be one that fulfills the deepest of that anticipation.

Big Brother Gives Pledges Top Jobs For Frat House

Editor's Note: The following editorial is reprinted from the *Minnesota Daily News*, the student newspaper of the University of Minnesota.

By RICK MITZ

(Author's note: Resemblance to any fraternity, living or dead, is purely coincidental.)

"You, you," he said to the reflection in the mirror. "You, Little Melvie Plumb, you are an almost-member of The Most Desirable Fraternity on Campus — you are a pledge of Stigma Siegma Heil."

A sudden twang of Frat Spirit swept through his short, fat body. He looked down at his pants and remembered. Just a few hours ago they had made him lie on the bed and pretend.

But that was all in the past. He put his right hand up in the air, and, lungs pure and strong, his pea voice rang out the chapter song: "Oh, she's the Sweatheart of Stigma Siegma Heil this year."

As Melvie cleaned the House Oven that evening, he thought of poor Alma Joy sitting at home in Grove City, Minn., waiting for her Man Mel to return from the Big City. Poor Alm Joy, Melvie thought, who smelled of the cow and wore the jewelry of nature — a slender piece of alfalfa hanging from the spaces in her teeth. "Good-bye, Alma Joy," he said as he took off the Official George of the Jungle ring she had given him and shoved it in the stove. "You're just not up to the standards of Stigma Siegma Heil."

Saturday was Friendship Day at The House. "To show that you really want to be a member of Our Fraternity," the House President said as he sucked on his \$25 pipe. "you'll first have to prove how much you want us."

But how do I prove that? Melvie inquired.

"Pledge, get me a pack of cigarettes from the drug store. You've got two minutes."

"Yes, sir."

"Take out the trash, will you?"

"Hey, cinderella, stop cleaning the incinerator for a minute to go to McDonalds and get me two shakes."

"Yes, sir."

"Light my cigarette."

"Yes, sir."

"Empty the ash trays and make it snappy."

"Yes, sir."

"Tote that bar, lift that bale."

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir, Whatever you say, sir."

Of course, sir."

Exhausted, Melvin fell to the floor, his eyes soaring, his legs hurting. His Pledge Pin heaved along with his chest.

"Welcome to Brotherhood," the House President said.

"Yow, Brotherhood," Melvie thought. "I'm proud to be a Stigma Siegma Heil," he told the President

as he wiped a tear from his eye and straightened a follicle in his hair.

He couldn't help stopping by the dorm before House Cleanup the next day.

"Sydney, Sydney," he said to his best friend, Sydney Weisen, who, by the way, had been his best friend since sixth, no, fifth grade.

"Sydney, you just gotta be a member of Stigma Siegma Heil. It's The Frat."

He then went on to describe some of the Beauties of the Pledgehood to Sydney — "like the joy you get cleaning Their Toilets, shining Their Trophies, lighting Their Cigarettes."

Sydney was convinced. "When can I pledge?"

"I'll ask at The House tomorrow," Melvie said. Wow, was he excited that his Good Buddie Sydney Weisen was about to become — A Desirable.

"What do you do at The House, Melvin?"

"Geez, Syd, can't tell you. Top Secret, you know. I mean, that's what Brotherhood is all about, isn't it?"

Melvie slept well that night — dreaming of giving the Stigma Siegma Heil sign to Sydney.

"Sydney Weisen!" The Actives screamed in chorus. "Sydney Weisen?"

"Yeah," Melvie replied. "He's my pal. We've been friends since sixth, no, fifth, grade."

All eyes turned on — not Melvin — but Arnie Aryan, his Big Brother. Aryan nodded and spoke. "Come on, Mel. Let's go somewhere and talk, huh?"

In the quiet of the broom closet, Arnie brotherly put his arm on Melvie's bony shoulder. "Melv, kid, don't you know that Sydney's not — well — he's —"

"He's not what, sir?"

"He's, well, Melvin, he's — just not one of Us."

Astonished, Melvie smiled, and looked relieved. "Oh, that," he said. "I thought you didn't want him because he's Jewish."

"Oh," Arnie Aryan laughed. "You know according to recent changes in our constitution, we have no biases toward any ethnic, racial or minority groups. We just don't like his nose."

So little Melvin Plumb, after only 10 weeks of hard labor cleaning Their Toilets, shining Their Trophies, buying Their cigarettes, washing Their Dishes, and pretending on Their Bed, became a bonafide member of Stigma Siegma Heil and was allowed to move into The House.

He cried like a kid as they pinned The Permanent Pin on his chest — "Yowie," he thought, "thirty-seven pearls, five Genuine Diamonds, a gold-like structure weighing six and one-half pounds."

Brotherhood made his blood rush as he received The Iota Chapter Official Goose from all 132 Actives.

Brotherhood made his pits sweat as he received The Heil from all 132.

He moved into The House the next day, and a week later he grew into his new Gant Shirts. His room soon became properly adorned with vintage foldouts, his dresser top was adequately full of Smirnoff and Calvert bottles.

It was then that Pledge Alex Anglo knocked at his door.

"Mr. Plumb, I'm Pledge Alex Anglo. They tell me you're my Big Brother."

Melvin stood up and looked at Alex the way a proud father looks at his son. He placed an arm on Alex's shoulder and whispered in his ear.

"Now, Alex, I want you to lie on the bed and pretend . . ."

