

Orientation Girls Picked

**Executive Council Chooses
Twenty-Five Girls To
Aid Freshmen**

The executive committee of Queens College has selected 25 students to serve as members of the orientation committee next fall. These girls will be expected to arrive at the same time as the freshmen in the fall, one week before the upper classmen are required to return.

During orientation week the freshmen will be given the opportunity to adjust themselves to campus life.

The executive committee is composed of Misses Elizabeth Brammer of Christiansburg, Va., president of the student government association; Virginia Cothran of Timmonsville, S. C., president of the boarding student council; Carolyn Edwards of Charlotte, president of the day student council; Mildred Taylor of Stanley, president of the athletic association; and Dorothy Longenecker of Belgian Congo, Africa, president of the Student Christian association.

Appointed members of the freshman orientation committee for the college session 1940-41 are: Misses Cornelia Truesdale of Kershaw, S. C., president of the college chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority; Esther Love Hillhouse of Hendersonville, president of Alpha Delta Pi; Mildred Thomas of Charlotte, president of Phi Mu; Maujer Moseley of Charlotte, president of Chi Omega; Elizabeth Taylor of Rocky Mount, president of Kappa Delta Sorority.

Also Misses Ellen Hardee of Graham, Sue McNulty of Pocahontas, Va., Rachel West of Mooresville, Boots Bowen of Tazewell, Va., Jean Ferguson of Riverside, Ill., Mary Payne of Charlotte, Jane Montgomery of Reidsville, Ann Peyton of Davidson, Harriette Scoggins of Conway, S. C., Winnie Shealy of Gastonia, Anne Cromartie of Elizabethtown, Ann Mauldin of Charlotte, Ruth Edmiston of Salisbury, Alice Barron of Columbia, S. C., Louise Blue of Southern Pines, Mary Marshall Jones of Charlotte, Gladys Hartzell of Anderson, S. C., Ann Wiley of Charlotte, Terry Mosteller of Charlotte, and Alice Clark of Clarkton.

New Courses To Be Given

Next year an even wider range of courses will be offered to the Queens students. There will be subjects which add more interest to the majors and minors, and subjects which pertain to general information and knowledge.

Let us take a glance at our next year's curriculum which has so many opportunities for the rising Juniors and Seniors.

Are you "philosophically" minded? Then, be sure to enroll in the new philosophy class under Dr. Blakely.

But wait, you "mocking birds," for you'll be rewarded for your singing, too. To every Choral Club member goes a credit of one semester hour. Too, there's going to be an orchestra and two more music courses—one an introduction to Musical Literature and a History and Literature of Music.

Please, don't any of you overlook that course which will mean so much to "after-school" years. Miss Slaton is teaching vocational guidance. This is opened to sophomores, too, and we

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Marshals Are Named

Seven Girls To Usher At Commencement; Chosen For High Averages

The seven marshals for commencement were announced recently by Dr. Byrd. They are Maujer Moseley of Charlotte, chief marshal, Caroline Edwards and Jean Neu of Charlotte, junior marshals; Ida Mae Walkup of McIntosh, Fla., and Mary Marshall Jones of Charlotte, sophomore marshals; and Ruth Kilgo and Marguerite Mason, both of Charlotte, freshman marshals.

These girls are chosen automatically on the basis of scholastic average and they will serve as ushers at the commencement exercises. The averages of these girls are as follows: Maujer Moseley, 95.85; Caroline Edwards, 94.75; Jean Neu, 93.80; Ida Mae Walkup, 95.90; Mary Marshall Jones, 93.76; Ruth Kilgo, 97.50; and Marguerite Mason, 95.21.

Valedictorian and salutatorian are Elizabeth Green and Callie McElroy, respectively.

Last year's marshals were Elizabeth Green, chief marshal, Callie McElroy, and Eleanor Guyton of Kosuisko, Miss. Maujer Moseley, Caroline Edwards, Ida Mae Walkup and Inez Fulbright. The valedictorian was Sarah Little of Charlotte, and the salutatorian was Helen Hatcher of Winchester, Va.

Iota Xi Taps Journalists

Iota Xi, honorary journalistic society at Queens, tapped into its membership four outstanding students in journalistic work. These girls are Georgia Hurt, Judith Killian, Lib Imbody, all of Charlotte, and Pan Peyton of Davidson. Honorable mention was given to Mary Payne, Julie Edwards, and Mildred Thomas, all of Charlotte.

Georgie has served as business manager of *The Coronet* this year and has worked on THE QUEENS BLUES advertising staff. Judith is incoming editor of *The Coronet*, having served as associate editor of THE QUEENS BLUES this year and as assistant editor of *The Coronet*. Lib is incoming business manager of *The Coronet* and outgoing business manager of THE QUEENS BLUES. Pan is incoming editor of the QUEENS BLUES, having served on the annual, paper, and magazine staffs.

Spectator Club Elects Officers

The inauguration of the new officers of the Spectator Club was held last Tuesday at 4:00.

These officers are Julia Edwards of Charlotte, president; Ann Golden of Carthage, vice-president; Anne Cromartie of Elizabethtown, secretary; and Amelia Bradham of Sumter, S. C., treasurer. The meeting was presided over by Henrietta McIver of Gulf, out-going president.

The program for the meeting was to discuss and revise the constitution but as a quorum was not present, it was decided to wait until next year to vote on the rules.

The three group leaders for the Creative Writing, Dramatic, and Book Tea divisions will be appointed soon by the president.

