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# Ruth Brown Crowned Homecoming Qu

# "Rat Week" **Begins Monday**

Begining Monday, October 16 October 20, all freshmen-both girls and boys are cordially compelled to participate in Rat Week which is being sponsored by the students of the Sophomore class at High Point College. This unique social event will culminate with a dance which the Sophomore class is giving in honor of the Freshman class in Harrison Gymnasium at a date to be announced later. As a special treat for the freshmen, the sophomores have very graciously consented to prepare a list for the convenience of the freshmen, stating all the latest Rat Week fashions in dress and the most acceptable methods of behavior for all freshmen here on the campus at H. P. C. The Sophomore class feels that this list is so unusual and the fashions so startling lovely that no fresh man would dare not abide by it However this rare manner of dress will be only for the campus, and no freshman shall be seen off campus attired in this fashionable manner.

Monday: Girls: Wear clashing sweater and skirt

Wear all jewelry possible Wear hair pulled straight back and tied with shoe-

Wear one tennis shoe with hose and a high heel with sock

Use an abundance of make-up Wear gloves

Tuesday: Girls: Wear slacks or jeans rolled down.

Wear dress over slacks Wear hair rolled up high Wear high heels and socks

Carry large pocketbook Wednesday: Girls: Wear dress backwards

pins

Wear boys' shoes

Wear hose rolled down to calf of legs

Carry books in suitcase

Thursday: Girls: Wear skirt and sweater backwards and wrong side out

Wear different color socks and a different kind of shoe on each foot Use make-up on half of face

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Pictured are the twelve levely co-eds chosen to compete for the title of "Queen of Homecoming." Ruth Brown, center, was elected by popular vote. They are, left to right: Nancy Tysinger, Doris Autry, Ruth Brown (Queen), Bonnie Crawford, Ruth Cooke. Back row, left to right: Ruby Workman, Betty Barber, Betty Miller, Freddie Davis, Mary Lou Dillon, Doris Nance, and Dixie

# Record Enrollment Adoption of Alma

With a total increase of 26 students over the enrollment of 750 of last year, the complete tabulation of students matriculated at H. P. C. this year has reached a record high. There are 776 students now enrolled at H. P. C. Among this number there are some interesting facts: There are:

272 freshmen- 164 men and 108 women

183 sophomores— 132 men and

51 women

153 juniors- 115 men and 38 women

157 seniors— 112 men and 45

women

12 specials- 5 men and 7 women

Although the Methodists predominate with 408, there are 192 Baptists, 44 Presbyterians, 16 Wear hair uncombed from Catholics, 15 Quakers, 13 Episthe high before with no copalians, 10 Lutherans, and Mater in the near future. eighteen other denominations with only a few represented.

### Rush Week

Dean J. Hobert Allred has recognized October 23rd as the tentative date for "Rush Week," during which the campus sororities and fraternities will rush their pledges.

# Mater Proposed

The Alma Mater appearing below was received with enthusiasm by the student body and understand it is to look about the center attraction in the faculty when presented in asyou. Once you find it, particisembly Wednesday, October 4, pate in and enjoy it. Saturday direction of Dr. Joseph Wilson meet alumni who have known and Mr. Wesley Collins.

Wood, Director of Music at High alumni. Point College last year. Dr. Wilson and Mr. Collins, with the

nity to formally adopt this song you are unhappy, so am I.

### Alma Mater

High Point College, Alma Mater, Love shall ever shrine your name,

Fervent like the trumpets chal-

lenge Golden like the heart you claim. Oak and elm, from sturdy saplings

Nursed by sun and soil and rain, Tower as trees of might and opportunity to send you a few beauty-

So your halls our natures train. Mind and body, heart and spirit, On your bounteous campus grows.

Budding, blossoming and maturing,

Till with truth's white fire they glow. May the light your wisdom kin-

dles All you gave us, let us give; May we for both you and man-

kind Bravely, nobly, Christ-like live. High Point College, Alma Mater, All hail!

ALPHA THETA PSI MEETS Members of the Alpha Psi Sorority were entertained at the home of Mary Ella Coffey Oct. 2, with a supper meeting.

