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Luck on Exams!

Fatal To Honor Student

Rice, 23, a student College, was killed December 20, in a head-on collision near Mocksville, as he was driving home for the holidays.

was driving alone, and was killed on arrival at Memorial Hospital. He was the son of I. L. and Mrs. Rice of Jericho, N. C. His wife, the former Mrs. Coffey, and three children are now in Sanderson, N. C. Mrs. Rice is taking care of the children and is limited to his parents and

include a daughter and two sisters, and a son, Charles, of Heston, Kan. He was an honor student at Mars Hill College, and was studying toward a degree in aeronautical engineering and was to be a jet pilot.

Services were conducted at the Center Methodist Church, by the Rev. Lee Speer, pastor. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Monday, Dec. 1, he was from the explain the

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ne Economics Club regular monthly meeting. The business meeting was the election of officers for the semester. Reva Cook, economics major from Mars Hill, was elected president.

ady was chosen vice president; Martha Hawkins, secretary; Dryden, treasurer; Lee was a reporter and retiring president.

ce gave a report on the Economics Association meeting held at Rocky Mount.

WISHES FOR 5 Marks

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1960 MAY COURT: Front row (left to right) Faith Edwards, Sandy Daniels, Pat Robinson, Zee Wall. Second row: Ann Woodall, Connie Linville, Joyce Lockhart, Marlene Evans, Sally Whitfield, Delores Wilson and Mary Etta Mann.

Queen, King, and Court Selected To Reign Over May Day Festivities

Loretta Millsapps and Charles Stevens have been chosen to reign as Queen and King of the 1960 May Court. Connie Linville was chosen to be maid of honor.

Sophomore attendants are Marlene Evans, Mary Etta Mann, Patricia Robinson, Delores Wilson and Ann Woodall. Sandy Daniels, Faith Edwards, Joyce Lockhart, Zee Wall, and Sally Whitfield are the freshman representatives.

Loretta, who is from Concord, is on the BSU Council. She is president of Treat dormitory and active in dramatics. Loretta was a nominee for Miss Laurel last year. A member of the Mission Council and the Dramateers, Charles Stevens is from Augusta, Ga.

A member of the WRA Council and a cheerleader, Connie Linville is from Spartanburg, S. C. She was homecoming queen in her school and was a member of the Laurel beauty section last year.

Marlene Evans, from Concord, is a member of the Touring Choir. Formerly from Concord, now of Newport News, Va., Mary Etta Mann was a member of the 1959 May Court and Reception president of Clio.

Both Delores Wilson and Ann Woodall were members of last year's May Court. The former, from Chapel Hill, is a cheerleader. The latter, from Rutherfordton, was freshman class treasurer last year, and is currently secretary of the sophomore class.

A Mars Hill native, Patricia Robinson served as C-I Clio president and has been in the Laurel beauty section both last year and this.

From the freshman class comes Faith Edwards of Leicester. Faith is a member of the band and is secretary of the freshman class. In her high school she was band queen. Sandy Daniels from Roanoke Rapids, is a cheerleader and a Miss Laurel nominee. She was high school homecoming queen.

Another Miss Laurel nominee, Joyce Lockhart from Greensboro, was runner-up in the 1959 Miss North Carolina contest. She is a freshman class cheerleader this year. Zee Wall, (Continued on Page 4, Col. 5)

Art Exhibit Shown In College Library

Mars Hill College presented an art exhibit by Joe Chris Robertson on Sunday afternoon, January 10, in the Audio-Visual Aids Room of the Memorial Library.

Mr. Robertson has been head of the art department at Mars Hill College since 1951. He was born in Charleston, Arkansas. He received his B.A. degree from the University of Arkansas and his M.F.A. from the University of Iowa. He has done graduate work at the universities of California and Iowa.

Mr. Robertson has exhibited his work in regional shows in the southwest, midwest and southeast. Other exhibitions were in the Arkansas Annual State Exhibit, North Carolina State Annual Shows, Mid-South Show in Memphis, the Irene Leache Memorial Exhibition, and more recently at East Tennessee State College.

His work includes collages, oil painting, intaglio prints, watercolors, and prints made from wood cuts. He has traveled in Mexico, Canada, and in Europe this summer.

Mr. Robertson has collections at the University of Arkansas, University of Iowa, Arkansas State Gallery, Delgado Gallery in New Orleans, and Brooks Gallery in Memphis.