Dr. Hunter Blakely To Be Inaugurated President At Commencement Exercises



Dr. Hunter Bryson Blakeley, president of Queens College, who will be inaugurated May 27.

Program For Graduates Completed; Seniors Receive Diplomas, May 28

Dr. Blakely, president of Queens College, who succeeded Dr. W. H. Frazer, will be officially inaugurated at a special service May 27, during commencement week. At this service Dr. James Ross McCain, president of Agnes Scott College at Decatur and prominent Presbyterian educator, will speak.

Dr. Blakely came to Queens at the beginning of the present school year from Staunton, Va., where he served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Mary Baldwin College. He will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at the Myers Park Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, May 26, at 8:00 P. M.

Following a dinner for the seniors and their parents, May 27, Class Day Exercises will be at 6:45 P. M. At 8:30, the annual concert will be presented in the auditorium. At the commencement exercises, Tuesday, May 28, the Rev. John R. Cunningham, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Winston-Salem, will address the graduates.

Other outstanding events of the Commencement program are: May 25, the alumnae baby show at 10:30 A. M., Alumnae Exercise Board meeting at 12:00, business meeting of Alumnae Association at 12:30, Homecoming Luncheon at 1:00 and the President's reception from 8 until 10 P. M.; May 27, meeting of Board of Trustees at 2:00 and the art exhibit from 4:00 until 6:00 P. M.

Sophs Tapped For Council I.R.C. Honors New Members

The honorary Sophomore Council has been chosen by Executive Council and the two deans. Each year six members of the rising Sophomore class are chosen on the basis of scholarship, leadership, and citizenship to become members of this council. These girls usher at various school junctions on and off the campus and are leaders of their class.

The new council consists of Terry Mosteller, Ann Wiley, and Lydia Munroe of Charlotte, Gladys Hartzell of Anderson, S. C., Mary Martha Nixon of Lincolnton, and Louise Blue of Southern Pines. Josephine Reynolds of Washington, Ga., received honorable mention.

Life's Road

By PETE MUNROE

How far, far through this vale of years

We've trod the rocky path of life. How bitter were the tears we shared, And, oh, how futile was the strife.

But now the trail is growing short A broader road ahead, I see.

What matters what the years have brought When we are in eternity.

And yet before the road I reach A crystal lake ahead appears.

And in its mirrored life's long day— There I can stand and laugh at fears.

But sigh grows dim and time is gone. I cannot stop—I dare not stay.

Farewell, dear one, for life goes on And I must end this little day.

We've loved so well our lives to live. We have not lived in vain, I trow.

Weep not, my love, the trail is long But I'll wait at the end, I vow.

The International Relations Club of Queens College held its final meeting of the year on Thursday afternoon, May 9 at 3:30 in Pi Hall. Billie Thomas of Charlotte, the president of the club, presided.

During the meeting seven girls were initiated into membership in the club. These were Mary Marshall Jones, Annette McIver, and Mary Alice Petteway of Charlotte, Elizabeth Isaacs of Gallatin, Texas, Ann Peyton of Davidson, Harriette Scoggins of Conway, S. C., and Anne Cromartie of Elizabethtown.

The installation of new officers was also held at this time. New officers include Eugenia Neu of Charlotte, president; Tera Bailey of Andalusia, Alabama, vice-president; Amelia Bradham of Sumter, S. C., recording secretary; Helen Cochrane of Charlotte, corresponding secretary; and Julia Edwards of Charlotte, treasurer.

A discussion was held on the forthcoming presidential elections, at which time a brief estimate was given on each candidate. A poll was taken in the meeting with Roosevelt leading and Hull coming in second place.

The International Relations Club is an affiliation of clubs in Europe and America, sponsored by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. The purpose of the club is to obtain a broad view of international questions and to promote a brotherly feeling of understanding and sympathy between the nations. Membership is based on scholastic achievement in the Department of History.

Officers for 1939-40 were: Mildred Thomas, presiding; Henrietta McIver, vice-president; Frances Stough,

Editors Issue Queens Quill

This year's issue of the *Queens Quill*, literary magazine of Queens College was published May 8th.

The publication is sponsored by the Creative writing group of the Spectator Club. Julia Edwards being editor for this year, and Mary Jane Hart, business manager. Others on the staff were Elizabeth Isaacs, Annette McIver, Dot Longenecker, Norma Humphries, Nancy Dandridge, Virginia Cothran, Gail Griffith, Ruth Kilgo, and Jane Grey.

The contents of the magazine are well-chosen, covering various different fields of literature including poetry, essays, book reviews, and short stories. Some of the following were especially good, namely: "In Dedication" by Jane Montgomery and Elizabeth Isaacs, "It Isn't Done" by Charlotte Williams, "Weep My Heart" by Bobbie Matthews, "Lost Chord" by Elizabeth Isaacs, and "Vera Brittain" by Henrietta McIver. The whole magazine is well gotten up. It has brown, woodgrain cover and fine grade of paper inside. The News Printing House printed the *Quill*.

It is hoped that next year more than one issue can be put out.

secretary; and Dorothy Branan, treasurer. Mr. R. V. Kennedy is faculty adviser of the club.

These new members were initiated Monday afternoon at 4:30 by the old members and Agnes Stout, Virginia Smith and Henrietta McIver. After the ceremony refreshments were served and new officers elected. Judith Killian was named president and Lib Imbody, secretary-treasurer. Plans for next year were also discussed and the meeting was adjourned.