

Committee Seeking A BC President

A six-member committee is hard at work at the very difficult job finding a new president for Brevard College. The committee has contacted a large number of men for the job of president.

The committee hopes to be able to make the announcement by December 1, 1968, but as one member of the committee put it "finding the right person for the job is a lot more important than the quickness of finding someone."

Three meetings have been held by the committee in their quest for someone to fill the position. The committee reports that a large number of "highly qualified" persons have been contacted.

The persons serving on the committee are Dr. Phillip L. Shore, chairman of High Point and a trustee of the college, Dr. Lester Zerfos, trustee, Hendersonville, William Stanback, trustee, Salisbury, Gilbert Coan, trustee, Brevard. Other members of the committee are faculty members Mrs. Grace Munro and Mr. Nelson Adams.

The recommendations for the position have not come to a close; and any student, faculty member, or anyone who feels they know someone qualified for the position, may make a recommendation for the position.

Boshamer Makes \$643,800 Gift To Brevard College

A gift of \$643,800 has been made to the Brevard College Building Fund by Mr. Cary C. Boshamer of Gastonia, a trustee of the college.

The money is to be used for the addition of a women's gymnasium and added facilities to the present Boshamer Gymnasium and part of the money will be used for the completion of the debt that is owed on the new McLarty - Goodson Class-

room Building that is presently under construction. Any funds left over from these two expenditures is to be used for further capital improvements on the BC campus.

The bulk of the gift will go for the addition to the gym. Included in the construction that will be started sometime after the first of the year, will be a new gym floor, four new office, one classroom, a stor-

age room and a lounge or the coaches. This new construction will be built in front of the present soccer field facing Kings Creek. Also included in the new project will be the addition of another dressing room to the present facility. The new dressing room will be built onto the building near the tennis courts.

Mr. E. W. Hardin, Jr., Busi-

ness Manager of Brevard College, said that the new women's gym will include a regulation size playing floor with seating facilities for approximately 100 people. The gym will be used for intramurals also.

The gym is expected to be completed and ready for use by second semester of 1969.

Mr. Boshamer gave a large amount of money for the construction of the present gym.

Part of the money in the gift will go to pay a pledge that was due this year on the new classroom building, which is scheduled for completion by late June, 1969. It is expected to be ready for use for the 1969 fall semester.

"Few colleges have been so fortunate as to have such a man as Mr. Boshamer. Our educational program will be greatly enhanced and the campus beautified because of his generosity," commented Dean Grady Whicker, Dean of the College.

Building Program

The new classroom building and the gym is all part of a vast building program that was launched by the College in 1960 by the late President E. K. McLarty, Jr. Already completed in this building program, which is nearly accomplished, is Beam Dorm, the Library, the Cafeteria, the Science Building and the Administration Building.

After the building of the classroom building the only construction left on the agenda will be the Student Union. There had been some talk of converting the old library into the new student union, said Mr. Hardin, but this project has been ruled out.

The plan now being studied calls for starting from scratch and building the new Student Union. The entire program is scheduled for completion by 1970.

Samuel R. Levering To Speak At U. N. Program

Mr. Samuel R. Levering will be the guest speaker at the annual United Nations program to be held in the Brevard College gymnasium beginning at 6:55 p. m. on October 23. A well-known horticulturist and leader in the Quaker Religious Society of Friends, Mr. Levering has also done extensive work in promoting the work of the United Nations through lectures and articles.

In 1946 he helped inaugurate the High School World Peace Study and Speaking Program in North Carolina High Schools, sponsored by the Extension Di-

vision of the University of North Carolina. Each year he goes with the High School World Peace Contest winners and their teachers on the trip to the United Nations, giving background information, providing help in obtaining the best opportunities at the United Nations, and aiding in other ways.

Besides his work with the U. N., Mr. Levering is Chairman of the Board of Christian Social Concerns of the Five Years Meeting of Friends, and has served in a number of positions with the American Friends Service Committee. Among many other activities, Mr. Levering founded both the American Freedom Association and the National Executive Council of the United World Federalists.

Mrs. Brunson Wallace is in charge of this annual program for the community and college. The Brevard High School Band will present a concert preceding the speaker. Special guests will include Mayor R. F. Bennett and City Manager, Mr. R. W. Buck.

Festival Coming To Campus

The second annual Appalachian Mountain Festival on tour will be presented here at Brevard College on Saturday evening, October 27 at 7:30 p. m. The festival will be held in Dunham Auditorium and admission is free, having been financed by our Student Government Association.

Featured on the program are a troupe of outstanding instrumentalists, singers, and dancers all of whom are authentic native performers of this Appalachian region. They include Hedy West, folksinger, who accompanies herself on the banjo and is now internationally known through a number of recordings and performances both in Europe and here in the United States at such big festivals as the Newport Folk Festival.

