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ROBERT MacDONALD

Famed Concert Pianist Now On Conservatory Staff At St. Andrews

Concert pianist Robert MacDonald has joined the music faculty here as visiting artist-in-residence for this semester.

The visiting faculty member will share his time between teaching duties and a concert schedule. Among his concert appearances for the season will be soloist with the North Carolina Orchestra and the Little Symphony.

The pianist's background from a small South Carolina community between Dillon and Little Rock proved no deterrent to the combination of talent and ambition. At an early age, MacDonald was encouraged in the field of music.

At the University of North Carolina he studied with Viennese-born Jan Schinhan. Following graduation he accepted a graduate assistantship at the Indiana University School of Music. Within a year he had obtained the Master of Music in Piano degree.

After a tour of duty as an officer in the U. S. Air Force, MacDonald earned his Klavierdiplom at Staatsakademie fur Musik, Vienna.

He made his debut in Vienna in 1957 and in New York a few years later. In his own country MacDonald was heralded "... a young pianist who invests the music he performs with the qualities of youthfulness and freshness. He has strong fingers that can produce fine ringing tones, manipulate complex passages with ease and summon forth excellent dynamic modulations."

At an amateur drama workshop in Vienna the pianist met the future Mrs. MacDonald, who relinquished a promising career on the Viennese stage to become his bride. The couple and their two-year-old daughter, Sonja, make their home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. McLaurin MacDonald, in South Carolina.

At the close of this semester MacDonald will return to Vienna and his fourth concert tour for the United States Information Service there. The tour, which will begin in Finland, will continue through Christmas.

Next January he will begin a three-month tour in the States with Alkahest Concerts Agency, Atlanta, the largest concert agency in the country outside New York.

Competition, Not War

Will Khrushchev Bury Us ?

Drew Pearson, writer of Washington Merry-Go-Round and internationally known syndicated columnist, spoke to a capacity crowd at the National Guard Armory, on Monday, Feb. 4. Mr. Pearson was lecturer number two for the 1962-1963 Concert and Lecture Series. He chose for his topic, WILL KHRUSHCHEV BURY US? Mr. Pearson chose to answer this question by stating the views of some of the leaders with whom he has been associated.

Khrushchev's Views

Eisenhower— "Wanted peace but couldn't control his own party." War— "We will bury you not by War... but through competition." Capitalism— "Capitalism is the Father of Communism." Nixon— "Actor". Kennedy— "Can disagree with but still respect. Kennedy should not look to left at Eisenhower or to the right at Nixon but straight ahead toward World Peace. After all he is the President no matter how close the election." Elections— "We wanted Kennedy to win."

Tito's Views

Summit— "Khrushchev and Kennedy should meet three or four times a year till they get their differences settled." China— "There are significant differences between China and Russia."

Truman's View

Eisenhower — "Eisenhower has made Grant a Statesman." Mr. Pearson' through the use of personal anecdotes, was able

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New Assistant To President Appointed

M. Stan Bell, director of church relations for St. Andrews has accepted a new post as assistant to President Ansley Moore. Since last summer Mr. Bell has worked with the development office staff as special assistant and director of church relations.

Mr. Bell is a native of Greenwood, S. C. He received his undergraduate education at Erskine College and the B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Va. Before entering the ministry, Mrs. Bell was a sales representative for a national drug concern and organized his own drug wholesale business in South Carolina.

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DREW PEARSON

Artist Life Subject of C&C Film

Another in the series of Art Films will be shown in the C & C room on Feb. 5 at 6:30 and 8:00 p.m.

The first movie of the evening is titled, "Rubens." This movie is a historical study of Rubens in terms of the Flemish-Italian tradition to which he belongs, as well as of his disciples and successors. The picture displays a variety of optic effects to explain the importance of the circle to Rubens in his painting and presents detailed critical analyses of some of his great works.

"Caravaggio and the Baroque" is the second film of the evening. As innovator and non-conformist Caravaggio stands out against the background of the Baroque and man's fascination with space. He added to the

social ferment of the Reformation by bringing about a rebellion in the arts against the mannered idealism of the past. This study of his works shows that nature alone, the direct experience of the senses, was Caravaggio's master.

