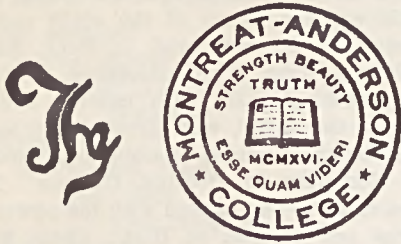


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## Commencement Exercises May 29

On Monday, May 29, 1961, the refrain of "Children of the King" will again be heard in Gaither Chapel, for it is on that date that thirty Sophomores will receive their associate degrees from Montreat-Anderson College. The Reverend Joseph B. Clower, Jr., Doctor of Theology and Professor of Bible at Hampden-Sydney College, Hampden-Sydney, Virginia, will bring to a close three days of precommencement activities.

The annual awards ceremony will be at eleven o'clock a.m. on Saturday, May 27. At that time those students who have done outstanding work in the areas of scholarship and athletics will be recognized.

The Reverend J. Wayne Fulton, Jr., D.D., Pastor of Shennandoah Presbyterian Church in Miami, Florida, will deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon at 10:45 a.m., May 28. A communion service at 7:45 Sunday evening will complete the activities.

### New Cabinet Installed

This was held on May 7 in Gaither Chapel. Students, visitors, and faculty were invited. It was a beautiful ceremony in which the Sophomore officers proceeded to the stage on one side with lighted candles, and Freshmen on the other side of the stage with unlighted candles. As the Sophomores gave their charge to the Freshman who would take his or her place, the Freshman's candle was lighted.

Sophomores wore the blue robes with gold collars. Freshmen wore the robes without the collars.

To close the ceremony the new officers and old sang a hymn, followed by congregational singing of "Have Thine Own Way, Lord."

After the service in the chapel, both Freshmen and Sophomores went to the lake. The Sophomores went to one side and the Freshmen gathered on the other. There, choruses and hymns were sung to each other. This event was closed by the combined classes singing the Alma Mater.

### May Day Weekend At Montreat-Anderson

Montreat-Anderson College held its annual May Day program on Saturday, May 6. Miss Dale Grethen of Miami, Florida, was crowned May Queen. The Maid of Honor was Miss Anne Gilliland who is a Freshman and comes from Birmingham, Alabama. The Freshman attendants were Misses Sara Bird and Judith Follis. The Sophomore attendants were Misses Linda Parnell and Elizabeth Rose. The Crown Bearer was Mark Guy, son of our own Director of Music, Mr. Allan Guy. Following the processional of the May Court came "A Song of Seasons" written by Miss Ruth Carol White and narrated by Miss Beth Morse. A Dance of the Seasons followed with Sheridan Boomhower, Cynthia Terry, Margaret Crawford, Dorothy Darr, Roberta Debman, Margaret Cooper, Lynn Gouner, Robert Dillard, Judy Atkinson, and Betty Cheatham participating. The lawn of Anderson Auditorium was a perfect setting for the May Pole Dance. A reception was held immediately after the recessional.

Forty prospective students from North  
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### Marshalls For '61 Commencement

Our congratulations go to Barbara Fulk, Mary Hendley, Rebecca Morse, and Elsie Scott who were chosen as marshalls for the 1961 Commencement Exercises of Montreat-Anderson College. These girls were selected because of their poise, their ability to meet people, and their outstanding academic record.

### Apologies To Cooper And Morse

The DIALETTE staff would like to extend its most sincere apologies to Margaret Cooper and Rebecca Morse for omitting their positions on the newly elected Student Government Association.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Cooper from La Lima, Honduras, is now the secretary-treasurer of the Montreat-Anderson College student government. Margaret lives with her parents in La Lima only during the summer months, as she attended high school in Houston, Texas, while living there with her sister. In both Houston and La Lima Margaret was very active. She was captain of a bowling team, and a member of an archery and swimming team. While at Montreat Margaret has been in the C. C. U. N. Her talents in the fields of sewing and hair dressing plus her exuberant personality has made her a favorite of every one in the college. Margaret, it is indeed a pleasure to welcome you to the Cabinet.

The newly elected vice-president of the S. G. A. is the daughter of Reverend and Mrs. F. R. Morse of Birmingham, Alabama. Rebecca is majoring in Christian Education and has already become quite well-known on campus in various organizations. She represented Montreat-Anderson at the Youth Quadrentinal Convention in Dallas, Texas, during her Christmas vacation. This was not entirely new to her as she was on the Birmingham Presbytery Council for two years prior to coming to Montreat. Also while in high school, Rebecca was layout editor of her high school year book and in the Senior band for four years. Her scholastic abilities have been acknowl-

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