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# Band Presents Concert Tonight

# Carver Chosen As der Sonn Vew Laurel Editor

altizer, set business student from Roxboro, nd pitche has been appointed editor-in-chief of the 1962 Laurel, succeeding Virginia MacNeil. He had been that fros associate editor.

Committee Approves

The appointment was officially ineligible approved by the faculty's Publicar's squa cations Committee, which includes Don Ma Mr. McLeod, Miss Garner, Dean

Lee, Mr. Chapman and Mr. Smith, the Laurel advisor.

"I have high confidence in Charles," Mr. Smith said in announcing the appoint-

CARVER ment. "He has already done a a great deal of

Charles Carver, a sophomore work on the publication, but it has been necessary to delay his promotion until his tenure as a society officer was ended because the editorship carries the maximum number of activities points.'

> A member of the staff of the 1961 Laurel, Charles has organized this year's staff and is pushing toward a Mar. 24 copy dead-

#### Things Going Well

"Things are going fairly well at this point, he stated. "If we can get the remaining copy to the printer on time, we should be able to get delivery on the yearbook early in May."

In his capacity as editor Charles shares with only a few other persons the two major secrets of the forthcoming book, the person to whom it is dedicated and the identity of "Miss Laurel", the feature attraction of the beauty section.

An accounting major who hopes to become a Certified Public Accountant, Charles is currently "sweating out" an application for admission to the University of North Carolina this fall.

## n begand summer School old scrip Session Slated

Plans are being completed for the rough the college's summer school promentals and gram June 11 - Aug. 10. The nentals and June 11 - Aug. 10. The curriculum for this year will include courses in Bible, Biology, Prench, Chemistry, English, mather than the course of th next year match, Greek, history, Latin, din a teath added the added the added the street, Spanish and music. Stuthe number dents attending the summer session attending the summer as 10 three At thr

### Activities Sponsored

Throughout the summer sesthe entire twice Aft twice Aft the things activities will be sponsored. Coach Harrell Wood will head physical education department which will conduct hikes, games various sports. A highlight of the social activities will be the to the Biltmore Gardens, Mitchell, Ridge Parkway, doors, Ridgecrest and out-ofdoors dramas at Boone and Cher-Movies will be shown on

Who will be should be shou Synnasium and athletic field will <sup>Available</sup>.

Religious Groups Continued The religious organizations will continue to function and the col-

program at the local

La will be continued. Ast Year the enrollment for summer session totaled nearly and expectations for this year for a larger number. Students rested in attending may obtain tional information at the Bur-

## Reagan Scores In Oratorical Battle For MH

John Reagan, Mars Hill sophomore, won first place in the individual oratory contest held at Lenoir-Rhyne Mar. 8-10, in the South Atlantic Forensic Tourna-

The forensic team, working under the leadership of its coach, Mr. Glenn Vernon, represented Mars Hill in seven rounds of debate and six speaking contests.

Roy O'Bryan and John Reagan entered the speaking contests. Debaters included Don Rothwell and Paul Clark, negative; and Don Dalton and John Grier, affirmative. The intercollegiate debate proposition is, "Resolved: That labor organizations should be under the jurisdiction of anti-trust

The forensics team of Lenoir-Rhyne won the sweepstake trophy, which was given to the team with the best record in both the debate and speech contests.

Other schools in the tournament were Carson-Newman, Davidson, Gardner - Webb, Duke, High Point, Annapolis, Wake Forest, William and Mary and Wingate.



Last-minute details of the forthcoming band tour are reviewed by director John Sumrall with some members of the concert group. They are (L to R) seated, Mary Ann Price and Suzy Brown; standing, Arlis Suttles, vice president, Jack Gardner Helderman, Johnny Dalrymple and Otis Broyhill.

# Cole Takes Lead In Festival Production

"He is slouched and dirty, small and wizened. The big-brimmed hat on his head seems to rest halfway down his neck on his stooped shoulders. His eyes are small and closely set; his forehead is low and narrow; and his chin recedes. All in all, he presents a picture of a cruel, weak man."

Such is the picture of Tom Lincoln presented in "Nancy Hanks, Bondwoman," which will be given by a group of Mars Hill students, under the direction of

## Speaker Due In Spilman Sunday

J. Olin Coleman, who was advisor to the Westminster Fellowship, Presbyterian student group, last year, will be guest speaker at the group's meeting at 6:30 p.m. Sunday in the BSU Room in Spilman.

