



Winthrop University
Digital Commons @ Winthrop
University

The Johnsonian 1930-1939

The Johnsonian

10-2-1936

The Johnsonian October 2, 1936

Winthrop University

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.winthrop.edu/thejohnsonian1930s>

Recommended Citation

Winthrop University, "The Johnsonian October 2, 1936" (1936). *The Johnsonian 1930-1939*. 144.
<https://digitalcommons.winthrop.edu/thejohnsonian1930s/144>

This Newspaper is brought to you for free and open access by the The Johnsonian at Digital Commons @ Winthrop University. It has been accepted for inclusion in The Johnsonian 1930-1939 by an authorized administrator of Digital Commons @ Winthrop University. For more information, please contact digitalcommons@mailbox.winthrop.edu.

The Johnsonian

THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE STUDENT BODY OF WINTHROP COLLEGE

VOL. 16, NO. 2

ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1938

SUBSCRIPTION, \$1.00 A YEAR

EVALUATE LAST YEAR'S WORK

Committees to Consider Rules on Rides, Light Cuts, and Week-Ends

Members of the Senate met Monday, September 25, to evaluate the eighteen rules and resolutions which they enacted last year.

Rules provoking most discussion during the evaluation were those concerning light-cuts, week-end leaves of absence, and riding to and from town.

The group voted to refer these rules to committees appointed by the President of the Senate. These committees will consider the rules, and try to formulate some solution to present before the Senate at its next meeting in November.

The committee to consider rules is composed of Virginia McKeithen, chairman, Tressa Douglas, Louie Kibb, Elizabeth Kelly, Martha Moore, and Dr. Jarrell, faculty adviser.

On light cuts, the committee is composed of chairman, Mary Galligan; Anna Elliott, Rose Rudnick, and Virginia Walker.

Dr. Kiseard requested that the president of the Senate appoint a committee of six students to work with the faculty committee to re-evaluate the rules.

CLUB DISCUSSES SPANISH REVOLT

Peach Kirkland Wins After-Dinner Contest

"Resolved: That the United States should support the loyalist government in Spain," was the query discussed at Debating League meeting in Club Room on Wednesday afternoon, September 26, at 4:30. Peach Kirkland was the winner of the after-dinner contest held in connection with the meeting.

Topics of the contest were songs from the Hit-of-the-Week Parade. The speakers and their titles were: Eddie Gentry, of Greenville, was elected to represent the Freshman class on the Athletic Association Board at a meeting of the class held Tuesday night, September 26, in Main Auditorium, at 8:30. The class then selected the tiger as its mascot.

Eddie M. E., when asked for a statement concerning her election, "was thrilled to death."

Next Week at Winthrop

Friday, 4:30-5:30—Men Hall: Knitting Class.
5:00—Johnson Hall: Beta Phi Theta.
4:30—Dr. Helen Macdonald's home: Social Service Club.
Picture Show.
Sunday, 2:30-12:00—Churches of the City: Sunday School and Church Service.
6:30—Vespers: Amphitheater.
Monday, 4:30—Johnson Hall: Knitting Class.
5:00—Mrs. Maginn's Talk on Parliamentary Procedure.
Tuesday, 7:30—Johnson Hall: Choral Society Rehearsal.
Wednesday, 17:30—Main Auditorium: Chapel Exercises.
4:30—Music Hall Auditorium: Religious Broadcast.
4:30—Johnson Hall: I. R. C.
4:30—Johnson Hall: Vespers.
Thursday, 4:30—Johnson Hall: Young Democrats.

JUNIORS ELECT REPRESENTATIVE

M. E. Martin of St. Matthews to Be Member of Athletic Board

M. E. Martin of St. Matthews was elected athletic representative of the Junior Class at a meeting of Wednesday, September 30.

She was on the varsity baseball team for two years, and on the football team for two years, and on the soccer squad last year. She is a member of the Phi Delta Xi Social Club and reporter for the Europe and Scallop.

