Ruth Brown Crowned Homecoming Queen

"Rat Week" Begins Monday

Ruth Brown, center, was elected by popular vote. They are, left to right: Nancy Tyssinger, 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 Beulah Wilson.

Record Enrollment

With a total increase of 36 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 factors. There are:

- 272 freshmen—164 men and 108 women
- 183 sophomores—132 men and 51 women
- 105 juniors—115 men and 30 women
- 107 seniors—112 men and 45 women
- 12 graduates—5 men and 7 women

Although the Methodist community dominates with 289, there are 114 Baptists, 44 Presbyterians, 13 Catholics, 15 Quakers, 13 Episcopalians, 10 Lutherans, and an eighteenth other denominations with only a few represented.

Rush Week

Dean J. Robert Allred has recognized October 28th and the tentative date for "Rush Week," during which the campus societys and fraternity meetings will rush their pledges.

Adoption of Alma Mater Proposed

The Alma Mater appearing below was received with enthusiasm by the student body and faculty when presented in assembly Wednesday, October 4, by the band and choir under the direction of Dr. Joseph Wilson and Mr. Wesley Collins.

The words were written by Dr. Lincoln Larrance, Head of the English Department. The music was composed by Mr. Albert J. Wood, Director of Music at High Point College last year. Dr. Wilson and Mr. Collins, with the assistance of the band, worked out the orchestrations.

It is hoped that the student body will be given the opportunity to formally adopt this song as the High Point College Alma Mater in the near future.

High Point College, Alma Mater.

Love shall ever shine your name.

Prevent like the trumpets challenge.

Golden like the heart you claim.

Oak and elm, from sturdy sapling.

Nursed by sun and sail and rain.

Tower as trees of might and beauty.

In your halls our natures train.

Mind and body, heart and spirit.

On your hallowed campus ground.

Budding, blossoming and maturing.

Till with truth's white fire they glow.

May you always be the guardian of these students.

Dean Alfred Welcomes Students

College spirit is a term hard to define. All you have to do is understand it is to look about you. Once you find it, participate in and enjoy it. Saturday is homecoming and you will meet alumni who have known what it means to enjoy college life. Try to discover from them what it is. Make them feel that you too sense the romance of college life enjoyed by so many alumni.

I cannot let this opportunity go by without inviting you to join us in the talk with me about your problems. If the college is failing you, I want you to know what it is. Perhaps I can tell you a few things you understand. Remember, if you are unhappy, so am I.

-J. H. Allred

The President's Invitation

Greetings and best wishes to the graduates and former students of High Point College! I am very happy that your visit here will be a happy one. Congratulations and the best of wishes to your Alma Mater. The real handicaps in life, Mr. Goodson believes, are the sense of grievance, a critical attitude, and a lack of real love. Mr. Goodson is a welcomed visitor on campus and the students look forward to his return in the near future.

Goodson Speaks on "Life's Handicaps"

"Poverty is not one of the handicaps in life," declared the Rev. Mr. Kenneth Goodson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, to the members and faculty October 4 assembled in Harrison Gymnasium. Mr. Goodson recalled a letter Paul wrote to his son in faith. Timothy, at college advising him to lay aside his handi-cap as a student, and if the students could have met the College's admission requirements.

All of our new additional dormitory rooms built during the summer are full to overflowing. The Board of Trustees, Faculty, Staff, and others, he continued, are extending to you a very warm invitation to return to your Alma Mater for Homecoming Day on Saturday, October 14. Everything possible is being done to make your visit both pleasant and enjoyable. In- cidentally, your presence here will be appreciated on that occasion and at the (Continued on Page Two)
Dean's List Will Replace Honor Roll
The honor roll has been replaced by the Dean's List at High Point College and new requirements have been announced for inclusion in this list. The student, upon earning an average of B on all subjects with no grade below C on any subject, besides the academic requirements, the student's conduct must meet the requirements and approval of the Dean of Students and the Executive Committee.

Operating on the theory that the student body in the history of H.P.C. had little competition as he has been seen at the Plantation Club and in the bookstore 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 certain Joyce from East Brook高等学校 attended by the typical H.P.C. boy. His real name is "Cubby" Liverman and when I asked him where he was from, he mumbled something. After he had repeated himself about five times, I raised my hand to admit that I still didn't know what he was talking about. But you new students are in for a surprise. Whether or not it became lazy during the hot summer months at home? We have a fine team this year in football Can the team say of you all.

