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#### **First Time In 14 Years**

## **Charter Day**

For the first time in fourteen years Charter Day—the traditional anniversary commemorating the granting of the charter to New Garden Friends' Boarding School in 1834—will be celebrated January 12-13-14.

Formal celebration of this day began in 1934, but was discontinued in 1949 because of consistently bad weather conditions. Resumption of celebration this year is in observance of the 125th anniversary of Guilford College.

Charter Day ceremonies will begin Friday morning, January 12, with a special convocation program. At 8:00 o'clock that evening, Mr. Jerry Smyre, college voice instructor, will give a voice recital, after which will be the dedication of the Frazier-Sellars Choir Room, followed by a reception. Saturday evening there are plans to have a play presented by a visiting dramatic group. Sunday at 3:30 p.m. Claude Cook, outstanding organist and Guilford College graduate (Class of 1944), will give an organ recital in the Charles A. Dana Auditorium. The Mitchell organ will be dedicated at that time. Charter Day will be the second

Charter Day will be the second of three century-and-a-quarter celebrations planned. The first was Founders' Day combined with Homecoming, both traditionally held in the fall, and the third will be held during commencement exercises next spring.

## Guilford WAA Host To State Convention

The Guilford College Women's Athletic Association was hostess to the North Carolina Athletic and Recreation Federation of College Women, Friday, December 1, on the college campus. Twenty-one colleges were represented and approximately 150 delegates and their advisors attended. The meetings and discussion groups were held in the college Student Union, where exhibits from eight of the represented schools were displayed.

Jane Coltrane, president of the Guilford College W.A.A., presided over the general meetings, giving an interpretation of the theme for 1961-62 NCARFCW Convention, "Time Out for Responsibility." A panel discussion, led by Jean Flannegan and Sue Rice of Woman's College, reported on the NCAR-FCW and its work. A choice of three discussion

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## Students Organize Bowling League

A student bowling league has recently been organized at Guilford, and at present consists of about thirty men and women students.

The league meets at Friendly Fair Lanes each Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock and bowls at reduced rates until 6 p.m. It is divided into seven teams, each composed of four students. The teams bowl three games of ten pins apiece.

The officers of the league are: president, Newsom Williams; vicepresident, John Baity; secretary, Larry McLaurin; and treasurer, Starr Sisk.

Many more students will be welcomed in this new league. Any Guilford College student wishing to join is urged to contact any league member for information.



The Guilford College A Cappella Choir will present a Christmas Concert in Friday's chapel. It is planning a repertoire for a spring concert from North Carolina to Boston, Massachusetts.

# Strong Student Gov't. Foundation Proposed

At an open meeting on November 30, the student committee on revision of the present W.S.G. and M.S.G. at Guilford College, presented its latest proposal for a new student government. This plan, stressing unity and coordination, is built on the present government and involves no radical change. The main idea of the new plan is to form a Student Legislature which will serve as a link between and as a basis of coordination for each of the four, now separate, student government organizations.

#### Organization

The organization of the Men's Student Government, the Women's Student Government, the Student Affairs Board, and the Honor Board would remain largely as it is now. The Student Legislature would be composed of one representative from each of the preceding organizations, the president of each class, and ten elected members of the student body–2 senior women, 2 senior men, 1 junior woman, 1 junior man, 1 sophomore woman, 1 sophomore man, 1 freshman woman and 1 freshman man. An Appellate Court and an Executive Cabinet would be chosen from the Stu-dent Legislature. The planning committee is also considering Day Student Affairs Board which would have a position similar to the W.S.G. and M.S.G.

#### Function

The proposed organization is composed of three major branches –an executive cabinet, a legislature, and a judiciary. The M.S.G., W.S.G., S.A.B., and the H.B. will basically retain their present functions of legislation and trials of specific problems relative to their organization. Any decision made by these four groups may be appealed to the Appellate Court for a final student decision. The Student Legislature, the link between the students and the faculty and administration, will handle legislative issues which involve the entire campus. It will appoint committees to organize campus-wide activities, such as Homecoming and Work Day. An issue for legislation may be introduced through a student representative into the Student Legislature or any of the other four legislative branches of the government. From here, the issue will be directed to an appropriate

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## Home Ec. Dept. Revises Courses

Five revised home economics courses, one to be offered in the spring semester of 1962, and the others during the next school year, were approved by the curriculum committee on November 1.

