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## Spring Semester Opens

### Home Economics Department Gives Fashion Show

On the evening of Friday, January 30, the Home Economics department under the direction of Miss Katherine Stamey, presented a fashion show in the college auditorium. Some of the clothes modelled were made by the students but most of them were from Slack's department store in Brevard. The clothes were divided into three groups, formal, semi-formal, and sports wear. The dresses, suits, skirts, sweaters and slacks were the latest fashions.

Mrs. Dwight Nifong was narrator for the event and described the clothes completely as they were modelled.

The models participating were Marianne Gingele, Evelyn Morlock, Marie Ogawa, Tommy Allegre, Romona Bagwell, Louise Whitmire, Betty Gray Billings, Amelia Amos, Mary Ester Graybeal, Francis Sloop, Jean Kennickel, Carolyn Hawkins, Mary Chertock, Mrs. J. Stringfellow, Frank Roberts, Charley Freeman, and Robert Williams.

After the show, the audience was invited down to the Home Economics department for tea and cookies. Everyone enjoyed seeing the beautiful clothes from Slacks and appreciated their co-operation and the work that the Home Economics department and their instructor put into the show.

### To Hold Religious Emphasis Week On February 22 To 27

The observance of Religious Emphasis week will begin at Brevard college on Sunday night, February 22 and continue through Friday, February 27, it was announced by President E. J. Coltrane today.

Two guest ministers will be on the campus at this time to conduct religious programs sponsored by the college Religious Workers club. They are Rev. Charles B. Bowles, pastor of the Broad Street Methodist church, of Statesville, and a member of the college board of trustees, and Rev. W. Arthur Kale, pastor of the Central Methodist church of Shelby. The Rev. Kale is also president of the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina conference of the Methodist church.

"As in past years our Religious Emphasis week has been very successful and proved a great inspiration to the students," Dr. Coltrane stated. "We are looking forward to having these two pastors visit with us during the week, and feel sure that their messages will mean much to the student body at Brevard," he concluded.

According to reports, these men will alternate in speaking at the regular morning chapel services. The night services will follow this schedule also. Plans are being made to continue the prayer service.

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### 34 Students Receive Diplomas At Mid-Winter Graduation Tues.

#### Kiwanis Governor



DR. E. J. COLTRANE, president of Brevard College since its founding in 1933, was recently installed as Governor of the Carolinas district of Kiwanis clubs. He was presented the governor's gavel by former governor, Dupre Rhame, of Greenville, S. C., at installation ceremonies at the Bryant House here on January 16th and installed A. Ferry Barber as lieutenant-governor. He and Mrs. Coltrane plan to attend the Kiwanis International convention in San Francisco, Calif., in June.

#### REPORT MADE ON CONFERENCE

Brevard College delegates to the Methodist Student Conference held recently at Centenary church in Winston-Salem were Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Glenn Davis, Betty Mellard, and Sarah Puett. The theme of the conference was "The quality of a Churchman." Delegates were there from all colleges in the state. Also there were students from China and Greece, Negro students from Bennett College, Indian students from Pembroke, and a girl from Liberia.

The spirit of brotherhood was really felt at the conference, especially when a friendship circle was formed and the Lord's Prayer was heard in different languages.

#### To Elect New Vice-President

It was announced today that there will be a meeting of the sophomore class on Saturday, February 14, during the chapel period. The purpose of the meeting is to elect a new vice-president.

#### Stevenson And Trowbridge Carry Out Program. Honor Students Named

Graduation diplomas were presented to 25 members of the college graduating class and nine members of the pre-college graduating class at the mid-winter commencement exercises at Brevard college last Tuesday morning. Due to impossible weather conditions, Dr. Dwight Ware, scheduled speaker, was unable to get here, and because of the illness of President E. J. Coltrane, the diplomas were presented by C. H. Trowbridge. Dean J. J. Stevenson, Jr., presided at the ceremony.

Dr. Coltrane's farewell message was presented to the members of the classes by Dean Stevenson, who said, "Our president wishes for you the best in life, and his interest will follow you wherever you go."