# Dean Allred Welcomes Students

College spirit is a term hard to define. All you have to do to by the band and choir under the is homecoming and you will what it means to enjoy college The words were written by life. Try to discover from them Dr. Lincoln Lorenz, Head of the what it is. Make them feel that English Department. The music you too sense the romance of was composed by Mr. Albert J. college life enjoyed by so many

I cannot let this opportunity go by without inviting you to ing week. All Freshmen boys are assistance of members of the talk with me about your probband, worked out the orches-lems. If the college is failing cial feat designed by the upperyou, I want to know what it is. It is hoped that the student Perhaps I can at least make body will be given the opportu- you understand. Remember, if

-J. H. Allred succeeds.

# The President's Invitation

Greetings and best wishes to the graduates and former stu- Lenoir-Rhyne! is the password. dents of High Point College! I am very happy that your very am very happy that your very able president of the Alumni Goodson Speaks on Association has given me this words. You will be interested to know that the enrollment (775) is larger than last year, that we could have enrolled probably a hundred more students if we Church, to the members and had additional dormitory space faculty October 4 assembled in and if the students could have Harrison Gymnasium. Mr. Goodmet the College's admission re- son recalled a letter Paul wrote quirements. All of our new addi- to his son in faith, Timothy, at tional dormitory rooms built college advising him to lay aside during the summer are full to his handicaps. The physical overflowing. The Board of handicaps are not real handi-Trustees, Faculty, Staff, and caps but only physical limita-Students, all of us, extend to tions. you a very warm invitation to return to your Alma Mater for Mr. Goodson believes, are the Homecoming Day on Saturday, October 14. Everything possible titude, and a lack of real love is being done to make your visit for life and one's fellowmen. both pleasant and enjoyable. In-

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# "Duke Cavaliers" **Play Homecoming** Dance at HPC

Pretty, petite, blond, Ruth Brown was crowned Queen of Homecoming at H.P.C. Friday evening, October 13, during intermission of the traditional homecoming dance held in Harrison Gymnasium from 8 to 12. Bill Myers and his fourteenpiece orchestra, the "Duke Cavaliers", played to an appreciative audience made up of the student body, their dates, and the faculty members and their wives and husbands.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the H.P.C. homecoming parade will begin at the First Presbyterian Church, proceed down Main Street, and terminate on Hamilton Street. Many attractive floats have been prepared for the competition by various organizations and the classes on campus.

Several local bands have been invited to participate in the parade along with H.P.C's own fine band and majorettes. The Homecoming Queen and her four attendants; Mary Lou Dillon, Doris Autry, Betty Ann Miller and Betty Barber, will be grand march down Main Street.

Former Senator George Penny of Greensboro, Mr. Thomas Dodamead of High Point, and Nick Lawrence of Radio Station WHPE have consented to act as judges and will view the parade from Knox Bridge. The winning floats will be given prizes.

Tonight's game with Lenoir-Rhyne will conclude homecomto wear jeans and join in a speclassmen at half - time at the game which will consist of catching a greased pig. A prize will be awarded to the Hercules who

Ruth Brown and her attendants will be presented spectators at half - time also. Come on out to the game and join in the fun. Your team is counting on your support. Beat

# "Life's Handicaps"

"Poverty is not one of the handicaps in life," declared the Rev. Mr. Kenneth Goodson, pastor of the First Methodist

The real handicaps in life, sense of grievance, a critical at-

Mr. Goodson is a welcomed cidentally, your presence here visitor on campus and the stuon that occasion and at the dents look forward to his returning in the near future.

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

SATURDAY OCTOBER 14, 1950

9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.-Registration of Alumni and Former Students.

Foyer of Roberts Hall

2:00 p.m.—Homecoming Parade—Main Street, High Point. 4:30 p.m.—Open house for Returning Alumni, Former Students, and Other Guests.

President's Home, 821 West College Drive

6:00 p.m.-Barbecue Supper. Seniors and Board of Trustees invited.

Boylin Terrace, College Campus.

6:45 p.m.—Brief Business Session

Student Center

8:00 p.m.—Football Game, High Point College versus Lenoir Rhyne. (The High Point College Band will play at half-time, and the Homecoming Queen will be presented.)

Albion Millis Stadium.

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#### **E**ditorial

Greetings and welcome to High Point College. It is the aim of your HI-PO staff to keep you up to date on the latest developments on sampus and to furnish you with special items that you will want to file away for future reference when you are "Alumni". Several students have cheerfully given their time and efforts to the production of your newspaper. The faculty has shown interest and cooperation in bringing the best to you. All contributions in the form of news items or organization news will be welcomed. Your HI-PO is published by the students and for the the students. BE A GOOD REPRESENTATIVE.

