

S. C. A. Presents Religious Emphasis Week

Fine Arts Club To Present Weil's 'Down in the Valley'

The Fine Arts Club held its monthly meeting Monday evening February 4th in Miss Dorothy Ware's studio. Bill Utley, president, presided. The program introduced by Florene Brice, co-chairman of the committee, included Buddy Wade who played Brahms' "Cappriccio"; Betsy Bingham who sang "Vergin Tutta Amor" by Durante; Mary Jane Hines who played "Prelude" Op. 28, No. 17 by Chopin; Beamon Griffin who sang "Have You Seen But A White Lilly Grow?" by Jorron and Nancy Herring who played an "Arabesque" by Schuman.

Jeanne Walton was appointed to head a committee to draw up a constitution for the club. Others on the committee are Florene Brice, Mary Jane Hines and Betsy Farlow.

It was decided that the Fine Arts Club should sponsor National Music Week which comes early in May.

May sixteenth will bring a new type of attraction to the Guilford College Campus. The Fine Arts Club will present an American opera based on folk music of this country. "Down in the Valley" was written by Kurt Weil and promises to be a great success.

The cast includes Betsy Bingham as Jennie, Bill Utley as Brack, Bob Wall as the Leader, Tommy Owen as the Preacher, Colin Edwards as Tom Bouche, Hugh Downing as Jennie's father, Andy Hughes as Peters, and Ted McEachern as the Guard.

Leigh Wood is business manager for the production and it is to be directed by Mr. Carl Baumbach and Miss Dorothy Anne Ware. Mary Jane Hines is accompanying the group.

This will be the Fine Arts Club's first contribution to Guilford College life and we are expecting a fine performance.

The Kaf's Korner

After numerous request your author has been asked to write a different column, not only telling a few humorous jokes, but a few facts about the students such as who was with who, when, and what happened where.

Before we get down to the facts on figures, I heard what was possibly the last Hadaool joke. It seems that at last the Hadaool folks lost a patient. She was ninety-eight years old when she died, but her baby lived.

This next story is supposed to be true. Jackie Wall was talking to Jake McKeown over in Founders Hall the other day and Jake was telling her how when he was thumbing back to North Carolina a man picked him up and "You know," he said, "that man was so drunk he was blind." Jackie inquisitively asked, "Jake, weren't you scared riding with a blind man?" Yak, Yak, I bet that story went over like a lead balloon.

Mary Crabtree informed us that she was very discouraged because she had lost all of her boy friends and that all she had to do for recreation was to sit in Mary Hobbs Parlor every night and twirl her car keys. Now boys, here is our chance because Mary Crabtree is just as cute as she can be, and the thing about it is she hasn't got a four wheel personality, only a very good personality.

Jackie Goodwin states that she was pinned for the weekend to a Sigma Nu from Carolina, but as

Junior-Senior Banquet Slated To Be Held in College Gym

French Play Sponsored By Dramatics Council

Guilford College students were favored with seeing a revival of one of the greatest French comedies—*Les Precieuses Ridicules* (The Affected Misses) by Moliere—early in January when Horace McManus directed the production in connection with an English 21 project. Judging by the spontaneous laughter and applause which greeted the performance, a twentieth-century audience was enchanted by this seventeenth-century comedy of society life by the great French "contempleteur." Translated into English, the play is centered around Madelon and Cathos, two affected misses who ridiculously aspire to be ladies of culture. Brought up by their plain and middle-class Uncle Gorgibus, the girls refuse the suitors that that worthy gentleman has chosen for them—Du Croisy and La Grange—because they think them far below them in the social graces. The two rejected suitors, wishing to teach the silly girls a lesson, conspire to send their valets Mascarille and Jodelet to pay court to the girls in the guise of "beaux galants." The girls are

delighted with these "distinguished noblemen;" but when the game has gone far enough, the masters enter and lay bare the trick, stripping the astonished valets of their borrowed finery.

