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Tonight

The Hilltop

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Students

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Favored Students

ight David Eisenhower, some candidate in Tuesday's neval presidential election, was in a the favorite choice of 10,000 students in the Carolina - t of ia tri-state area. r faila poll conducted by 26 col- e up and university newspapers e boower was favored by a two- e me majority. Students en- to liv the Republican ticket with a nigher cent of the total vote. ng t Democrats trailed with 35.9 e frent.

allove States Rights Party polled selver cent of the vote, the In- faithful ticket, 1.4 per cent, and y candidates received .5 per to 3f the total vote. ts irth Carolina, usually Demo- and, turned to the Eisenhower- y ream team by 58.5 per cent of oted tate's popular vote on the partiate level.

wa'ree North Carolina colleges ns hained the traditional Demo- with majority: Louisburg College, ourman's College of the Univers- f North Carolina, and Pres- ian Junior. The Indepen- and States Rights tickets to- r with all individual candi- polled 1.1 per cent of the North Carolina vote.

the woman's colleges of the states, the Democratic and blican Parties were more y matched in number than e male and co-ed institutions. re were no collegiate woman's s submitted for the States ts Party, and very few were ed for individual candidates. y woman's college except U.N.C. favored Eisenhower-

he male institutions went in y instance for the Republican y. All other parties and can- tes combined totaled only per cent of the male yote. se same colleges, however, re- ed a higher number of States ats and individual candidate s than the co-ed and woman's eges combined.

lthough as a body the co-edu- onal colleges supported the Re- ican Party, one third of them (Continued on Page 4)

ans Are Made or Focus Week

William Hall Preston, asso- e in the Student Department the Baptist Sunday School rd in Nashville, was on the rs Hill campus the week of otober 29—November 2 for the ose of conferring with Charles an and Sarah Sigmon, general hairmen in charge of plans r Christian Focus Week.

Focus Week, an annual event the college campus, will bserved February 18-22, 1957. eam of eight or ten leaders fferent fields of young peo- s' activities and interests will here at that time. A roster of e team members and student mmittee members will be an- nounced in a later edition of the illtop.



Piloting the sophomore class through their second year at Mars Hill are the newly-elected officers shown above (l to r): Gerald Davis, Barbara Knighten, Kitty Collins, and Charles Webb.

Honor Clubs Select Topics For Approaching Meetings

The honor clubs of Mars Hill College will hold their regular monthly meetings November 12 and 13, 1956 at 7:30. They will consider a variety of themes.

The Orpheon Club will have as their theme the life of Mozart, in commemoration of his 200th anniversary. Carolyn Moore will give a brief biography. Janelle Wise, program chairman, will discuss events of the "Mozart year", 1956. Doris Cole will have the devotion.

Henry Thorne will play selections from Mozart's piano works. Brenda Briddell will give his vocal and operatic works. His orchestral works will be presented by Seth Kirby, and Rose Rich will present his choral works.

Alumni To Attend Annual Service "Lest We Forget"

Approximately 200 alumni and visitors are expected to be on the Mars Hill campus for the traditional Thanksgiving pageant, "Lest We Forget" to be given in the Baptist Church at 10:30 A.M. on Thanksgiving Day under the auspices of the Baptist Student Union Council.

Principal parts of the pageant, which is directed by Dr. Ella J. Pierce, will be taken by Council members. Assisting will be the College Choir and other musical organizations. Several local children will join a group of college students in the representation of Puritans and Indians attending the first Thanksgiving feast.

Dean R. M. Lee will read the President's proclamation. Dr. Robert Seymour, pastor of the Mars Hill Baptist Church, will give the Thanksgiving message. Vice-president Robert L. Holt will also have part in the service.

At noon a regular Thanksgiving dinner will be served in the Coyte Bridges Dining Hall for students, faculty and homecoming guests.

Katsarka Wins Honors

Katy Katsarka, Mars Hill '55, continues to pile up honors at Furman. Now she has been chosen for Who's Who among American Colleges and Universities. Katy comes from Saloniki, Greece.

Four Societies Choose Anniversary Leaders

Mary Belle Moore, Nancy Stephenson, Bob Hale-Cooper, and Len Evans are the new presidents of the Nonpareil, Clio, Philomathian and Euthalian Literary Societies respectively for the Anniversary-Reception term.

