

## Senior Week Begins With Formal Dinner

**NEW MEMBERS OF LEADERSHIP GROUP.** These students of Queens College were tapped for membership in Olympian circle of Alpha Kappa Gamma, national leadership fraternity, in services held at the college yesterday morning. They are, left to right, as follows, front row, Misses LaRue Allison and Mary Kate Kornegay of Charlotte; back row, Betty Howard of Memphis, Tenn., Edna Adams of Winston-Salem, Frances Bryan of Charlotte, Betsy Hodges of Grifton, and Marie Sitton of Charlotte. (Observer Staff photo).



### Many Parties Planned By Other Classes

The formal dinner on Monday, May 1, will open the traditional Senior Week at Queens. This week is set aside to honor the outgoing Senior Class. Many parties and festivities have been planned by the various classes and faculty members. The schedule runs as follows:

May 1, 6 P. M., Formal dinner in the dining room. Will and history of the Senior Class.

May 2, 1 P. M., Luncheon at the home of Mrs. Blakely.

May 3, Breakfast: 9. Given by Miss Squires, Miss Purcell, and Miss Albright.

May 3, 7 P. M., Junior-Senior banquet at Myers Park Club. Given by Junior Class.

May 4, 6 P. M., Supper at outdoor grill given by Sophomore Class.

May 5, May Day.

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### Queens' Charter Is Changed By Presbytery

Mecklenburg presbytery met in spring session at Sharon Presbyterian Church and approved a change in the charter of Queens College so that it may be sponsored by the two synods of North Carolina and South Carolina, elected Rev. R. E. Watts of Albemarle as moderator, elected Rev. W. T. Smith as nominee for moderator in the summer session, and licensed two young men and ordained Carl G. Howie as a chaplain of the armed forces of the Navy.

The Presbytery also heard its best home mission report for many years, and approved an increase in salaries of 12 pastors.

Dr. H. B. Blakely, president of Queens College, besides preaching the opening sermon as retiring moderator presented the request of the board of trustees of Queens College for a change in its charter. At present the college is sponsored by 15 trustees of the synod of South Carolina and trustees from three Presbyteries, Mecklenburg, Kings Mountain and Granville, 35 in all.

This request followed the action of the synod of North Carolina last fall in which it granted colleges the privilege of asking the synods to be sponsors instead of Presbyteries. The new plan provides for 10 trustees from North Carolina synod, eight from South Carolina synod to be selected by the board of trustees from members of evangelical churches, and the president shall be ex-officio a member of the board. This will make 25 trustees in all.

The Presbytery accepted the change, and it was reported Kings Mountain Presbytery has already accepted it, and Granville will be asked. Then the petition will be made to the state of North Carolina for the authorization of the new charter. Dr. W. H. Frazer, former president of Queens, spoke in approval of the change.

Miss Thompson: "Did they take an X-ray of your husband's jaw at the hospital?"

Mrs. Harris: "They tried to but all they could get was a moving picture."

God made the earth, then rested.  
God made man, then rested.  
God made woman; since then nobody's rested.

January and made a tour of seven states in promotion of the campaign before beginning this present tour. She has a citation for distinguished services from the Secretary of the Treasury for her work in connection with the bond drive. She has been officially credited with inspiring the sale of approximately \$2,000,000 in war bonds.

As a special feature of the program, she modeled a \$1,500 war stamp dress.

### Choral Club Ends Season With Concert

The Queens College Choral Club presented its annual Spring concert in the Ninnis auditorium on April 21, under the direction of Miss Grace Robinson and James Christian Pfihl.

The club was assisted by the Queens-Davidson Little Symphony orchestra. The orchestra will present the premiere performance of "Chimney Rock" by Austin C. Lovelace of the music department, who won the state award of the National Federation of Music Clubs with this composition.

The concert was presented for the public and all guests were invited to a reception in Burwell Hall immediately after the concert.

#### The Program

- The National Anthem.
- Echo Song—
- Madrigal; Orlando di Lasso
- My Bonny Lass—
- Madrigal; Thomas Morley
- The Choral Club
- Seguidilla from "Carmen"—Bizet
- Miss Henry
- The Blessed Damozel—
- Claude Debussy
- Adapted to the original poem of Dante Gabriel Rossetti by Frank Damosch.
- Misses Shiflet, King, and the Choral Club.
- Amour Viens Aider from "Samson and Deliah"—Saint Saine
- Miss Skirrow
- Chimney Rock Sketch for Little Symphony Orchestra—
- Austin C. Lovelace
- The Little Symphony

### Spring Retreat

The annual Spring Retreat of the Student Christian Association Cabinet will be held on April 28-30, 1944, at Sunny Acres, North Carolina. At this time the old and new cabinet members will meet to discuss plans for next year. The cabinet will decide upon the theme and project for the coming year. There will be an inspirational speaker for the retreat.

