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Symposium Examines Changes In The South

A five-day symposium, centered around the theme "The Southern Revolution," will be held on campus during the first week of March.

Specialists in various phases of southern life and culture will discuss such subjects as the South's contributions to art, Southern literary figures of this century, the resources and problems of Appalachia, racial readjustment in southern society, the church in the midst of revolution, and the southern political and economic scene.

Veteran newsman Howard K. Smith, one of the nation's leading radio and television news analysts, will open the symposium on Monday night (Mar. 1) with an address on the general subject of world revolution.

Other guest speakers will include Dr. Arlin Turner, department of English at Duke University; Dr. James Cheek, president of Shaw University; Professor P. Ayer of Berea, Ky., executive secretary of the Council of the Southern Mountains; Dr. Selz C. Clayo, department of sociology at UNC in Raleigh; Dr. Lamar Dodd, head of the art department at the University of Georgia; and Dr. Carl C. D. Brewer, professor of sociology in the Candler School of Theology at Emory University.

A special faculty committee, headed by Dr. Evelyn Underwood, has worked during the 1963-64 school year and this year in planning the symposium. The program is one of the ways by which the college is seeking to enrich its curriculum. An effort will be made to encourage both students and faculty members to participate freely in the seminars and lectures of the symposium.

"It is still true," said Dr. Underwood, "that learning is achieved most effectively in a person-to-person exchange between student and teacher. During this week in March all students will have the opportunity to meet some of the finest scholars

of our day, to talk with them, to know them personally and to learn of them and their work."

Additional details concerning the symposium will be published in the next issue of the Hilltop, Feb. 20.

Workshop 17 Is Scheduled

A choral clinic, expected to attract 300 high school students from 39 schools throughout Western North Carolina, Upper South Carolina and East Tennessee, will be held here Feb. 12-13.

The workshop is the 17th such event sponsored by the college's department of music. It has been planned and will be coordinated by Elwood Roberts and Robert Rich.

Guest director-conductor for the clinic will be Robert Page, director of choral activities at Temple University in Philadelphia. He will work with the students and their music teachers on a repertoire of 11 outstanding choral selections.

The workshop will be climaxed with a concert Saturday night, featuring the visiting musicians in a 300-voice choir. Sophomore Sharyn Russell will be accompanist for the clinic rehearsals as well as for the concert.

Among the schools slated to take part are the following: Allen, Lee Edwards, Appalachian, Canton, Enka, Unicoi County (Tenn.), Chase, East Rutherford, Claremont, Hildebran, A. L. Brown, Kings Mountain, Morganton, Cocke County (Tenn.).

Boiling Springs (S.C.), Statesville, Charles D. Owen, Tryon, Waynesville, Clyde Erwin, Myers Park, Hudson, Wilkes Central, Sylva-Webster, Valdese, Newton-Conover, Dallas, Lincolnton, Maiden, Stephens-Lee, North Mecklenburg, Wincoff, West Henderson, Harding, Page, T. C. Robinson, A. C. Reynolds and Garinger.

Film Will Preview CFW



Lettering a Focus Week poster is Barbara Grant. Offering their advice are Dolly Lavery (left) and Carol Hunt, Ken Murray (left) and Tom Hall. All are members of committees planning the approaching religious emphasis.

The Billy Graham film "Encounter" will be shown in chapel Tuesday as a prelude to Christian Focus Week, planned for Feb. 15-19. This film is now on exhibit in the Billy Graham Pavilion at the New York World's Fair.

Thursday in chapel a program emphasizing the week's theme which is *Quo Vadis?* — Whither goest thou? — will be presented.

Many factors will make this one of the biggest focus weeks in Mars Hill's history. A program this elaborate will not be planned again for at least four years.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday a chapel period will be set aside in the class schedule and attendance will be voluntary. Teachers have agreed to take five minutes from each class so that a 50-minute chapel service will be possible from 9:50 until 10:40 a.m. This unusual addition to the campus routine will disrupt the class schedule so that the following will result: eight o'clock class will be held from 8:00-8:50; nine o'clock from 8:55-9:45; chapel from 9:50-10:40, etc.

