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Il Gibson, Je Hooper, Cal Dormitory presidents for the 1952-1953 school year are front row d Heizer, Wft to right: Dudley Smith, Melrose; Doris Rhyne, Spilman; Mary Jane llia Blackstor/hite, Stroup; Louise McCall, Huffman; and Ted Buckner, Treat. Back ill Stephensow: Chester Boyd, Brown; and Fred Knott, Humphrey Cottage. Wanda ordon Luthdart, Edna Moore, was not present when the picture was made.

er, James Ba rung, Pauli tudent Officers Elected to Rule Vare, Caroly ver Dormitories and Cottages

mmy Griffe At the beginning of the fall semester, student officers were chosen m major, and the dormitories and cottages on the campus. These officers preside be chosen the the house meetings and are in charge of the general functions which re carried on at their respective dormitories.

President of Spilman Dormitory OME; Doris Rhyne. Other officers are ay Wells, vice-president; Bernice S Neal, secretary; Jeanette Radford, haplain; Kay Hooper, chorister; and Loraine Carter, pianist nd Loraine Carter, pianist.

Officers of Huffman Dormitory re Louise McCall, president; Caroine Hartsell, vice-president; Nina Ruppelt, secretary; Courtney Isen-10ur, assistant secretary; Martha Williams, chaplain; Roberta Mcth Carolina Williams, Chaptain, Acceptable Liles, 3ride, assistant chaptain; Beth Liles, horister; Theresa Feezor, pianist; b++++++Bobby Jean Thompson, social chairman; Jean Upton, assistant social chairman; and Emma Lou Chappell and Harriett Rudd, historians.

Mary Jane White is president of Stroup Dormitory; Eliza DeLoach, vice-president; Margaret Wilson, secretary; Margaret Marr, chaplain; ICH Julianne Sinclair, chorister; Barbara Barnes, pianist; and Betty Ann Snider, social secretary.

Edna Moore president is Wanda h Carolina Hart; Doris Hearon, vice-president; Colleen Redmon, secretary; Phyllis Nations chaplain; Billie Lollis, chorister; Eunice Hunt, social chairman; Wilda Bell, pianist; Jenny Hanshaw, treasurer.

At Treat Dormitory Ted Buckner is president; Jim Ziglar, vice-president; Tommy Morris, secretary; Holmes Bumgardner, pianist; Bill Stevenson, chorister; and Gordon Luther, chaplain.

President of Brown Dormitory is Chester Boyd; Donald Thomas, vice-president; Wally Ferguson, secretary and treasurer; and Rich-

ard Madison, chaplain. Dudley Smith is president of Melrose Dormitory; Bob Watson, vice-president; and Tommy Austin, chaplain. The secretary, pianist, and chorister will be chosen at the next house meeting.

Humphrey Cottage officers are Freddy Knott, president; Dewey Young, vice-president; and Palmer Mills, chaplain.

Landers and Wood Cottages have not elected officers, but they plan to do so in the near future.

Home Economics Club Has Initiation

New members will be initiated into the Home Economics club at the regular meeting Monday night, October 6. All home economics and nursing students are eligible to

"Introducing Contemporary Home Economists" was the theme of the organizational meeting held September 22. Emma Lou Chappell, vice-president, had charge of the program which was presented in three parts-"National AHEA and College Clubs," "State AHEA and College Clubs," and "Local AHEA and Club Symbols."

Virginia Mumford is president of the club, and Jean Echols is sec-

OCTOBER 13

Choir, Glee Club **Complete Tryouts**; **Begin Rehearsals**

Tryouts have been completed and rehearsals are underway for the Mars Hill Touring Choir and Glee

The tentative list of Touring Choir members consists of thirtythree voices. These are sopranos: Julianne Sinclair, Agnes Congleton, Wilda Bell, Jeanette Lollis, Caroline Hartsell, Kay Hooper, Carolyn Anderson, Joanne Nixon and Joyce Seawell. Altos are Betty Lou Morgan, Beverly Gage, Nancy Wesson, Wanda Hart, Vencie Kilpatrick, Barbara Barr, Pat Sherwood, Barbara Gordon, and Janet Scent.

In the boys' section, singing bass will be Bob Chapman, John Bush, Paul McLendon, Wayne Cooper, Art Fore, Bill Stevenson, Charles Strong, Roger Martin, John Dean, and Bennie Barr. In the tenor section are Holmes Baumgardner, Ted Buckner, Harold Collier, George Payne, and Jim Shepard. The touring choir began rehearsals Monday, September 29 at 4:30 under the direction of Miss Dorothy Weaver.

Selections for the Glee Club were Janice Aydelette, Phinalia Blackston, Agnes Bradley, Jo Ann Brooks, Gerry Brown, Elaine Buss, Imogene Carter, Barbara Conner, Joan Cooper, Jane Cook, Ruth Copeland, Barbara Crawford, Janice Edwards, Mildred Fuller, Paige Gentry, Jennie Lee Hanshaw, Carolyn Harter, Pat Hendrix, Carolyn Hutchinson, Eunice Hunt, ean Jackson, Vivian Jenkins, May Johnson, Mary Jones, Betty King, Fay Lavender, Carolyn Lawton, Pat Loving, Glenda Madison, Jacqueline Mendenhall, Betty Ruth Moody, Margaret Moody, Jean Nelson, Kitty Obenshain, Barbara Priddy, Louana Prince, Pat Reeves, Carolyn Royal, Dinorah (Continued on Page 4)