### Be a Good Representative

High Point Colleg is growing bigger and better each day. Many changes have occured this summer. New members have been added to the faculty and offices have been provided for each department. These are the obvious changes, but there are other changes also. There is a greater unity of feeling and a more definite purpose existent in the student body than in past years. This is due not only to the efficient administration but to the increased interest of the people of High Point and the surrounding towns. The alumni have a permanent secretary on campus whose job is is to keep them in contact with the progress of their Alma Mater. Many former students will be visiting campus today. They are successful men and women whose education at H.P.C. included fellowship as well as scholarship. You have the opportunity and choice to join their ranks in the near future. Be a good representative of your college; your college will be a good representative for you.

### Who Stole the Pep?

"We'll win. It's Due!" served as the call to school spirit last year when presented by Dr. Cooke. Did somebody steal that spirit alternates. The alternates have or did it become lazy during the hot summer months at home? We have a fine team this year in football. Can the team say of you that you are fine supporters? Would you risk your skin or who were elected for this year slave on the drill field for a student body that could not yell at a football game? We have a good band and pretty majorettes. We leader; Lonnie Bledsoe, June have some excellent cheerleaders. We have the biggest student Jowdy, Betty Mellard, Kat Hunbody in the history of H.P.C. Aren't these facts worth yelling about? Maybe you stole the pep. Please return it; we need it.

### Alma Mater, All Hail

In the years to come someone is going to ask you to sing your school's Alma Mater. What will you sing? A former member of our faculty, Mr. A. J. Wood, recognized the need for a school song last year and wrote the music, Dr. Lincoln Lorenz wrote the words and the music department took over from there. You've heard it and sung it. Why not officially adopt it as your Alma

# Touch of Midas

Of how each thing King Midas touched I laughed and called fantastic The myth that we were told, At once had turned to gold. I told the children that such tales Were only told to please, That nothing ever changed its form With such a magic ease. But in the morning when I woke And saw the Autumn sun Come shining through my maple tree, My logic was undone For in the night some Midas, As in the myth of old, Had laid his hands upon my tree, And it was gleaming gold!

-By Dorene Lewis

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## Dean's List Will Replace Honor Roll

The honor roll has been requirements have been announc- to make it back to the campus, of B on all subjects with no years. As always, campus romust meet the requirements and approval of the Dean of Students and the Executive Com-

Operating on the theory that academic work is the attendance of classes, new attendance regulations have been issued. Three absences from a threehour course or four absences from a four-hour course will incur no penalty, but each additional absence will reduce the final grade in the course by one letter. Eight cuts will debar the student from class and deny credit in the course. Excuses for absences must be presented in writing to the Dean of Students upon return to class.

## Cheerleaders Elected

The student body of High Point College assembled in Harrison Gymnasium on September 15, to elect the cheerleaders for the coming year. The candidates presented several of the college cheers and they were then voted on by the students. Seven cheer leaders were elected and three now become regular cheerlead ers also. Those cheerleaders are: Charles Casey, head cheerter, Joyce Billings, Joe Inman, Kenneth Owens, Billie Stroud, and Bonnie Crawford.

### PRESIDENT'S INVITATION

(Continued from Page One) Homecoming football game will nelp our boys win over Lenoir-Rhyne College. Whether or not you are interested in football, we want you back.

Mrs. Cooke and I are having open house in our home for the Alumni and former students on Saturday from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Expect to see you there.

For a greater High Point Col-

Yours very sincerely Dennis H. Cooke, President.

ELSIE, THE BORDEN COW, SAYS:



# "IT AIN'T NECESSARILY SO"

By JEAN KERR

H. P. C. had little competition you all. placed by the Dean's List at with Uucle Sam, and wedding student must have an average be the very best of our college ment, the student's conduct made the spotlight yet? Here's der. who has!

most anytime with that blond but he is off to a good start this freshman from Whiteville, and year, as he has been seen at the when he isn't with her, he is Plantation Club and in the bookthe basic and necessay unit of looking for her. Snowing- and so early in the season too!

Conrad West, who hails from Winston-Salem, seems to always have a feeling that he was being followed, so one day he turned birthday real soon. Please obaround and there she was- that cute little Pearl Denton from Fayetteville. Well, this following business went on for a few days, when finally Con and Pearl decided to give up and become another H.P.C. twosome.

