

Societies Stage Variety of Events

Nonpareil will hold a tea in Huffman parlor from nine until ten, Thursday evening, February 14, honoring Clio. A Valentine theme will be used. Several committees are busily preparing for the tea in honor of Clio. Mary Belle Moore is chairman of the decoration committee. Refreshments will be prepared and served by Monica Meares' committee, and invitations will be written and sent out by a group led by Esther Milligan and Jean Humphries.

The annual society tea given by Clio was held in Stroup parlor on Tuesday, February 5. The Nonpareils were guests at this tea.

For their theme the Clios used "Gone With the Wind." The parlor was decorated as an old Southern plantation. On the lawn of the plantation, "Negro" servants served the guests pink lemonade, plantation tea tarts, and pink and white mints. Characters from "Gone With the Wind" mingled with the guests. Music from the motion picture was played throughout the evening.

On Friday evening, February 1, forensic competition was the highlight of the programs presented at the Euthalian and Philomathian societies.

At the Euthalian meeting, Dean Coffey placed first in the interpretation of Bible passages. Runner-up to Dean was George Parker. The alternate was Paul Hinds. In the oration contest, Bob Huddleston placed first, and Dave Dyer took second place.

At the Philomathian meeting, the topic which was used was "Temperance." Robert Mann was awarded first place. Dan Clark and George Mullen placed second and third in this contest. The judges for Phi were Emmett Sams, Fred Corbin, and Mrs. Elizabeth Watson.

The annual Non-Clio joint meeting was held Thursday night, January 31, in the college auditorium. Rozella Jewel, president of Nonpareil, presided. June Mann, president of Clio, was acting secretary for the evening, and Luana Krause, vice-president of Clio, acted as censor.

The program, the theme of which was "The Old South," consisted of solos by Jackie Davenport and Phyllis Stough, a situation oration by Bonita Benfield, a dramatic reading by Barbara Elliott, and an original poem by Carol Deaton read by Gail Colvard. The program was concluded by the singing of the friendship song, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

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Focus Week

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Miss Everley Hayes, representing the Foreign Mission Board, was a friend of the late Dr. Bill Wallace who was killed by the Communists in China. Miss Hayes came back to tell the story of the triumphant death of this brave doctor. She served behind the bamboo curtain and is well-acquainted with Communism.

One of the leaders in Baptist work in North Carolina was asked by the team to suggest a few of the outstanding young preachers in the state. One of the top ones chosen was the Rev. John Gill, pastor of the Cavalry Baptist Church in Raleigh. His seminar will be of special interest and worth to those interested in the ministry.

Leading the discussions on Christian business and the Christian home will be the Rev. and Mrs. Carlyle Jennings of Murfreesboro, North Carolina, where Mr. Jennings is pastor of the First Baptist Church. They will be together on Thursday morning to speak on "The Ingredients of a Christian Home."

Two leaders in North Carolina, Claude F. Gaddy, and Dr. Bruce Whitaker, both of Raleigh, will be members of the Focus Week Team.

Claude F. Gaddy, executive secretary of the Council on Christian Education of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina for the past ten years, will be concerned with, "The Layman's Role in Christian Education" in the seminars. A graduate of Wake Forest and the University of North Carolina, he has studied also at Harvard and Duke. Mr. Gaddy is grounded in the problems of education through training and twenty years of public school service.

Dr. Bruce F. Whitaker, State B. S. U. secretary, is a graduate of Wake Forest, and holds his Th. D. degree from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Dr. Whitaker will lead here in a consideration of problems of society and the individual, such as the race question and the application of Christian ethics in the choice and pursuit of a profession.

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Committee Chosen For Class Banquet

Plans are now being made for this year's Junior-Senior Banquet, which will be held on April 13.

Members of the general planning committee are Mary Martha Lowrance, Ann Garner, Marcy Cobb, Jackie Brown, Phyllis Brown, Kay Carnette, Ralph Cauthen, Sonny Cheek, Rose Corum, Ruth Corum, Doris Daniels, Jacque Davenport, Larry Frakes, Beverly Gibbs, and Jan Hensley.

Also Wendell Holland, Bobby Huddleston, Terry Mitchell, Eddie Moore, Carolyn Laughlin, Reggie Lowery, Dick Randleman, Nora Thomas, Rae Tuck, and Robert Wood.

These committee members will serve as chairmen of the separate committees in charge of program, decorations and other details.

Dean's List

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Ophelia Hildreth, Charles Huffstetler, Peggy Hughey, Robert Key, Shirley King, Joel Land, Mary Latta, Faye Lewis, Larry Link, David Milligan, Dixie Monroe, David Parker, Charles Parker, William Prevost, Charles Ramsey, Thomas Reynolds, J. W. Rhyne, and Edith Shepherd.

