

## Bloodmobile To Be Here December 11

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will return to Mars Hill on December 11, in another blood drive for which the quota is this year 300 pints. The collecting equipment will be set up in McConnell Gymnasium, where students will go through the testing and donating process under the care of a doctor and a staff of trained nurses.

Students under 21 will be required to get their parents' permission to donate blood by means of a signed release mailed to the home. On Monday night, student campaigners will visit the different dorms to speak to students and distribute the releases.

Both of Coach Harts' hygiene classes have undertaken publicity for the campaign. One has given two chapel programs in both C-I and C-II chapels, presented last Monday and Tuesday. The other class is soliciting contributions from the people of the town by means of posters and a sound car.

The following students will visit the dorms: Melrose—Dean Propst, Bert Adler, and Pat McCoy; Brown—Tommy Jones, and Ernest Ferrell; Treat—David Morrow, John Hough, Tommy Ward, and Harold Smith; Humphrey—David Morrow; Landers—Moe Benjamin; Wood—Roger Martin; Pop Lance's—Bob Plyler; Wall basement—Lewis Collins; and Mrs. Vann's—Paul Lackey.

Edna Moore—Lib Frye, Lexyne Stackhouse, Jean Brooks, and Sarah Donehoo; Stroup—Janice Edwards, Janice Pipes, Barbara Barr, Joanne Nixon, June Connell, Carol Killian, and Carole McCadams; Huffman—Charlotte Venable, Faye Taylor, Louise Cash, Annie Mae Ellen, Sybilene Blinson, Molly Fennell, and Janice Isenhour.

## Hundred-Dollar Goal Set For Seal Drive

The 47th annual Christmas Seal Sale sponsored by the Madison County Tuberculosis Association opened Thursday, November 18, in Madison County, and will continue through Christmas vacation as far as Mars Hill is concerned.

With a 1953 goal of \$100 for the college, the drive will easily top its quota if each student contributes ten cents or more. Dormitory representatives will collect the contributions in each dorm during the drive, and distribute the seals. The seal symbol this year is a choir boy singing against a background of snowy scenery, and represents the spirit of Christmas.

Seventy-five percent of the receipts of the sale will remain in Madison County, and will make possible assistance to county patients, minimum rate chest X-rays, funds for a permanent X-ray unit, and a program in health education. The remaining 25 per cent is used by the state and nation to further medical research.

Chairman of the sale is Miss



Officers of the C-I Class elected November 13 in a meeting of the Class are, left to right: John Hough, Goldsboro, president; Mouise Simpson, Monroe, secretary; Pat Thomas, Greenville, S. C., treasurer; and Rodolph Dixon, Greenville, vice-president.

## Euthalia And Nonpareil Lead Anniversary - Reception Series

The Euthalian Literary Society leads off the society celebration series tonight with their 63rd Anniversary at eight o'clock in the auditorium. Saturday's Nonpareil Reception in the Science building at the same hour will be followed by Philomathia's Anniversary on December third, and Clio's Reception on December fifth.

In charge of the program for the Euthalian Anniversary is anniversary vice-president Gene Lawrence. Returning alumni and students are invited to the anniversary program. The theme, as usual, is secret.

Nonpareil presents her Reception program for her brother society in the Science building next Saturday evening at eight o'clock. Humorous and serious programs will be presented twice in succession in the Nonpareil and Clio halls respectively, so that the entire audience may see both programs. Preparations in the attic of Huffman dorm have been in progress.

## MH Debate Team Enters Tournament

The Mars Hill Debating team, which includes Heyward Moore and Tom Waller, affirmative speakers; and Mitchell Carnell and John Hough, negative speakers, participated in the Carolina Forensics Tournament sponsored by the University of South Carolina on November 20-21.

Six rounds of debate on the national college debate topic, and extemporaneous and impromptu speaking on topics in the field of free trade were included on the program and all were engaged in by the Mars Hill representatives. The debaters were guests of the school at the Wofford vs. South Carolina football game.

A schedule of events to be held in the Mountain Forensics Tournament sponsored by Chapter 219, North Carolina Epsilon, Pi Kappa Delta of Appalachian State Teachers College has been received here. They include debate, extemporaneous speaking, impromptu speaking, oratory, after-dinner speaking, poetry reading, radio newscasting, and problem solving.

Irene Olive in the Church Office. Campus representative is Dick Sale, and the representatives in the various dorms are: Edna Moore, Mary Martin; Stroup, Doris App; Huffman, Janice Dennis; Brown, Jackson Hooper; Treat, Bob Wyatt; Spilman, Muriel Huffstickler; and Melrose, Paul Gillespie.

## Thanksgiving Celebration Highlights Day's Program

Thanksgiving and Homecoming celebrations combine today to crowd the schedule with events for faculty, students, and alumni. Included in the day's program are the B. S. U. Thanksgiving pageant, the homecoming game with Asheville-Biltmore College, the crowning of the homecoming queen, and Euthalian Anniversary.

Numbers of former students are returning to campus to take part in the day's activities. An information desk, sponsored by the W. A. A. has been set up in the lobby of Spilman dormitory to direct them. Classes for students will cease at 10:30 when the day's program will begin.

"Lest We Forget," the traditional pageant sponsored by the Baptist Student Executive Council, assisted by members of the touring choir, glee clubs, and band, will be held this morning at 10:45.

The speakers and events in the pageant include: Prologue by Charles McCall; "The Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers in New England" by Rodolphe Dixon; Retrospection and Exhortation, John Hough; and Scripture reading by B. S. U. president Tommy Funderburke. Musical selections by the Glee Club will be included in this program.

Members of the B. S. U. council and other organizations taking part in the pageant as Pilgrims and Indians include Phyllis Anderson, James Beane, Hannah Blackwell, John Blake, J. C. Boone, and others.

The Spanish Club is planning a traditional Christmas program for their December meeting on the eighth of that month. Besides the regular members, all students who have an A average in Spanish up to the time of the meeting will be invited. The program will consist of a play, "Una Navidad En Mejuo," and will end with the breaking of the pinata, in which all the students will take part.

The November meeting of the club dealt with Spanish foods, including a Spanish dinner consisting of Ensalada Mexicana (salad), frijoles negros (black beans), arroy (rice), tamales, cafe (coffee), panecillas (rolls), and fruit. The meal was followed by reports on Spanish foods.

Miss Mary Jean Smith will speak on the celebration of Christmas in Paris, at the December meeting of the French club, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Nona Roberts. Miss Smith has been in Paris for the past five years.

The Orpheon club had a Thanksgiving program for its November meeting. The background consisted of cornstalks, corn, autumn leaves, and fruit. Speakers were Roger Martin and Jean Nathan. Bud Conner and Barbara Gordon sang. Refreshments were served following the program.

Mary Ann Elliott opened the November meeting of the science honor club with a devotional reading. The program, "The ABC's of Science," consisted of approximately one hundred questions conducted in the form of a spelling bee by Vernon Wood. Dr. Richardson, a member of the science faculty was

present. Discussions on the economic problems of the symphony orchestra will be held under the leadership of Mrs. Helen M. Thompson, executive secretary of the American Symphony Orchestra League, Inc. All the delegates will be guests of the Chicago Orchestral Association at a concert given by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

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