H. W. Baucom Returns To Mars Hill Campus

Dr. Herbert W. Baucom, Jr., pastor of the Takoma Park Baptist Church of Washington, D. C., will be the speaker for the annual fall revival to be held October 13-19. There will be services each morning

during the regular chapel period and each evening at 7:15 o'clock. Honor Clubs Plan Dr. Baucom, a native of North

Carolina, assisted in the Religious Future Programs Emphasis Week program on campus last February. A graduate of Wake Forest College and the The honor clubs will hold their meetings during the first week of Southern Baptist Theological Sem-October. Only students making 30 inary, he served as pastor of the or more quality points and main-Western Avenue Baptist Church in taining a B average in the required Springfield before accepting his subject are eligible to join an honor present pastorate. Dr. Baucom has done much work with young peo-The Business club program, ple and is interested in them. Beginning at 7 p. m., Friday, Oc-

which will be given especially for the new members initiated at that time, is built around the five ideals of the club: high scholarship, Christian character, pleasing personality, commendable deportment, and promise of future. The meeting will be held in Huffman Dormi-

The French Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Nona Roberts, sponsor. The program, "Les Ecoles et les Universites de la France," will be given entirely in French. It will describe the school system in France and the history of its universities.

The Spanish club program will revolve around Spanish customs and oddities. This meeting will be held in the home of the sponsor, Mrs.

The theme for the International Relations Club, which will meet in Stroup Parlor, is "Effect of Election on Europe." Those participating in the program are Bill Jones, Elaine Buss, and Dudley Smith. After the program new members will be initiated under the direction of Bess Holland.

The Scriblerus club program, "A Miracle of Integrity and Wit", is (Continued on Page 4)

Plans Underway For Camera Club

Efforts are now underway to start a camera club at Mars Hill with the possibility that it will become a photography class in years to come if enough interest is

Most of the equipment needed for the initial effort, the purchase of which was authorized by the college administration, has already arrived. Mr. Tilson has begun a plan for setting up laboratory facilities in what was formerly the downstairs supply room of Spilman Dor-

John E. Jones, Promotion Director for The Asheville Citizen and The Asheville Times, has encouraged the project and has offered his assistance, as has "Pop" Stringfield, a photographer of long standing on the campus.

Further details will be announced in chapel as soon as they are worked out, and interested students will be given a chance to join.

Barbara Donehoo Plays Star Role

tober 10, Mars Hill students will

participate in a continuous prayer-

chain, which will go through 9 a. m.

Sunday, October 12. Prior to this,

brayer meetings for the services will

be held nightly in the dormitories,

according to Bob Graham, B. S. U.

Further details of the meeting

will be posted in the Student Cen-

president.

Barbara Donehoo plays the leading role of Cornelia in "Family Circle", a dramatization of the book by Cornelia Otis Skinner which will be given as the fall production of the Dramateers on Tuesday, November 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Other members of the cast are Mrs. Otis Skinner, Dee Davidson; Otis Skinner, Tom Waller; Charlie, Dean Propst; Mab, Jean Smith; Enid, Dottie Phillips: Amy, Mary Ausband; Grace, Margaret Wilson; William, John Bush; Henry, Phillip Scott; Gordon, Charles Green; and Abby, Alice Owen.

At the next meeting of the Dramateers on October 7, the Religious Drama group will give a devotional number entitled "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God" after which some Mars Hill students will tell of their participation last summer in North Carolina's four historical pageants.

Katie Calhoun will tell of her experiences in costuming in Unto These Hills. Bill Gibson will tell of his work at Manteo in The Lost Colony. Bob Brown will discuss his part in Thunderland, and Mary Ausband will tell of the portrayal of Daniel Boone by Ned Austin, a former Dramateer, in Horn in the

The Dramateers held its first meeting of the new school year Monday, September 22, in the playhouse. The program began with a playlet, "The Lost Book" which was presented by the Religious Drama group. The cast consisted of Josiah, Wayne Riddle; Fedidiah, Doris Miller; Hamutel, Violet Overton; and Saphan, Ted Robinson. Afterwards, Barbara Donehoo presented the dramatic reading, "Madame Butterfly".

Seventeen States, Three Countries Represented on Mars Hill Campus

Residents of 17 states, the District of Columbia, two foreign countries, and the Territory of Hawaii are present on the Mars Hill campus this year, not to mention representatives of 74 counties within North Carolina alone

The grand total of 743 includes one student each from the Territory of Hawaii and Honduras, and two from Cuba. North Carolina leads the states with 494, while neighboring South Carolina is firmly established in second place with 96. Virginia is third with 49. and the Sunshine State, Florida, is a close fourth with 30.

Sixteen blue-grass residents from Kentucky are here and an equal number of Georgia peaches. Maryland claims 11, and there are 10 and Alamance, 10.

from Tenn. Alabama sends four, while the nation's capital is represented by three. Two each hail from New York State and Michigan. Texas sports one lone star, as do Mississippi, Massachusetts, New Jersey, West Virginia, and Wash-

Seventy-four counties in North Carolina are represented. Buncombe, which includes the city of Asheville, leads with 70 students. Madison, of which Mars Hill is the county seat, is second with 38. Other counties with 10 or more students at Mars Hill are as follows: Wake, 22; Mecklenbury, 20; Guilford, 19; Henderson, 16; Gaston, 15; Cabarrus, 15; Yancey, 12; Caldwell, 12; Iredell, 11; Forsyth, 10,