### Literary Staff Is Completed

Elections for publication editors and business managers for the year 1944-45 have recently been completed. Billie Luck was elected by the Student Body as Editor of The Blues. The Publication Board appointed the following as business managers: Joyce Carpenter—Coronet; Sarah Bobbitt—Blues; Beth Deaton—Quill.

Billie Luck is from Hamlet, N. C. and will be a Junior next year. She served as Managing Editor of Blues this year, Sophomore class cheer-leader, and was a member of Choral Club.

Joyce Carpenter is a Junior from Concord, N. C. Last year she was on the business staff of Coronet and this year associate editor. She was also advertising manager of Blues, a member of Alpha Iota, and on the Dean's List this year.

Sarah Bobbitt is from Charlotte and will be a Junior next year. She was secretary of Sophomore class and a member of Valkyrie this year.

Beth Deaton is from Statesville, N. C. and a transfer this year from WCUNC. She was a member of IRC and served on the advertising staff of the Coronet.

### Alpha Delta Pi Wins Sing Cup

Alpha Delta Pi won the Panhellenic cup presented the sorority giving the best sorority song. The event, sponsored by the Junior Class, took place Friday, April 14 in the college auditorium. Alpha Eta Sigma won the prize offered by Miss Thelma Albright, Dean of Students, for the most original school song. The sorority cup was won by Phi Mu last year when Sorority Sing was first held on the campus.

Each of the six sororities on campus gave two sorority songs and one original school song. Other rules were set up by the Junior Class. Selection of the winners was made by three judges chosen by the office of the Dean.

### Buy War Bonds

### Dr. Marshall Guest Speaker For S.C.A. Week

Dr. Peter Marshall, eminent Christian leader and minister of the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church in Washington, D. C., was the guest speaker of Queens Spring Religious Emphasis Week sponsored by the Student Christian Association during the week of April 17-21. Dr. Marshall spoke at all Chapel periods and led discussion groups during the afternoon. Also in Charlotte to conduct a series of religious services at Caldwell Memorial Presbyterian Church, Dr. Marshall was unable to spend as much time on the campus as was hoped and planned by the students.

Dr. Marshall was born in Coathridge, Scotland. He entered Columbia Theological Seminary at Decatur, Ga., upon coming to this country and was ordained by the Atlanta Presbytery in 1931. He served two years as minister in Covington, Ga., and then became minister of Westminster Presbyterian Church in Atlanta, serving there from 1933 to 1937.

He has been minister of the Washington church for five years.

### Share Clothes Campaign Begun

The State of North Carolina is promoting a "Share Your Clothes With the Russians" campaign. It is sponsored by the State Department of Education, North Carolina Education Association, and North Carolina Congress of Parents and Teachers. The campaign will officially begin on May 1 and end on May 14.

Seventy million men, women and children were stripped of their clothes by the Nazi invaders of Russia. They call for help through the Russian War Relief. We are asked to give CLEAN clothing and UNBROKEN shoes. The shoes should be tied in pairs, and the clothes wrapped and securely tied for handling.

This campaign has already begun here at Queens College. Dr. Delano is in charge of collecting the articles. Boxes have been placed in Miss Albright's office.

### New Officers Are Installed By Sororities

Election of Sorority officers has been completed and announced for the coming year. Jane King will serve as president of Alpha Delta Pi. Mary Katherine Bain will lead the Alpha Gamma Deltas. The Chi Omegas will have Betty Ann Gravatt as their president, and the Kappa Deltas will have Charlotte Fair. Betty Barrentine will be president of Phi Mu.

These presidents will take over their duties this term with the aid of other officers. Alpha Delta Pi has chosen Doris Nunn, vice-president; Mary Louise Whitmire, secretary; and Francella Craven, treasurer.

Alpha Gamma Delta completes its roster with Elizabeth Holmes Carter, vice-president; Emily Horton, secretary; and Lilyan Smith, treasurer.

Betty Howard, Betty Claywell, and Sara Bobbitt have been elected vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively, of Chi Omega.

Martha Venning will serve as vice-president of Kappa Delta with Frances Wells as secretary, and Elizabeth Andrews as treasurer.

Phi Mu elected Polly Foglesong to the office of vice-presidency, Agnes Mason, secretary; Frances Bryan, treasurer.

### Fashion Show

On April 17 the War Service Committee sponsored a fashion show. The attractive clothes shown were made and modeled by members of the Home Economic Department under the direction of Miss Jane Miller. The purchase of a 25 cent war stamp was the admission charge.

Miss Linwood Gisclard, the 1944 "Maid of Cotton," was present to assist in selling war bonds and stamps.

Miss Gisclard was named "Maid of Cotton" for this year in the annual contest conducted in the National Cotton Council of America and is the official goodwill ambassador of the entire American textile industry.

She had a prominent part in the inauguration of the Fourth War Loan drive in Washington in