Eddie M. E., when asked for a statement concerning her election, "was thrilled to death."

Freshman Class Elects Representative

Eddie Gentry, of Greenville, was elected to represent the Freshman class on the Athletic Association Board at a meeting of the class held Tuesday night, September 26, in Main Auditorium, at 8:30. The class then selected the tiger as its mascot.

During her four years at Greenville High School Eddie Gentry has written stock letters for participation in volleyball, basketball, baseball, and track. Eddie served as vice-president of the Athletic Club her junior year. During her senior year Eddie was president of the Athletic Association. She was also a member of the Athletic Committee in charge of all games.

Eddie was president of the Girl Reserve, and advertising manager of the school paper her senior year. Eddie also served as a counselor at the Y. W. C. A. Camp Glendale, at Cedar Mountain, North Carolina.

(Continued on Page Four)

STATISTICS ON 1938-1939 GRADUATES

Total number graduates requiring work 307
Continuing student elsewhere 5
Married 10
Positions secured 207
Yet to be placed 22

Two-year commercial specials 30
Positions secured 12
Returning to Winthrop 7
Yet to be placed 11

Winthrop College Orchestra will this year observe its twentieth birthday. Quite different is the orchestra as it is known today, with its strings, percussion, and brass and wood-wind instruments—from what it was in the early days of its history. During those early days when first organized by Mrs. Sidney Adams of Rock Hill, the orchestra was composed only of violins and piano.

Mrs. Adams, a private violin teacher, had been assisted by the church to give two afternoons a week to instructing five students who wished to study violin, but could not because the college had no violin teacher. When Mrs. Adams agreed to teach, she found there were nine instead of five who wished to study violin. With these nine violin students as a nucleus, Mrs. Adams organized the Winthrop Orchestra.

The orchestra, whose membership increased from nine to twenty-four players for the first time at the first Founder's Day exercises, which

were held on the night of January 19, this initial appearance was a surprise to even Dr. Johnson, who upon seeing the orchestra, did not realize it was composed of Winthrop students.

"I did not know that you had engaged an orchestra for tonight," he said to the chairman of the program committee.

"We haven't, Dr. Johnson," the chairman responded. "That is your own orchestra."

During that first year, the orchestra was not included in the budget. It was, therefore, necessary to obtain money for music and additional instruments from some other source. The members of the orchestra got this money by playing light numbers before the picture show on Mrs. Johnson's birthday. Instead of paying one cent for admission, the paid five cents and put the other five cents into the treasury.

In this way, they secured enough to buy during the first year, a cello, a piano, and a violin.

(Continued on Page Four)

Orchestra Gets Start By Playing At Silent Pictures

Winthrop's College Orchestra will this year observe its twentieth birthday. Quite different is the orchestra as it is known today, with its strings, percussion, and brass and wood-wind instruments—from what it was in the early days of its history. During those early days when first organized by Mrs. Sidney Adams of Rock Hill, the orchestra was composed only of violins and piano.

Mrs. Adams, a private violin teacher, had been assisted by the church to give two afternoons a week to instructing five students who wished to study violin, but could not because the college had no violin teacher. When Mrs. Adams agreed to teach, she found there were nine instead of five who wished to study violin.

With these nine violin students as a nucleus, Mrs. Adams organized the Winthrop Orchestra.

The orchestra, whose membership increased from nine to twenty-four players for the first time at the first Founder's Day exercises, which

Scene on the Spot Where the Original Winthrop Chapel is to Stand on Winthrop Campus



Dr. John McSween, representing Columbia Presbyterian Theological Seminary, hands a brick out of the original chapel to President Sheldon Phelps, symbolic of the handing over of the guardianship of the old building.

Featured Facts

National honorary fraternities are particularly busy at present sending out bids to students with high qualifications. The question of the value of these fraternities is, consequently, being raised at many colleges. Are the national organizations of so much greater service than local groups that they justify the extreme difference in membership fee?