ECU Forum

Run The Major Course

To the Students:

Here is an amusing, time-consuming, fun-filled game that all of you will enjoy playing—if you haven't already played it. The game involves meeting many people (professors, administrators, and students); traveling many miles; and filling your free time with many mental and physical challenges. The game is called "Change of Major—Bureaucratic Diarrhea."

The rules seem fairly simple—upon first impression. But once play begins, they become much more involved. (This adds a touch of excitement to the otherwise boring game.) Here are the rules to this fascinating little game:

(1) First Quarter — Player pays a visit to his advisor (always a sad occasion; for the advisor knows the student's career will be wrecked by the new "second-rate" department).

(2) Second Quarter — See department head (atmosphere changes to one of "good riddance.")

(3) Third Quarter — Proceed to new department (usually a "why did you come here attitude?")

(4) Fourth Quarter — See your new advisor (welcome to the "utopia" of the new department!)

Object of the game is to receive your transcript; run the course through, with all the stiff competition (from the front and back); and the ultimate goal is to reach the new advisor on time (the goal line).

Points are not counted until the new advisor (the referee) and the student (the player) analyze the file and determine how many points (credits completed) will be given, and how many points will be disqualified.

You may consider yourself a winner if: (1) The process takes less than two weeks, (2) the player does not lose more than two nights sleep, and (3) no more than twenty percent of courses are disqualified.

(NOTE: This game is not recom-

mended for the tender-hearted or weak-minded student)
Don Benson

Sophs In SGA

Sopdomores:

Sophomores, do you wish to become part of your student government? Gary Gasperini, president of your class is making this possible. A committee is being formed to give you a voice.

The major purpose of the Planning Committee will be to present legislation to the S.G.A. legislature which comes directly from the sophomore class. The government today is organized for each legislator to act as a legislator of the entire student body; and not any individual class. As a member of the sophomore class, you have no direct means of obtaining legislation except through your dorm representative or day student representative.

If you live in a dormitory where the majority of students are juniors or seniors, and your representative is a junior or senior; then you have no true voice in your government. To improve this situation, the committee will be formed by sophomores from each dormitory housing sophomore's, and day students.

If there are any improvements or any legislation that you wish to see come about, these representatives will be available to get your ideas. They will then be carried back to the committee to be discussed, investigated, and then sent to the legislature for final approval. The committee will have twenty-one members meeting weekly. The Sophomore Planning Committee will improve your student government by getting new ideas, and expand your powers as a class.

All sophomores interested in taking part in their student government; file with the SGA Receptionist, third floor Wright Building; or contact Gary Gasperini, 314 Belk by Thursday, November 6.
Gary Gasperini

SDS Attempts To Alter Society

NEW YORK — Students for a Democratic Society, one of the most militant and effective New Left organizations ever to appear on American campuses, aims to "radicalize" not only college students but eventually U.S. servicemen, factory workers and people in the professions.

Leaders of SDS were instrumental in closing down Columbia University last May and local SDS chapters across the country have been the vanguard of the college protest movement. The organization has been blasted by FBI chief J. Edgar Hoover as being Communist led.

An article appearing in the current issue of Look magazine reports that SDS militants have found it easier to sign up high school students as new members than post- or non-college adults, mainly blue and white collar workers.

"While college students do not find it easy to convert time-clock punchers to their revolutionary doctrines, SDS is winning numerous converts in its high school campaign," the article said.

A major problem within the SDS itself is getting students to maintain their revolutionary zeal after graduation from college. The pressures of job, marriage and family often combine to sap a graduate's ardor for protest.

"Several organizations have been formed to channel the energies of the post-campus SDSer, but no one has satisfactorily resolved the hang-up of the Movement vs. the mortgage," the Look article said.



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History Of Student Union Shows Change, Improvement

By Mary Jane Phillips

During the administration of Dr. John D. Messick, the idea of a College Union was formulated. Up until the Christenbury Memorial Gymnasium was built in 1952, Wright building served as a multi-purpose building. The auditorium and gym were both located in Wright. The ground floor served as dressing rooms and showers for the physical education department. After the Physical Education Department moved to the Memorial gym, the

ground floor was renovated and the original union was located where the Students Supply Store is now. In the fall of 1954, the Union opened.

