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Plans Are Being Promoted For Big Expansion Project

\$115,000 IS GOAL

Campaign for 2,000 Members for Second Century Builders Club Is Underway.

GYM TO HEAD PROGRAM

Student Administrative Council Approves Plan as Presented by Dr. Milner.

Extensive plans have been inaugurated by the college through the board of trustees and alumni to make a concentrated effort to culminate work on the expansion project, which includes building of a new gymnasium, in order to begin actual building next spring if developments reach the stage of completion.

Interest in the athletic center and other additions and improvements which have been outlined has grown to a high point and the general feeling towards the "march to the goal" is that it is vitally certain of success.

Building of a new gymnasium to replace the present one, which was a prize model in this state 40 years ago, has been realized as a necessary step to meet the needs of the student body and the academic program. Plans as drawn include a plant of completely modernized proportions to be well-equipped for both intercollegiate and intramural activities on that scale which would make the college athletic program adequate for a student body of Guilford's size.

According to the statement of President Clyde A. Milner, this week, a sum of \$115,000 is set as the goal for the expansion project, which would include the building and equipment of the gymnasium, renovation of the boys' dormitories and Founders' hall, and building of a new girls' dormitory. Previous efforts have contributed to the building fund, but the bulk of the amount is sought in the current program through the Second Century Builders club. There is an aspect to latest developments which overshadows from practically every angle the former status of affairs in the fact that important action by the board of trustees, meeting here in special session on No-

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GUY THOMAS AND EDWARD CORBY MAKE STRAIGHT A'S

Official Reports on Quarter Grades Show Many New Candidates For Honor Roll.

FROSH MAKE SCHOLASTIC BOW

First official reports on quarter grades show many new candidates for this year's honor roll. In comparing the figures of this quarter with those of the same period for last year it is encouraging to note that many new gains have been made.

The report for the first quarter shows two students making all A.'s as over against only one for last year; credit going to Edward Corby and Guy Thomas for this achievement.

The list of students making all A.'s but one has been increased from seven to nine; six freshman made their debut in this division. Those whose names appear in this list are Henry Bilyeu, Marie Grumbrecht, Charles Lewis, Elfried Pennekamp, Stokes Rawlins, Wm. David Stedman, Catharine Beittel, Theodore Mills and Patricia Hopkins. A group of twenty-seven students

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FAMOUS AUTHOR TO TALK ON PROGRAM

Allen Tate of Woman's College To Be at Guilford December 1.

HAS HAD NOTED CAREER

Allen Tate, eminent author, lecturer, critic, and professor at Woman's College will appear on the regular Thursday evening program of the Joint Y. W. C. A., Y. M. C. A., December 1 at seven o'clock. Mr. Tate is the author of the recently published novel, *The Fathers*. His subject has not been announced but it is probable that he will discuss something of a literary nature.

Mr. Tate came to Woman's College in February, 1938 as a professor in the department of English. Prior to that time, from 1934 to 1936, he was lecturer in English literature at Southwestern College in Memphis. He received his bachelor's degree from Vanderbilt University and migrated to New York to make a name for himself. After attaining national recognition in 1938, as a free lance poet and critic, Mr. Tate was awarded a Guggenheim Fellowship.

Besides contributing to nearly all the important critical magazines, Mr. Tate has published several volumes. Included among these are critical biographies of Jefferson Davis and Stonewall Jackson; four volumes of poetry; one book of essays; and the popular novel *The Fathers*.

LAST NIGHT'S RECITAL PRESENTS NEW TALENT

Fine Arts Club Material Given to the Public for the First Evening Program.