Jack "Red" Stanback, a Salisbury boy, can't decide whether to give all of the women a thrill, or stick to being the athletic type. He did have his eyes on a freshman, but because of the glassy-stares that she gave him, Guilford Gentleman a littleno further advancements were or a lot- of competition. Recmade. By the way, there is a kon he will succeed??? sophomore who thinks Red is mighty cute.

I know that all of you have met "Joe College," because he is the typical H.P.C. boy. His real name is "Chubby" Livermann, and when I asked him where he was from, he mumbled something. After he had repeated Shelly Hunsucker is in Okinahimself about five times, I hated wa, Booger Heath is in Korea, to admit that I still didn't know what he said, but anyway "Joe Lakes, Ill. Everyone misses College", we're glad you and all them - specially me - specially of the other new students are one! here. May this be a fine year for

Lander Beal, just for the rec-High Point College and new re- bells, but most of us managed ord, is using a new approach with the girls. Last Saturday he ed for inclusion in this list. The and we are hoping that this will took Carlotta Autry and Margaret Southerland fishing. Carlotta and Margaret caught a few fish, grade below a C on any subject. mances are appearing early, and but Lander wasn't so lucky, but Besides the academic require-frequent this year. Have you it was a nice try anyway, Lan-

"Footsie" Owen just didn't "Ace" Cartright can be seen make the Hi-Po much last year, store a lot lately with Marie, from Greensboro. Just in case anyone is interested, "Footsie" would like all of his friends and relations to know that he has a serve the fact!

Duncan Redditt is as tall as ever, and from what we hear he has a certain Joyce from East Bend hypnotized. Wonder if Duncan knows about that yet?

Lib Gilbert had quite a weekend at the Guilford (Pardon the expression) dance last weekend, and also at the Plantation Club Sunday night, but there seems to be a transfer to H.P.C. who would like to give that

Jimmy Johnson is missing Edna Clark, Saw Jimmy up town the other night, and he is still being true to Edna, who is in Portsmouth now. Couldn't blame you a bit, Jimmy. P. S. We miss her too.

Speaking of missing people, and Jimmy Rusher is at Great

"So, Bye, Sug"



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# Panthers Play Host to Lenoir-Rhyne Eleven Today

# WHAT'S NEW IN SPORTS ....?

By JIM HARDIE

For the past few years the High Point Panthers have been known as a "breather" by conference teams, but this year the story is different. Coach C. Q. Smith has a team that spells trouble for any team in the North State Conference, Coach Bob Davis has has done a great job with the High Point forward-wall.

After losing the season's opener to W.C.T.C 20-6, High Point redeemed themselves in a thrilling victoy over Newberry College. The Panthers had no less than a T-party as they scalped the

Newberry Indians 14-12.

Guilford downed High Point 26-16 in a one-sided Conference game played in Albion Millis Stadium. Ab Alexander was a standout with his line play for the Quakers. The Panthers staged a late period scoring rally to close the gap made by Guilford, but time ran out on the High Pointers.

Last week it looked as if an upset was in the making as High Point jumped to an early lead over Catawba College, but the Indians made good in the second half to produce a 27-6 final score.

Early in the first period Halfback Don Brown stepped off 52 yards before being brought down just short of the goal to set up the Panther score. Allen Smith took the ball on Catawba's three yard line and crashed through the line for a touchdown.

Roy Pickens put the Indians back in the game with a sprint around left end that went for eight-yards and pay dirt. Neither team could muster another score and the half ended at six all.

Early in the third period Pickens plunged over from the one yard line to put Catawba ahead for the first time in the game. Joe Popp, Catawba Halfback, added six points to the Tribe's score as he pulled in a ten-yard pass from Pickens.

Harold Carter, former Lexington High star, went 15 yards on a pass from Popp in the fourth period to give Catawba their fourth and final tally of the night. The game ended with the Indians on the six-yard line of the Panthers.

The Indians' victory over High Point put Catawba in first place in the North State Conference. This week the Indians move to Winston-Salem to play the Appalachian Mountaineers in a contest that will have an important bearing on the loop title

East Carolina was knocked off the top of the conference heap by Elon last Saturday by a score of 21-16. Elsewhere in the conference, Appalachian defeated Lenoir Rhyne 20-18 in a thrilling contest. Atlantic Christian took the short end of a 20-7 score in a game with Guilford.