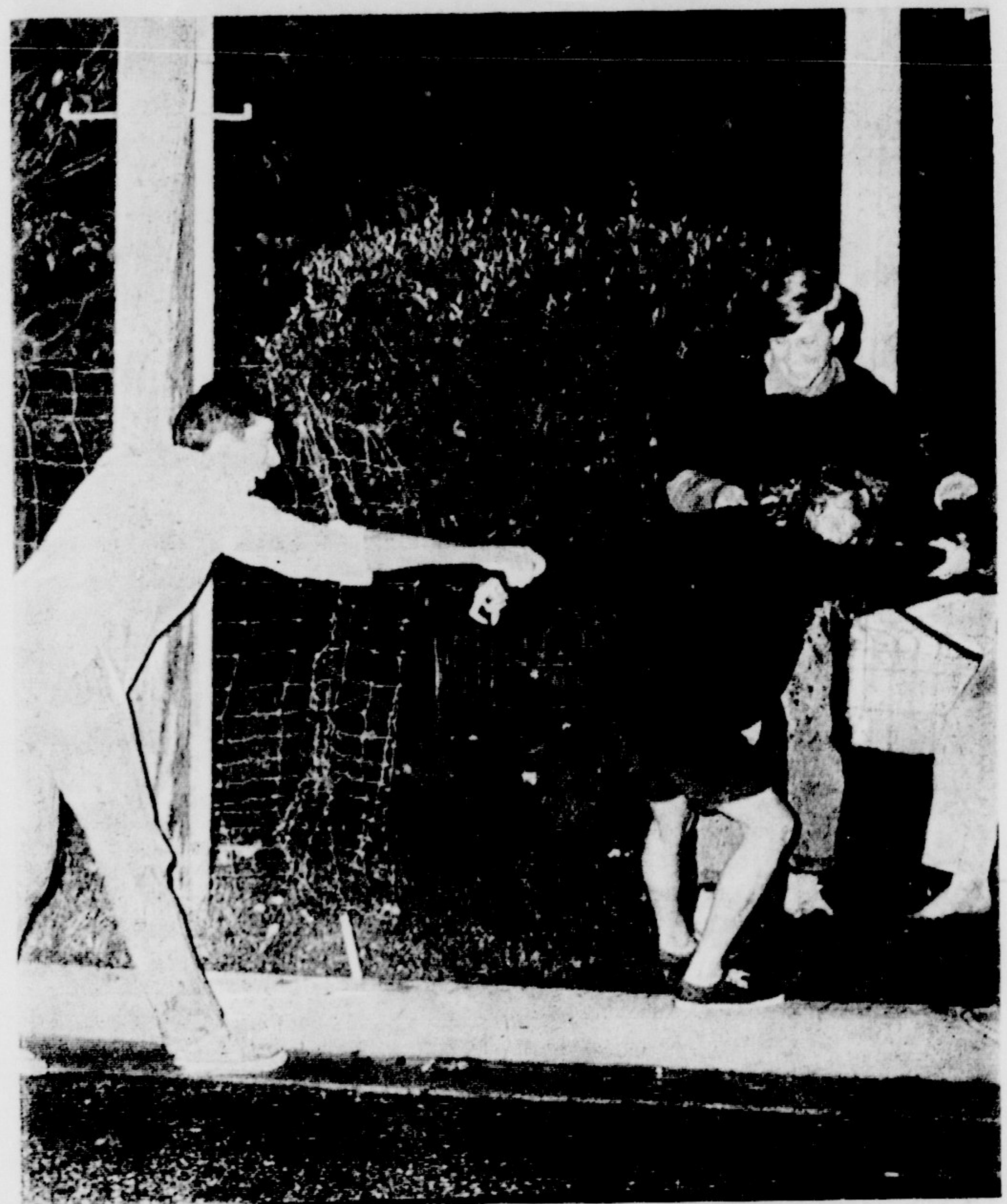
In 1964-65 the soda shop and Union were renovated and the annex to Wright was built. During the renovation, the Union was temporarily located in Wright lobby.

In October 1965, the Union opened in its present location in Wright annex. Although there is only a small addition to the recreational

and games facilities, the arrangement is much more functional for providing games facilities, card playing, TV viewing, and informal socializing. The lobby and gallery enhance exhibit areas and service areas considerably.

The second floor of the Union with its seminar rooms, listening rooms, kitchens, and small auditorium was a completely new addition to the Union facilities. These rooms fill the needs of many campus organizations and visiting conferences. Last year as many as 65 different organizations and agencies utilized the second floor for various activities.

The Union is not just a building. It is also a student organization composed of volunteers who plan, stage, and program activities for the students of East Carolina. The special events already featured this year by the volunteer student committees include the freshmen open house, the games tournaments, the coffee house, Parents' Day Open House, after-football-game combo dances, a mock election, and Homecoming Open House.



REAL WOMAN HATERS—This is Woman Hater Week at the Phi Kappa Tau fraternity house, and the Phi Taus mean what they say, as shown by the treatment this poor sorority lass is receiving at the hands of four members of the fraternity. Water balloons, water hoses, eggs, midnight raids . . . all are a part of the action of Woman Hater Week.



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Chloe's Knows

By Chloe Crawford, Features Editor

O. K. girls your chance is coming to get even with the Phi Taus for not speaking to the females on campus this week! Their cocky efforts will come to the showdown Thursday on the mall at 5:00 p.m. The "Sinners who dared to talk to women" will be caged on the

mall and will be subject to "ridicule" . . . and we do know what kind of ridicule don't we girls? "Rilicule" spelled . . . EGGS, SHAVING CREAM, MUD, ETC. Let's give them a little of their own medicine!

Also on the mall will be the Phi Tau with the most offensives against him for talking to women. This young man will be the center of attention or shall we say "ridicule."

The whole idea of Thursday's escapades seems ironic in that we are supposedly getting back at the guys for bad treatment of our sex, but we will be getting the ones who let their kindness slip . . . so let's also be looking for the ones who didn't get caught or didn't ever speak.

Rumor has it that the Phi Taus

**NEXT WEEK IS GOING TO BE
PHI TAU HATER WEEK
FOR ALL
WOMEN ON CAMPUS**

are already getting some harrassment in the form of raids on their house. Though the girls participating in the raids return looking pretty wet, dirty, and generally untidy; we are showing our female spunk and courage, plus we are succeeding in getting our revenge.

Woman Hater Week is theoretically to boost spirit for Homecoming festivities. so, females of ECU we'll have to exhibit some real spirit. Give it to them good, coeds!!

