

## GLEE CLUB LEAVES WEDNESDAY ON TOUR



The members of the Glee Club are pictured above. Left to right, beginning on the first row are: Jeannette Miller, Janice Brown, Grace Hunter, Barbara Connelly, Shirley Robinson, Myra Carpenter, Marti Smathers, Margie Long, Lou Cloninger, Elizabeth Whisenant, Donna Johnson, and Professor Nelson Adams. On the second row are: Mary Anne Matthews, Martha Carpenter, Jackie Williams, Kay Johnson, Sylvia Jones Minna Morrow Martha Laughlin, Shirley Thompson, Janis Smith, Judy Kiser, and Letitia Schenck. Those on the third row include: Ronnie Money, David Feijoo, Heyward McElveen, and Letitia Schenck. Those on the fourth row include: Jim Morris, Gary Frick, Larry McElveen, John Whitener, Charles Adams, and Jimmy Calloway. On the back row are: Regie Wyont, Hayes Bishop, Harvey Pulliam, Jerry Forbes, Rodney Frye, Ole Borgen, Ross Wingo, Laney Funderburk, Don Payne, Horace Turner, Phil Schoonmaker, and Don Oglesby. Those not included in the picture are: Betty Bradley, Suzanne Witter, Gene Ladd, Lewis Ledwell, Howard Martin, and David Trucksess.

## Will Tour Piedmont And Western Sections Of North Carolina

The Brevard College Glee Club will leave Wednesday, March 27th, for their annual spring tour, which will take them to eight high schools and three churches in Western and Piedmont North Carolina.

Directed by Professor Nelson F. Adams, head of the college music department, the 43-voice group will sing both sacred and secular selections. Miss Jeannette Miller, sophomore from Icard, North Carolina, is accompanist. In addition to the Glee Club, the Men's Quartet and Women's Trio will render several selections each.

The schedule is as follows:

March 27 — High Point High School  
Rankin Memorial Methodist Church, High Point

March 28 — Asheboro High School; Rockingham High School; Wadesboro High School.

March 29 — Monroe High School; North Mecklenburg High School.

March 31 — Myers Park Methodist Church, Charlotte; Covenant Methodist Church, Gastonia.

April 1 — Bessemer City High School; Kings Mountain High School.

The Men's Quartet, which is actually a sextet, includes: first tenors, David Trucksess, and Ronnie Money; second tenors, Jim Morris and Horace Turner; baritone, Laney Funderburk; and bass, Don Payne.

The Women's Trio, which has developed into a quartet, includes: Sylvia Jones, first soprano; Lou Cloninger and Janis Smith, second sopranos; and Margie Long, alto.

## This Thing Called English Composition

(I. P.) "Of all the required courses in the curriculum, English composition, as usually taught, seems to yield about the lowest return for the effort expended," declares Dr. James H. Pitman, chairman of the Department of English at Newark College of Engineering.

Dr. Pitman said that if, especially in the engineering colleges, English composition is taught as a purely utilitarian subject, then such instructions are failing in their duty, and until the situation is changed not much progress can be made.

"If we (English teachers) are worth our salt, we must teach writing as an art," he said since, "communication on anything but the most elementary levels is still an art, not a craft. Indeed, the whole of living is mainly a large extension of the art of communication. In almost everything we do we are concerned not with techniques as such, but with the effect our techniques produce on other men."

Dr. Pitman said that the English teachers should try to treat their subjects from a basically artistic point of view.  
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## Committee Appointed To Revise Handbook

At the Student Council meeting Monday, March 18, action was taken toward the revision of the Student Handbook. President Pete Beatty will head a committee composed of Jack Kimbro, Sue Jackson, Libby Moore, and Judy Kiser. Due to an increase in enrollment and the addition of new facilities there will be several changes in the handbook next year. Anyone wishing to express his ideas or views on the matter is urged to contact one of the members of the Handbook Committee.

## Little Theatre Will Give Play In April

Gene Ladd, of Brevard College, has his second role in a Brevard Little Theatre production this season, in the British play entitled, "Here We Come Gathering", by Philip King and Anthony Armstrong, authors of "See How They Run", a play that has enjoyed great success throughout the United States. Gene plays a strong supporting role, portraying Gray Meredith, an actor playwright.

This is the third production this season by the Brevard Little Theatre under the direction of Rob Roy Farquhar. The play will be presented April 9 and 10 at the American Legion building at 8:15 p. m. Admission for college students is only fifty cents.

## Coach, Players And Cheerleaders Feted

The banquet honoring the coach, basketball players, and cheerleaders was held in the college cafeteria, March 14.

After a short program of entertainment consisting of the "country cousins", the Girls' Quartet, and John Carper, speeches were given by Coach Martin and President Stamey. In his speech Coach Martin said even though the season was not the best Brevard has ever had the team proved itself during the tournament. President Stamey complimented the coach and the team on their excellent sportsmanship.  
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## Methodism Has Need For College Students

NASHVILLE, TENN. — The Methodist Church is seeking 177 Methodist college students and older youth who will give the summer of 1957 in service through Methodist Youth Caravans.

In the caravan, selected Methodist churches across the country will be visited for one week each by a team of four youth and an adult counselor. The teams will try to help revitalize and strengthen the ministry to youth in these churches.

Team members will serve eight weeks without salary.

It is expected that 41 regular caravan teams will serve in the United States during the summer, said the Rev. Harold W. Ewing, Nashville. He is chairman of the caravan committee of the Methodist General Board of Education, which sponsors the annual project.

In addition, a specialized team of five youth and a counselor will work in the field of religious drama, traveling in four north central states. Also, Cuba will have four caravan teams, with two U. S. youth on each.

Minimum qualifications for caravan applicants are: At least 18 years of age, two years of college, deep Christian faith, and broad experience in the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

"To recruit enough qualified youth," said Mr. Ewing, "we must have the assistance of both pastors and lay people."

Applicants or those wanting to learn more should contact the local Methodist church.  
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## Group From Brevard To Attend MSM Meet

A group of ten Brevard College students, Mrs. Edna Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roy will attend the State Methodist Student Movement Conference, being held this weekend at Greensboro.

Jimmy Calloway, the President of the Brevard College Methodist Student Movement, will preside over the opening session of this conference. Jimmy has also been nominated for the office of State Vice-president of this organization for the coming year.

The students going include: Jimmy Calloway, Chris Fisher, Bobby Little, Evelyn Cook, Virginia Eller, Suzanne Witter, Birdie Lee Bingham, Benny Martin, Claudia Ramsey, and Jeannette Miller.

## Benny Martin Chosen President Of MSM

Benny Martin was recently elected President of the Brevard Methodist Student Movement for the coming year. He is presently serving as fellowship chairman of this organization. Benny has had much experience with Methodist youth work, having served both as vice president and as president of his Sub-District, President of his MYF at his local church, and having attended several workshops and assemblies.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 23	Spelling Bee between societies (8:00)
March 24	Hike to Dunn's Rock (2:00)
March 29	Farewell Party (8:00)
March 30	Spring Holidays begin
April 12	Magic through Science (7:30)
April 13	Spring Frolics