### Intramurals

The intramural tag football program is off to a red hot start with several hard fought the lead is presently in a threebattles. In the Fraternity League N.D.M. has proved itself offensively and defensively by scoring 53 points and holding to complete one round of play. the offense to 7 points in two games. Their two victories are enough to take over first place in the league.

Fraternity League Standings Thru Oct 7

Tiffu Oct. 7						
Team	Won	Lost	Pct.			
N.D.M.	2	O	1.000			
D.B.A.	1	0	1.000			
E.H.O.	1	0	1.000			
Parsons	1	0	1.000			
D.A.E.	0	11	.500			
1.T.K.	0	11	.000			

Remaining Games in Frat League

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D.B.A.	VS.	E.H.O.
N.D.M.	VS.	Parsons
D.B.A.	VS.	I.T.K.
E.H.O.	VS.	D.A.E.
N.D.M.	VS.	D.B.A.
E.H.O.	VS.	Parsons
D.A.E.	vs.	I.T.K.
N.D.M.	VS.	E.H.O.

D.A.E. vs. D.B.A. I.T.K. vs. Parsons Intramural Football

In the Independent League way tie with the Dare Devils, Travelers, and Mice posting a 1-0 record. The teams have yet Presenting The Terrors and Rats have not yet played. The Independent League standings are as follows (thru Oct. 7).

Dare Devils	1	0	1.000
Travelers	1	0	1.000
Mice	1	0	1.000
Cats	0	1	.000
Vagabonds	0	1	,000
Dogs	0	1	.000
Terrors	0	0	.000
Rats	0	0	.000

Remaining Games

Terrors vs. Rats Terrors vs. Rats Mice vs. Cats Vagabonds vs. Travelers Terrors vs. Dare Devils Terrors vs. Vagabonds Mice vs. Travelers Cats vs. Vagabonds Dare Devils vs. Rats Vagabonds vs. Mice

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The Mountain Bears of Lenoir Rhyne College will invade Albion Millis Stadium for a North State Conference game with the Panthers Saturday night. The Bears, fresh from a painful defeat at the hands of the Applachian Mountaineers, will bring a powerful array of talent for

The Bears are paced by Frank Little, all-conference end, and Fullback Billy Meggison. Head Coach Clarence Stasavich has a dangerous air attack that is operated from the fast moving single-wing formation.

The starting line for the Béars will average in the neighborhood of 200 pounds, but the backs are small, giving speed among the ball carriers.

Captain Claude White, 250 pounds and a senior from Glen Alpine, gives power and size to the left tackle position. The pivot spot will be occupied by James Garrett, a 205 pounder from Burnham, Pa.

Head Coach C. Q. Smith and assistant Bob Davis have done a fine job thus far with the Panthers. The spirit on the High Point squad is fine and the boys are in good shape and from all indications the Panthers will give the Bears a game to remem-

Russell Jones, a freshman from Winston-Salem, has played a lot of ball for the Panthers in the past few games. Bill Loyd has looked very good in the fullback slot of Coach Smith's Tformation.

The coaches and all the men on the High Point College squad have worked long and hard to produce a winning team, and I think they have all done a great job, so let's all be out for the game and give the boys the support they deserve.

# Miss Philbeck

"I am so stiff I can hardly climb these three flights of stairs," we heard a poor freshman girl moan. We asked what the new assistant coach. Mr. Dait was all about. Someone said something about Miss Ellen Philbeck. We found her and would like for you also to know her. She is the girls' physical education teacher. Students, Miss Philbeck!

Miss Philbeck sports from Shelby, North Carolina. She has the B.S. and M.A. Degrees, receiving her B.S. degree from Appalachian State Teachers College and her M. A. degree from the University of North Carolina. Miss Philbeck adds to her credit of teaching, two years at Lexington High School and two years at Mississippi Southern College at Hattiesburg Mississippi.

Cats vs. Terrors Rats vs. Cats Rats vs. Mice Terrors vs. Travelers Dare Devils vs. Cats Rats vs. Travelers Dare Devils vs. Mice Dare Devils vs. Travelers Vagabonds vs. Rats Mice vs. Terrors

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Look out, Lenoir-Rhyne! Bill Loyd, three-time All-Conference fullback and co-captain of the Panther eleven, will give the Bears plenty of trouble tonight!

girls physical educational course. With her brown eyes is possible we hope to play teams from other schools in our for three years. intra-mural games."

