# Activities Of Major Organizations Reviewed 



Kris Johnson and Lee Levering Crowned at Frosh Valentine Dance Each year a tiny little kingdam
comes to life, and its members are young at heart once more This is the Kingdom of Hearts, but known to most of us as the
annual Valentine Dance, sponsored by the Freshman Class. Faithful subjects of that little land come from far and near to be gay and
olso to pay homage to a new King and Queen.
Hearts were young and gay in the romantic atmosphere of the
Valentine malentine mood. The incentive
provided for this charming set ting was the very capable music of the
Orchestra.
Ooohs and aaahs were in order with the arrival of the bidders for
the throne of the King of Hearts. The heirs to the crown ship were chosen by popular vote of their loyal subjects as they arrived at the door. Chosen to reigy
were Kris Johnson and Lee Lev ering, who were attended by the princes and princesses of the court, namely, Carolyn Kniceley,
William Curtis, Eleanor Bach, Robert Hall, Gertrude Patilla, and James Brodes
The noted attraction of the eve ers and the gay spirits of thase who attended. Perhaps it was the thrill of the coronation that brought this about, or the charm ing atmosphere, or maybe the mu sic, but it was grand.
And so our little kingdom goes back to sleep until next year. Yet we home, do the King and the

SGA Reports Latest Proposals and Events About a month ago the Student
G.jvernment Association accepted an invitation from the Maryland State College SGA at Princess
Anne to hold a meeting with them in which mutual problems would be discussed. The joint meeting was planned for Monday night, February 14, at Princess Anne Surely you'll want to know the results so don't fail to inquire fom your SGA representative. tution is rapidly progressing. Miss Marshall asked that each organization submit a copy of its constitution to her committee since these are inclued as
Soon you'll probably be seeing new card tables. The SGA has voted to buy so tables torces and other purposes. It was agreed that the SGA buy a much needed florescent lamp to be placed by the Snack Bar fountain.
The president, Mr. Rebstock, called a special meeting last week Cor the purpose of the SGAs se-
lecting a person for the Post office job. William Curtis was selected by a majority of secret vots.
The SGA members are very much interested in making STC's mascot "Gulls" prominent. The times. Perhaps you have some suggestions.
The SGA is also anxious to get students interested in its meetthe next meeting and plan to at tend!

## Nine Evening Courses Offered to Community

Fifty-seven teachers and other adults of the community have bury for the semester which credit

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## STC Frosh Receives a

 Chemical Award Here of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin A. Johnsan of 1008 North Division Street hes received the Chemical Rubber Company award for the college student having the highest aver age in Chemistry for the first se mester at the State Teachers Col lege, according to Mr. James F . Glenn, instructor. Miss Johnson was presented a copy of the latest edition of the Handbook of Chem istry and Physics, published by the Company in recognition of her achievement.Miss Johnson, a member of the freshman class at STC, came to Salisbury from Indiana by way of North Carolina. She spent vear and a half at Wicomico High School from which she was gradrated in 1954. She is enrolled in the srientific curriculum of the from which she expects to trans fer to a technical institution for orenaration for a career in chemical resparch. While a student she has done part-time work at the ocal Campbell Soup Company chemical control laboratory and in the research laboratory of RubCompany. Both of Miss Johnson's parents are teachers.

Second Semester Finds Many Students Gone 1954-55 academic year began, some familiar faces were missing from the ranks of S.T.C.'s student body. Two seniors graduated at mid-year and a number of tention of joining the armed forces.
Both Donald Collins and Andrew Dickerson (better known as "Spuck") received their baccalaureate degrees in January. Each of them had begun his stan ere as a transfer student and training curriculum. This change necessitated their making up sev eral required courses and thus the extra semester's stay. "Spuck" is now teaching social studies at Greensboro High School in Car ing several offers of teaching jobs, particularly one in Delaware. Another senior who failed to return for the second semester is Carolyn Leister Godfrey. Mrs. Godfrey will make up the few credits she needs for her degre at American University in Washington, D. C., where her husband is studying for the ministry. Her absence is particularly felt by the members of the College Ch

On January 19th the Air Forc called "Dougie" Robbins, John T Adams, Donald Sterling, George Jerman and Bob Sturgis to aban don their scholastic pursuits and begin winning their wings. "Buddy" Emerson, president of the freshman class, had previously left to join the army
To these and the several others who have gone for various and sundry reasons, we wish good luck. They will continue to occupy a place in our memories.