Formerly agriculture teacher at one of the high schools in the county, Mr. Coleman is now a student at Columbia Seminary in Decatur, Ga., preparing to go to Brazil as an agricultural missionary.

Already holding a bachelor and a master of agriculture degree, he is preparing to work in droughtstricken Northeast Brazil under the auspices of the Presbyterian U.S. Board of World Missions.

Anyone interested in missions or in the activities of the Fellowship is invited to the meeting.

Next regular meeting of the group will be Apr. 8, when Jim Little will lead a discussion on "Sabbath Observance."

Mrs. Elizabeth Webster Watson, at the Carolina Dramatics Association Festival in Chapel Hill during the festival week, Apr.

The play, which is based on legend of the Great Smoky Mountains concerning the parentage of Abraham Lincoln, was written by native North Carolinian Jane Malloy Britt, an alumnus of Mars Hill College (Class of <sup>2</sup>35).

A one-act, five-character play, it was chosen by special invitation from the Association to represent the mountain area in the C.D.A.

#### Character Portrayed

Members of the cast are as follows: Nancy Hanks, played by Marlene Cole; Lemmer, a neighborhood woman, by Elaine Sitton; Abraham Enloe, by Arlis Suttles; Sarah Enloe, his wife, by Ann Brookshire; and Tom Lincoln by James Bates.

In addition to Mrs. Watson, others in charge of production are Glenn L. Vernon, technical director; Robert Glover, lights; Roy O'Bryan, stage manager, and Phyllis Ann Gores, prompter.

Dean Lee reminds all students to regard the ruling on cuts before making plans for spring vacation. Any cuts taken in a class meeting just before and immediately after vacation will be counted as double. Resulting overcuts will automatically give a student a grade of WF" in the course.

Mars Hill's Concert Band, directed by John Sumrall, will give its first program on campus tonight in the auditorium at 8 p.m. Foremost in program selections are such numbers as "Block M March" by Jerry Bilik; "William Byrd Suite" by Gordon Jacob; "Komm Susser Tod" by Bach-Leidenzen; "Le Regiment de Sambre-et-Meuse" from French National Defile by Ravel-Paulson; and excerpts from Lohengrin.

Also included in the program are such recent works as "Il Pasticcio Overture" by William Lotham; "The Minstrel Boy" by Leroy Anderson; "Relax" by Paul Yoder; selections from the Music Man by Willson-Reed; and "March of the Steel Men" by Charles Belsterling.

Members of the 36-piece concert group will leave Monday morning by chartered bus for a week-long tour. Concerts are scheduled at Anderson and Clemson colleges in South Carolina and at high schools in Clarkesville, Gainesville and Atlanta, Ga., and Bryson City, Murphy, Canton and Asheville.

Members of the select group of instrumentalists are Jo Cabe, Piccolo; Suzy Brown, Jo Cabe, and Diane Whitesides, Flutes; Linda Ayscue, Oboe; Glenda Robinette, Becky Watson, Clara Vee Denton, Trina Rathburn, Caren Ownby, Sallie Owens, Pauline Briggs, Clarinets; and Larry McFarland, Bass Clarinet.

Jack Gardner and Jim Helderman, Alto Saxophones; Carl Traub, Tenor Saxophone; Brooks Barnhardt, Baritone Saxophone; Barnhardt, Baritone Saxophone; Johnny Dalyrmple and David Lloyd Cole, Trumpets; Paul Clark, Bobby Edwards, and Alice Swafford, Cornets; and Otis Broyhill, Bob Kemp, and A. D. Frazier, Trombones. Paul Robinson, Mary Ann Price, and John Lackey, French Horns: Tommy Moncrief, Bari-

Horns; Tommy Moncrief, Baritone; Arlis Suttles and Ben Boney, Tubas; Kenneth Murray, String Bass; and Linda De Loach, Dudley Chandler, Don Shepard, Carol Moore, and Sandy Allen, Percussion.

The newly formed Mars Hill Stage Band will perform at inter-

### Fish Given Grant

Mrs. Gwendola Fish of the language department has been awarded a Fulbright Scholarship to study at the University of Valladolid in western Spain.

Mrs. Fish will leave the United States June 25 and study for eight weeks at the University, which is located near the Portuguese

This is the first time that Fulbright Scholarships have been given for study in Spain. Mrs. Fish is one of twenty receiving grants to that country.