Faculty Members Purchase Tickets

As a result of interest expressed through the President's Advisory Council, the Faculty Athletic Council has approved the following:

A member of the faculty or staff who does not have a spouse may purchase two basketball season tickets, one for himself (herself), and one for use by a guest at \$7.00 each. These tickets may be purchased at the Athletic Office in Minges Coliseum through December 6, 1968.

In order to accommodate full-time students who wish to attend, it may be necessary to limit the sale of basketball tickets in future years both to the public and to the faculty and staff.

The Faculty Athletic Council is happy to be able to extend this privilege to the single members of the faculty and staff. The Council appreciates the support that the faculty and staff have given the athletic programs.



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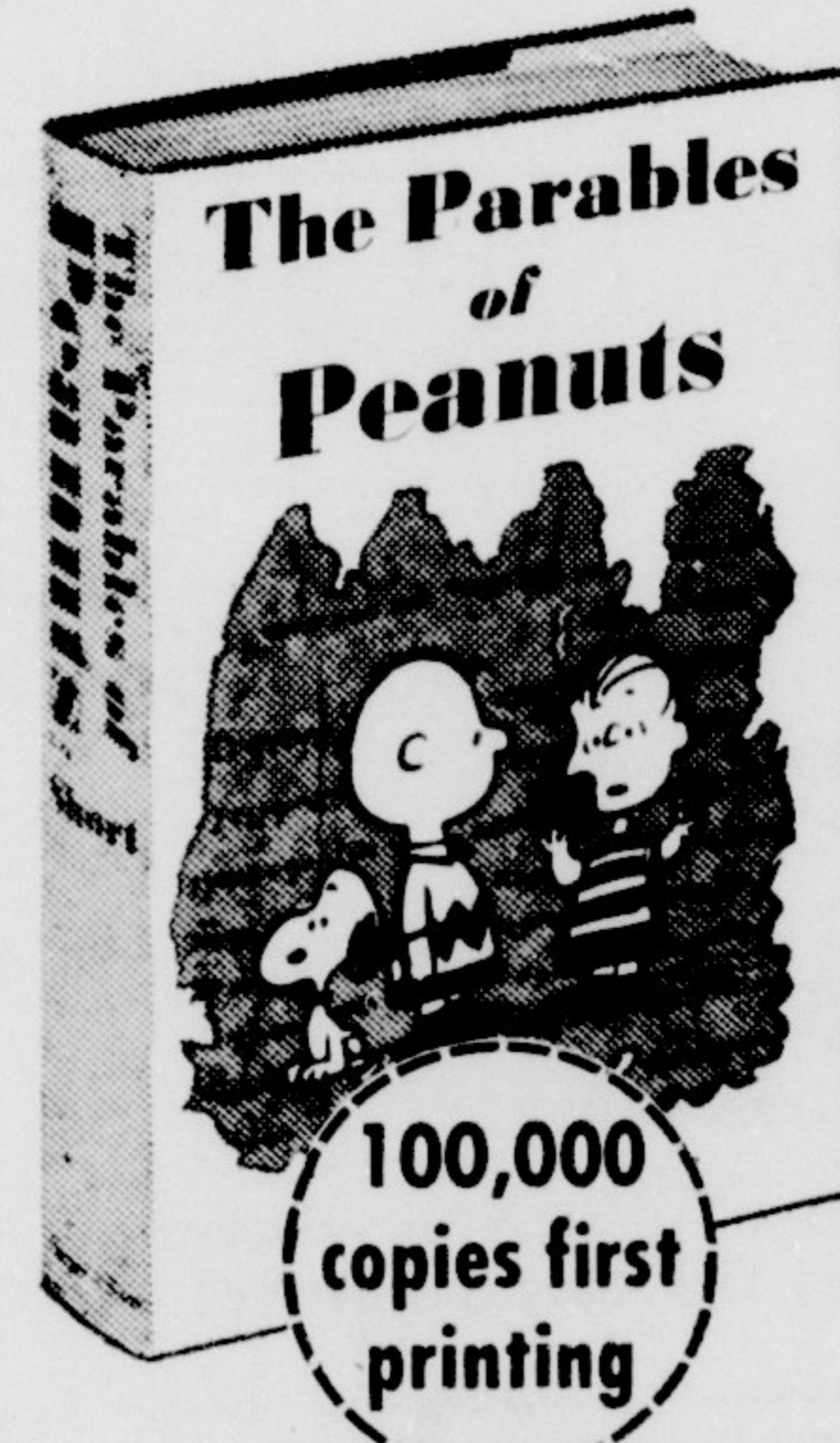
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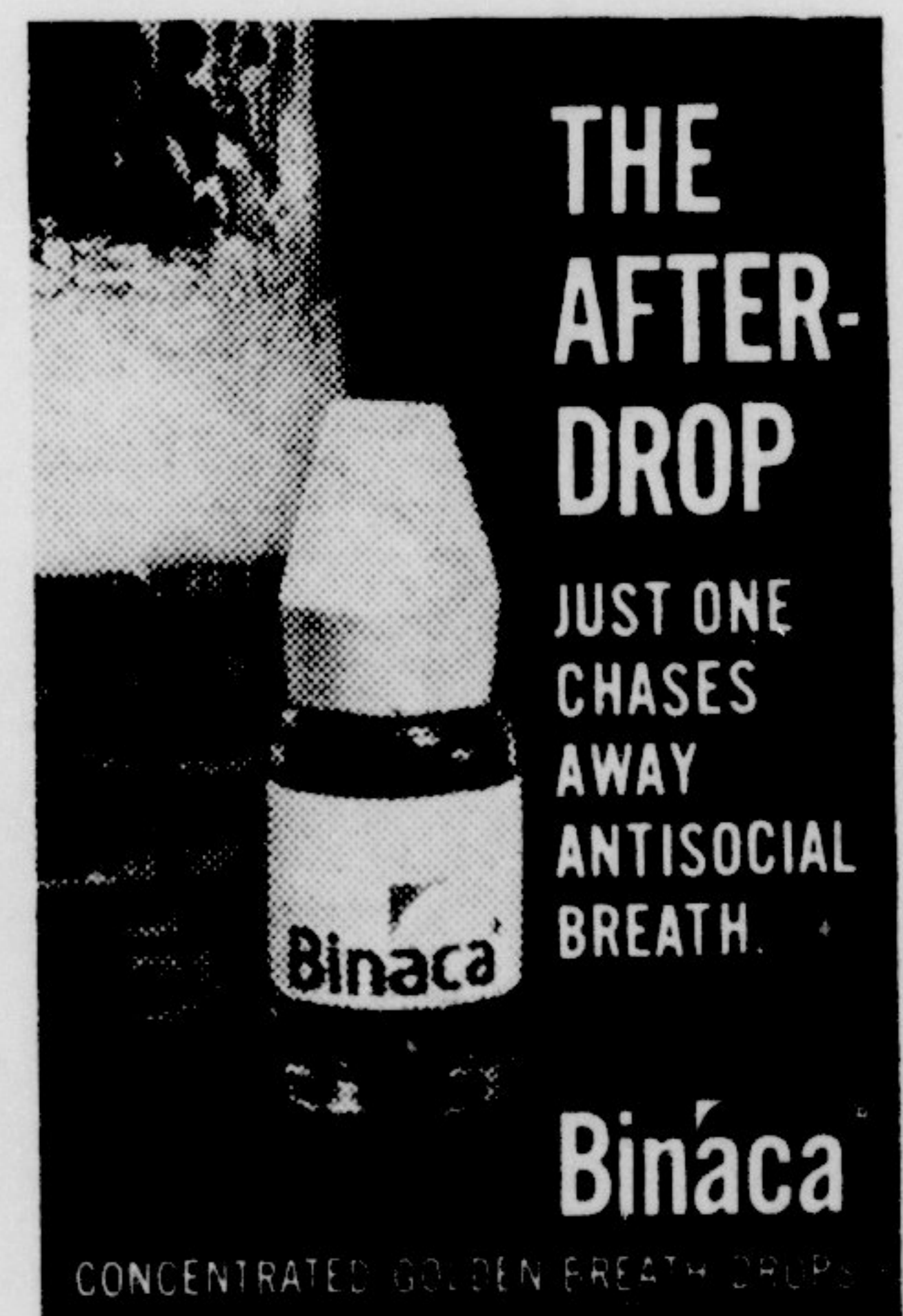
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MARY LOU PHARR

