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24 New Students Enrolled For Spring Semester

65 Students On Fall Semester Honor Roll Here

Sixty-five students have been listed on the fall semester honor roll which was released last week. Of this number, three were listed as making the all "A" honor roll. They are: Margaret Madison Coghurn, Canton; Marianne Gingele, Maplewood, N. J., and Stella Richardson Moran, Jamestown. Mrs. Moran was graduated with high honors at mid-year graduation exercises held January 25.

Since last year the requirements for the honor roll have been altered in one respect. On the advice of the teachers of Physical Education, the Dean, the Registrar, and these teachers have decided to lower the requirements in physical education from the grade of "B" to a minimum grade of "C." All other requirements remain the same. This was disclosed in a statement by Mrs. E. J. Coltrane, registrar, last week.

Those making the honor roll with an average of "B" or better are as follows:

"B" Honor Roll — Thomasin Elaine Alegre, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Bertie Ruth Ayers, Pineville; John Hershel Ayers, Pineville; Charles Alexander Barkley, Jr., Gastonia; Betty Gray Billings, North Wilkesboro; Betsy Keith Bowman, Marion; Dale Brown, Marion; Mary Ellen Copeland, Newton; Valma Virginia Corne, Zirconia; James Oliver Crawford, Jr., Greensboro; Betsy Juanita Dean, Randleman; Herbert Dale Dixon, Kings Mountain; Evelyn Elizabeth Eller, Creston; Sarah Atwood Freeman, Charlotte; Mary Lou Hamrick, Forest City; John Paul Hannon, Colledge.

Allen Henley, Jr., Charlotte; James McNider Hollowell, Yonkers, N. Y.; James Makepeace Holmes, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Peggy Ann Keener, Canton; Alfred Grady King, Seagrove; Evelyn
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Pertelote To Be Ready Late In May; Plans Materializing

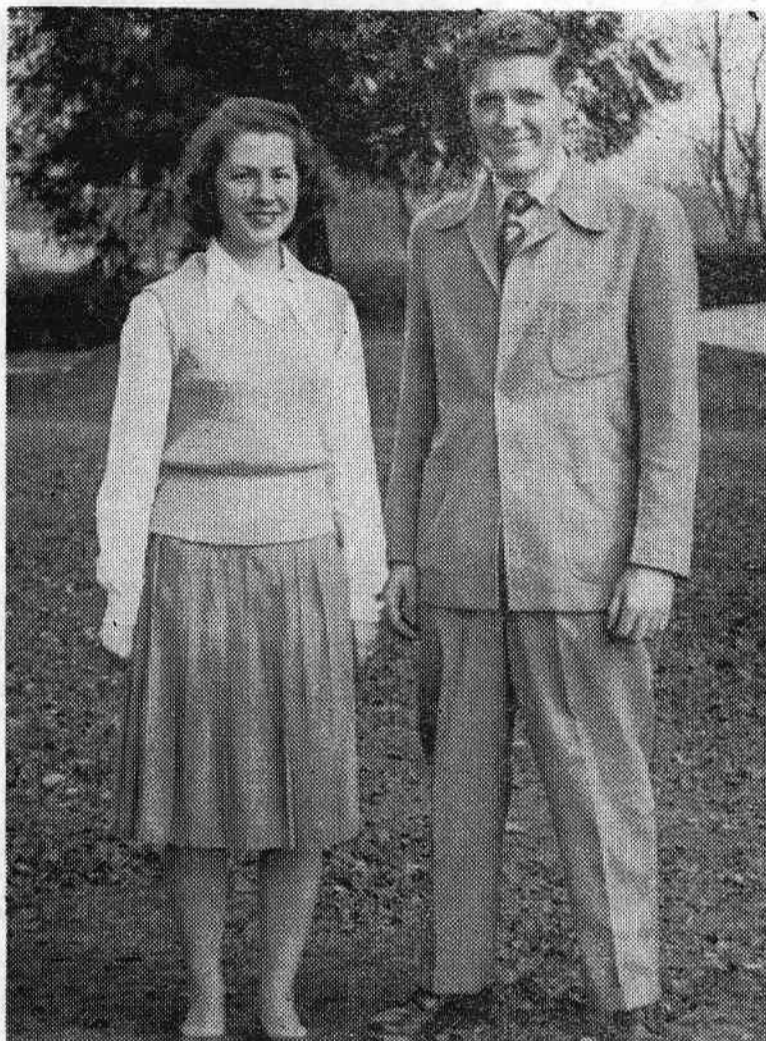
Gerald Martin, editor of the Pertelote, college yearbook, has announced that the 1949 edition will be available to the students sometime in May. Work has been progressing rapidly and plans for a better annual are materializing.