Instrumental solo performers include Red Parham, harmonica, player, Bill McElreath,

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A. G. Myers Dining Hall Dedicated

Dedication of the Albert G. Myers Dining Hall took place on October 10. The dedication assumed the form of a dinner with trustees, faculty, and student government members present.

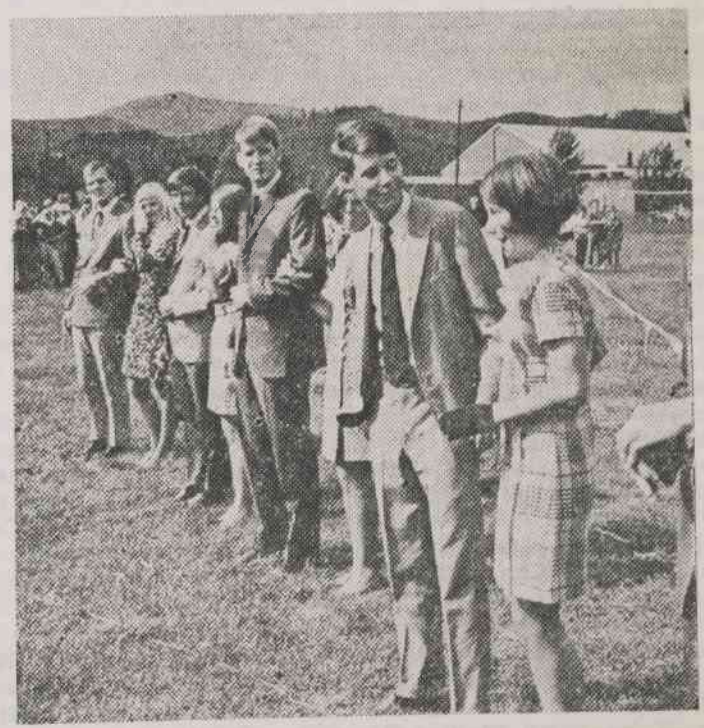
The tribute began with the National Emblem March played by the Brevard College orchestra. College Chaplain Edward Roy gave the invocation, and Mr. Hardin stated the purpose in these words: "A dining hall is an integral part of any college campus. It is a place where students and faculty come to be physically nourished and to enjoy fellowship with one another. It is our hope that this building will serve many generations of students and faculty at Brevard College."

Dean of the College Grady Whicker, Robert T. Gash, representing the alumni, and the Rev. W. Harold Groce, Supt. of the Asheville District of the United Methodist Church, presented the greetings. The College architect, Mr. Henry C. McDonald did the honor of presenting the keys to Mr. Allen Sims, Chairman of the Board

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Social Calendar Announced

- Oct. 18 - 11:00 — Class rings - cafeteria
- Oct. 18 - 8:00 — Dunham; How Concerned are You? Mr. Kirstead - Western Carolina Community Action Project
- Mrs. Jenkins - Transylvania County Welfare Dept.
- Mrs. Olson - Transylvania County School System
- Mrs. Lollis - Transylvania County Public Health Department
- These people will explain their programs briefly and then list opportunities for individuals and groups to serve a great need in our community.
- Oct. 19 - Cross Country - Calloway Gardner - there 7:30 - Dunham - Miss Joan Moser and Folk Music followed by a professional travelogue just completed on the Carolinas - Charleston, races at Weaverville, skiing, historical and other interests of the 2 states by Mr. Norman R. Hallock of Hendersonville
- 10:30 - Field Trip - Biology
- 1:00 - Trip to Lake Junaluska - Kappi Chi
- Oct. 20 - 7:30 — Elections for President - 1968
- Mr. Vic Duggins - moderator
- Mr. Quentin Crane, American Independent Party
- Mr. Charles Taylor - Republican Party
- Mr. Ernest Gilstrap - Democratic Party
- Oct. 21 - Cross Country - Milligan — there 7:00 Spanish Club - Dunham
- Oct. 22 - Soccer - King College — Here 5:30 Christian Council - Myers Dining Hall 7:30 Coin Club - Library Seminar Room
- October 23 - 7:00 Chapel - U. N. Day; Mr. Sam Levering speaker - gym - community invited.
- Oct. 24 - Cross Country — Wingate — here
- Oct. 25 - Recital - 8:00 - Dunham
- Oct. 26 - Oakridge Tour — contact Miss Nicholson
- Soccer - Tusculum - here
- Zen Den - Mandarin Cast - Dunham Auditorium



"And the Homecoming Queen for 1968 is Miss Bonnie Brewbaker." (Photo by Jerry Sudderth)