The regular chapels on Tuesday and Thursday also will be used.

A team of persons representing various walks of life will be scheduled to visit classrooms so that each class will have been visited by at least one team member by the end of the week.

Monday through Friday from 4:00 until 5:00 p.m. a seminar on Love, Courtship and Marriage will be held in the Library Auditorium. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Herring will present their point of view, and Dr. John Bridges will present

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Room Reservations Taken

Reservations for rooms for the 1965-66 school year will be made next week (Feb. 8-13) in the president's office by Miss Frances Snelson.

Students who expect to return for their senior year may sign for their rooms Monday from 7:30 a.m. until 6 p.m. Fox and Myers will be reserved for seniors.

Rising juniors can sign up Tuesday and Wednesday during the same hours. Junior women will live in Huffman or on the first three floors of Stroup. Junior men may sign up for rooms in Melrose, Treat, Sams, Cody, the cottages or private homes in the community.

Rising sophomores may sign for their rooms Thursday, Friday and Saturday during the same hours. Sophomore women will occupy rooms in Huffman or on the first three floors in Stroup. Sophomore men have the same room choices as junior men.

Incoming freshmen will be assigned to Edna Moore and the third floor of Stroup, to Spilman

and Brown. Upperclassmen who will serve as counselors will also be assigned in these areas.

1963 Alumna Dies

Lorena (Holly) Hines, 21, student here during 1961-62-63 died of leukemia Jan. 22 at the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem, where she had been a student nurse.

Survivors include a sister Charlotte, who is a junior business major here, and a her mother, the former Evelyn Morgan, who attended Mars Hill in 1932-34.

33 Graduate at Mid-Term; New Students Total 76

Thirty-three Mars Hill students completed requirements for graduation at the end of first semester. Since the college has only one graduation service each year, it being on May 30, this year, these 33 students will receive their degrees at that time. Also receiving degrees at that time will be the students who completed the requirements for graduation during the 1964 summer session and, of course, those completing the requirements during this second semester of the 1964-1965 session.

Other interesting statistics revealed by the registrar's office show that 76 new students enrolled at the beginning of the second semester, bringing the '64-'65 total to 1401 students. Besides the 33 students who completed the requirements for graduation, there were 105 students who, for various other reasons, did not return second semester.

On academic probation for second semester are 111.

The 33 students who graduated and their degrees are as follows: Richard Barry Ashe, BS; Linda Margaret Ayscue, BA; Joanne Lorraine Bennett, BME; Dianne Sands Haviland, BA; Joyce Ann

Bradley, BA; Cecil William Bruton, Jr., BA; Nelda Owenby Bruton, BS; Michael Evan Burke, BA; Carl Webb Conley, BA; and Patsy Nell Corbin, BA.

Also completing graduation requirements were Betty Jean Crawford, BA; Barron McNeely DuBose, BS; Harold Coy Earley, BA; Olen Max Gibbs, BS; Joseph Ralph Hardwick, BS; Henry Lewis Hill, II, BS; Walter Sherman Hoyle, BS; William Edward Jarvis, BS; Richard Lee Nelson, BA; Boyd Allison Perry, BS; and Janice Carole Plemmons, BS.

Others were Joseph Newton Plemmons, BS; Vernon James Ponder, BA; Joseph Talmadge Prevette, III, BS; Joyce Irene Ray, BS; Iva Glenn Coates Roberts, BA; Judy Ann Robinson, BME; Barbara Jean Sitton, BS; Martha Linda Sligh, BA; Lola Yvonne Thomas, BS; Lynda Gail Whitaker, BA; and Barbara Jean Wilde, BA.

Cheryl Christine Chambers completed requirements for the two-year Associate in Arts diploma.

The registrar's office announced that the dean's list will be released on Feb. 15.

Snow, softly-fallen and fluffy, enfolded the campus Monday, creating such picturesque scenes as this when the street lights came on.