### **Meet Coach Davis**

Have you noticed the handsome "guy" running around the campus? That's a silly question, how could you miss seeing him? He is really "around here". He is Robert (Bob) McCue Davis, vis hails from Huntington, West Virginia. He attended the public school there and was graduated from Vinson High School in 1945, after having served one and one-half years in the Navy Air Corps as a machinist's mate.

Mr. Davis attended Georgetown College at Georgetown, Ky., where he graduated in 1949.

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We inquired of Miss Philbeck While in college he played varwhat she had planned for the sity football for four years and was captain of the team the last year. He was also on the track sparkling and an energetic look and relay teams. He ran the oneon her face she replied, "We eighth mile, one-half mile and hope to have a bang up good mile. He was a member of Memgirls intra-mural program! If it per Kafa Alpha fraternity and a physical education instructor

Mr. Davis said, "This seems to —By Joan Wood be a very friendly place and 1 have a fine bunch of boys to work with." When asked about the team's chances he said, "I will guarantee that the team will get better as the days go by."



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### Fashions on Parade

This year, with the figure flattering fashions, we will be seeing more of you, including more leg span, for the narrow nine calls for shorter skirts. If you are fortunate enough to be able to wear the extreme ver. the current academic year. sion without a struggle, you are indeed lucky, but if you are fighting the battle of the bulge you can duck the issue with a wonderful tweed or velvet overskirt, or soften the routine with a hem length sash. You can even include in your wardrobe a full skirt if you please, though you may have more trouble finding a full skirt to suit you, than you would finding a straight skirt.

If bright colors are your weakness, now your wildest experiments have become established fashion. Crimson with mauve, purple with parrot green, and orange with navy are all good bets this fall in the fashion world. Of course, that all time favorite, black, or the black and white contrast, is still the height of fashion. This fall is the time for assembling this with that, and contrasting the most daring colors any hour of the day or night. You owe it to yourself and to everyone you meet to look your best. After all, you never know when the "Bill" of your life will come your way. -By Lib Gilbert

### C. S. C. Revised

The Christian Student Council, which has for a number of years been the guiding body for religious activities on the campus here at H.P.C, has been revised and is now the Student Christian Association Council. The purpose of this council as stated in the constitution is to unify and to direct the various organizations on the campus, and to stimulate religious life so as to portray the Christian attitude among the students.

Every student at H.P.C. who is interested in belonging to this organization is invited to do so. The students are entitled to participate in all activities sponsored by this council. Included in the council's program for this year are a vesper program every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the auditorium of Roberts Hall and a brief devotion every Monday morning at 10:20 in Lindley

Later on in the year the Student Christian Association plans to sponsor a Religious Emphasis Week. They plan also to present a seminar on Courtship and Marriage at some future date

The Student Christian Association Council is made up of officers elected by the C. S. C. and representatives from each religious organization as well as the Student Government Council. Those officers elected for this coming school year are:

Janie Barlett— President Harold Waters- Vice-Pres. Iris Williams- Sec. and Treas.

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### News from the Alumni

Addison Roby Barker, Jr., class of 1949, has accepted a position as an instructor in the Dept. of English with Marshall the mayor of High Point, Mr. W. College, Huntington, W. Va., for

Mr. Barker completed requirements for the degree of Master of Arts in the Department of English of the University of North Carolina. His thesis, FOLKLORE IN BLUM'S AL-MANAC, 1844-1950, was a notable contribution to North Carolina folklore.

During a recent visit to the campus, Mr. Barker donated nine books to our library.

Sergeant Joseph C. Redding, son of Mr. J. H. Redding of 2930 S. Main, High Point, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant according to a statement released by Tydall Air Force

Sgt. Redding, attended High Point College, enlisting in the Air Force March 1944, at Fort

Congratulations Alumni! May our names glorify our Alma Mater as yours have done.

#### "RAT WEEK"

(Continued from Page One) and hair in pigtails Wear clorox for perfume

Friday: Girls: Wear lamp shade for hat

Wear cold cream with no lipstick, but do wear eye sha

Carry books in pillow case Wear picture of yoursel hanging around your neck

Monday: Boys: Wear suits inside out with ties and shirts on backwards

Tuesday: Boys: Wear make-up including lipstick, face pow-

Carry books with rope

Wednesday: Boys: Wear pants and shirt backwards Carry books in suitcase

Thursday: Boys: Wear T-shirt with a tie on the front and one on the back

Wear one shoe and one bedroom slipper Friday: Boys: Carry a baby's rat

Carry books in a pillow case Have a picture of yourself hanging around your neck

Required of all Freshmen, boys and girls. 1. All Freshmen shall walk

single file during Rat Week. 2. All Freshmen shall rise to their feet when any upperclassman sits at their table in the dining hall.

