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## Guilford College To Honor Founders Today

### Celebration Features Breaking of Ground For Science Building

The Founders' Day program will begin at 11 o'clock in Memorial Hall. Mr. Feagins will open the program with organ music, and the invocation will be given by Samuel L. Haworth. Dr. Ezra Weis' new song, "Guilford, We Love You," will be sung by the choir. Howard Coble will sing a solo, "Nathan Hunt's Great Day," accompanied by the choir.

The first talk will be delivered by Miss Dorothy Lloyd Gilbert on "November 12th in Guilford's History." Dr. Clyde A. Milner will then speak on "Building a Better College for a Better Tomorrow." The guest speaker, Dr. William A. Wolf, of Bowman-Grey, will talk on "Science in the Liberal Arts College." The ground-breaking ceremony, to be held at the site of the new Science Building, will be directed by Dr. E. G. Purdon. Led by Carroll Feagins, the entire assemblage will sing the Alma Mater.

In the afternoon, from 2:30 until 3:30, there will be held seminars in science. In King Hall, Room 2, Dr. J. Paul Reynolds, '28, will lead the Biology and Psychology seminar. The Mathematics, Chemistry, and Physics seminar will meet in the Physics Lab. under the leadership of Wilbur L. Braxton, '32, and Robert C. Rohr, '43.

At 4 o'clock, tea will be served in Founders Hall for all visitors, science majors and faculty. From 6 to 6:30 the faculty will entertain in their homes for the visitors.

The evening program will conclude the celebration of Founders' Day at Guilford. In Memorial Hall at 8 o'clock the principal address of the day will be given. To open the program, Mr. Feagins will play organ music. Dr. Harvey Ljung will speak on "The Building in Sight," then Dr. Eva G. Campbell will introduce Dr. J. Paul Reynolds, who will deliver the Founders' Day address, "Problems in Human Genetics."

### Fads and Fashions

Fall is here and so is the new-look in clothes! Corduroy seems to be in the limelight this year and Corry Hodgins is keeping in style with a blue corduroy skirt, straight, long and dressed up with silver buttons on the bottom. Peggy Fogleman's two-piece pink corduroy suit with the bolero pocket catches the eye!

Speaking of the fall; for those colder days ahead Jean Presnell has a green, white and purple plaid coat with the new length and Inge Longierich has one of those brown tweed coats with the belted back. . . mmmmm . . . The new look in sweaters has also come to the Guilford campus. Those good-looking angora ones of Gerry Robertson's and Cassie Williams' are among the ones we've noticed. Sweaters with collars and cuffs are also a fad this season. Alyce Valaer's royal blue and Katie Hauser's gray are dressed up with a colorful scarf.

Looking for a two-piece suit? Why not get one like Mickey Peele's lavender plaid? It has a bolero jacket and a pleated skirt. Nice for campus dating.

For a skirt that just needs a sweater, Betty Jo Harris has a two-tone gray with pleats all the way around. Charlotte Flanders has two skirts with a style all their own. One is an English tweed, pocket in front and the new look is all in the back. The skirt is fastened by crossing the waist band in the back and buttoning it with one of those leather buttons. The other skirt is made on the same pattern, fullness all in the back, but this one is a pretty green plaid. Just right for classes with a white blouse.

Speaking of blouses . . . how about a news-boy look with a mandarin collar and white cuffs with diamond studs. The color is a gay, red plaid and can be seen on Peggy Tweddell.

### Cheerleading Squad of 1948-49



First row, left to right, Mary Dettor, Howard Coble (Captain), Sally Goodrich. Second row, Alyce Valaer, Joe Gamble, Charles McNeely, Jean Carroll. Third row, Fuzzy Yoder, Deany Belton, Bill Myers, Katie Hauser, Skip Riddick.

### Eight Seniors To Represent Guilford in Who's Who

Eight seniors were elected by a joint vote of the faculty and student body to represent Guilford College in the 1948-1949 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

The students chosen are Bill Caudle, Bob Clark, Carl Erickson, Dody Haworth, Bettina Huston, Inge Longierich, Bill McCracken and Davil Register. Basis of the selection were the following qualifications: character, scholarship, leadership in extra-curricular activities and potentiality for future usefulness to business and society.

President of this year's Student Affairs Board, Bill McCracken has been a campus leader since his arrival. He has had a leading part in every dramatic production staged in the past three years, and one of his biggest ambitions is to produce Tennessee Williams' "The Glass Menagerie" here at Guilford. Bill is president of the hard working Veterans Association and a member of the Committee on Convocations. Every time you pick up a copy of the Guilfordian, you can learn something from his column "Candidly Speaking." He was secretary-treasurer of his Junior class and chosen last year as a representative to the student Legislative Assembly. Two years ago, Bill won second prize in the National Short Story Contest sponsored by New Republic.

Bob Clark, one of the most popular fellows around Guilford was vice-president of the Student Affairs Board last year. He was president of the Junior class and was business manager of the Guilfordian in 1946-47.

An enthusiastic athlete, Inge Longierich has been one of the mainstays on the hockey team for three years. She has been active in other activities since her freshman year. Inge served in the Student Christian cabinet and is a member of the Choir. In her freshman year, she was secretary of the class, and in her junior year, was a marshal and a representative to the Women's Student Government. An honor student, Inge also takes an interested part in the International Relations Club. She is a member of the 1948-1949 May Court.

