

JUNIOR MEMBERS ROUND TABLE:

Plan Workshop in the Fall

At the March 24, 1956 meeting of the NCLA Executive Board, committee members, and section officers, Junior Members were represented by Elvin Strowd, Mary Lou Lucy, and Charles Laughner. Neal Austin was present but could not attend the JMRT meeting because of conflicts in scheduling of other section meetings.

The three officers discussed the possibility of increasing JMRT membership. Florence Blakely of Duke University has been appointed chairman of the Membership Committee and hopes to be able to start a campaign for members in the near future.

To stimulate interest in JMRT the three officers agreed that a worthwhile program is needed. It was suggested that JMRT work closely with the NCLA recruiting program, and accordingly the services of Junior Members have been offered to the NCLA Recruiting Committee. It was also agreed that our section should offer its services to the Joint Committee of NCLA and the North Carolina English Teachers' Association in preparing the annotated list of North Carolina fiction.

In order to get Junior Members together for a general meeting it was decided to plan a workshop for the fall. The chairman would greatly appreciate suggestions from any and all as to topics of interest to be worked up for discussion at this proposed meeting.

At the afternoon session of the general meeting the above proposals were presented to the group.

ELVIN STROWD, *Chairman*