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## BLT TO GIVE "THERE'S ALWAYS A MURDER"



THE BLT CAST OF "There's Always A Murder" is shown above as they prepare for presenting the play this week-

end. Included in the picture is Brevard college's own Mr. Alex McFadden, of the English department.

#### Banquet, Initiation Held By Members Of Phi Theta Kappa

Theta Kappa attended its annual banquet, held in the Faculty Din-ing Room, on the evening of February 21 and afterward held a candlelight initiation ceremony in Sweetheart Ball. the faculty lounge.

quet, and other special guests, besides President McLarty and his wife, were Dean and Mrs. John Bennett, Dean Rubie Plant, and theme in colors of red and white. Dr. Burt Loomis, faculty advisor of Phi Theta Kappa. Sharon Cline, fraternity president, welcomed the guests, and the old members of Phi Theta Kappa carried out a portion of the initiation process by quizzing the initiates on essential information they had learned about the organization.

Following the banquet, all the members of Phi Theta Kappa adjourned to the faculty lounge, where, in a candlelight ceremony, iormally and made full-fledged members.

#### Alpha Beta Gamma Makes Award To Elsie Hege

The Alpha Beta Gamma chemistry fraternity of Brevard college was in charge of the chapel program on Wednesday, February 25. Ken Dawkins, Harold Wilson, and Tommy Laidlaw gave the history of the organization and recognized their fellow members in the audi-

Miss Bobbie Jean Nicholson, chemistry professor and advisor of Alpha Beta Galmima, then presented Elsie Hege with the fraternity's annual award of a select science book, which is given to the chemistry student with the highest aver-

A scientific film entitled "This Is Color" was then shown to the formally with those students who student body.

### Valentine Ball Acclaimed Success

from Shelby rocked and rolled Brevard College students, faculty, and alumni, through the annual

Kaye Willis, Queen of Hearts, President Emmet K. McLarty and her escort, Jim Siebert, reignwas guest speaker for the ban- ed over the Nemo-Delphian sponsored festivities.

Decorations for the dance carried out the traditional sweetheart Cupids, hearts, and red and white mission.

Cool Cupid played havoc on Feb- crepe paper streamers effected a The Delta Pi chapter of Phi ruary 14, when the Delmonicos chandelier in the center of the room, while hearts and cupids lined the walls. Red spotlights flooded the dance floor with color.

> Mitch Miller, Betty Eure and Ruth Murray and, last but not least, Harry Skipper, Wally Fortenbury and Kent Laughter as the Tom Dooley Trio furnished the entertainment for the dance. Harry Skipper also doubled as the emcee.

Refreshments were served in the faculty lounge during the inter-

#### News Summaries Are Enumerated

Roys Invite

Professor and Mrs. Ed Roy invited the Christian council to their home for the evening meal on Monday, February 16. The Reverend A. M. Faulkner, religious emphasis speaker, chatted informally with the group. Other guests included President and Mrs. McLarty, Dean and Mrs. Bennett, Professor Harvin, Miss Nicholson and Dean Plant.

Dr. Tuttle

Dr. Robert Tuttle, district superintendent of the Asheville district, was the chapel speaker on Friday, February 13. Speaking on the creation, Dr. Tuttle made himself highly popular among the students.

Dessert At Bennett's

Members of the Dean's List and Honor Roll were entertained at a dessert hour at the home of Dean and Mrs. Bennett recently.

Dinner At Adams'

Professor and Mrs. Adams entertained several music students at a dinner recently at their home. Mr. Adams is head of the college's music department.

Rabbi Rypins

Rabbi Frederic I. Rypins met in--Turn to Page Four

#### Business Club Activities Given; Plans Revealed

The Business Club is one of the many clubs organized here on the college campus. It is made up of business students who attend the and did individual counseling. meetings held at 6:15 p. m. on the second Thursday of each month in Dunham 210.

The meetings are called to order by Alice Pickelsimer, president, followed by Ruth Souther, secretary-treasurer, reading the minutes of the last meeting; Pat Tatham, vice president, introduces the speaker for the evening; Mrs. Munroe, advisor and head of the Business Department, sees to it that everything is in order before the meeting is scheduled and makes suggestions to the members as to whom they would like to have speak to them.

Programs have been varied and on subjects that are interesting to the members. February 12, the club heard Mr. Cecil Hill, who talked about filling out income tax \_Turn to Page Three

**COMING SOON** 

The next Lyceum number, "Oedipus Rex," will be given by Players Incorporated, on March

#### McFadden Member Of Cast; College Students Usher

Final preparations are underway for staging the Brevard Little Theatre's second production of the year "There's Always A Murder."

This three - act mystery - comedy will be presented at 8:00 p. m., Friday and Saturday evenings, February 27 and 28, in the Campus Center auditorium. Included in the cast is Mr. Alex B. McFadden, of the college English department.

The theatre editor of the "Wall Street Journal" had this to say about the play: "A psychological murder mystery, . . . the author succeeds in building up suspense enough to bring you to the edge of your seat . . . The play is about newlyweds who rent an apartment and then get worried about the previous occupant. There's a sliced cold corpse hidden in a bag to help bring on the chills. The young people discover clues leading to the murder's solution, and the plot winds up in true "whodunit" fash-

Ushers for the play will include Kathy Osteen, Alice Earwood, Betty Southerland, Gail Bonnell, Peggy Lewis, Phyllis McCain, and Kaye

Admission will be \$.75 for students and \$1.25 for adults.

#### Religious Emphasis Highlighted By Faulkner Addresses

Religious emphasis week was observed on the Brevard college campus during the week of February 16 through 20. The Reverend Mitchell Faulkner was the featured speaker and large numbers of the student body attended each service.

Mr. Faulkner, an alumnus of Brevard, delivered what were termed challenging and inspiring messages each evening.

During the week, in addition to speaking each evening and also in chapel on Wednesday and Friday, Mr. Faulkner met with the Christian council, Kappa Chi Fraternity,

The speaker, who is also a gradwate of Wofford college and Cand-ler School of Theology, is presently serving as minister of the Methodist church in Leaksville.

#### Music Department Schedules Recital

The college music department will present a student organ recital on Friday, February 27, at 8:15 p. m. in the Brevard Methodist church.

Professor Nelson F. Adams' pupils, Mary Ann Fisher, Joy Cook, Mildred Miller, Johnny Bradburn and Nancy Fluke will present music by J. S. Bach, Richard Purvis, Louis Vierne, Buxtehude, and Rheinberger.

An informal reception honoring the recitalists will be held immediately following the recital, in the church parlor. Everyone is cordially invited.

The college choir is scheduled to sing at Central Methodist Church in Asheville on March 10.