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## Students Hold Second In Series Spring Elections

Editors of Publications,  
Presidents of Societies,  
Officers of Major  
Organizations Are Chosen

In the second of the series of campus elections the editors of the three publications were elected. Magdalene Creech, of Wilson, will be editor of the *Oak Leaves* next year. Mag is an Astro and English major. She is class editor of the *Acorn*, a TWIG reporter, vice president of Stringfield and publicity director for the Astro Society. Esther Green of St. Petersburg, Florida, was elected editor of the *Acorn*. She is an English major and is class editor of the *Acorn* and social editor of *Oak Leaves* this year. Jane Lassiter, an English major and Astro from Raleigh, will edit the TWIG for the coming year. Jane is a TWIG columnist, class editor of *Oak Leaves* and junior representative to the May Court. The other candidate for editors of the publications were Janie Nance, Mary Humphrey, and Lillian Gaddy.

Elections for the society presidents were also held in this series. In the final run-off the following Thursday, Nancy Hall was elected Phi president. Nancy is a voice major from Oxford and was Phi secretary last year. Marie Snelling also ran for the office. Shirley Powell of Norfolk, Va. defeated Jeanne Dickens for the Astro presidency. Shirley is parliamentarian for the society, was a freshman representative to the May Court, and was a representative to the I. R. C. conference last year.

In the other elections held March 4, Ella May Shirley was elected vice president of the Student Council, defeating Lena Glenn Highfill. Ella May is a Phi and a chemistry major from Weldon. She was sophomore representative to the S. G. and is president of the Junior Class. Dot Swaringen of Albemarle, a Phi and English major will be chief counsellor. She has been freshman representative to the S. G., freshman counselor, and is vice president of Stringfield Dormitory. Opal Clemmons was also nominated for the office.

Emily Pool, Charlotte Bowman, and Betsy Ann Morgan were elected to the offices of first, second, and third vice presidents of B. S. U., respectively. Emily Pool is a Phi from Havana, Cuba and has been freshman representative to S. G., TWIG reporter, treasurer of Sigma Pi Alpha, and vice president of the Sophomore Class. Charlotte Bowman of Boone's Mill, Va. is a piano major and an Astro and has worked on Focus Week committees two years. Betsy Ann Morgan of Benson is a Phi, is arrangements chairman of B. S. U., secretary of the Sophomore Class, and is choir librarian. Also running for these three offices were Rita Britt, Frances Ann Estridge, and Betty Hefner.

In the same election Shirley Parker was chosen vice president of A. A. She is a Phi from Elon College and is treasurer of the A. A. Board and a freshman counsellor. Margaret Hall was the other candidate for the office.



Pictured above are members of the Folk Dance Group who are in formation for the presentation of "Texas Star," one of the American dances which will be given at the concert by that organization on March 19 and 20. Miss Doris Peterson, director, is in the background.

## Dance Group Presents Annual Spring Concert

Three Couples Honored  
For Four Years' Work

Meredith claims the only performing collegiate Folk Dance Group in North Carolina. The Athletic Association is sponsoring on the nights of March 19 and 20 the fifth annual spring concert by that group. The first performance, on Friday night, will be given in the College Auditorium. On the following night the members will dance on the stage of the Raleigh Little Theatre.

The concert is under the direction of Miss Doris Peterson, Head of the Physical Education Department. She is assisted by Miss Phyllis Cunningham and Mrs. W. M. Dugger. Musical accompaniment is offered by Miss Rachel Rosenberger's class in orchestration, which is making instrumental ensemble arrangements. A choral group, under the direction of Miss Beatrice Donley, also will perform. The music is in keeping with the mood of the various dances, and colorful costumes further the spirit of the performances. Lighting is arranged by Cathie Wishart and "Ree" Harmon. Marshals for the evening will be the members of the A. A. Board who are not members of the Folk Dance Group.

The program is divided into four general parts—European, Pre-Classical, Mexican, and American. Scottish, Swiss-Tyrolean, Czech, Dutch, Russian, and Hungarian dances represent the European countries. A new slant is given the traditional program with the Pre-Classics, which are dance forms with a folk history. The composers used these dances during the classical era for composition. This group includes the

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## Music Festival Is Held Here

Today and tomorrow the campus will be crowded with many young music lovers, who will be here for the District Music Festival, which is, in the Raleigh district, under the direction of Dr. Harry E. Cooper. The counties which are represented in this district are Northampton, Halifax, Warren, Vance, Granville, Person, Orange, Chatham, Moore, Lee, Harnett, Johnson, Wayne, Nash, Franklin, Durham, and Wake. The regular program began today with the instrumental numbers. From 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. the Junior High School participants were rated, and at the same time, in the main auditorium, the senior high school participants were rated. This afternoon the ratings were given for solo instrumentalists and for ensembles. Tomorrow, beginning at 9:00 a.m. all the vocal numbers will be rated. The girls will be rated in the theory room, the boys in Phi Hall, and the groups in the main auditorium.

The judges for the contest are Paul Young and Earl Slocum, U.N.C.; Thane McDonald, Wake Forest; Allen Bone, Duke; John Holiday, Queen's; James Pfohl, Davidson; and Stuart Pratt of Meredith.

