

Dark of The Moon is rapidly approaching opening-night

By David Arledge

"Grab your partners and here we go!" As the guitar picks a lively tune, overall-clad men swing colorful mountain "gals" in calico skirts. Hands clap and feet stomp through this exciting scene in **Dark of The Moon**.

This is one of the many unforgettable scenes presented in this year's Masquers play.

Dark of the Moon by Howard Richardson and William Berney, is a sometimes hilarious, sometimes tearful, but always interesting drama that will delight any audience.

Scenes range from a rendezvous with witches on a mountain top to one of gossiping hill-

billies in a general store. At one point a woman gives birth to her first baby, and in another scene a church congregation shouts for all its members to repeat. Finally, the play ends in heartbreaking tragedy.

Rheumma C. Miller is the director; Bernita Kinney; student director; Wilbert Kimple, technical director; Berry Pidgeon, make-up director; and Victoria Pidgeon, Prompter.

The cast of characters are: John, Eddie Gash; Conjur Man, Pete Harrison; Dark Witch, Stephanie Oxley; Fair Witch, Kathy Gelbach; Conjur Woman, Susan Huggins; Hand Gudger, David Arledge; Edna Summery, Judy Houser; Mr.

Summery, Lee Hendrickson; Mrs. Summery, Amy Henson; Miss Metcalf, Ann Reed; Mr. Atkinson, Bob Yount; Mr. Jenkins, Brown Bobbitt; Uncle Smelicue, Scott Burton; Leafy, AL Easter; Floyd Allen, George Taylor; Mr. Bergen, Ronnie Parker; Mrs. Bergen, Carolyn Hiler; Burt Denwitty, Neill Austin; Green Gorman, Becky Price; Hattie Heffner, Mary Gavlik; Marvin Hudgens, Charlie Jackson; Barbara Allen, Janet Capps; Mrs. Allen Tina Summers; Mr. Allen, Buddy Garrett; Preacher Haggler, John Finn.

Dark of the Moon will be given on November 12 and 13 in Dunham Auditorium.

Thomas B. Stockton will speak at Brevard's next Convocation

Chaplain C. Edward Roy of Brevard College has announced that Rev. Thomas B. Stockton, Pastor of Central United Methodist Church, Asheville, will be the speaker at the Convocation program on Wednesday evening, November 10, at 7:30 p.m. It will be held at the Dunham Music Center on the College campus. His subject will be "Unreasonable Expectations."

Before being assigned to Central United Methodist Church in June, 1970, Mr. Stockton has served as pastor of Dilworth Church, Charlotte; First Church at Reidsville; Thrift Church, Charlotte; and Central Avenue Church, Charlotte.

Rev. Stockton is a native of Winston-Salem and received the A. B. degree from Davidson College and the B.D. degree from Duke University.

He is married to the former Jean Stevens of Winston-Salem, and they have three children, Lisa, Tommy and Shannon.

The public is invited to attend.



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Tom Shuff to be presented in formal recital

Tom Shuff, a sophomore music student, will be presented in the first formal recital of the College year in the auditorium of the Dunham Music Center Friday, November 5, at 8 p. m. A clarinetist from Chattanooga, Tennessee, Tom will perform works by C. M. von Weber and Willson Osborne. He is currently a student of Miss Irene Brychein. Beverly Moore will accompany him at the piano.

Other works on the program include selections from the repertoire which the Chamber Ensemble will take on tour No. —Turn To Page Three



TOM SHUFF

Clarion editor attends ACP Convention in Dallas

During fall break, Mike Jones, editor of *The Clarion*, attended an Associated Collegiate Press convention in Dallas, Texas. This was a national convention of advisers and editors of college publications. The convention was held at the Statler-Hilton Hotel in downtown Dallas, where Mike stayed.

Television newscaster Harry Reasoner was present at the convention. Another eminent visitor was Donald Rumsfeld, the director of President Nixon's Phase II Economic Program, who was sent to Dallas by the White House to address the convention. This was his only speaking engagement in October, and his first since the program was announced.