Rejecting theory, he spoke with a fresh vision and dramatization directly to nobleman and present alike, and had a vast effect on the development of artistic expression.

The movies are open to all students and the public is cordially invited to attend.

X-Ray Unit To Be On Campus

The Freshman class is endorsing a project to get as many students as possible who have not had an x-ray during the last six months to get an x-ray Wednesday at the Mobile Unit which will be set up behind the gym.

This service is free, but is available on the campus for only one day. John Waldin, chairman of the project, will answer any questions one may have concerning the free x-rays.

REWARD!

\$50 for a school fight song.
\$50 for an Alma Mater.

Details in the next issue of The Lance.

St. Andrews Hosts High School Musicians

The St. Andrew's Conservatory of Music will be host to the All-State Southeastern District Band Clinic on Feb. 15-16. Those qualifying for the Clinic were chosen from the tryouts held in the Conservatory on January 11-12.

Franklin West, Dean of the Conservatory, states that the Clinics afford outstanding students throughout the state an opportunity to play a higher grade of music than they would normally find in their local bands and that it will also give the students a chance to play contest music that they will have to perform in State Spring Music Contests.

The students will be divided into two bands with approximately 5 members in each band, and will spend most of their time practicing toward a final concert on Saturday evening at 7:30 in the Laurinburg Armory. Harold Bachman from the University of Florida will be the conductor of Band "A" and Charles L. Isley, from Appalachian State Teachers College will be the conductor of Band "B."

Registration will take place on Friday, Feb. 15, from 8:30-9:30. Immediately after registration the students will follow a very rigid schedule of rehearsals from 9:30-5:30. After this long day of rehearsals the Band Directors and students will be treated to a Banquet and Dance in the student center from 7:00-10:00 p.m.

Change Of Activity Scheduling Procedure

Any party, outing meeting, or banquet and other event may be carried out by pre-arrangement with the Student Affairs Office, who approves functions and provides Activity Scheduling Request Forms. These forms must be obtained two weeks in advance of events open to the student body and one week in advance for other socials.

Signatures of the Chairman, Treasurer, Advisor (of the sponsoring group), one chaperone (if it is a social event), and the person responsible for clearance of facilities must be included in the information on the request form. The administration in charge of the various facilities are: conservatory, Mr.

Coming Events

- Tuesday, Feb. 6
Wrestling, here. SAP vs East Carolina College. Match will be held in the Main Lounge of the Student Center; 8:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, Feb. 6
Duplicate Bridge. Faculty dining room, 8:00 p.m.
- Thursday, Feb. 7
Basketball, SAP vs Campbell College, there.
- Friday, Feb. 8
Basketball, SAP vs College of Charleston, there.



NORWOOD MADDRY

SAP Student Elected To State Student Government Assoc.

Norwood Maddry has been elected chairman of the executive board of the North State Student Government Association. This association is composed of twelve member colleges of which St. Andrews is one. The colleges in this association include Appalachian, Lenoir Rhyne, Atlantic Christian, Elon, High Point, Catawba, Phieffer, Western Carolina, and Carolina Wesleyan.

The purpose of the NSSGA is to promote better student government among the member colleges and to allow them to help each other in the realms of the academic, the social, and the governmental. The executive board coordinates these functions and the chairman provides leadership for this coordination.

Norwood is a junior from Lumberton, North Carolina. He attended the University of North Carolina before coming to St. Andrews. At UNC he was a member of the newspaper staff and freshman board of directors. He pledged Delta Phi Epsilon fraternity there. At St. Andrews he is vice-president of the junior class, a past member of the senate and editor for the handbook for next year. He is a pre-ministerial student majoring in history, English, and Bible.

Frank West; L.A.A. and rooms, Mrs. Singleton; Residence Halls and Student Center, Mr. Hiott.

Publicity for the activities is to be released only after the approved events are recorded on the official college calendar by Miss Blanton. Those planning activities should note that a faculty representative or approved chaperone must be present at every student social function, and three couples are re-

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Man Wanted

Learn photography and help St. Andrews at the same time — that's the combination being offered by the Development Office.

Any student (except seniors) may apply for the job. We need help in taking both color and black and white photos now... and need to train someone to carry on next year.

How about it? Contact Jack Abernathy at Room 108 (Development Office) in the Liberal Arts Building.