



# Season's Greetings



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These students are getting ready to go caroling tonight. They are 1st row, 1 to r Claude Andrews, Jewel Deane Love, and Libba Stewart. 2nd row 1 to r Dee Howard and John Redhead.

## Who's Who Recognition Ceremony To Be Held Tonight At 6:45

### WG Service Held Tonight

A White Gift Service will be held in the L. A. Auditorium Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 7:30 p.m. An offering will be taken up which will be sent to the Leper Colony at So Chulla Namdo, Soonchun, Korea.

Dr. Charles G. Vardell, Dean of the Conservatory, will give the invocation; Betty Ruth Barker, president of the Christian Association, will explain the history of the White Gift and give the dedicatory prayer; and Robert K. Gustafson, acting Dean of the Chapel, will ask the benediction. Selections from Benjamin Britten's "Ceremony of Carols" will be sung by the Girls' Chorus, directed by Anne-liese Schober.

The Leper Colony at Chulla Namdo always has approximately 1200 patients, and discharges

one hundred or more each year as they are cured. Outside the Colony is a "Home" where the "clean" children of Leper patients live and go to school.

Contributions to the Colony are always used in part for buildings and repairs, part of the cost of which is defrayed by the use of voluntary labor of the patients. Donations may also be used for aid to students and for medical supplies. Distribution of the offering will be left to the administrators of the Colony, who later will inform us of how the money is being used.

Cabinet members will accept offerings from students who wish to contribute but cannot attend the Service.

At 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 19 a special assembly will be held in the L. A. Auditorium to recognize those students elected by their classmates to appear in "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges."

No small honor, this is one of the highest positions a student could hope to attain. Seniors and juniors are eligible for this distinction, and are elected by vote of the student body.

Although this is the first academic year for St. Andrews, some very outstanding students are on campus, and were recognized as such in this recent election. Fourteen students were deemed worthy of being listed in "Who's Who".

This is not only a means of recognizing our better students but it is also a means of saying thank you to these individuals for their tireless efforts to make their school the best possible.

Dr. Price H. Gwynn, Dean of Faculty, will conduct the program.

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## String Quartet To Perform

On Thursday evening at 8:00 p.m. Jan. 11, 1962 in the National Guard Armory, The Curtis String Quartet will be heard in a performance of chamber music.

The Curtis String Quartet is composed of two Violinists, a Violist, and a Cellist who are resident teachers at Curtis Institute in Philadelphia and Philadelphia's New School of Music.

The Curtis Quartet is one of the oldest String Quartets in musical history and has for over 30 years reflected this country's extreme interest in chamber music.

The term "Chamber music" originally meant that type of music which was best performed in the drawing room or private chambers of a person of high standing. In modern times, however, it has come to embrace types of music of a more intimate nature capable of being performed in a small-sized hall either private or public.

Chamber music is instrumental ensemble music which is performed by one player for each part. In true chamber music the emphasis lies on the ensemble, and not on individual players.

The two violinists are Jascha Brodsky and Mehli Mehta, both of who completed notable European tours before coming to

the USA and joining their present colleagues at the Curtis Institute. Mehta also organized and directed the Bombay Symphony and Chamber Music Societies before coming to the Institute.

Max Arnoff, violist, is the founder-director of the New School of Music in Philadelphia and has produced many of the country's outstanding violinists.

Cellist Orlando Cole graduated from the Curtis Institute and is now a faculty member there. He has done a great deal of solo work with orchestras both in the USA and Canada.

The string quartet is the chief type of chamber music because it "always says what is necessary, and never too much."

The present day repertory for string quartets begins with the "father" of the string quartet, Haydn (written between 1780 and 1790), and those works by Mozart of the same decade.

The Quartet has brought forth the highest praises from American and European critics, in unity of thought, tonal blending and technique.

Lionel Tertis, dean of British string players writes:

"Recalling the many quartets I have heard, I give the palm to the Curtis String Quartet. They have achieved the ideal."

The Curtis String Quartet records for Westminster Records.

## Dr. Moore Is Improving

Dean Rodger W. Decker reports after a recent trip to Miami that Dr. Moore is in fair condition and recovering steadily after his heart attack. He is expected to remain in the hospital for a period of three weeks and then will be brought home for a long period of convalescence. Mrs. Moore and their daughter are with him.

Students are welcomed and encouraged to send cards to him. The address is Room 614, Mount Sinai Hospital, Alton Road, North, Miami Beach, Florida.



Curtis String Quartet

## C.A. To Sponsor Caroling Tonight

At 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, December 19, trucks will leave from the Student Center to take students caroling. Several stops will be made in the town area, and free hot chocolate and cookies will be served in the snack bar afterwards.

Visits will be made to the recreation area between the hospital and the Presbyterian church, the nursing homes, the Methodist church (main highway), East Laurinburg School the Trading Post area, and possibly others.

Students who plan to go on the carol sing and who have flashlights are asked to bring them along. There will be printed sheets of carols, but anyone may suggest songs in addition to those on the sheets.

### Schedule of Events

- Dec. 19, Departmental Clubs Who's Who Ceremony 6:45-7:15 Liberal Arts Auditorium.
- White Gift Service followed by Carol Sing 7:30 in LA
- Dec. 20, Holidays begin at noon
- Jan. 4, Classes resume Highland Players 4:00
- Jan. 6, Orange Hall Party
- Jan. 8, Georgia State (T)
- Jan. 10, Faculty Meeting Student Recital 5:00 Vespers 7:00
- Jan. 11, Curtis String Quartet 8:00 Campbell College (T)
- Jan. 13, Charlotte College (H)

## NOTICE

Mr. Yates Forbis, Librarian, has announced that all library books now circulating will be due before tomorrow, Wednesday, Dec. 20. Students may check out books for the holidays today, Tuesday, Dec. 19.

## Campus Beauties To Be Chosen

The Student Life Committee in cooperation with the staff of The Lamp and Shield announces that there will be a contest to select campus favorites from among the resident and non-resident women students. Beauty, poise, charm, and personality will be basic criteria in this selection.

Each of the 6 dorms will be given up to 4 nominees and the Day Student Association will also be allowed 4. A group of off-campus judges will be invited to select from this group of up to 28 the favorites for the yearbook.

A St. Andrews Queen will be selected from among these to represent the college in several official events.

It is hoped that dorm leaders and Day Student leaders will give early attention to having their candidates chosen.

The deadlines for these nominations is January 10.