Prior to the presentation of the diplomas Mr. Trowbridge spoke briefly. He is a former president of Weaver college before it was merged to form Brevard college and a beloved member of the faculty. "This is a time of joy and sorrow in the life of each of you," he said. "It is a time when you will realize the many things you have neglected to do in college and wish that you had done. But this is good, because it enables you to see more clearly how to build into your lives the things which the Master wishes for you to accomplish."

Following the presentation of diplomas, Dean Stevenson announced the students who graduated with honors. Three members of the college graduating class who made a straight A average during their two years were Jasper Dudley, Darr Wise and Wilmer Wilson. Pre-college students graduating with honors were Alma Suttles, David Duncan and Ruth Ashworth.

Members of the college graduating class, all boys, are as follows: Arthur S. Agnew, Jr., Greenville, S. C.; William R. Akers, Glade Springs, Va.; Charles H. Barnhardt, Rutherford College; James E. Cowart, Atlanta, Ga.; Harry Eugene Chandler, Greenville, S. C.; Jasper Donnell Dudley.

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#### TAYLOR HALL ELECTS COUNCIL

The girls of Taylor Hall recently elected their House Council to serve for the rest of the year. Alice Langston, who left at the end of the semester, was succeeded by Lee Chestnut as president. Secretary of the council is Elsie Prestwood. The two other members are Margie Wilkins and Gloria Bost.

The chief duty of this group is to see that the girls abide by the rules set up for them.

### 27 New Students Enroll Here For Spring Semester

Twenty-seven new students have enrolled in Brevard College for the 1948 Spring semester. Most of the newcomers are from North Carolina, but several are from neighboring states. The students and faculty of Brevard College extend a hearty welcome to all of the new students and hope that they will enjoy their years here.

Those enrolled are: David Hailcy Allfred, Winston-Salem; Floyd M. Banner, Montezuma; Arnold R. Buckner, Biltmore; Basil A. Chapman, Jr., Pickens, S. C.; Edward Chappell, Elkin; Robert R. Currin, Oxford; Sidney Taylor Currin, Oxford; William D. Favell, Shelby; Harry E. Flack, Pinehurst; Thomas Dewey Garrett, Greenville, S. C.; Carl W. Guin, Gastonia; Mac Hanson, Asheville; Wilbur A. Hobgood, Oxford; John A. McInnes, Jr., Darlington, S. C.; John H. McIntyre, High Point; Mary E. Mike, Plant City, Fla.; William E. Newborn, Kinston; Estel Earl Ogle, Bosham, Va.; Nellie Virginia Perry, Edenton; Eugene G. Randolph, Burnsville; John A. Ross, Morganton; Mrs. John A. Ross, Morganton; Morris Rozar, Raleigh; Shuman G. Thompson, Winston-Salem; Martin Luther Travis, Newton; Bill Winfred Williams, High Point; and Edward Nix Wilson, Ellenboro.

### King And Queen Of Hearts To Be Named At Dance

The King and Queen of Hearts will be named Saturday night at the Delphian Valentine dance. Eliminations being made in a vote by the student body on Friday, the final votes will be cast by students at the dance.

Bobby Davis and his orchestra will play for the dance, which is to begin at 8:00.

All proceeds from this affair is going toward buying a time clock for the gym, Jack Bailey, president of the Delphians, has announced.

### College Enrolls 12 New Veterans

Among the veterans registering for the spring term, we are glad to welcome Paul Robert Robbins of Darlington, S. C.; and John Alexander Ross, of Morganton, who were here previously. The following veterans are registering at Brevard college for the first time: Basal A. Chapman, Jr., Pickens, S. C.; Wilbur A. Hobgood, Oxford; Sidney Taylor Currin, Oxford; Robert Louie Nelson, Belton, S. C.; William David Favell, Shelby; Carl K. Guin, Gastonia; William Edgar Mewborn, Kinston; Sherman G. Thompson, Winston-Salem; Robert R. Currin, Oxford; John A. McInnes, Jr., Darlington, S. C.; John G. McIntyre, Jr., High Point; John A. Ford, Jr., Brevard; and Paul H. Baker, Jr., Brevard.