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## Campus Organizations Elect Officers For Coming Year

Flora Kate Bethea To Be Vice FRANCES MORRIS GIVES President of Student Council

#### B. S. U. AND PUBLICATIONS ALSO CHOOSE OFFICERS

of most of the campus organizations have been elected. These girls will assume office in the fall.

The Oak Leaves staff for the year 1936-1937 is composed of the following girls.

Associate editor-Charlotte Wester. Senior editor-Katherine Martin.

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The girls who were nominated and elected as members of the Acorn staff for the coming year are as follows:

Associate editor - Mary Fay Mac-Millan. Senior editors-Kate Covington, Gay-

nelle Sorrell. Junior editors-Ann Potent, Mirvine

Garrett. Sophomore editors-Catherine John-

son, Mildred Ann Critcher. Poetry editor-Eleanor Cannon.

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Business manager — Kate Mills Suiter.

Assistant business managers-Helen Hilliard, Mary Jane Lindley. Associate editors-Frances Pittman,

Mary Johnson MacMillan. Managing editors-Eleanor Edwards,

Frances Tatum, Dorothy Lowdermilk. Mrs. Bowden Speaks Reporters for this publication have not yet been elected.

The Student Council for the coming. year is composed of the following girls: Vice President-Flora Kate Bethea. Secretary-Mirvine Garrett.

Treasurer—Margaret Love Clarke. House President of A-Mildred Crowder.

House President of B-Betty Kichline.

House President of D-Nannie Margaret Browne.

Vice Presidents of A-Emily Bradsher, Charlotte Wester.

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### Dr. and Mrs. Brewer Give Formal Dinner Honoring

On Wednesday evening, May 6, the seniors were honor guests at a formal dinner in the college dining room. Dr. and Mrs. Brewer were hosts for the occasion. All seniors, both resident them with ammunition." and town students, were invited to be present. Other invited guests were Miss Ellen Brewer, Miss Caroline Biggers, Miss Hazel Ruth Clark, Dean and Mrs. Boomhour, and Miss Ida Poteat.

seniors is an annual affair at Meredith, McNeill Poteat of Pullen Memorial and was, this year, quite a festive oc-

The Senior Class was also entertained at a tea Friday afternoon by the American Association of University Women.

# **GRADUATING RECITAL**

#### Varied Program Includes Bach, Chopin, Hiller

On Friday evening, May 8, at eight Within the last weeks the officers o'clock in the college auditorium, Miss May Crawford presented Frances Morris in her graduating recital. Frances is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Morris of Durham.

The program was as follows:

Bourree G Major.....Bach From fourth Sonata for Violoncello Sonata Op. 26.....Beethoven

Andante con Variazioni Scherzo and Trio

Marcia Funebre

Allegro Adagietto from "l'Arlesienne"

Bizet-Godowsky Chanson du Chausseur.....Grovlez From a Log Cabin.....MacDowell Concert-Etude, F sharp major

MacDowell Etude Op. 25, No. 1.....Chopin Polonaise Op. 26, No. 2.....Chopin Concerto F sharp minor.....F. Hiller Allegro quasi Fantasia

(Orchestral accompaniment on a second piano by Miss Crawford.)

Ushers for the recital were: Virginia Morris, Alma Huggins, Hazel Boswell, and Susan Emma Sloan.

receiving line was composed of the following: Frances Morris, Miss May Mr. Lamb......Nina Binder Crawford, Rev. and Mrs. B. E. Morris, Miss Margaret Overcash of Statesville, Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brewer, Prof. and Mrs. Leslie P. Spelman, Miss Caroline Biggers and Miss Hazel Clarke.

Those who assisted in serving at the reception were: Annie Mae Taylor, Dorothy Lowdermilk, Beverly Davis, Jean Davis, Susan Emma Sloan, Virginia Morris, Alma Huggins and Hazel Boswell.

### To Students on the **Emergency Campaign**

"Economic depression is a small price of the costuming. to pay for peace," said Mrs. D. J. the chapel service Friday morning and brought tears. presented the purpose of this campaign to send representatives from Mere- Theatre, in the college parlors, dith to participate in the campaign during the summer.

