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## Exam Schedule

The *Clarion* prints this schedule for your convenience. Please clip it out and place in a convenient place in order to prevent confusion during examination week.

Wed., Dec. 2--9:00-12:00

All first period classes except English 21.

Wed., Dec. 2--2:00-5:00

English 21 and French 21.

Thurs., Dec. 3--9:00-12:00

All sixth period classes.

Thurs. Dec. 3--2:00-5:00

All second period classes.

Friday, Dec. 4--9:00-12:00

All fifth period classes.

Friday, Dec. 4--2:00-5:00

All third period classes.

Saturday, Dec. 5--9:00-12:00

All fourth period classes.

## Voice Students Give Recital

Friday November 20, Miss Hatcher's voice students gave a private recital in the voice studio from 4 until 5 o'clock. Only the voice students and few guests were present.

Mary Lee Alexander opened the recital with "A Brown Bird Singing," by Wood. Next Jane Mitchell sang "One Golden Hour," by Metcalf; and Pierce Cole sang "Exercise Number 1" from Lanperti.

As a novelty number Mary Alexander sang "La Francais" with the rest of the students joining in the chorus.

Charles Woodson's number was "To You," by Oley Speaks. Marcella Pendley sang "Hear My Prayer," by Will James.

In closing, the entire group rendered a lovely Neapolitan song, "Turn Back to Sorrento." Following this, Miss Hatcher, assisted by several girls, served delicious refreshments to the group.

## Flash!

The *Clarion* will not be published again until the first week of the second quarter on account of examinations.

"Obstinacy is the result of the will forcing itself into the place of the intellect."—Schopenhauer.

## You Are Favored

(AN EDITORIAL)

Examinations are always an advantage to the student; they are weapons in the hands of the person taking the test, not weapons blasting against him.

In track and all sports the athlete depends on the coming of his second-wind before he expects to do his best. An army will stake an entire victory on one battle—a battle known as the final drive.

Now it is not possible to stake all of three months' work on one recitation known as an examination; but every student has been in class three or five times each week in each course. Even that preparation alone is extremely beneficial. In fact, it is so helpful that no teacher should ever give a zero on a day's work, for

it is only a reflection on him. Every teacher will teach every student something at each class recitation.

Examinations covering the first quarter's work begin next week, but that is a long time away. In four days it is possible to review and refresh one's mind with once-learned facts. It is also possible to lament the approaching of an examination; but about all there is left to do is lament if studying is neglected.

The wise will do with examination what they would any similar opportunity. It may be necessary to surrender the pleasure of week-end dates, trips home, and like joys in order to be fair to oneself.

## "Public Opinion"

If the students so desire, next quarter the present form of the column "Public Opinion" will be changed. The column will consist of letters written by students, limited to one hundred words.

The column will still be conducted by Irene Parsons, and students desiring to have letters published should turn them in to Miss Parsons.

## Clios Elect Officers

At the Cliosopic Literary Society meeting Friday night, November 20, officers for the second quarter were elected.

The officers elected were Bill Ferguson, president; Rowland Taylor, vice-president; Frank Craven, secretary; S. B. Tweed, treasurer; and Leon Stubbs, chaplain.

"Books are the true levelers. They give to all who faithfully use them the society, the spiritual presence, of the best and greatest of our race."—W. E. Chaning.

"I call to the world to distrust the accounts of my friends, but listen to my enemies, as I myself do."—Walt Whitman.

## Irene Parsons Is Contest Winner

In a recent contest held by the Euterpean Literary Society, for a song for the society, judged by Misses Hatcher and Clay, Irene Parsons was declared winner. No prize was offered, the honor being worth striving for. The song is written to the tune of the chorus of "Sweet Genevieve." The song is:

Euterpe, now thy song we sing,  
For thou hast been our gracious guide.

To follow doth a pleasure give,  
And joys which ever will abide.

To thee we pledge our loyalty,  
Our talents all, our spirit too;  
And we shall carry on the work  
That thou hast given us to do.

## Euterpeans To Sponsor Play

The Euterpean Literary Society will sponsor a play to be given in the auditorium tonight. The name of the play is "His Majesty the Queen" and is under the direction of Mr. J. A. Carlisle.

Members of the cast are Edgar Poovey, Virginia Barnes, Irene Parsons, Frank Ausband, Mary E. Turner, Pierce Cole, and Geraldine DeVier.

## New Subjects To Be Offered

Beginning the second quarter, three courses which have not been offered before this year will be begun; and one course which has never before been given at Brevard College will be started.

The three courses starting the second quarter are Agriculture 13, animal husbandry, to be taught by Mr. Colvard; Shorthand 11, to be taught by Miss Poovey; and Education 12, the instructor of which is Dr. Loomis. The entirely new course to be offered is Mechanical Drawing, which will be taught by Mr. Campbell.

Courses which will be repeated are German 11, History 11, Biology 11, English 11, Mathematics 12, Sociology 11, and Typing 11. These subjects will be taught by the same teachers who taught them last quarter.

## Four to Graduate December Seventh

Monday morning, December 7, four girls will be awarded diplomas of Brevard College at the winter quarter commencement exercises which will be conducted in the college auditorium at 10:30.

By virtue of the fact that they have remained in school during two summer quarters Virginia Barnes, Helen Dillard, Virginia King, and Inez Allison will complete their required work for graduation from Brevard College at the end of this quarter, December 5.

At the writing of this story it was indefinite as to who the speaker for graduation will be.

This will be the first winter quarter graduation exercises that the college has conducted; yet there will be regular commencement program at the end of each quarter if there are students eligible for graduation.

SHOP EARLY!

ONLY 26 DAYS

UNTIL CHRISTMAS