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Scene from choir's Christmas concert, held on December 7, Sunday.

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## Alice doesn't live here any more

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[A continuation of the Turbid Tale, With Final and Fervid Apologies to Lewis Carroll. In Which the Author Attempts to Squeeze the Goose Just Once More, and a Bit Harder in Somewhat Futile Hopes of Eliciting as Golden Egg.]

Alice stepped into the business office and thence into a lengthy line of students. As she stood, she went over her tentative schedule again and again, wondering about it with a mixture of anticipation and dread.

"Registering for new courses," said Alice aloud to no one in particular "is rather like Christmas presents. There are always so very many of them about, and they look ever so lovely in coloured paper and ribbon. One knows they could be simply any wonderful thing in the world, but it's always just stockings again."

Suddenly she found herself face-to-face with a rather be-draggled lady behind the counter. "Pardon, please," said Alice, "But could you tell me if the classes on my schedule are the ones for which I'm properly assigned?"

"Well, yes, if you call that properly A-signed. Frankly, it doesn't look A-signed at all. Bottom line on the right, my dear."

"Doesn't SHE seem the flustered one," thought Alice.

"Come now, my dear," groaned the registrar, "bottom line on the right, and we'll run it

through properly." Alice wrote her name in the space suggested, and the Registrar took the card back to the terminal.

"It WON'T work, you know," said the Registrar, "You've signed for a class you can only take every other semester."

"But they told me that last semester," said Alice, "I thought I'd be able to take it at this time."

"No, I'm afraid it isn't that way at all," said the Registrar. "You see, it's offered every other semester."

"And I would like to sign up for it this time," said Alice, quite confused by this point.

"No, no, no," clucked the Registrar, "the course is offered LAST semester and NEXT semester, but never this semester. This isn't any OTHER semester, you know."

"I don't understand you," said Alice, "It's dreadfully confusing!"

"I'm sor v, but regulations are regulat. Perhaps you might petition the White Dean," said the Registrar, as she ran out of the room.

"Oh dear," thought Alice, "I've had ever so much difficulty with pre-registration this year. I don't even know where my Cheshire-Advisor is anymore. Curious and curiouser! Now I'm to see the White Dean somehow, and I haven't the vaguest idea where to find him," she said aloud as she left the building.

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## Dean candidates interviewed

Six candidates for the position of Academic Dean will have interviewed at Guilford by December 17th.

A brief profile of the candidates selected by the Dean Search Committee is as follows:

**Lincoln C. Blake.** Professor of English and Associate Academic Dean, Earlham College. A.B. and B.S., Tufts University; M.A. and Ph.D. (1966), University of Chicago. DePaul University, 1962-63; Indiana University, 1963-64; Earlham College, since 1964.

**Richard Carter Fallis.** Associate Professor of English, Syracuse University. B.A., Wake Forest College; Ph.D. (1972), Princeton University. Wake Forest University, 1969; Princeton University, 1969-71; Syracuse University, since 1971.

**James Lowell Bowditch.** Associate Professor and Chairman, Organization Studies - Human Resource Management Department, Boston College. B.A. Yale University; M.A., Western Michigan University; Ph.D. (1969), Purdue University. Purdue University, 1967-69; Boston College, since 1969.

**John Stoneburner.** Interim Dean of the Faculty and Associate Professor of Religious Studies, Guilford College. B.A., Earlham College; B.S.,

Drew Theological School; Ph.D. (1969), Drew University. Guilford College, since 1968.

**Esther Sidney Cope.** Associate Professor of History, University of Nebraska. B.A., Wilson College; M.A., University of Wisconsin; Ph.D. (1969), Bryn Mawr College. Ursinus College, 1969-75; University of Nebraska, since 1975.

**Samuel Schuman.** Associate Professor of English and Director, The Honor Program, University of Maine B.A., Grinnel College; M.A., San Francisco State College; Ph.D. (1969), Northwestern University. St. Mary's College, 1966-67; Northwestern University, 1969-70; Cornell College, 1970-77; University of Maine, since 1977.

Blake and Fallis were on campus last week. Bowditch will be in the cafeteria for dinner this evening at about 5:30. Students interested in meeting with Cope on the 15th or Schuman on the 17th should contact student representative, Marie Branson, Mary Hobbs 2.

The Search Committee hope to make a recommendation to President Rogers before Christmas. The president will then make a decision and take it to the trustees for approval, possibly as early as the end of January.

## \$10,000 accounted for

The \$10,000 has been found! Martin Jones and Jan Earl checked past figures for the Community Senate and discovered that \$9,222.55 which went to dorm funds and the day student organization had not been deducted before the decision about WQFS was made. The deduction (debit) did not appear on business office statements until this fall so had not been discovered earlier. Senate President, Jan Earl, last year's treasurer, says that the error was completely her oversight.

"I assumed dorm allotments would appear on the statement of fall and spring allotments to student organizations and never checked the figures to make sure. I was quite careless." She and Martin feel confident that they will have no problem financing WQFS' power increase which may cost as much as \$30,000. "We will not have

\$10,000 left over this year, but we should have \$3,000 or \$4,000. The other money can probably be borrowed from the Trustees with the other \$20,000 if necessary. Jan and Martin realize how protective students are of their organizations' funds and stress the fact that they will not suffer as a result of this mistake.

## Thieves caught

Police have identified the individual that they believe committed the series of jewel robberies in Binford last month, according to Director of Housing and Security, Bob White. White added that the police have also caught one of the two individuals suspected of stealing some valuables from a room in Bryan.

Over \$1500 worth of jewelry was taken in the robberies, which occurred between November 4 and 18. One of the stolen articles, a watch, has been recovered. There have been no related robberies since Thanksgiving, according to White.

White commented, "All in all, I think we were pretty lucky."



Who's really bright eyed and bushy-tailed at Guilford College? See story on page 3.