Cook is a member of Alpha Phi. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cook of Savannah.

An Alpha Delta Pi sister and secretary of the Student Government Association, Dianne Holland is from Sumpter, South Carolina and is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Ernest C. Holland, Jr.

The 1968 Summer School Queen, Miss Vickie Lee, is a Kinston coed and a Delta Zeta sister. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley S. Lee.

Blonde Tiffney Meigs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lem S. Meigs and comes to ECU from Jacksonville, N. C.

Harrisburg, N. C. is the home of Mary Lou Pharr. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Pharr.

Six coeds are finalists in the competition for 1968 Homecoming Queen at East Carolina. The finalists and their sponsors are Jane Burgess, Air Force ROTC; Helen Cook, Kappa Sigma Fraternity; Dianne Holland, Alpha Delta Pi; Vickie Lee, Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity; Tiffney Meiggs of Jacksonville, Garrett Dormitory; and Mary Lou Pharr, Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity.

The winner was decided in student elections held yesterday and today. Her coronation will come during halftime of the ECU-Tampa football game in Ficklen Stadium Saturday afternoon.

Before the crowning ceremony, the unannounced queen, along with forty-eight other finalists and contestants will ride on floats and cars in the traditional ECU homecoming parade through downtown Greenville Saturday morning.

The new queen will succeed Nancy New of Alexandria, Virginia, who will help with the coronation ceremony.

A special feature of the homecoming activities will be an appearance by Miss North Carolina, Anita Johnson, and the Miss Blueberry Queen, Carol Bass.

Miss Burgess, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burgess, of Wilson's Mills, is active in Angel Flight and is currently wearing the crown of Military Ball Queen.

A Savannah, Georgia coed, Miss

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Finalists



VICKIE LEE

Here is the schedule of events for East Carolina's 1968 Homecoming:

Thursday, November 7, 1968

On Thursday night, November 7, 1968, there will be an informal Homecoming dance. This dance is to be held in the Minges Coliseum Parking lot at 7:30 P.M. The informal dance will kick off the Homecoming Weekend.

Friday, November 8, 1968

The famous Platters will perform Friday night, November 8, 1968 at 8:15 in Minges Coliseum. The popular vocal group has appeared on campuses throughout the country. Tickets for non-students are \$3.

Saturday, November 10, 1968

Homecoming activities continue Saturday with the traditional homecoming parade through downtown Greenville beginning at 10:00 A.M. Floats and other entries will represent the different organizations on campus, and several notable persons will lead the parade. A special feature in the parade will be the appearance of Miss North Carolina, Anita Johnson, and the Blueberry Queen, Carol Bass.