"The purpose of this campaign," the Graduating Class said Mrs. Bowden, "is to arouse pacifist sentiment throughout the nation in an attempt to keep the United States neutral in case of a war, by not sending raw materials to any of the belligerent countries, as well as not supplying

This campaign numbers among its sponsors Harry Emerson Fosdick, as chairman; Bishop Paul Kern, chairman of the southern sponsors; Dean Elbert Russell, co-chairman; President Dr. and Mrs. Brewer's dinner for the Frank P. Graham of Chapel Hill, E. Baptist Church, and about 200 other well-known people.

An institute at Duke University will offer a course in peace campaigning (Please turn to page four)

### In Role of Mary Lamb



EDNA LEE PEGRAM

#### DIFFICULT PLAY WELL GIVEN BY LITTLE THEATRE

#### Mirvine Garrett, Edna Lee Pegram Splendid As Charles and Mary

"Charles and Mary," a dramatization of the lives of Charles and Mary Lamb by Joan Temple, was presented by the Little Theatre, under the direction of Dr. Florence Hoagland, May 5. Edna Lee Pegram and Mirvine Garrett, in Following the recital a reception the leading roles, impersonated Mary was given in the college parlors. The and Charles respectively. The support ing cast included the following:

> Mrs. Lamb.....Susan Rudisell John Lamb......Edna Frances Dawkins Becky.....Katherine Shuford Jane.....Mary Johnson MacMillan William Godwin......Margaret Kramer Mrs. Godwin.....Annie Elizabeth Coward Charles Dudley......Martha Messenger Samuel Coleridge....Minnie Anna Forney Wm. Wordsworth.....Flora Kate Bethea George Dyer..... Mary Fay McMillan Hester Savory.....Betty Claire Jennings Mrs. Bracebridge....Catherine Johnson

> Music for the play was written by Dorothy Lowdermilk, and assisting with the music were Miss Mary Lee, Olive Hamrick and Al Martin, of Wake Forest Annabelle Hollowell did the staging for the play and Lucille Parker had charge

Charles, a most admirable character. Bowden, field representative of the devoted his life to the care of his sister, Emergency Peace Campaign during Mary, who was driven to insanity by her talk before the International Re-her family. George Dyer, the absent-the train bearer. The Jesters were lations Club, Thursday afternoon, minded poet, afforded much laughter, Pauline Davis and Ella Ruth Perry. April 29. Mrs. Bowden spoke again at while the pathos of closing scenes The prologue was read by Norma Rose.

Following the play the cast and memto all the students. After chapel a bers of the Little Theatre were honored committee, with Mary Chandler at the at a reception given by Mrs. C. O. head, was appointed to work out plans Abernethy, patroness of the Little

#### **CROOK APPEARS**

Coming as a climax to a day exciting enough in itself (what with Hospitality Week-enders, Day and the Wake Forest Glee Club) the resurrection of the Crook Saturday night threw the whole student body into a state bordering on hysteria. Promptat twelve oclock Bland and Ruby Barrett, under the fascinated gaze of the stu-dents (of Meredith and Wake Fordisappeared beneath the porch which connects A dormiwith the Administration building, and brought forth the coveted relic from its hiding place in the wall.

For the hour the melodious strains of "Sturdy Seniors" rallied out over the campus, while occasionally a note or two of the rather feeble "These Bones" was heard. And the crook excitement is over for another year.

# 150 High School Girls Spend Week-End Here

#### **EDNA FRANCES DAWKINS** HEADS LITTLE THEATRE

#### Barber Biology Club Also Elects **New Officers**

At the last meeting of the Little Theater, Edna Frances Dawkins was elected president of the club to succeed Pauline Perry. Edna Frances has been an active member of the Little Theater since last year, and has had several important roles since then.

The other officers are as follows: Secretary ......Margaret Andrews Treasurer ......Charlotte Wester Business Manager ....Mirvine Garrett Assistant Business Manager

Catherine Johnson Stage Manager .....Ruth Abernethy Costume Manager ....Mary Fay McMillan

Pearl Huffman was recently elected president of the Barber Biology Club to succeed Melba Gaskins. Ruth Sears was voted vice president for next year and Carrie Bowers, secretary.