Last night's student recital marked the first appearance before the general public of a type of program that has been frequently presented to members of the Fine Arts club during the fall. The eight students appearing on the program have been preparing their numbers since early September. They presented a dozen carefully chosen selections from the works of widely-known composers. Three of the students, Jonaleen Hodgkin, Annie Evelyn Powell, and Mike Caffey are juniors and will present their individual senior recitals sometime during the spring of next year. The three freshmen on last night's program rendered piano selections by Schubert, MacDowell, and Moskowski; various pianists on the campus accompanied the singers. Piano solos were given by Evelyn Pearson, Minnie Wallace, and Beaven Farlowe. Annie Evelyn Powell, Joe Parker, Jonaleen Hodgkin, and Eileen Dornseiff sang.

DEBATERS PREPARE FOR COMING TOURNAMENTS

Guilford's debating team this year will consist of Teddy Mills and Marion Huff, negative; and Winfred Melbohm and Homer Wellborn, affirmative. These four students were named to the team when Wilbert Edgerton and Robert Register, varsity men last year, did not report for the trials.

Under the tutelage of Mr. Suiter, the debaters are already hard at work preparing for the annual South Atlantic forensic tournament. The tournament will be held in Salisbury in early March.

DR. MILNER GOES NORTH TO PRESENT PLANS TO ALUMNI

Mrs. Milner Joins University Christian Mission Institute In Alabama For a Week.

WILL RETURN DECEMBER 4

Guilford President Explains Plans for New Building Program to Alumni Groups.

Off campus this week have been both Dr. Clyde A. Milner, president, and Ernestine C. Milner, personnel director of Guilford college. In Dr. Milner's pocket when he stepped aboard the train Wednesday, November 16, were plans for alumni leaders in the East, and notes for discussion and lectures traveled south to Montgomery, Alabama with Mrs. Milner Friday evening, November 25.

Dr. Milner, furnished with the resolution approved by the board of trustees in their meeting on November 8, contacted alumni leaders in New York, Philadelphia, Washington, and Wilmington, Delaware, returned after seven days, November 16-23, with encouraging plans.

Beginning today, November 26, Mrs. Milner actively joined the nation-wide University Christian Mission in its program at Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama and State Teachers College, Montgomery, Alabama. She is the only woman in the southern United States on the executive staff of the tour which has as its objective the leading of "students and teachers to vital faith in God . . . and to a thorough personal commitment to His cause in the world." Like her husband, Mrs. Milner will be away from campus a week, returning in time for her classes on December 4.

Ammunition for Guilford's president in his swing up the Atlantic seaboard was the challenge to the alumni given out by the college trustees in their endeavor to make possible early completion of these improvements: the construction of the badly-needed gym as soon as 2,000 alumni, students, or friends of the college enroll in the Builder's club for a minimum of three years.

CHOIR PREPARES FOR HOLIDAY ENGAGEMENTS

Number of Concerts on Campus and in Greensboro Scheduled for Organization.

"MESSIAH" WILL BE SUNG AGAIN

Pressed to fill their usual series of holiday engagements, the Guilford college A Capella choir is working at top speed to prepare new numbers and polish up on old selections which they will offer to the Guilford community and to Greensboro.

Opening with the old hymn, "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come," the choir last Wednesday initiated the Guilford student body to a new type of chapel celebration of the traditional Thanksgiving holidays. Two of the numbers included in last Wednesday's program, "Call to Remembrance," and "Oh, Be Joyful," are in the regular concert repertoire of the organization.

For the first time since he has been at Guilford, Dr. Weiss led in recitative reading en masse. He has been very anxious to include this type of reading in chapel for some time, and if

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Chapel Schedule

Monday, Nov. 28.—Mr. A. L. Brooks, attorney from Greensboro, N. C.

Tuesday, Nov. 29.—Meeting for worship on the basis of silence in the Student Hut.

Wednesday, Nov. 30.—Mr. Edgar Hartley, Secretary Y. M. C. A., High Point, N. C.

Thursday, Dec. 1.—Class meetings.

Friday, Dec. 2.—Musical program by Mrs. Eichhorn and associates.

Monday, Dec. 5.—Dr. Harvey Ljung, "Motor Fuels."