Group photographs have been taken of all clubs and activities and a drive is now on to get individual photographs of all new students and old members of the student body who have not already had theirs made. Two days were set aside by Austin's Studio earlier this week for this purpose.

Advertising is coming in at a steady pace and Charlie Freeman, business manager, states that he is well pleased with the results thus far.

Printing and binding of this year's Pertelote is being done by the Keys Printing Company of Greenville, S. C. This firm has printed Brevard college yearbooks for the past several years and this year's edition is expected to be the finest of them all.

Newly Elected Student Officers



INEZ ELLEDGE, of North Wilkesboro, and LANDER BEAL, of Gastonia, above, were recently elected to serve as secretary-treasurer and vice-president, respectively, of the Brevard college student body. Along with CLAUDE HICKS, president, the two are formulating plans for the drafting of a new constitution which should be ready for presentation to the students some time in the early spring.

Churches Hear College Officials Preach Sunday, Students Sing

Dunham Entrance Being Remodeled

Work was begun this week on the entrance to Dunham Hall with the removal of the eaves, which have been rapidly decaying the past few years. A scaffold has been constructed on the steps above the entrance to perform the difficult task.

Mr. White, superintendent of buildings and grounds at the college, stated that it would be almost impossible to replace the eaves as this would necessitate completely tearing out the brickwork. The eaves will be removed permanently and replaced with a stucco fronting around the entire porch.

Progress on the construction was hampered somewhat by the recent snow and inclement weather, but it is expected to be completed within a few more days.

The wrong office holders are elected by the people who didn't vote.

Methodist Churches in Canton, Statesville and Balfour Were Visited

Three churches in North Carolina—the First Methodist church of Statesville, Belfour Methodist church, and Morning Star Methodist church, of Canton—heard sermons Sunday, January 30, by officials from Brevard college, accompanied by students who sang special anthems.

Dr. E. J. Coltrane, president of the college, preached at the First Methodist church, in Statesville, during the morning worship service. He was accompanied by a mixed quartet composed of Betty Anders, Hendersonville; Loise Stratton, Reidsville; Bill Huntley, Spindale; and Bill Martin, Albany, Ga. They sang "Incline Thine Ear," by Himmel, "Peace I Leave With You" by Roberts, and "Glory to the King of Kings" by Thompson.

J. J. Stevenson, dean of Brevard, delivered the morning sermon at Balfour Methodist church. A quartet furnishing special music was composed of Eloise Keever, Kannapolis; Mary Margaret Graybeal,
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Eight Old Students Returning After Period of Absence

A total of twenty-four students, including eight who have been at Brevard previously, are enrolled for the Spring semester.

Those returning include: Elizabeth Cockerham, Dobson; Benjamin Covington, Ridgeville, S. C.; Betty Cray, Brevard; Mrs. Dixie Gibbs Dellinger, Cherryville; Fred O. Dillenger, Cherryville; Bette Jo Helms, Charlotte; Leona Norton, Highlands; and William O. Upchurch, Cherryville.

There are six new students doing special work in the various departments. They are: Rebecca Brenfleck, Brevard; Mrs. Wylma Covington, Ridgeville; Mrs. Ruth Holmes, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Gwendolyn Pickelsimer, Pisgah Forest; Kay Stamey, Lawndale; and James Opie Wells, Brevard.

New students in the college division for the spring semester, 1948-49 are as follows: Betty Lou Boykins, Fairview; Howard J. Christley, Draper; Charles Leroy Dwiggin, Kannapolis; Alphonso Hicks, Jr., Rocky Mount; James Hinson, Tuxedo; Elizabeth McConnell, Hendersonville; Marvin Mauldin, Seneca, S. C.; J. T. Nichols, Rocky Mount; Lionel Rhodes, Clifton Forge, Va.; and Jeanne White, Charlotte.

English Woman Makes WSSF Appeal In Chapel Program

Last Saturday, January 29, Miss Rhoda Traherne-Thomas spoke to the students of Brevard college of the World Student Service Fund and the aid it is giving to students in foreign countries.

Miss Thomas told of the needs and wants of students in schools in France, Germany, Italy and other European countries. The WSSF is a world organization which was started with the purpose of helping foreign students overcome their handicaps and give them the needed materials with which to continue their education.

Miss Thomas brings to the World Student Service Fund an unusual background. She was born in Wales and was educated there and in England until the fall of 1940. She crossed the Atlantic nine times by the time she was twelve.

She visited France and Norway before the war. Evacuated from England during the blitz with the last boatload of women and children to leave under the government evacuation scheme, her ship dodged submarines to arrive in Canada.

Later, she came to the United States and attended school in New York and Ashley Hall in Charleston, S. C. She is a graduate of Smith college and has done summer work at the University of Wisconsin.

Last year she headed the very successful Smith college Relief Committee which contributed \$7,000 to the World Student Service Fund.