In the Guilford College performance Frances Petty and Ann Newton delivered a sprightly interpretation of Madelon and Cathos respectively. Hugh Downing was convincing as the parsimonious Gorgibus. The roles of Du Croisy and La Grange were forcefully impersonated by ay Chalkley and Bob Achor. Ray Horace McManus brought down the house with his hilarious characterization of Mascarille and was ably assisted in his deception by Richard Staley in the role of Jodelet. A strong supporting cast consisted of Hassell Brown, Jim Pratt, Ed Finch, Bill Hardee, and Watson Motley.

Sympathy

The Guilfordian staff wishes to express its deepest sympathy to the family of Mr. Warren McCulloch. "Mr. Mac," who has been our printer for many years, passed away January 31.

Honor Roll

Forty-two students, almost 9 percent of the student body, achieved Honor Roll standing during the past semester. The 12 seniors, 14 juniors, 9 sophomores, and 7 freshmen include 11 students who have 3.00 averages and 3 with 2.93 or higher. The students who made 3.00 are Sam Baker, Julian Culton, Fred Katz, Bruce Morton, Enrico Gilloli, James Montgomery, Mae Nicholson, Dick Staley, Betsy White, Virginia Dulany, and Joyce Pete.

The other Honor Roll students are Seniors: Dot Cheek, Dot Demos, Polly Edgerton, Joyce Fulk, Sally Haire, Lucy Leake, June Smith, Bob Spencer; Juniors: Zoe Campbell, Bob Dough, Glenna Fulk, Elsa Neitzke, Karl Reinhardt, Mort Salkind, Sam Shugart, Ann Yarrow, "Yo Yo" Yates; Sophomores: Barbara Anson, Jim Armstrong, "Beni" Benedict, Becky Dunn, Chris Gidynski, Gary Hildebrand, Joe Matthews, Kaye Williams; and Freshmen: Marie Brewer, "Marty" Burton, Janice Cornelson, Betty Jones, Phyllis Redman, and Trilby Tucker.

far as now, well, that's a sweater of a different color.

That Golden Throated Trush Betty Thorbin and that Golden Haired Boy Larry Welch have not been getting along too well, so that leaves twenty-four million boys for Betty to choose from in the United States, and seventy-eight million girls for Larry to choose from, so both are bound to make out all right in the future. Mary Colie has a secret romance. The only information she will give out that she calls him Mr. X, and that he is a man.

Marty Burton recently went to a big hop down at Carolina with Vernon Zimmerman. It looks like all of our girls are stepping out and going to foreign places with foreign boys as if there wasn't enough recreation and social life at Guilford College.

Jennie Smith looked as if she was walkin on air when a certain young Friend was up here, and it

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Staley Announces Final Plans

Climaxing four weeks of intensive investigation, the Junior Class met last Wednesday and voted to hold the Junior-Senior Banquet in the college gymnasium Saturday, April 19. Although this plan is a somewhat radical departure from established precedent, a number of factors favored the decision reached by the class. In view of financial considerations and the difficulty of finding a suitable place in town, a planning committee composed of Richard Staley, Marilyn Linhart, Betsy Bingham, "Yo Yo" Yates, and Bob Ralls, after serious and prolonged study, recommended the plan to the Juniors.

In the course of the meeting a theme was selected and committees appointed. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. and will be followed by a dance. A decoration committee headed by Joyce Taylor and Sam Shugart promises to create an atmosphere calculated to please the most discerning. Richard Staley, as chairman of the food committee, is planning a menu to scintillate the appetites of connoisseurs. Jo Cameron is in charge of the program, at which Dr. Gordon W. Lovejoy will be the principal speaker. Designing of program covers is under the direction of Mae Nicholson. Nut cups are being constructed under the supervision of Charlotte Manzella. The invitation committee is headed by Betsy White. Bill Smedley, with two years' experience as a florist, will provide table decorations. The dance is being planned by Marty Hoopes, and Leon Jonas will clean-up. Charlie Hendricks has graciously consented to serve as maitre d'hotel.

