

# 'I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas'

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### Santa Will Attend Party In Person

Santa Claus is coming to Montreat, and not only that, but he's bringing "Mrs. Santa" with him!

For several days "angels" have been hovering around in the dormitories. Each girl was given the name of some other girl to whom she was to act as an angel. Unknown to their proteges, the angels performed helpful tasks for them and presented them with such things as greetings and "eats from home."

On the night of December 17, Anderson Auditorium will be the scene of a Christmas party sponsored by the Sophomore College Class. At the party the "angels" will be made known when gifts are exchanged.

Under a large, brightly decorated tree will be found these many gifts and cards, which will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus.

A program of Christmas songs will be presented by the various music groups of the college and the whole group will take part in singing carols.

### Kappa Phi Beta Adds Eleven Members

On November 23, in a service during the chapel period, eleven new members were inducted into Kappa Phi Beta on the basis of contributions submitted and judged. The winning contributions and authors were as follows:

Myra Spence, "The Sea," a description; Dorothy Hodnett, "La-Grange, Georgia, The City of Elms and Roses," a description; Jean Dingus, "A Crisp Autumn Day," a description; Evelyn Wallace, "This Lady of Mine," a poem; Evan Wrenn, "Between The Tides," a poem; Mildred Bailey, "Looking Ahead," an essay; Jane Van de Weghe, "Beauty," an essay; Faye Wilson, "Sunset," a poem; Frances Brown, "Gastonia, Its People," a description; Virginia Butler, "My Hills of Home," a poem; Margery Washburn, "Prairies and Mountains," a poem.



### "DEAR SANTA CLAUS,"

Montreat College  
Montreat, N. C.  
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Dear Santa Claus,

I have been a sweet(?) little girl this year and I thought you would like to know what I am expecting on the Christmas tree. Since you brought me so much last year, I really don't want very much this time. A 1947 Studebaker will be plenty and maybe Robert Taylor on the back seat just as a little extra gift.

My friends heard that I was writing you and wanted me to give you some hints as to what they would like to find under their tree . . .

Miss Collette just wants a twelve pound fruitcake, 1947 Buick, and four boxes of nylons.

Miss Branche would be pleased with a nice apartment already furnished.

Miss Carrie Mae would like a nice new gym with swimming pool included. She doesn't want much this year.

Miss Gambler will be satisfied with a new Buick, too. A nice maroon one with cream leather seat covers.

Miss Wade is expecting a new station wagon if possible. However, she will be content with just the wagon.

Anita Asher would like a nice little dog . . . led by "Carlus."

Frances Tucker is expecting a gold horn to call Gene home.

June Sweet doesn't want anything except a red sled with "Bill" sitting on it.

Mary Conrad isn't very old so she would like a doll baby.

Juanita Connell just loves jack stones especially if Peter Lawford is attached.

Marjorie Lyle will be satisfied with a brunette doll(?) . . . Eddie.

Eula Godwin would like a teddy bear because the one she has is so old.

Billie Boswell is expecting to find "George" under her tree.

Julia Graham would like to have a doll with eyes that open and close.

Helen Loyd and Dot Hodnett will be satisfied with a tall, blond!

Catherine Byrum doesn't want to be a hog so she will just expect a 1947 Ford.

Nellie Watts is looking forward to seeing "Eldridge" under her tree.

Vangie Watts will be very happy if she finds a certain blond under her tree . . . "D.C."

Sara McGill would like a nice new car with Clark Gable driving.

Betty Whittle wants a nice little boy doll, "Pike."

Rachel Laney would like a nice aeroplane so she can go to Florida on the weekends.

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### College, High School, Auxiliary Present Pageant

On Sunday evening, December the 15th in Gaither Chapel, the College and High School and Women's Auxiliary will present a Christmas Pageant. There will be a manger scene and a white Christmas, a collection of gifts given by the groups in the College Youth Fellowship for Iakey Gap, the Mountain Orphanage, and the colored children outside the gate. The music will be furnished by the Choir and the Inner Choir under the direction of Miss Lord and Miss Woodhouse. The Joy Gift Offering to be taken at this time will be for Ministerial Relief.

### Alpha Phi Meets Elects Officers

Alpha Phi, the high school literary society, started off a new year with a meeting on November 25, the main topic being the receiving of new members. Several original contributions, "A Thought at Dusk" by Jean Morris, "My Brother" by Nancy Allison, "Lest We Contradict" by Mary Ann Phillips, and "The Returning Veteran" by Mary Jane Siddle, were read.

At a later chapel program Nancy Allison, Marnie Bradley, Ann Britt, Roslyn Clary, Anne Cooper, Anne Hamilton, Bette Hanna, Francise Larrenoa, Mary McNeil, Sara Medlin, Jean Morris, Mary Ann Phillips, Mary Jane Siddle, Fern Smith, and Mary Yealey, were taken into the organization as new members. The officers are Virginia Tillson, president, Mary Helen Vanes, vice-president, and Dot Jones, secretary-treasurer.

The dues have been set for 50c a year. Pins were ordered for the new members, but they will not arrive until after Christmas. The next meeting is planned for December 16.