Saturday afternoon the ECU Pirates meet Tampa for the homecoming football game. The game is scheduled to begin at 2:00 P.M. in Picklen Stadium. The halftime program will include the crowning of the 1968-'69 homecoming queen.

Saturday night the second concert of the weekend will be by singer Paul Anka. This concert is scheduled for 8:15 p.m. in Minges Coliseum. Tickets for non-students are \$3.00.

At 10:00 p.m. Saturday night,



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immediately following the concert, there will be the annual Homecoming dance sponsored by the SGA in honor of the new queen. This dance will be held in Wright Auditorium. Free.

Phi Sigma Pi Gains National Distinction

East Carolina University's chapter of Phi Sigma Pi has won this year's outstanding chapter award of the national honorary fraternity.

ECU's Tau Chapter sent a delegation of nine members, headed by chapter President, Paul Allen of Farmville, and chapter adviser, Dr. Richard C. Todd, of the ECU history faculty, to receive the award.

The delegation was recognized as the largest chapter representation at the national convention, held in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Todd was elected national vice president of the fraternity which is based on scholarship, leadership, and fellowship.



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SYMPHONY GROUP—Members of the East Carolina Orchestra warm up for their opening performance of the year Sunday night, as they perform in a free concert in Wright Auditorium. Admission for students will be by ID card.

EC Frats Lend Helping Hand

WHO SAYS THE ECU FRATERNITY MEMBERS ARE LAZY AND HAVE GONE SOFT? Anyone who believes this should have been on hand last Saturday at 9:00 A.M. when seventy-five ECU students, representing nine different social fraternities, worked diligently to clear out the heavy underbrush in order to create a park adjacent to Green Springs Park on East Fifth Street. The IFC took on this job as a service project.

Heavy equipment, including trucks, pitchforks, and other tools, was provided by the Greenville Public Works Department.

Much effort was put forth by all there to clear the area. The members of the fraternities loaded six or seven trucks with tree limbs and bushes. Many of the limbs were too large to handle and had to be cut.

Mr. Beatty, Head of the Public Works Department, was on hand to supervise and to aid in doing the

work. Around 11:30 A.M. that morning, seventy-five exhausted boys left the project and returned to the campus for a well-deserved rest.

Sig Eps Give Blood And Help To Needy

In the past several weeks there has been a lot of discussion on the merits of the fraternities at East Carolina. One fraternity, Sigma Phi Epsilon, has recently shown how it can benefit the community as well as its brothers.

The Sig Eps, along with the Alpha Phi sorority, gave a Halloween party for approximately twenty underprivileged children in the Greenville area. Held in the decorated partyroom of the fraternity house, the party featured candy, drinks, apples, horns, masks and

games for the children.

Sigma Phi Epsilon also recently won the trophy for the highest rate of participation in the campus Blood Drive. The Sig Ep's eighty per cent participation was eight percentage points ahead of their nearest rival.

Another of Sigma Phi Epsilon's recent service projects was the adoption of an underprivileged child overseas. This project consists of a monthly cash allowance to the child, but a correspondence between the child and his "big brothers" is also expected to develop.

It is through projects such as these that all ECU fraternities, like Sigma Phi Epsilon, are doing their part in community service.

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The faculty and students of the Department of Political Science will convene for a special meeting in Nursing Building Auditorium (Room 101) at 7:00 P.M. on November 18, 1968. Any students who cannot be present should secure permission to miss the meeting from the Secretary in Whichard Building.

Professor Franklin Burdette of the University of Maryland will speak on "The Roots of Politics." Dr. Burdette will be on the campus at the invitation

of the Department for counseling with faculty and students on ECU's program in Political Science.

LOST AND FOUND
The EC UNION is the campus lost and found headquarters. Finders of articles are encouraged to turn them in at the Union desk on the ground floor of the Union in the Wright Annex. Persons who lose items are asked to report to the Union desk.

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Rugged Tampa Team Creates Tension For Homecoming Tilt

East Carolina's Pirater, who ended a victory famine after four straight defeats last week, take on the rugged Tampa University Spartans here Saturday afternoon in the big homecoming game at 2 p.m.

The Spartans, who carry a 6-1 record for the season, were beaten by the Cincinnati Bearcats on a field goal in the last three seconds for their only loss of the season.

They have beaten the University of California at Santa Barbara, Akron, Tulane, Eastern Michigan, Mississippi State, and Northern Michigan.

"Tampa has an outstanding offense," said Coach Bob Gantt, who scouted the Spartans last weekend. "They have a fine passer in Jim Del Galzo and among their best receivers is his twin brother John, who plays tight end."

"Their best receiver is Joe Sliker, who has averaged six catches a game for the season."

The passing phase of the offense has accounted for more than 1400 yards in seven games and their run-

ning attack has averaged more than 150 yards a game.

"Their best running back is a freshman, Leon McQuay," Gantt said. "He's 5-10 and weighs 195 and has speed and quickness. In the first six games, he gained 605 yards, but didn't play much last week because he had a sprained ankle. The one time he ran, he swept end for seven yards.

"Normally, he has carried the ball 20 times a game and he'll be ready to go against us."

The Spartans use the T formation with a lot of variety in their attack.

"It's wide open with most of the running game going to the outside," Gantt said. "Their passing attack has a variety of patterns, but they tend to flood an area with receivers."