Invitations will be sent out within the next two weeks to both Juniors and Seniors. All those invited are urged to attend. Indeed, the class is planning the banquet on campus to facilitate a better representation of students. The prime purpose of the banquet is conceived as providing one of the few opportunities for the Juniors and Seniors to get together. Because of the amount of detail involved, all responses to invitations must be on hand by March 22. Later responses cannot be accepted.

With the aim of supplementing the budget allotted by the Student Affairs Board for the banquet, the class laid plans for a student-faculty basketball game to be held Friday night, March 14. Howard Coble heads the planning committee for the game.

At the same meeting officers for the next year were nominated. An overwhelming majority favored "Yo Yo" Yates to remain as president. Nominees for the position of vice-president are Bill Smedley, Sam Shugart, and Jim Morris. Richard Staley was nominated to be secretary; and Leon Jonas, Glenna Fulk, and Betty Venable were selected to be placed on the ballot for treasurer.

Staley Ineligible

What is the story coming to? Anyone glancing over the new list of ineligible students will find that Richard Lee Staley, junior of Liberty, North Carolina, has been included. It seems that Staley, who has a 3.00 average for his two and a half years at Guilford, forgot to get his matriculation card signed.

How stupid can regulations get?

The Student Christian Association sponsored "Religious Emphasis Week" will be concluded today. The program has lasted since Wednesday when Charles Jones, the main speaker, addressed the student body in Chapel on "Personal Ethics." The General theme is Students Ethics. This has been divided into three parts: "Personal Ethics," "Campus Ethics," and "National Ethics."

The main leader for the program has been Charles Jones. He spoke to the Wednesday Chapel, was on a panel discussion in the hut on Thursday night, and spoke again this morning in Chapel. He will lead the final session of the "Week" which will be held tonight in the hut on "The Influence of Religion on Ethics." Jones is an outstanding minister at Chapel Hill.

Other leaders are Claude Shotts, Executive Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at the University of North Carolina, Dale Gramley, President of Salem College, Winston-Salem, and James Ray of the Baptist Student Union.

Claude Shotts lead a combination "Coffee Hour"—Discussion Hour in the Hut, Wednesday afternoon on "Personal Ethics." The entire faculty was personally invited to this meeting, and were given a chance to meet the main leaders.

On Thursday evening in the hut, Dale Gramley lead a panel consisting of Miss Marlette, Charles Jones, and James Ray on "Campus Ethics" with a comparison of different schools.

This morning Rev. Jones spoke to the student body on "National Ethics," and this evening he will again talk in the final session of the "Week."

Several weeks ago, the S. C. A. conducted a poll on the subject, Student Ethics, in an attempt to select programs for Religious Emphasis Week. The results of the poll proved very helpful in doing this.

"The Religious Emphasis Week" Committee consists of the following people: Advertising—Jim Cox, Hospitality—Chris Gidynski, Barbara Anson, Wednesday afternoon session—John Church, Andy Bristow, Chapels—Josh Crane, Aaron Tyson, Sally Haire, Panel discussion—Ann Yarrow, Final session—Barbara Sheperd, Lewis Minter, Dot Demos. Many other people helped in the preparation and carrying out of the week. Josh Crane was general chairman for the main committee.

Spring Elections

Mr. William L. Topping recently announced that the spring elections will be held on March 19th. All organizations have already turned in their nominations for next year's officers, and they will be posted within a few days.

In order to have a name added to the proposed nominations, a petition signed by at least five persons must be presented on or before March 15.

Mr. Topping said that he expects several of the elections to be quite close this year, and urges everyone to be sure to vote for his choice of candidates.

Southern Area YMCA Elects Josh Crane

Josh Crane was elected President of the Southern Area Student Y. M. C. A. at a recent meeting as delegates from the Student Christian Association which is a combination of the Y. M. and the Y. M. C. A.

The Southern Area includes ten states from which colleges and universities send delegates each year to the Y. M. business council meeting in Atlanta. Guilford is one of the smallest schools ever to have furnished a President.

Josh will attend six or more conferences during the next year by virtue of the new office. Two of these will be national conventions scheduled to be held somewhere in the Mid-west.