## RALEIGH ORATORIO SOCIETY PRESENTS ANNUAL CONCERT

The Raleigh Oratorio Society presented on March 8 and 9 in the Meredith Auditorium two concerts of music from the works of Johann Sebastian Bach and Johannes Brahms. The Society, under the direction of Dr. Harry E. Cooper and the accompaniment of Dr. Lillian Parker Wallace, was assisted by Edgar Alden, violinist; David S. Alkins, organist; Mary Louise Emery, pianist; Christian Kutschinski, violist; Ralph Osthoff, pianist; Donald Peery, pianist; Ernest Peschel, violoncellist; Rachel Rosenberger, violinist; Edgar VomLehm, bass; Geneva Wilmot, soprano; David Wilmot, tenor.

The program for Monday evening was as follows:

Violin and Organ—Air from Suite in D Major  
*Bach-Wilhelmj*  
Trio for Violin-Violoncello, and Piano, Opus 8...*Brahms*  
Allegro con brio  
Scherzo - Allegro molto  
Adagio  
Allegro  
Organ:  
Chorale—Prelude, "O Gott, du frommer Gott"...*Brahms*  
Chorale—Prelude, "Herzlich tut mich verlangen"...*Bach*  
Prelude and Fugue in E minor, "The Cathedral"  
*Bach*  
Cantata No. 140, "Sleeper's Wake!"...*Bach*

Chorus, "Sleeper's, wake!"  
Recitative (tenor), "He comes, the Bridegroom comes"  
Air (soprano and bass), "I seek Thee, my Life"  
Chorale (sopranos and tenors), "Zion hears"  
Recitative (bass), "Come, enter in"  
Air (soprano and bass), "My friend is mine"

Chorale, "Glory now to Thee"

On Tuesday evening the following program was presented:  
Piano—Chaconne in D minor  
*Bach-Busoni*

Songs  
Wie Melodien zieht es mir  
*Brahms*  
Der Tod, das ist die kühle Nacht  
Vergebliches Ständchen  
O kühler Wald  
Requiem...*Brahms*  
"Blessed are they that mourn"  
"Behold, all flesh is as the grass"  
"Lord, make me to know the measure of my days"  
"How lovely is Thy dwelling place"  
"Ye now are sorrowful"  
"Here on earth have we no continuing place"  
"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord"

## PHIS WIN LOVING CUP

On Saturday night, February 28, the society plays were given, and the Philaretian Literary Society won a loving cup for their presentation of *The Dabblers*. The cup is presented each year to the society whose play is judged best. The Astros are going to present their comedy, *Glamour Girl*, at the dramatic festival in Chapel Hill this year. It has not been decided if the Phis will enter their play in the festival.

## SILVER SHIELD HONORS HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

In honor of the senior girls at Hugh Morson and Needham Broughton High School, a tea was held in the Hut from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 2. It was sponsored by the Silver Shield Honorary Society. The two associate members of the society, Bobbie Swanson and Marjorie Wilson, were in charge. Mary Virginia Warren poured tea, and Gayle Wells and Gloria Mayer served. Refreshments consisted of hot tea, cookies, and nuts.

## Forty-four Seniors Do Student Teaching

In order to gain experience in their chosen field of education, forty-four girls from Meredith College are doing student teaching in the Raleigh School system this semester. They are under the faculty supervision of the Education Department composed of Mr. B. Y. Tyner, Mr. Harry Dorsett, and Miss Lila Bell. Methods teachers aiding the students are Miss Norma Rose, Mrs. Lillian Parker Wallace, Miss Mary Yarbrough, Miss Billie Ruth Currin, Miss Estelle Popham, Dr. Quentin McAllister, and Mr. David Wilmont.

Those teaching in Needham Broughton High School and the subject taught are: Faye Baker, civics; Catherine Campbell, home economics; Rachel Daniels, mathematics; Jewel Davidson, English; Mildred Hoyle, physical education; Meredith Liles, history; Bennie McGougan, civics; Naomi Pugh, biology; Dorothy Singleton, history; Edith Stephenson, history; Alice Williams, English; Doris Witherspoon, algebra.

Teaching in Hugh Morson High School are Helen Finch, home economics; Mary Graveley, civics; Shirley Hurwitz, English; Kathleen Isbell, Spanish; Jane Lewis, home economics; Helen Norville, algebra; Marcelene Penny, algebra; Jane Sanders, general mathematics; Lillian Swinson, home economics; Ruth Walton, business.

Teaching music at both grammar and high schools are Thelma Haigler, Nancy Jo Massey, Martha Jean Modlin, Frances Simpson, Forrestine Snider, and Joy Stillwell.

Student teaching of business subjects is being done by Mary Frances Keene and Frances Land.

At the elementary schools the girls who are student teaching are Stenett Graham, Emily Robertson, Anna Lewis, Jean Bryan, Edith Boger, Arlene Hall, Lou Ella Hoots, Margaret Morris, Rebecca Britt, Miriam Powell, Mary Dell Fales, DeLauris Brock James, Margaret Bunn, and Margaret Moore.