Tuesday, Dec. 6.—Meeting for worship on the basis of silence in the Student Hut.

Wednesday, Dec. 7.—Dr. I. G. Greer, Thomasville, N. C.

Thursday, Dec. 8.—Class meetings.

Friday, Dec. 9.—A discussion of Handel's Messiah by three students.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR HAS SWEDISH THEME

Y.W.C.A. Will Sponsor Annual Affair in Mary Hobbs Hall.

JAP MOTIF DISCARDED

Plans for the annual Y. W. C. A. Christmas bazaar inaugurated several years ago by the local lassies in order to augment a slender bank account will take place in Mary Hobbs Hall Saturday evening December 3.

This year the affair will follow a Swedish (middle-way) theme rather than a Japanese (aggressive) idea as was carried out last year. Patrons are urged to appear in Swedish costumes in order to further carry out the cooperative idea. Swedish decorations will lend a festive appearance to the center of activity. The only deviation from the adopted theme will be the English language and American refreshments, which will be served in a Swedish tea-room (ordinarily Mary Hobbs kitchen).

Interesting and unique Swedish souvenirs and gifts appropriate to the Yule season will be on sale. Swedish games and Scandinavian dances will be in vogue for the merry makers.

Proceeds obtained will be used by the Y. W. to cover various expenses encountered in the Y. W. program for the year.

Investigative Wave Extends to Inner Workings of Guilfordian

Today is Saturday and again you are reading your GUILFORDIAN. Ah yes, but little do you know of the hectic struggle that Editor T. A. Cann and his thirty-five odd cohorts have made to put this sheet before the eager campus public. The lives of would-be student journalists are fraught with danger, hard work, criticism and ingratitude. Taken as a lot, they, in an effort to get their sheet out on time, have become a morose, sullen, hardened, skeptical group. But in order to understand these misfits in society it would be well to look behind the scenes to see the GUILFORDIAN in the throes of birth.

Sad faced Editor T. A. Cann is by far the most colorful figure behind our printed page. Upon his round scholarly shoulders rests the responsibility of producing the GUILFORDIAN on time. As the publication date for each issue rolls around his already low hanging trousers hang dependently lower. Wit

ANNUAL BANQUET SLATED TO DRAW CAPACITY CROWD

Plans Have Been Completed for Fall Sports Dinner to Be Held This Evening.

DEACON COACH HONORED

Rug-Cutting Session in Mary Hobbs Hall Will Follow Presentation of Varsity Letters.

Tonight at 7 o'clock Founders Hall will be the scene of the annual fall sports banquet, with Coach Jim Weaver of Wake Forest heading the bill as chief speaker for the occasion. Final preparations for the banquet have been completed by the social committee under the joint supervision of Tyree Gilliam and Mary Priscilla Blouch, who are confidently expecting a full house tonight. The program has been especially designed to honor the two fall sports teams, football and track, and Coach Weaver, Dr. Shepard, Dr. Campbell, and the captains and captains-elect will make talks during the course of the evening. Dr. H. A. Ljung will be the toastmaster. Included in the program will be the presentation of letters by Coach Carlyle Shepard and Coach "Block" Smith to members of the cross-country and football teams who have turned in outstanding performances for the year.

The social committee promises short speeches, long menus, and an entertaining program, tonight. Following the two-hour banquet there will be dancing in Mary Hobbs hall, starting at nine and lasting 'til —. The committee has had less funds at its disposal this year than at any other time, but it confidentially assures this rag that the quality of the entertainment tonight has not suffered in the least.

Miss Gons Returns

Miss Gons returned to the campus last Wednesday after an absence of several weeks due to illness. She will gradually resume her work which was taken over by Mrs. Binford during her sickness.

Mrs. Beittel Ill

Mrs. A. D. Beittel underwent an appendicitis operation last Wednesday morning at Wesley Long hospital. Latest reports indicate that she is making favorable progress toward recovery.

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