Sonja Snyder, Rayford Sewell, William Strange, Tommy Tillman, Carolyn Todd, Imogene Voyles, Leonard Wagner, Sonja Watson, Shirley Wilds, Ann Wilson, and Elaine Yates.

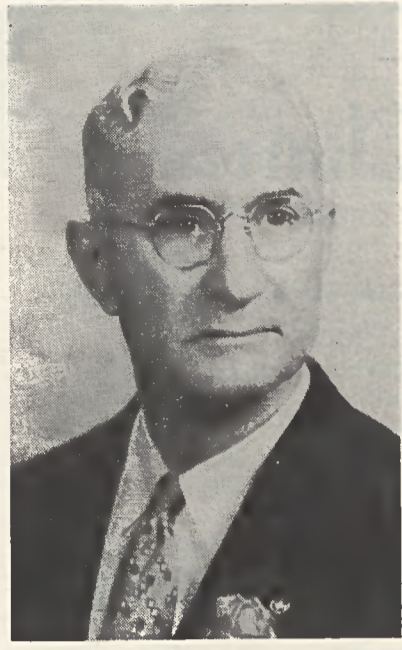
The sophomores who made the dean's list are Patsy Anderson, Nancy Angel, James Bennett, Helen Brooks, Nancy Caldwell, Doris Cole, Katherine Collins, David Davenport, Nancy Edwards, Beverly England, Barbara Eubanks, Elizabeth Forbes, Peggy Frith, Frances Gillespie, Stanley Gregory, Robert Haycraft, Dorothea Hemphill, Ruby Hickman.

Also Shirley Hoover, Anita Jarratt, Rozella Jewell, Doris Jones, Arnold Joslin, Luanna Krause, Pattie Ledford, Carolyn Lewis, Leonard McGaha, Joanna Marlow, James Massey, Marjorie Mauney, Suzanne Mims, Carolyn Moore, Nancy Mumford, Sandra Owens, Rae Padgett, Bettie Chloe Payne, Frances Poole, Lorene Poteat, and Carolyn Price.

Also Patricia Pritchard, Esther Ramirez, Lois Scruggs, Joseph Seab, Frances Stanley, Lillian Sung, Mary Julia Swift, David Teague, Shirley Tripp, Hugh Wagner, Paddy Wall, Modena Weatherly, and Fay Woody.

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Ralph M. Lee

Lee Appointed Committee Head

Ralph M. Lee, academic dean of Mars Hill College, has just been appointed chairman of the Committee on Junior Colleges by Dr. Lee Chamberlain, chairman of the Commission on Colleges and Universities of the Southern Association. Lee replaces R. L. Brantley, vice-president of Mercer University.

Dean Lee is a member of the Board of Directors of the American Association of Junior Colleges and Secretary-Treasurer of the Southern Association of Junior Colleges.

He is also a member of a committee of the N. C. College Conference composed of Dean John W. Shirley of State College, Dean W. C. Archie of Wake Forest, Vice-President Leo W. Jenkins of East Carolina College, Dean C. J. Pietinpol of Davidson, and President Edwin R. Walker of Queen's College. This committee is engaged in a research project studying the liberal arts programs of the various colleges and universities of North Carolina.

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Volunteers Make Plans

During February the Volunteers for Christ plan to be in charge of two programs at Mt. Olive church. Some of the members have also volunteered to help our church secretary, Mrs. Barbara Bennett, for an hour each month.

The volunteers completed on February 3, their project for January which was a visitation program at the Asheville Orthopedic Hospital. The group traveled in the mission buggy and spent the afternoon at the hospital visiting with the children.

On a previous Sunday afternoon, the Volunteers had met in Stroup playroom to make favors to give the children who were patients. They also purchased Bible story books to give them.

At the regular meeting of the Volunteers on Monday night, February 4, a film on Foreign Mission Work was shown.

Honor Clubs

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from the poetry of Alexander Pope.

Also on the Scriblerus program will be a presentation of the final scene from the Greek drama "Antigone," with Suzanne Mims as Antigone, Don Guffey as Haemon, Frances Gillespie as Helen Brooks as the Chorus and Ellen Shearin as the Narrator.

The Logothia program will consist of installation of new officers, induction of new members, the reading of the club constitution, a discussion of the meaning of Logothia, a consideration of the place in the club of new members, and a preview of programs to be presented in the near future.

Other clubs will also initiate new members and install officers for the spring semester. Details are not available as the *Hilltop* goes to press.

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