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After losing the season's opener to W.C.C. 34-0, High Point redeemed themselves in a thrilling victory over Newberry College. The Indians made good in the second half to produce a 27-0 final score.

The Indian tag football program is off to a red hot start with several hard fought battles. In the Fraternity League, D.A.E. has proved itself offensively and defensively by scoring 53 points and holding the offense to 7 points in two games. Their two victories are enough to take the lead in the league.

The Intramural and Tag Football programs provide an exciting outlet for students. By Joan Wood

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

The Panthers are paced by Frank Little, all-conference end, and Fullback Billy Johnson. Head Coach Clarence Stasavich has a dangerous attack that is potent in the fast moving single-Wing formation. The starting line for the Bears will average in the neighborhood of 200 pounds, but they back some 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 Winston-Salem, has played for the Bears in the North State Conference. This week the Indians move to Winston-Salem to play the Appalachian Mountaineers in a contest that has an important bearing on the top tithe.

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 Parsons, a stand-up player for the Terrors, gave the Panthers the lead with a 27 yard touchdown.

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The Terrors and Rats have not given the Bears plenty of trouble tonight.

We were impressed with Miss Philbeek's educational course. With her broad eyes sparkling and an energetic look on her face, she replied, "We hope to have a bang up good girls intramural program! If it is possible we hope to play teams from other schools in our intramural games."

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Fashions on Parade

This year, with the figure flattering fashions, we will be seeing more of you, including more top guns, for the current nine calls for shorter skirts. If you are fortunate enough to be able to wear the extreme version without a struggle, you are indeed lucky, but if you may have more trouble finding a full skirt that fits you, though you would find a straight skirt. If bright colors are your weakness, your widest experiments have become established, with orange, purple, parrot green, and orange with navy are all good bets for this fall in the fashion world. Of course, that all-time favorite, black, will be black and white contrast, is still the color that will predict for you. This is the time for assembling this with that, and contrasting the maximum volume and color to the day or night. You owe it to yourself to take the utmost care in the creation of your best. If you are fortunate enough to be wearing the extreme version, you are indeed lucky, but if you are more leg span, for the narrow skirt if you please, though you wonderful tweed or velvet over-all time favorite, black, or the finding to look your best. After all, is the time for assembling this parrot you never know when the "Bill" will present itself. You owe it to yourself to take the utmost care in the creation of your best. If you are fortunate enough to be wearing the extreme version, you are indeed lucky, but if you are more leg span, for the narrow skirt if you please, though you wonderful tweed or velvet over-all time favorite, black, or the finding to look your best. After all, is the time for assembling this parrot you never know when the "Bill" will present itself.

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SOCIETY HIGHLIGHTS

BY LIE GILBERT

One of the most outstanding social events of the early college year, highlighting the social scene of H.P.C., took place on September 15th at 8:30 p.m., when the faculty entertained the student body with a lovely reception in the student center. Among the interesting getting the room were the faculty, and Mrs. Cooke, Dr. and Mrs. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. Redmond, Dr. and Mrs. Hinshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Turbough, and Mr. and Mrs. Allard. The entire faculty and their wives were present for the receiving line. Approximately three hundred guests called during the evening. Lovely Carson arrangements of flowers decorated for Mrs. Lindsey, were displayed on the counter, and serving table, which was covered with an Irish table cloth.

Miss Ada Johnson, assisted in the serving of the ladies in the Home. Mr. Department, served delicious ice cream. 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 the student body.

Drama Class To Present Minstrelute

By popular request from the students here at High Point College, the Drama Class under the direction of Miss Em-ma Frances Fisher will give a repeat performance of the minstrelute which was received so enthusiastically by students last year. This minstrelute is to be confused with a min-estrel program, in that music performance will be of a semi-classical or classi-cal nature. Exceedingly talented actresses, actors, and musicians are expected to perform in the production this year.

The Drama Class is also planning for this year two plays, a professional and a street play. The exact plays which are being considered are of a semi-classical or classical nature. Exceedingly talented actresses, actors, and musicians are expected to perform in the production this year.

The Speech classes this year have that would be of interest to all students interested in debating, speaking, and a drama contact bar 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 to Miss Fisher any information which they may have of a production that they think would be of interest to their town newspaper in order that we place High Point College in the map.

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