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## WAY DOWN SOUTH IN DIXIE

On March 23, the Junior College Class will give its presentation of the year. "Way Down South in Dixie." This is an operetta based on the best-known of Stephen Foster's melodies. When the lights are dimmed and the curtain rises, you will find yourself in the Old South of the 1850's. Unforgettable characters such as Uncle Ned, Susanna, Jeanie and Nellie Bly will walk out of the pages of song albums straight into your hearts where these songs already are. Who will ever forget "Way Down Upon the Swanee River" or "Old Folks at Home"?

There will be soloists from both the high school and college and the choruses will be composed of The Dreamers. You must not miss this fine array of musical talent and acting ability which will leave you humming for days. The cost? There is the surprise. Did you ever wish that you could pay just the tax and no more? Well, this time all you have to pay is 3c and this will be within the reach of everyone's purse. Bring your friends and come to Anderson Auditorium Saturday night, March 23 at 8 o'clock. Get out your evening dress and acquire a festive air, or just dress up as if you really were going to a gala event in the deep South of around one hundred years ago—and if you like, come in couples!

## MAY COURT REPRESENTATIVES

A great occasion in Montreat is the annual May Day Festival, which is held in Central Park on May 18th. The following girls were elected to represent their respective classes.

Lily Starling, the brunette with a winning smile, from Hahira, Georgia, was chosen to represent the freshman high school class.

Carroll LeGette, dainty and demure, from Hahira, Georgia, was chosen to represent the sophomore high school class.

Annette Folmar, naive and na-  
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## Montreat Elects New Officers For 1946-1947



Seated, left to right: Annette Folmar and Chinky Liddell. Standing, left to right: Jo Clyburn, Dot Jean Sandefer, Barbara Stevenson and Millie Bailey.

Dorothy Jean Sandefer, a junior, was recently elected by the student body of Montreat College to serve as Student Body President for the school year 1946-47. Barbara Stephenson will head the College Y. P. C.; Mildred Bailey, the Staff of Student Publications; and Evangeline Clyburn, the College Athletic Association.

"Dot Jean" Sandefer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sandefer of Rocky Mount, La., where she attended high school. During her sophomore year here she was Spiritual Life Chairman on the Y. P. C. Council, and Publicity Chairman on the Athletic Board. She was also a prayer group leader last year. A member of the "M" Club since her first year, she now has her chevron. Dot Jean has sung in the choir for three years, and she is a member of the Music Club, Spanish Club, and Life Service Group. This year she became a member of the Kappa Pi Beta. She is majoring in Bible and Music.

Barbara Stephenson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Stephenson of Vanderpool, Virginia. She attended Monterey High School. Last year she served as Student Body President

of Montreat Junior College and was a member of the Athletic Board. A member of the "M" Club, she has her chevron. She is a very active member of the Kappa Pi Beta. A history major here, Barbara was voted "most intellectual" student last year.

Mildred Bailey, newly-elected Editor of the Sun Dial and Dialer, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bailey of Lexington, N. C. This year she has been house president at College Hall. Last year she was business manager on the S. P. S., and a member of the Athletic Board and Y. P. C. Council. She is also a member of the "M" Club. "Millie" is majoring in English and plans to teach.

Evangeline Clyburn is the daughter of Mr. H. H. Clyburn of Levisburg, West Virginia, and she attended Greenbrier High School at Ronceverte, West Virginia. Since coming to Montreat as a freshman three years ago, "Jo" has been Treasurer of the Athletic Association, Treasurer of the College Y. P. C., a prayer group leader, and a member of the "M" Club. A Bible major, Evangeline is also taking several business

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## FRESHMAN FIESTA

The footlights flashed on, Las Cantadoras sang the Freshman Theme song, "Mexicali Rose," and the Freshman Fiesta was under way.

As the curtains opened, Delia Gomez stepped through a map of South America dancing "La Camparsa." At the close of her act, Las Cantadoras sang "South of the Border."

When the curtains opened again, a lovely Senorita was on her Balcony, smiling down at two singing troubadours. A bold bad robber swaggered in, shouting and thrusting angrily at a frightened servant. He recognized his brother, Manuel, one of the troubadours. He swaggered about, brandishing his pistols and singing a bold robber ballad, but then ran away, screaming, at the sight of a mouse.

Las Tropicales sang some of our favorite Spanish songs between acts, "Brazil" and "Cachita."

A dashing Senor and a lovely Senorita danced the traditional Latin-American dance, the graceful "Ocercate Mas" accompanied by six pretty Senoritas dancing in the background.

Las Tropicales sang "Tres Palabras" and "Tuya Soy" between this act and "El Amante Y Sus Senoritas."

A handsome Senor, Ida Lou Gibson, sang of his native Madrid, dancing with a lovely Senorita, Mozelle Adkins. The Senoritas forming the background dance were Phoebe Measamer, Frances Balsley, Nancy Brunson and Jean Seagrove.

Sylvia Sanchez, Josephina Quezada, Delia Gomez and Stacia Evans (as a waiter) had the audience howling with laughter at the attempts of three Spanish girls, who spoke very little English, to order a dinner at an American hot dog stand.

We were then whisked away to the magical country of Mexico to attend a real Mexican bull fight. Ruth Layne was a bull-fighter who was afraid of bulls. Pat Cox's attempt to give her con-

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