



Campaign Opens Today For Campus Development Fund

Guilford Plans Big Homecoming Day To Welcome Alumni

Banquet and Plays, Softball and Hockey To Entertain Guests

Today Guilford College plans to welcome returning alumni and visitors to one of its greatest Homecomings. A committee of students, faculty, and alumni have made plans for the entire day.

Morning classes will be shortened so that at 10:20 the day's program will begin with two lectures. Dr. Algie I. Newlin is scheduled to speak on "Conditions in North Carolina in the early Nineteenth Century," while Mrs. Clyde A. Milner will speak on "Psychology."

The Scholarship society will sponsor a program under the direction of Virginia Ashcraft, president, and Miss Dorothy Gilbert at 11:15 in Memorial Hall. Robert N. Wilson, professor of chemistry at Duke University, will address alumni and students on "Guilford's Past."

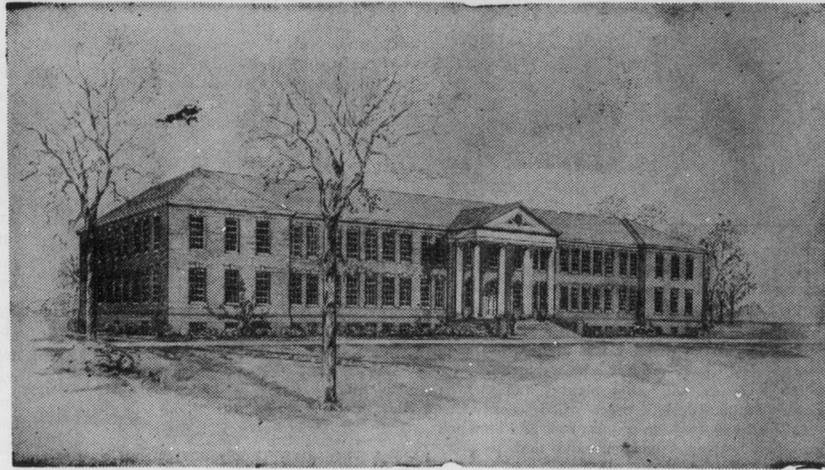
After lunch at Founder's Hall, the alumnae will be on hand to meet the girls' hockey team on their field at 2:30 and following that, the boys will stage a softball game in which some of Guilford's famous ball players will appear. Rick Ferrell, Ernie Shore, and Tom Zachary will be out on the diamond opposing Guilford's present team.

Everyone is invited to attend the banquet served in the gym at 5:30 which will be the highlight of the day's activities. Edwin Brown, '26, of Murfreesboro, will be toastmaster.

The Dramatic Council will conclude the entertainment with two one-act comedies presented in Memorial Hall at 8:15: "The Grand Champ's Diamond," by Allan Monkhouse, and "The Trysting Place," by Booth Tarkington. M. J. Martin, president of the Dramatic Council, is assisting Dr. Philip Furnas in directing these plays.

Miss Grace Beckwith, dietician, is planning details of the banquet. Miss Florence Nelson, director of women's physical education, Miss Dorothy Gilbert, and Patricia Shoemaker are in charge of the hockey game, while the

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Architect's drawing of proposed Science Building

College to Increase Endowment and Plan Buildings for Future

Guilford, for the first time in 20 years is waging an all-out campaign for improvements. The sum of \$761,000 is needed in the Campus Development fund, of which \$350,000, is expected to be raised by July 15, 1945. The money will be used in erecting an adequate science building and a new dormitory for women and to remodel Cox, Founders, and Memorial Hall. Also additional endowment is needed to bring the total up to one million, so that Guilford will be on the approved list of the Association of American Colleges and Universities.

The campaign committee, together with general Chairman Cesar Cone, II, honorary Co-Chairman Elbert Russell, Robert R. Ragan and Dr. A. Wilson Hobbs, as well as Chairmen Neureus C. English, Edwin P. Brown, and J. Otis Burke are asking the alumni and friends of the college, members of the Society of Friends, and the citizens of Greensboro and vicinity to give aid to the college in this financial endeavor.

The slogan for the campaign is "A better college for a better world." Contributors to the fund will have their names engraved on a large bronze tablet which will be placed in the lobby of the new science building or in the addition to Memorial Hall. Guilford may look to the future with high hopes that we will have a better college in a better tomorrow.

Beginning the 108th year, Guilford opens the campaign on this Homecoming day, October 21, 1944.

Homecoming Day Program

10:20—Dr. Algie I. Newlin will speak on "Conditions in North Carolina in the Early Nineteenth Century," and Mrs. Clyde A. Milner on "Psychology."

11:15—Dr. Robert N. Wilson to speak in chapel on "Guilford's Past."

12:30—Lunch at Founder's Hall. 2:30—Hockey game with alumnae.

3:30—Baseball game with the alumni.

5:30—Banquet in gym.

8:15—"The Grand Champ's Diamond" and "The Trysting Place" in the auditorium.

Dramatic Council Presents Comedies Tonight at 8:15

Furnas and Martin Direct, Allen, Fogelson, Moses Conrad Have Leading Roles

Tonight at 8:15 o'clock the Dramatic Council will present two one-act plays under the direction of Dr. Philip Furnas, with Mary Joyce Martin acting as the assistant director.

"The Grand Champ's Diamond," by Ralph Monkhouse is an amusing episode of what happens when a priceless diamond is thrown into the midst of a typical middle class family on an ordinary evening. The characters include Mr. Perkins, played by Jerry Allen, Mrs. Perkins, Florence Fogelson, Miss Perkins, their daughter, Ruth Graham, Albert Watkins, her fiancé, August Kadow, and the visitor, Albert Rusack.