The Sparans run a five-four defense and the front line averages more than 220 pounds. The two tackles hit 235 each and the smallest man in the five is defensive end Ron Bouilly at 210.

Middle guard Ron Brown, a 6-

220-pound senior, is regarded as the outstanding man in the defensive group.

"They usually play honest with few stunts," Gantt said, "but Brown has a lot of freedom and moves around a lot."

The defensive secondary has had an outstanding season, intercepting 17 passes in seven games.

Crew Advances As New NC Sport

By GERALD ROBERSON

This year's crew meets should present much better viewing for the spectator because of the city renovation project along the finishing line. It surely would be more exciting if the Greenville City Council would help build a boathouse down by the bridge for the use of the college crew and the eventual use of a Rose High Crew. There the spectators could watch the crews launch their shell for the competition.

Speaking of a Rose High Crew, it seems only fitting that the East Carolina athletic department would help the many coastal plain cities develop crew for the high schools in the area. After all, East Carolina was the first university to have crew in the state. ECU could also draw support for its own crew and have more finances to develop crew to a point of competition with the better northern crews. By starting a system of crews throughout the coastal plains, ECU could draw experienced oarsmen from the local teams.

Schools in the following areas should be able to raise the money and develop crew during the next couple years: Greenville could take advantage of the program that is already being developed here at the University; Kinston could put a team on the Neuse River; New Bern has the large junction of the Trent and Neuse Rivers on which to launch a crew; Washington could put a crew on the Tar; Elizabeth City has plenty of water on which to place a crew; Wilmington could take advantage of the Cape Fear; Rocky Mount has the Tar River; Jacksonville has the Onslow Sound; East and West Carteret and Havelock all have sufficient water nearby. In fact, almost every school in the Northeastern Conference, could have a crew plus the other cities mentioned. It will take the initiative of the people of East Carolina athletic department and the leaders of the various municipalities to set forth in this new area of sports competition. In fact, it is East Carolina University's duty as a regional university to help make this new addition to the Eastern Carolina sports arena. This is a chance for the University to carry out its motto "Service," which means "to serve" the people of North Carolina.

Charleston Hosts Rowing Regatta

The Southern Rowing Association announced at the conclusion of the annual fall meeting that this year's Second Annual S.R.A. Regatta would be conducted at The Citadel, April 26, in Charleston, S.C.

Holding its meeting at The Citadel, the coaches, representing eight colleges in the Southern Rowing Association, unanimously decided on the Citadel course.

Tentatively slated to compete in this year's Regatta will be defending champion Jacksonville University of Jacksonville, Florida. In addition, The Citadel, the University of Alabama, East Carolina University, Florida Southern College, the University of Tampa, Virginia Commonwealth University, The University of Virginia, and Salisbury State College will also compete.

The tentative field of eight will double the number of participants in last year's race. Jacksonville, East Carolina, Alabama, and The Citadel were the four competing teams then. With eight of the association's twelve members slated to compete, the race should be very successful this year.



ACTION FORECAST—Grid action is seldom duplicated from one game to the next. However, as East Carolina's Charlie Overton so aptly demonstrates, long gains such as this will be his goal in action Saturday, when the Bucs tangle with Tampa in the annual Homecoming classic.

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NOW, THAT'S AS FAR AS YOU GO!—The freshman Bucs have closed out their 1968 season, but they will be back in action Saturday afternoon. Though not in pads, the frosh footballers will be out in full force for the Homecoming contest Saturday, when their varsity counterparts take on Tampa.

Pirate Cagers Plan Scrimmage; Game With W. Va. Marks First

East Carolina's basketball team will hold its first game-type scrimmage at approximately 4:30 p.m. Saturday afternoon in Minges Coliseum.

"We feel like that this will give many of our alumni and followers to see us for the first time this year," Quinn said.

East Carolina's football team will play Tampa at its annual homecoming game Saturday at 2 p.m. The Pirate cagers, who have been working since Oct. 15, will open their season Nov. 30 against West Virginia at Morgantown.

"I am very pleased with the progress we have made to this point," Quinn said. "We have been paying particular attention to defense and several individuals have impressed me with their improvement since last year."

Quinn has been extremely happy with the work of rising sophomore

Jim Gregory.

"Until he hurt his ankle he was doing an outstanding job," Quinn said. "It is very heartening to see a sophomore reach the point where he is challenging for a starting position."

Another pleasant aspect has been the play of Rick Collins, a 6-9 junior college transfer. Collins, if he keeps on improving, will answer the

problem of the big man in the middle for the Pirates.

"His play has been very encouraging," Quinn said.

Saturday's scrimmage against the freshmen will be the only game-type practice the Pirates will have before opening the season.

"We will make it as much like a game as possible and have officials," Quinn said.

Aqua-Bucs Face Season Of Top National Swimmers

New Jersey and Virginia, he came to East Carolina as assistant coach under the now retired Dr. Ray Martinez.

Assisting Coach Scharf are Mike Tomberlin, and Dick Tobin. Tomberlin is from Morgantown, North Carolina, and was a three time All-American for East Carolina in the 100 and 200 meter backstroke from 1966 to 1968. Tobin comes from New Rochelle, New York. He was All-American in the one meter diving event in 1966, and was a three-time All-American off the three meter board from 1966 to 1968.

After graduating four All-Americans last year in the form of Owen Paris, Les Gerber, Richard Tobin, and Mike Tomberlin, ECU still has two returning All-Americans in John Sutan, a senior business major and team co-captain, and sophomore Steve Weissman.