Someone has got into the habit of appropriating new magazines placed in Johnson Hall. The V. C. A., which supplies the magazines, is greatly disturbed.

When high school students are bored by the teacher, they grow restless and noisy; college students freeze up and stare into space. The former reaction does cause the teacher to change the subject.

Even in 1938 freshmen will over their weekly themes. Is this an annual affair at all colleges?

The walls of the third floor and lower rooms of Main Building afford a review of girls who have been at Winthrop for many years past. All of the walls are decorated thickly with names of students who have wandered through the unused rooms.

The "temper of the times" is clearly evident at Winthrop. A short while ago, girls bragged about how hizzies they studied; this year, however, seems to take pride in telling how hard they study.

GERMAN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Thalia and Terpsichorean Clubs Vote to Combine

"Help" Geiger was elected president of the German Club at a joint meeting of the Thalia and Terpsichorean Clubs, Thursday, September 1. At this time the two dance organizations voted to combine. The activities will continue under the name of "The German Club."

Frances Edwards was elected secretary and treasurer at a meeting Tuesday, September 26. Blas will be president to pledges the first of next week.

After a week of rushing the club met Wednesday and elected eleven new members. They are as follows: Kitty Foster, Weena Ervin, Eugenia Kendall, Ocie Johnson, Theda Johnson, Sara Jennings, Pat Stanton, Rita Burke, Edna, Pat Jeter, Helen Simpson, and Smokey Parrot.

It seemed that Mrs. Watson and Mr. McClung had carefully watched the daily progress of the club. But, somehow, neither of them viewed it on Monday until late in the evening. They found it in full bloom.

Not wishing its sweetness to be wasted on the Winthrop air, Mrs. McClung picked it, and brought it to everyone, regardless of race.

Despite her efforts to preserve it, the waxiness of the cactus has changed to a twisted yellowness by Tuesday morning.

FACULTY HOLDS SOCIAL MEETING

Program Carries Out Japanese Motif—Dr. Phelps Speaks

Combining the professional and the social, the Winthrop faculty met its first regular meeting Thursday evening, at Johnson Hall. It was the first of the series of professional-social faculty meetings announced by President Phelps at the beginning of the present session.

The lobby was decorated with Japanese lanterns, flags, and parrot. Japanese incense burned, creating a foreign atmosphere.

President Phelps began opening the meeting. Then Miss Thompson, dressed in a Japanese costume, who she brought from Japan this summer, spoke on Japan as a country expressing both beauty and efficiency.

Miss Constance Wardle sang two Japanese folk song and "Un bel di vedremo," the aria from Madame Butterfly, by Puccini. Roberta played on the organ "Sovereign Reign," the national anthem of Japan.

Tea which Miss Mima brought from Japan was served with cakes and red mint.

Elementary Ed. Club Gives Party

Approximately one hundred members of the Elementary Education Club and Training School superintendents were guests at a garden party given by the club from 6:30 to 8 o'clock Tuesday, September 26, at the home of Misses Sadie Goggans and Dema Lockheed.

The guests were met at the gate by a member of the social committee who let each guest choose a fortune from a punchboard Fortune Tree.

Throughout the half-hour, Thompson played piano selections. Punch was served from a table in the center of the garden.

The social committee of the club is composed of Cornelia Des Champ, chairman, "Deck" Ulmer, Mildred Face, Martha Abernathy, Edna Adams, Elizabeth McCombs, and Ruth Betts.

Night-Blooming Cereus Exhibited

Light bell was totally disregarded on first floor North Monday evening had seen the night-blooming cereus with Mrs. McClung's personal exhibit.

It seemed that Mrs. Watson and Mr. McClung had carefully watched the daily progress of the club. But, somehow, neither of them viewed it on Monday until late in the evening. They found it in full bloom.