Learning sessions were held for two days. Ten different sessions were held every hour, and each student could attend whichever session he wished. Most of the people who led the sessions were top journal-

Allman Brother dies in crash

MACON, GA. — Duane Allman, leader of the popular Allman Brothers rock band, was killed Friday in a motorcycle accident.

Hospital authorities said the 24-year-old guitar player died in the operating room shortly after being admitted.

A witness reported that Allman's cycle ran into the rear of a truck that was making a right turn ahead of him.

ists of the country. Some were led by student editors.

One of the nation's top libel lawyers was there. His main topic concerned letters to the editor. He said that the paper is responsible for all letters printed in it. If a letter is libelous, the writer of the letter, the paper, and the school can be sued, as well as any other involved parties.

An entertainment highlight was a premiere showing of a Stanley Kramer movie, "Bless the Beats and Children."

The most unusual feature of the convention was a "beer fest" sponsored by Delmar Publishing Company. When Mike was asked if he participated, he replied, "No comment!"

BSU supports child

Supporting a child in India has recently been selected as a project by the B. C. Baptist Student Union.

By contributing \$12 a month through World Vision International Child Care, the group will be able to help finance the child's food, clothing, housing, medical care, and Christian education.

Union members will communicate with the Indian child and receive his photograph while supporting him.

B.S.U. activities during the semester have included a retreat at the home of Mr. Keith Lathrop, the sponsor, and participation in the annual Transylvania Baptist Associational Meeting and in a state B.S.U. conference near Asheboro.

Plans are now underway for members to attend the fall state B.S.U. convention in November.

Brevard has direct transfer program

Brevard College and Elon College near Burlington, N. C., have entered into an agreement that will permit graduates of a junior college to enroll at a four year college as juniors with a direct transfer of full credit for academic work completed at the junior college level.

The announcement was made today in a joint statement by Dr. Theo Strum, Dean of Instruction at Elon College and Dr. Ben F. Wade, Academic Dean at Brevard College.

Elon College was chartered on March 11, 1889, "to afford instruction in the liberal arts and sciences." Its establishment was the result of determination on the part of the Christian church, now the United Church of Christ, to have a school which would prepare young people for leadership in the churches.

Elon, located just west of Burlington, now boasts an enrollment of over 1800 and a modern physical plant valued at over \$9 million. The college is headed by Dr. J. E. Daniel, now in his fifteenth year as president.

Prior to the new direct transfer arrangement, Brevard graduates were given credit only for those courses taken at Brevard that were also offered at Elon. Also grades of "C" or better on courses at Brevard were computed at Elon as a straight "C" average. Now all grades are transferred at their face value and no hours are lost on courses not in the Elon curriculum.

"We are most pleased that we can now accept Brevard College graduates as direct transfer students and offer full credit for their academic work at Brevard," said Dr. Strum in the announcement. "We look forward to a good working relationship between Brevard and Elon."

Brevard sponsors workshop

Twenty-five teachers and 50 students from High Schools in Western North Carolina were guests of Brevard College on October 27 for a workshop on the environment, sponsored by the Division of Mathematics and Natural Sciences.

The program included the teachers discussing new curricula and teaching methods for biology, chemistry mathematics and physics courses.

A panel composed of Philip B. Wainwright, regional engineer, and Andy Carlton, both with the Air Quality Office; and William Mull, regional engineer with the Water Quality Office discussed the monitoring and quality of water and air in the 29 counties of the western part of the state. All three men are with the North Carolina Department of Natural and Economic Resources.

Dr. Laurence R. Liggett, Director of the Cooperative Environmental Education Program for public schools in Buncombe, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Madison, Polk, and Transylvania counties discussed the resources available through the Environmental Education Program and the use of Deer Lake Lodge facility by schools.

Howard Zeller of the Water Quality Division of the Environmental Protection Agency in Atlanta, Georgia, discussed the quality of the water in the southeastern states. He emphasized how mercury and pesticides are taken into the human body and their effect on the body.

Dr. John P. Witherspoon, ecologist, with the Ecological Sciences Division of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, discussed ecosystems and the food chain and how various pollutants are transferred to man.