#### **250 STUDENTS PARTICIPATE** IN MAY DAY FESTIVAL

#### Elizabeth Davidson of Raleigh **Crowned Queen**

was crowned May Queen at the May Day Festival held in the grove Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

This year the pageant, "Sleeping Beauty," was presented by the gymnasium classes under the direction of The Wake Forest Glee Club enter-Mrs. Gertrude Royster Sorrell, head of the Physical Education department. About 250 students participated in the

The Queen's Court was made up of the maid of honor, Dorothy Dent, and two attendants from each class. The class attendants were: Rena Pearl Hamilton and Mildred Patterson. seniors; Sue Brewer and Katherine Malloy, juniors; Jean Davis and Margaret Newlin, sophomores; and Kappa Nu Sigma Gives Joyce Howell and Ruth Hutchins,

Heralds for the occasion were Esther Mae Lanier and Virginia Lambert. Dorothy Crawford was the crown bearer and Mary Scott Daniel of Raleigh was

The opening scene of the pageant was laid on the village green on the day of night, April 28, in the college dining the christening of the infant princess. hall. After a number of dances by the peasants there was a procession of the priest with the god-mothers and the princess. Immediately following the christening, the wicked god-mother, who was uninvited appeared and pronounced a curse on the infant. Scene II was the celebration of the eighteenth birthday of the princess. Scene III represented the interlude of one hundred years, during which the princess and her court were in sleep. The final scene was the entrance of the prince Brahms, with special emphasis on and the awakening of the princess, followed by a minuet by the entire court.

ill; Pages, Juanita Glosson and Sada Brahms for the clarinet and piano. Louise Clarke; Priest, Nancy Allen; wicked God-mother, Louise Bolus; God-INTERMEZZO OP. 118, IN A MINOR mothers, June Crow, Betty Lyon, INTERMEZZO OP. 118, IN A MAJOR

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Guests From North Carolina. South Carolina and Virginia

#### ENTERTAINED WITH MAY DAY, BALL GAME AND CONCERT

During the past week-end, May 2-3, Meredith was hostess to approximately 150 guests, principally girls of high school age who anticipated entering college within the next year or two. The majority of the guests were from Vice President ......Kate Covington North Carolina, but several high schools of Virginia and South Carolina were also represented.

> Upon arrival the visitors were registered by Mirvine Garrett in the Rotunda. Friday night in the Phi Hall they were entertained at a party under the direction of Mary Herring, president of the freshman class. At the chapel hour Saturday morning, the guests were welcomed by Dr. Brewer and the president of the student body, Ann Bradsher. Following the words of welcome, members of the Glee Club entertained by singing three numbers.

In the afternoon a Father-Daughter Baseball game was held on the Athletic Field, the daughter team being victor-Miss Elizabeth Davidson of Raleigh ious. At 4:00 o'clock followed the May Day exercises in the grove. At the conclusion of these events, the guests were invited to the court, where a picnic supper was provided for them. tained at 8:00 o'clock in the auditorium with a varied program of music, and at 9:30 the guests were invited to a reception in the college parlors.

> Sunday morning, special busses were chartered to convey the guests and their hostesses to Sunday school and church.

# Banquet and Lecture Recital **Honoring New Members**

Honoring its newly elected members from the Junior Class, Margaret Kramer and Eleanor Edwards, the Kappa Nu Sigma Honor Society entertained at a banquet on Tuesday

Following the banquet the society sponsored a lecture-recital in the college auditorium. Norma Rose, president of the organization, presided. Dr. Glen Haydon, of the music Department of the University of North Carolina, assisted by his accompanist, Peter Hansen, an instructor in the music department of the University, gave a lecture on the life of Johannes Brahms' technique in some of his greatest works. After the lecture a musical The cast of the pageant was as program made up of four groups of follows: The Princess, Dorothy Dock- Brahm's works was given, Mr. Hansen ery; The Prince, Lucille Davis; King, at the piano. Dr. Haydon and Mr. Margaret Kramer; Queen, Irene Tuth- Hansen then played a sonata from

Marjorie Collins, Alice La Roque, RHAPSODIE OP. 119, IN E FLAT

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