First of the five is a general course in clothing and textiles, to be taught by Mrs. Alma Martin. The four to be scheduled for the following year are housing and interior decoration, foods and nutrition, family economics, and home management.

The curriculum revision was to provide special home economics training for women with careers outside the home. Aim of the courses is to teach the most expedient methods of homemaking and "use of mind over use of hands." Courses will be geared to liberal arts students rather than to professional home economists, to help such students understand the dual role of homemaker and career woman.

Don't forget that Thursday,

Friday, and Saturday, De-

cember 14, 15, and 16, are

non-cut days.

## Choir To Present Christmas Program Friday In Chapel

The Guilford College A Cappella Choir, now in its thirty-fourth season, will present its annual chapel Christmas program on Friday, December 15. The choir, under the directorship of Carl C. Baumbach and assistant directorship of Jerry M. Smyre, presented Handel's *Messiah* in Guilford's Dana Auditorium on December 10. It has scheduled a Christmas concert for the Masonic Home in Greensboro at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, December 12. Numerous out-of-town concerts will be given throughout the remaining school year.

The choir has a total membership of sixty-seven with thirty-six new members. Its officers are Ken White, president; Merle Mallard, business manager; Jane Coltrane, vice-president; Norma Hamrick, corresponding secretary; Jerry Drew and Walt Gromada, stage managers; Judi Tindall and Jeannine Voss, 1 i b r a r i a n s; Janice Greene, senior class representative; Judy Jones, junior class representative; Judy Jones, junior class representative; Judy Jones, junior class representative; Bob Davidson, transportation manager; Jack Reynolds, robe master; Adrene Andrews, robe mistress; Frank Walton, record chairman; and Karen Karnan, historian.

Karnan, mistorian. Selections being prepared are "Come, Come Away!" Aline Pendleton; "Venite Adoremus," Bearle Wright; "Noel," D. F. Wells; "O magnum Mysterium," Ludouica Tommaso da Vittoria; "Cantate Domina," Heinrich Fchiitz; "Alleluia," Robert M. McCawen; "There Is A Holy City," Don Malin; "Alleluja," Johann Sebastian Bach; "Methinks I Hear the Full Celestial Choir," Dr. William Crotch; "Beautiful Savior," F. Melius Christiansen; and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You," Peter C. Lutkin.

R C A long-playing Hi-Fi records of the Guilford College A Cappella Choir are now available. See any choir member.

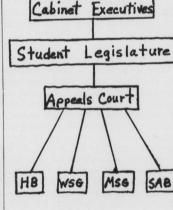
# Frank Walton, Violinist Gives Recital Tonight

Frank Walton, violinist, will give a recital on Tuesday evening, December 12, at 8 o'clock in the Dana Auditorium.

Frank began his musical training when he was six years old. From 1952-1959 he studied violin at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia. His teachers were Veda Reynolds, originator of the Stringart Quartet and pupil of Carl Flesch; and Efrem Zimbalist, a noted violinist and director of the Curtis Institute.

Frank made his debut with the Philadelphia Orchestra when he was twelve. Since then he has appeared with many orchestras throughout the East. This past summer he received a citation from the city of Philadelphia for the numerous concerts in which he has played in the city.

Among the numbers to be performed in the recital are works of Vivaldi, Handel, Bach and Bartok. Accompanying Frank will be Evelyn Copeland.



## International Club Plans Annual Dinner

The International Christmas Dinner, scheduled for December 14, has been postponed until January 9. It will be held in Founder's Dining Hall at 7 p.m.

This annual dinner, which has been popular in the past will be sponsored by the I.R.C., the Spanish, French, and German Clubs. The language clubs will present a program and arrange decorations.

Faculty members, in keeping with an established custom, will bring a dish of their favorite foreign or American food. The foreign students will be cooking food representing their countries. The I.R.C. is furnishing the basic food: spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed salad, cake, rolls, and butter, coffee, and Russian tea.

Student tickets, \$.35 each, will be sold by the club members.