"The Trysting Place," by Booth Tarkington is a comedy which takes

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College Adds Six New Members to Faculty

Moore, Ott, Nelson, Malinowski, Farlow, Beckwith Join Staff

Although Guilford has lost several faculty members for the duration, six new teachers have been added to the teaching staff this fall to fill the vacancies: Miss Florence Lee Nelson, Miss Grace Lea Beckwith, Dr. Charles N. Ott, Thaddeus Malinowski, James Floyd Moore, and Miss Margaret Farlow.

Miss Nelson, of New Britain, Conn., will direct women's physical education. She is a graduate of Woman's College and started teaching in New Britain public schools. She continued her training with graduate study at New York University where she received her master's degree.

Miss Beckwith, whose home is in McConnelsville, Ohio, received her M.A. and B.S. degrees in home economics at Ohio State University. After teaching in Ohio schools as a critic of vocational home economics, she continued in the same field at Ohio State University. She is now at Guilford as dietician, teacher of home economics, and head resident of Mary Hobbs hall.

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Student and Faculty Elect 'Who's Who' in Campus Poll

Peters, Jordan, Demeo, Ashcraft, and Hoffman Receive Leading Votes

Each year several Guilford students are selected for the annual publication of *Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities*. Students are chosen by vote of the faculty and student body on the basis of character, leadership in extra-curricular activities, scholarship, and potential usefulness to business and society. The students who were elected this year on October 12 at chapel are: Virginia Ashcraft, Mary Ellen Jordan, Marjorie Hoffman, Allyn Peters, and Esther Demeo.

Virginia Ashcraft was marshal in her Junior year, the editor of the *GUILFORDIAN* for the last two years, is president of the Student Affairs Board, president of the Scholarship Society, and is on the Y cabinet.

Allyn Peters is the editor of the *Quaker*, house president at Mary Hobbs hall, Student Affairs Board member, and vice-president of Y cabinet.

Marjorie Hoffman is the president of the Women's Student Government, vice-president of the Women's Athletic Association, is on the *GUILFORDIAN*

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Guilford Alumni Send Children to Alma Mater

Ever since the day Guilford was founded, descendants of former students have come back to carry on the old spirit, and to make it a new spirit. One of these descendants is Laura Mae Kirkman, whose great grandfather came here in 1838, and grandmother, in 1860.

Then, too, one of the mottoes which Guilford seems to have adopted is "Boy Meets Girl," or vice versa. Consequently, many sentimental mamas and papas who met at Guilford, have set it aside as the educational institution for their boy or girl—to enjoy the fellowship they enjoyed and to participate in the activities as they did.

Leila May Cummings' and Jean Lindley's grandparents and parents attended here. Judy Nelson, Nancy Nunn, Dorothy Neece, and Anna Ruth Lloyd have a grandparent and both parents who came here. Those whose parents

came here are: Barbara Winslow, Jennie Cannon, Martin Casey, Doris Coble, and Bertie and Charles Robertson; whose mother, Virginia Ashcraft, Iris Beville, David and Ben Brown, Evelyn Coble, Mary Ellen Jordan, Nancy Lee Miller, Betty Jane Powell, Harriet Warnke, and Shelley York; and whose father, Lydia Benbow, Hazel Bradshaw, Clea Briles, Alice Lee Bullock, Binford Farlow, Elizabeth Hare, Marjorie Henley, Helen Lewis, Sara Lewis, and Alice White.

Cornelia Knight's grandparents and father went here. Martha Belle Edgerton's grandparents attended also. John Haworth's mother and grandmother were graduates. Martha McLennan and Linda Pell have grandmothers who came here and Nancy Osborne and Donald McBane have grandfathers who attended Guilford.

These people wanted to give their children the same advantage they had here in our Quaker College.

College Choir Begins New Season With Thirty Voices

The College choir, under the direction of Dr. Ezra H. F. Weis and Miss Rosalie Aitken began the season with 30 members. On October 7 the choir elected the following officers for the current year: Peggy Taylor, president; Grace Siler, manager; freshman representative, Geraldine Garris; sophomore representative, Mary Frances Chilton; junior representative, Sue Shelton; senior representative, Marge Huber; and Alice Ekeroth and Bill Dannenburg, librarians.

Each Tuesday the choir and people from the community meet to practice the Messiah which is presented annually in December.

The choir is scheduled to sing in the Confederation of Music Clubs meeting at Elon College on November 8.

Helmet Rosenheim Tells Of Experiences in Army

Helmet Manfred Hans Max Siegfried Lohengrin Tanneuhauser Tristan Rosenheim was born 19 years ago in Bad Landeck in Schlesian, Germany. Commonly known as Helmet, he has seen and done a lot in his brief 19 years. He has been in every country in Europe. He came over from Germany in 1938, and when asked how he felt about coming to America, he replied, "I was afraid of Indians!" It seems that he had been the proud possessor of a series of books by Karl May, 58 to be exact, on Indians, and he could not bring himself to realize

they no longer existed. Because he could speak no English, Helmet was put in grade 1A, in school instead of 8B. However, he must have learned quickly for he completed all of grammar school in two years.

Helmet enlisted in the American army when he was 17 years old. This was accomplished by employing a white lie. He was placed in a tank destroyer division and went overseas as a driver of a tank almost a year after he enlisted. He was in the Sicilian campaign, and was in the third wave

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