ATTENTION, FRESHMEN! Beginning Monday, February 8 (7:30 A.M.), and going through noon Saturday, February 13, students may come by the President's Office and sign up for rooms which they will occupy during the 1960-61 session. Your present room will be held for you until Monday, February 15.

Dr. Schinhan, Native Of Austria Accepts Position In Music Dept.

Dr. Jan Schinhan, a native of Vienna, Austria, has come to Mars Hill College to teach piano after a long and distinguished career at the University of North Carolina as head of the organ department. There he taught not only organ, but also piano, conducting, composition and other courses. He was often called upon for participation in special events.

An excellent background in the field of music began for Dr. Schinhan in his home in Austria. His mother was a concert pianist in Europe and was called upon to teach piano to the children of the royal family of Austria.

Forensics Term Officers Elected

Virginia Gibson, Peter Wong, Emily Ann Smith, and John Stanton were recently elected presidents of Mars Hill's Nonpareil, Euthalian, Clio, and Philomathian literary societies, respectively, for the Forensics term.

A Home Economics major from Baltimore, Maryland, Virginia serves as secretary of Huffman dorm, secretary of the Women's Student Council, and vice-president of the Home Economics club. Peter, a medical student from Hong Kong, China is publicity chairman of the B.S.U.

Emily Ann is an art major from Atlanta, Georgia. A ministerial student, John hails from Greensboro. John served as Freshman class president in 1958-1959.

Assisting Virginia in the Nonpareil hall of black and gold is Gail Dowdy, first vice-president; Carol Southerland, second vice-president; Nancy Lytton, secretary; Barbara Capell, censor; and Linda Barbour, chaplain.

Euthalians serving this term with Peter Wong are Ned Slagle, vice-president; James Whitehead, secretary; Northrup Hood, censor; and Warren Rice, chaplain.

In the hall of blue and white, Clios elected to serve with Emily Ann Smith are Jane Phillips, vice-president; Sally Graham, secretary; Violet White, censor; and Melinda Duncan, chaplain.

Those elected along with John for the Philomathian Forensics term are Ken Aydelette, vice-president; Lowell Dotson, secretary; Gene Aspy, censor; Frank Pittman, chaplain.

Burling Replaces Caudill On Faculty

The new semester will bring with it a new face among the faculty members in the science department of Mars Hill College. Charles Wayne Burling has come to replace Paul Caudill in the chemistry department. Mr. Caudill recently entered medical school at the University of Tennessee in Memphis.

Mr. Burling is a native of Elizabethton, Tennessee. He earned his B.S. degree at East Tennessee State College at John-chemistry and minored in physics. (Continued on Page 4, Col. 4)

Dr. Schinhan received training from his mother and from many other of the finest music teachers in Vienna. He studied later at the Academy of Music in Munich.

The University of California was chosen by Dr. Schinhan as the school where he was to earn his B.A. and M.A. degrees. He received his Ph.D. in his native city of Vienna. In California, Dr. Schinhan became the organ soloist for the San Francisco Symphony and held recitals in the Palace of the Legion of Honor.

Dr. Schinhan is the holder of the Benjamin Award, which carries with it a one thousand dollar prize, for his composition "Fantasy for Orchestra," written especially for the North Carolina Symphony. He has many other compositions to his credit and has written articles and books on the subject of music.

While doing research on North Carolina Folk Songs here at Mars Hill several years ago, he met his wife, the former Elizabeth Logan Souther, then teaching in the Mars Hill College music department.

Our new piano instructor is no stranger to the Mars Hill College campus and has made over 200 valuable contributions to the music library. His wife remains at their home in Kansas where she is a teacher. When asked his purpose in coming to Mars Hill again, Dr. Schinhan replied simply, "I felt like coming home."

Morrow Chosen To Lead Dramateers

John Morrow was elected president of the Dramateers at the regular monthly meeting on January 11. Roy Mehaffey was chosen vice-president; Feriel Forbus, secretary, and Judy Elam, treasurer.

The election was preceded by a Russian comedy, "Summer in the Country," by Anton Chekov. Roy Mehaffey had the lead with John Morrow in the supporting role. Richard Brassell was the director.

One-act plays are due January 15 to be entered in the Chapel Hill festival. "The Upper Ground," by Lucy Rhodes; and "The Terrible Teller of Tall Tales," by Roy Mehaffey have been entered. Other entries are being written by Marietta Atkins and John Morrow.