Other officers who will work along with Mary Belle Moore for Nonpareil are Phyllis Stough, reception vice-president; Beverly England, literary vice-president; Ruby Hickman, secretary; Esther Milligan, censor; Mary Julia Swift, chaplain; Mary Ann Nichols, pianist; Hannah England, chorister; Mary Lou McClung, chief hostess; and Tucky Hinton, Joy Anders, Carole Deaton, Genene Bailey, and Shirley Hudson, hostesses.

Sophomores Elect Officers

Charles Webb was elected president of the sophomore class in a meeting held on October 29. Other class officers are Gerald Davis, vice-president; Kitty Collins, secretary; and Barbara Knighten, treasurer.

Coming from Charlotte, Charles has been active in society, serving as president of Philomathia last term. He is president of his Sunday School class and is on the basketball and track teams.

Gerald comes from Walhalla, South Carolina. He is a math major and managing editor of the *Hilltop*. He is also a Phi, a member of the Science Club, vice-president of a training union, and is the college postmaster.

Kitty, who comes from Greenville, North Carolina, is president of her Sunday School class and is a training union social chairman. She was a Clio marshal C-I term. This primary education major was a Dean's List student both semesters last year.

Barbara is from Asheville and has been a majorette both years. She is vice-president of her Sunday School class, vice-president of the W.A.A., an honor roll student, and song leader for Spilman dormitory.

Clio officers assisting Nancy Stephenson are Nancy Picklesimer, reception vice-president; Louise Wallen, literary vice-president; Jean Picklesimer, secretary; Betsy Olive, censor; June Mann, chaplain; Jan Benner, chorister; Frances Young, pianist; Luanna Krause, chief marshal; and Libby Price, Linda Reep, and Grace Carswell, marshals.

Officers for Philomathia are Bob Hale-Cooper, president; Carlisle Driggers, anniversary vice-president; Cecil Green, literary vice-president; Gary Harris, secretary; Ronnie Sparrow, censor; Harold Odum, treasurer; Tommy Bodkin, chaplain; Ed Ferrell, critic; Sonny Jordan, chorister; Charles Dirr, pianist; John Turner, dues collector; Harry Torrence, fines collector; and Paul Beatty and Dewey Davis, marshals.

Euthalian officers are Len Evans, president; John Baxley, anniversary vice-president; Bobby Sessoms, literary vice-president; Tom Holland, secretary; Bob Holland, censor; Jim Sherling, chaplain; David Gallemore, chorister; and Martin Johnson, financial secretary.

Currin, Deaton Lead In Barrie Production

Bill Currin, a freshman from Oxford, will play the leading role of the butler Crichton, in the Dramateers production of "The Admirable Crichton" in the college auditorium on November 17, at 8 P.M. Playing opposite him as leading lady will be Miss Carole Deaton of Asheboro.

The play, a fantasy by J. M. Barrie, pictures the reversal of leadership when the Earl of Loam, his family and friends are shipwrecked on a desert island and find themselves dependent for survival upon the ingenuity and resourcefulness of their butler.

Members of the cast include the following: George Spittle, Earl of Loam; Bill File, Ernest; Roger Woodward, the Rev. Treherne; Philip Slusser, Lord Brocklehurst; Tommy Hagan, naval officer; Jerrie Preston, Lady Mary Lasenby; Janis Avery, Lady Catherine Lasenby; Bonita Benfield, Lady Agatha Lasenby; Sandra Brothers,

Countess of Brocklehurst; Bobby Whaley, Tompsett; Rose Lake, Fisher; Paddy Wall, Mrs. Perkins; Irene Merritt, Madame Fleury; Harvey Dail, Rolleston; Elizabeth Forbes, Simmons.

Working behind the scenes to make the production a success will be the following members of various committees: Jan Hensley, stage manager; Louis Burch, Tom Holland, Bobby Sessoms, James Shurling, and Edmund Spence, stage crew; Beverly England, Cecil Dobson and Nancy Hayes, property committee; Harry Orr, lighting; Nancy Edwards and Joseph Britt, sound effects; Suzanne Mims, Shirley Hoover, Helen Lucas, Nancy Picklesimer and Dee White, costumes; Rinda Law, Joan Edwards, Elaine Moore and Dorothea Hemphill, make-up; and Don Guffey and Rhuemma Carter, prompters.

The production will be directed by Mrs. Elizabeth W. Watson.