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### Original Charter Day Changed; Founders Honored This Month

By WILLIAM L. KERR

Founders' Day at Guilford College will be celebrated today Friday, November 12, when faculty students, alumni and invited guests gather to recognize the founding of one of the oldest schools in the South.

Guilford has usually celebrated its birthday on Charter Day each January 13, but committee officials have decided to dispense with ceremonies held on that day and transfer recognition to what will be called Founder's Day.

The story connected with the origination of Guilford College is an interesting one. On November 12, 1831, the annual session of the North Carolina Yearly Meeting was being held at New Garden now Guilford College. Friends were gathered from all over the state and were moved by a "great concern" often voiced by Nathan Hunt, patriarch of the Yearly Meeting.

Records kept in the college library vault include the minutes of the Yearly Meeting of that year, 1831, and are recorded thus: "Reports were brought up from all the quarterly Meetings agreeably to requisition of last meeting; which it appears there is not one school in the limits of this Yearly Meeting that is under the care of a committee either of a Monthly or preparative meeting and the teachers of schools where Friends children go mostly are not Friends, and all the schools among Friends is a mixed condition which brought the meeting under concern for a better plan of education.

"Dougan Clark, Jeremiah Hubbard, Nathan Mendenhall, Joshua Stanley, Zimri Stuart and David White are therefore appointed to prepare an essay of and address to the Quarterly, Monthly Meetings on the subject of schools and to prepare a plan for an improvement in the education of our youth and produce it to a future sitting."

The next day these men made their report to the Yearly Meeting officers: "It appears there are few schools in the limits of this Yearly Meeting that are taught by members of our Society."

"We believe that the Christian and literary education of our children consistent with the simplicity of our religious profession of very deep interest if not of paramount importance in supporting the various testimonies that we profess to bear to the world and even to the very existence and continuance of our Society."

The committee then proposed that a voluntary subscription be opened immediately to raise funds for the school. Also they suggested that each quarterly meeting select two members suitable for teachers to be the first pupils in the school and "such as are not of ability to pay the expense of board and tuition, could have it done at the expense of the meeting."

Next day, shortly after noon on November 12, the committee made its last report of that year and notified the Meeting that the sum of \$307.55 had been subscribed. "A large committee was then appointed to prepare a plan to endeavor to purchase a farm to locate the school upon and put it in operation and report their case to next meeting."

Thus the initial foundation of what was to be one of the first colleges in this area was laid. Guilford College received its charter from the State of North Carolina a few years later, and when subscriptions had warranted construction of school buildings, classes started in a summer month in 1837 and have continued since; even through the Civil War.

Guilford has the reputation for the sound and thorough education prepared in 1831 and carried on without interruption from the day of the school's opening to the present.

### Guilford Quakers To Meet Catawba Squad

Tomorrow night the fighting Quakers trek to Salisbury with a purpose in mind; the purpose of routing the Catawba Indians on their own stamping grounds.

The men from Guilford are still smarting from an upset defeat by their arch rivals, the High Point Panthers. Led by the unknown strategist Doc Newton, the Quakers, with vengeance in their souls expect to draw blood.

Last year, Catawbas' warriors invaded the peaceful Quaker settlement and went home with twenty scalps. Coach Newton's men fought furiously though and took fourteen of the Indian's scalps before the fray was over. This year the Guilfordians expect to return to their domain with more Indian head-dresses than Quaker heads lost.

Guilford should be nearly at full strength. Only Reg Roberts—barren injuries in the Lenior Rhyne game—will be on the injured list. Walt Moon, whose injury kept him sidelined throughout most of the High Point game, will be ready to play.

Catawba has been gunning for Guilford all year. For that reason tomorrow night's game will be as exciting as the Guilford-High Point battle. The contest promises to be an all-out affair with no holds barred. All you loyal fans who travel to Salisbury tomorrow are in store for excitement.

### Elections Announced

Ballots have been cast and counted! Hold tight while the results are announced.

In the Woman's Athletic Association Alyce Valaer and Beverly Utley scored a double victory in the fall elections. Alyce is now chairman of tennis, while Bev will take care of the basketball team.

On May Day, we'll see Deany Belton reign over the May Court as Queen and Jo Carroll Bray as her Maid of Honor.

In the recent freshman class elections, Tom Benbow was elected president and Polly Edgerton as vice-president. The office of secretary and treasurer were filled by Joyce Fulk and Bill Topping.

Mrs. Helen Cook, director of the fall play, has announced that the production of "Under the Gaslights" originally scheduled for November 20 has been postponed until December 4.

### Civil Service Announces Dietitian Examination

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for Student Dietitian from which appointments will be made to courses in Veterans Administration Hospitals in Los Angeles, California; the Bronx, New York; Hines, Illinois; and Memphis, Tennessee.

The salary for Student Dietitians is \$1,470 a year, including subsistence, quarters and overtime. The courses will last for 12 months. To qualify, competitors must have received a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. Their study must have included courses in chemistry, biology, foods, institution management, nutrition and diet in disease, social sciences, and education. Applications will be accepted from persons who have not completed the required education, but their study must be completed not later than the beginning date of the course for which they are applying. Applicants must have reached their 18th birthday but must not have passed their 35th birthday at the time of reporting on their first assignment as a student. These age limits do not apply to persons entitled to veteran preference.

Interested persons may obtain information about the examination, as well as application forms, from most first and second-class post offices, from Civil Service regional offices, and from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C. Applications will be accepted until further notice by the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, in the Veterans Administration hospitals in the above-mentioned cities. See examination announcement No. 128 for the appropriate addresses of these hospitals.