Not wishing its sweetness to be wasted on the Winthrop air, Mrs. McClung picked it, and brought it to everyone, regardless of race.

Despite her efforts to preserve it, the waxiness of the cactus has changed to a twisted yellowness by Tuesday morning.

YOUNG DEMS ADMIT MEMBERS

Program Will Feature Outside Speakers and Informal Debates

Thirty-four students were accepted as members of the Young Democrats at a meeting of the club in Johnson Hall, at five o'clock. Lou Klugh, president of the organization, explained the purpose and history of the Young Democratic clubs and discussed plans for the coming year.

Meetings are to be informal and tug-of-war debates are to serve as programs. Outside speakers are to be invited to each meeting to be held the second Thursday in every month in the Winthrop Literary Society Room of Johnson Hall. A social meeting is to be held once monthly. Thirty dances are to be given during the coming year, the first of the series being a Thanksgiving Hop.

A delegation from Young Democrats is to be sent to Columbia soon to visit the legislature while in session, and the home of the governor. Miss Mary Calvert, sociology director, has been chosen sponsor for the coming year.

ALPHA PSI ZETA NAMES OFFICERS

Carolyn Estes and Ruth Beithen Are Vice-President and Treasurer

Carolyn Estes, senior, of Winthrop, and Ruth Beithen, senior, of Marion, were elected vice-president and treasurer, respectively, of Alpha Psi Zeta, psychology fraternity, at a meeting Thursday, September 26, at Johnson Hall.

The social committee of the club is composed of Cornelia Des Champ, chairman, "Deck" Ulmer, Mildred Face, Martha Abernathy, Edna Adams, Elizabeth McCombs, and Ruth Betts.

COPY GETTER

Light bell was totally disregarded on first floor North Monday evening had seen the night-blooming cereus with Mrs. McClung's personal exhibit.

It seemed that Mrs. Watson and Mr. McClung had carefully watched the daily progress of the club. But, somehow, neither of them viewed it on Monday until late in the evening. They found it in full bloom.

Not wishing its sweetness to be wasted on the Winthrop air, Mrs. McClung picked it, and brought it to everyone, regardless of race.

Despite her efforts to preserve it, the waxiness of the cactus has changed to a twisted yellowness by Tuesday morning.

Alumnae Conduct Exercises For Removal Of Chapel

GIRLS IN SOUTH HAND RADIOS IN

Group Demonstrates That Student Cooperation is Possible

Radios, forbidden in the student rooms, were voluntarily turned in by their owners in South dormitory Wednesday night, after a house meeting which led up to this spontaneous action of the group.

The decision to make the unpreceded move was the result of the opinion among the girls that the administration would be influenced by a act of group cooperation.

They felt that the voluntary giving up of their radios, long prohibited in the rooms, would demonstrate their willingness and ability to act together in a matter which affected the group.

Outs who live in South have been raised to a high pitch of enthusiasm by the course they have taken. They hope that other dormitories will follow the example set by South, in order that such a test of group action may be college-wide, and thereby more nearly indicate the general feeling of the student body.

Daring Snake Meets Death By Broom

A snake wrangler Monday晚上在 the hall of the dormitory on a brief trip of exploration—until it met three snakes. The report is that the snake acted heroically in the fray. He bore with stoic calm the shrieks of the young women; he attempted to glide nonchalantly away when he saw the cruel weapons he must contend against—three hours; he even struggled against the walls which contained him. At last, though, he died—a victim of three hearths Winthropian.

In responding, the Honorable Erwin Carothers, mayor of Rock Hill, attributed to Winthrop's founder, Dr. D. B. Johnson. He named the many ways that had been used to protect the蛇 while the untiring efforts of Winthrop's founder. He also expressed the pleasure that Rock Hill felt in being able to

(Continued on Page Four)

COMMITTEE ISSUES RULES

October 13 is Only Day on Which Social Clubs May Rush

Standards Committee established rules for social club rushing at a meeting Friday night in Johnson Hall. The rules for 1938-39 are as follows:

1. Date cards must be placed in the hands of Lizzie Walter Cookfield, secretary of Standards Committee, by 10:30 on Sunday night, October 11.