Coach Scharf also has 16 repeaters from last year's Southern Conference Championship team returning, including co-captain Robert Moynihan. They are: Eric Orell in the freestyle; Richard Donahue, freestyle and backstroke; William King, backstroke; James Manchester, distance freestyle and butterfly; Edwin Mills, sprint freestyle; Robert Moynihan, sprint freestyle; Robert Baird, diver Kenneth Hungate, distance freestyle; David Phillips, freestyle; Walter Culbreth, diver;

Larry Allman, breaststroke; Greg Hanes, butterfly; Steve Howard, freestyle; Mike Saunders, diver; Bill Talley, breaststroke; Neil Winslow, diver; John Sultan, freestyle and backstroke; and Steve Weissman, breaststroke.

ECU's freshman team is rounded out with two high school All-Americans in Doug Hartman and David Brunson. Their specialty is the same, the butterfly. Hartman hails from Rockville, Maryland and is also very good in the individual medley. Brunson, from Euclid, Ohio, is also a fine freestyler, and has, in addition to his athletic abilities, a Merit Scholarship.

This year will prove to be the most challenging season yet with the aqua-bucs swimming against the roughest schedule of any athletic team on campus. The schedule, which begins against South Carolina in Minges Natatorium on December 6th, will also include such top ten prospects as the University of Maryland, N. C. State, University of North Carolina, Florida State, and the University of Florida. For a preview of what is to come, there will be an intrasquad meet between the varsity and the frosh on November 14, at 8 P.M.

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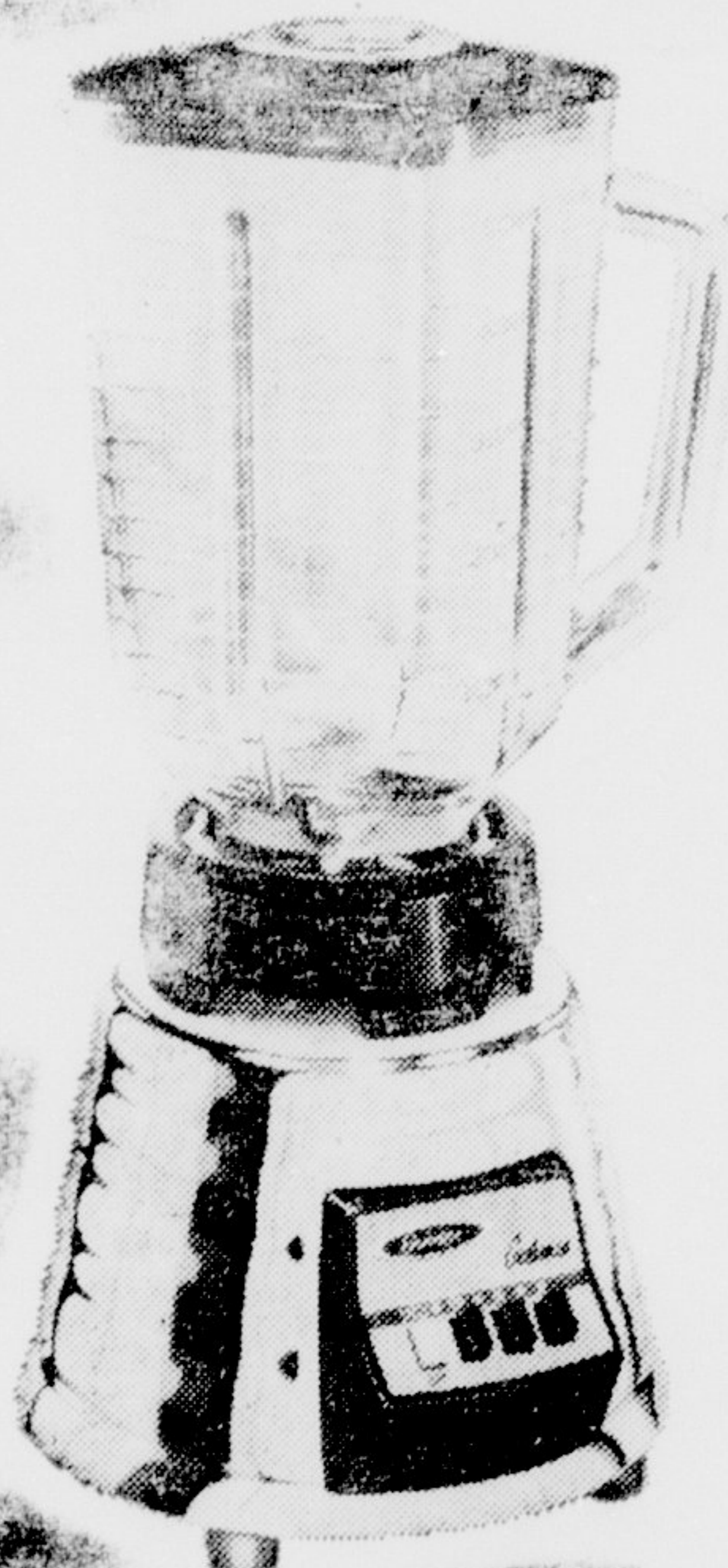


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The Four Seasons consists of four extremely talented men: Frankie Valli, first tenor; Bob Gaudio, second tenor; Tommie DeVito, bass; and Tony Danza, baritone. The group's debut was "Sherry",



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