## Sophanes Players, FTA, Photography Club, <br> Newman Club, Christian Association Act <br> STC has five major organiza



Mrs. Fleming Returns As English Instructor Mrs. A. L. Fleming has returne STC this semester after at ending Columbia University in New York City where she worked toward the doctor of Philosophy degree. After attending Columbia from June 1, 1954, ta the end of the first semester this year, Mrs. Fieming has completed her residence requirements.
Mrs. Fleming's particular shere of interest is literary criticism and she has started workng on her dissertation on "A Study of Shifting Points of View eaching of American Litera

Prior to her leave of absence, Mrs Fleming taught English and did personnel work here at the college. Now Mrs. Fleming has eplaced Mrs. Lucy Bennett, who has retired as instructor of literture and speech. When asked she felt about being back, Mrs. Fleming said, I am exremely happy to be back at State Teachers College."

## "Bill" Curtis Elected

 Postmaster by SGA emester came the change of pos master for our Student Activity Center. Bill Curtis was elected to ucceed Grayson Wheatley, who as filled the position since Sep embercommittee composed of Werner Rebstock, Sylvia Givans, and Robert Denston picked three candidates from the list of applicants or the post according to the qualfications set up by the Student Government Board. The three who were chosen were first approved by Mr. A. L. Fleming. The andidates and elected Bill Curtis s postmaster for this semester During his stay at STC Bill has een active in both basketball and occer and now serves as treasurr of the Men's Athletic Assocition. Last year he held the of fice of president of the Men's Day

He has been a member of th chool orchestra and also the Col ege Chorus. Bill, who is now
tions, exclusive of the athletic as sociations, which sponsor various functions and activities through the year. These organizations are the Sophanes Players, Future Teachers of America, Photography Club, Newman Club, a the Christian Association.
The Sophanes Players have pre ented an experimental one-act play in arena style theatre. This was previewed at a banquet giv en by the club for the faculty and members of the organization. The Sophanes Players hope to follow this up with a three-act play this pring and the presentation of an assemb'y program February 17. The Saturday night before Hal oween, the Future Teachers of America sponsored a "spook party" which was well attended This event is given annually by them.
The Photography Club does not ponsor any social functions, but plays a necessary role in the college, All the pictures in the newspaper and many of those that will appear in the yearbook are taken by its members. It was necessary that much new equipment be purchased this year, and they are in the pr
The Newman Club has spansored just recently a party at the Catholic School; and throughout the year they hold panel discus sions on religion. Also, members of the club have been active in bazaars sponsored in town.
The Christian Association has vesper services each Sunday evening. They presented the Thanks giving program and the Candlelighting service in conjunction with the Glee Club. The Association sponsored a trip for several of the members who wished to attend the planning program of he Student Christian Association of the Eastern Shore. Also, they have recently pledged their sup port in the World Student Christian Movement.
This, then, is a review of what STC's clubs have accomplished to date.

## Campus Pupils Collect

 One Hundred Sixty Dollars for Polio
## The Campus Elementary School

 is in there pitching again in another of its charitable moneymaking campaigns. One-hundredsixty dollars was collected for the March of Dimes from pupils of the six grades. More credit than ever goes to our youngsters this year, because the campaign was not set up on a competitive basis as it has been in the past. The children are conscious of the need since there are several cases of polio in the elementary school, and contributed accordingly.The children have now initiated a drive to solicit money for the heart fund.
senior, is enrolled in the Junior High Teacher Education Curricumill graduate next February.


AS THE EDITOR SEES IT


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Engaged to Be Married Now that Valentine's Day has passed and the Christmas season is only a faint memory, a new crop of engaged couples has emerged from the ranks of the STC students. Among thase about to be married are:
Virginia Nock, a sophomore, and Duane Bradley, a senior, became engaged shortly before came enga
Christmas.
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Janice Isenhour and Lloyd Harrington plan to be married in the fall. She is a sophomore and he is a junior.
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Carolyn Leight, who is a sophomore, became engaged during the Christmas season to Tommy Merrill, who is a junior at West Virginia Wesleyan.
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Another engaged couple are Roberta Burns and George Mason, who are both sophomores at STC

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Elaine Brinsfield and Ronnie Hughes are engaged. Elaine is a junior and Ronnie is a sophomore.
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Sally North, who recently returned to STC as a sophomore, became engaged to Forrest Lees during her absence. "Woody" is now serving in the Navy.
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Shirley Bowdle, a senior, who is well known at STC, recently became engaged to "Bunky" Truitt who is a junior.
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Norma Lee Brinsfield, who has just returned to STC as a sophomore after a brief absence, is engaged to Richard Martin. Her fiance is attending the University of Maryland.

GIRLS' VARSITY BOASTS RECORD OF EIGHT WINS (Continued from Page 3) vans, assistant manager, is responsible for refreshments after games for visiting teams. Both of these girls are certainly deserving of a big "thank you" from everyone.


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