2. Date cards will be put up in the post office by members of Standards Committee by 10:30 on Monday, October 12.

3. All rushers are to return date cards, checking dates to the club presidents by 8 o'clock Monday night.

4. Rushing begins and ends Tuesday, October 13. Dates to appear on

(Continued on Page Four)

Meet "Budget", Guardian Of Johnsonian Copy

Formerly an equestrian and clubman, Dave Miller is now interested primarily in work pertaining to literature, "Budget," as he is familiarly known around the Johnsonian office. For seventeen years he has worked for the Record Printing Company, the company which has been sending him from time immemorial "get the copy," for which he sits in his quiet, soft-spoken voice.

Prior to his position as handyman to Mr. Brown, he taught him to ride, and later learned to box. He has been a member of the Winthrop Amateur Boxing Club, and has won several titles.

Miller, who is slightly more than five feet four inches tall and weighs 125 pounds, has a mustache, eyes that are light blue, and refined taste—prefers to smoke pipes, pipe and cigar, quiet, modest living, to extravagance. Says he, "I like to eat, 't is eat a plenty, but I like to save, too."

When asked how he liked granding intervals, "Budget" said, "I like it." And that's the way he feels about our fellow staff member from Blackstock, who has made his home among us in Rock Hill.

"Ann of Green Gables" Stars Shirley, Brown

"Anne of Green Gables," starring Anne Shirley and Tom Brown, will be presented in Main Auditorium Saturday night, October 5, at 7:30.

The story revolves around Anne Shirley, who is adopted by a middle-aged brother and sister (O. P. Heggy and Mrs. Westley), there being a slight twist in the part of orphanage officials. The couple had ordered a boy, and received an awkward, red-haired, and freckled little girl. The emotional punch centers on whether this youngster, whose mind strenuously carries her into worlds of fantastic Utopia, will take root in the heart of hard-boiled Miss Wester, or not.

The finally does. Then follows a series of kid disputes brought on by healthy resentment against unscrupulous country gospers of the neighbors. Childhood romance blossoms between herself and Tom Brown, son of the man who stole Meggie's fiance.

Don't miss this popular show. It is the time-honored "only duckling" theme with all the gamblings!

It is very comforting to be able to say that if somebody does not agree with you, there must be something the matter with his glands—Prof. H. J. Morris, M. Y. Medical School.

ADAM'S LUNCH STAND

Hot Dogs!
Cold Drinks!

Visit Us!

The Universal Drink



Is Made Here by
The Coca-Cola
Bottling Co.

Rock Hill, S. C.



KID D'ORSAY
For
Women
98c
Black Kid with shiny patent leather soles. Flexible heel.
For Informal wear!

J. C. PENNEY CO.

PRINTING

Consult Us for Your
Needs

Programs, Stationery
Cards, Engraving

**THE
RECORD PRINTING
COMPANY**
ROGER BROOKS, MANAGER
Phone 164

EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS
Police Department 108
Fire Department 379

BAKER'S SHOE RENURY 227
Next to Peoples Bank
801 MAIN STREET

Meet Your Friends
at
Good Drug Co.

Tell Your Boy Friends and
Family to Stop at

**The White Tourist
Home**
WHEN IN ROCK HILL
Jas. A. White 436 Saluda St.

History Head



DR. WARREN G. KEITH
Head of the history department,
Winthrop College.

Dr. Macdonald



PROF. J. F. THOMASON,
Associate professor in the department
of sociology and political science, Winthrop College.