3. All Freshmen shall remain in their class room seats until all upperclassmen have left the room, then they may leave single file.

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# Students Are Welcomed by High -By Lib Gilbert Point Leaders

Students at High Point College were officially welcomed by F. Bailey, president of the Merchants Association, Mr. Hyman, and the president of the Ministerial Association, the Rev. Mr. Hale, on behalf of the people and churches of High Point at the first all-student assembly September 20.

"High Point is proud and honnored to have the new students ored to have the new students group will contribute much to the better life of this nation. We want all students to feel that they are citizens of High Point," stated Mayor Bailey. The Rev. Mr. Hale and Mr. Hyman echoed these greetings and extended an invitation to all students to use and enjoy the churches and facilities in High Point during their stay here.

Mr. Ed Auman, president of the student Government, greeted the student body for the first time since his election to office last Spring. Mr. Auman expressed his desire for all new students to feel that they are part of High Point College and to feel free to make any suggestions that would aid the Student Government in their work to make the college a better place in which to live and work together in the coming years.

### With the Girls

The Woman's Athletic Association aims at a "bigger and better" program this year than ever before. Under the new presidency of Laura Mae De Haven and directory of Miss Ellen Philbeck, we feel that we will be able to accomplish this.

The officers for this year have been elected as following: Pres. Laura Mae De Haven; Vice-Pres. Patricia McCulloch; Sec., Roba Wright; Treas., Mary Lee Richardson; Publicity Manager, Ann Hendrix.

The "Honor Team" is playing speedball, basketball, volleyball, and softball this year and expect to try their skills on other colleges. The club plans to take over the girls intramural pro-

Since this is the only girls' sports club on campus, we hope that all the members will take sincere interest in its development.

-By Ann Hendrix

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# SOCIETY HIGHLIGHTS

By LIB GILBERT

social events of the early colling the evening. lege year, highlighting the activities of H.P.C., took place when the faculty entertained the student body with a lovely reception in the student center.

Members of the faculty com posing the receiving line were: Dr. Cooke, president of our college, and Mrs. Cooke; Dr. and Mrs. Coltrane, Mr. and Mrs. Ridenhour, Dr. and Mrs. Hinshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough, and Dr. and Mrs. Allred. The entire faculty, their wives, and the staff were present in the receiving line. Approximately the student body.

One of the most outstanding three hundred guests called dur-

Lovely console arrangements of flowers, furnished by Mrs. September the 14th at 8:00 p.m., Lindley, were displayed on the mantel, and serving table, which was covered with an Irish table cloth.

Miss Ada Johnson, assisted in the serving by the girls in the Home Ec. Department, served a delicious ice course.

According to Mrs. Betty Perry, head of the social committee, the reception was very successful, and was one to be remembered by both the faculty and

# Drama Class To Present Minstrelette

By popular request from the students here at High Point College, the Dramatics Class under the direction of Miss Emma Frances Baber will give a repeat performance of the minstrelette which was received so enthusiastically by its audience last year. This minstrelette is not to be confused with a min strel, for even though the cast will for the most part be black faces, the music performed will be of a semi-classical or classical nature. Exceedingly talented actors, actresses, and musicians are expected to perform in the minstrelette this year.

The Drama Class is also planning for this year two plays, a one-act play and a three-act play. The exact plays which are given have not been definitely decided upon as yet, but several bugging to old time square danplays by King, Barrett, and cing. Shaw are being considered.

The Speech classes this year are also planning a varied program. They plan to enter the debating contest, The Dixie Champion Forensic Tournament, which is held in Char-

lotte November 30 through December 2. The Speech classes will also enter the Grand Nåtional Forensic Tournament which is held in Fredricksburg. Va. March 21 through 25.

Miss Baber requests that all students interested in debating, speaking, and drama contact her at her office, the News Bureau, which is found next to the information office on the first floor of the Administration Building. Students are also asked to bring in to Miss Baber any information which they may have that would be of interest to their town newspaper in order that we place High Point College on the map.

The DAE Fraternity entertained its members and their dates with a dance and weiner roast Sept. 30 at Judson Ruth's

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