Speaks



"Phi U" to Sponsor Flower Contest

Psi Upsilon chapter will sponsor a flower arrangement contest, Wednesday, October 30, in Johnson Hall. Flower arrangements will be entered under the following classes: formal, informal, and Japanese. The contest is open to students, faculty members, and officers of the college.

Those entering the contest are requested to leave their name and the type of entry in the 10 North.

Choral Society To Present Opera

Members of the Winthrop Choral Society, assisted by soloists, plan to present the opera "Cavalleri Rusticana" by Macbeth, during the latter part of November.

The soloists, who have not yet been engaged, will sing the arias. The Choral Society will sing the choruses.

The Winthrop Choral Society is composed of the Rock Hill Choral Club and the College Chapel Choir.

Pictures must be handed in with the removal of the chaplet.

The Reverend Mr. John McEvane, representing Columbia Presbyterian Theological Seminary, expressed the pleasure with which the shrine was presented to Winthrop. He pointed out the fact that Winthrop is a hero of the nation, and that he would live forever in the memory of those who have given and those who will be influenced by Winthrop students.

In concluding, Mr. McEvane stated that the persistence of Miss Lella Russell, Alumnae Secretary, had made that memorable day come to pass.

Following Dr. McEvane's response, the exercises were concluded with the singing of "America the Beautiful," and the benediction by Dr. F. W. Gregg, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Rock Hill.

I have no time to spare to do
the things I do not care to do.
Until it is too late to do,
the things I simply hate to do.
Saturday Evening Post.

BEFORE
TOO LATE GET YOUR
COLLEGE RING

Bearings
Official Seal
Certified
\$2.00 Value
only

25c
with the
purchase of a
bottle of

Parker Quink
at 15¢—YOU SAVE \$1.75

The Parker Pen Co. makes this saving offer now because they are giving away a remarkable new ink that dries your pen as it is written. It is called PARKER 314, and it does NOT dry in a pen.

Get a Parker Quink pen and the book "The FULL VALUE of your school or college education," and send us your name and address. Then we will send you a Parker Quink pen, Dept. 728, Rock Hill, S. C.

Don't delay. This offer ends Dec. 31, 1934, if supply lasts.

A Small Photo Expresses
Your Personality

Brownie Studio

WE LIVE UP TO OUR NAME!

Faultless Cleaners

When Planning to Build or Remodel

Consult

Catawba Lumber Company

Telephone 148

LET EFIRD'S FILL YOUR HOSIERY NEEDS

Senior Class Hose, first quality, with triple reinforced heel and toe \$6.00 per pair

De Moda Hose—first quality, with high French heel, \$6.00 per pair, \$1.15

Full fashioned all-silk hose in chiffon, semi-chiffon, and service weight. Slightly irregular \$6.00, 2 pr., \$1.15

New collars in lace, plique, and satin 40s and 60s

New pocketbooks in suede and genuine calf skin. \$1.00 and \$1.25

EFIRD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

Beautiful Ringlets Chiffon Hose—newest fall shades

Guaranteed Coupon

69c

Reid Brothers
Electric Co.

121 Hampton St.
We repair all makes of radio
and electrical appliances.

Come See Our Jewelry!
Bracelets, Rings, Pins,
Compacts

THE CANTEEN



Lenthéric

DELICATE COMPLEXION
FACE POWDER

Finely textured, it goes on smoothly,
imparting a sheenless but lasting finish.
Each shade is a perfect re-
production of a living skin tone,
resulting in invisibility of the powder when applied. The new
Lenthéric face powder claims with
almost ageless permanence and in-
spires confidence in a beautifully
natural appearance.

Face Powder \$1.10 box.

Economy Roll \$1.00

**Phillip's
Drug Co.**

Knitting—Crochet Yarns

Threads—Stamped Pieces

The Newest Designs and Colors

AT

J. J. NEWBERY CO.
Rock Hill's Most Complete
5-10-25c Store

Illustration of a bed frame and mattress

Jacobs Furniture Co. Phone 933