

HUBBARD CHOSEN MAY QUEEN

Holiday Dinner And Xmas Play Set For Tuesday

Little Theatre Workshop Present Dickens' Play, Christmas Carol

The two literary societies, Pi Delta and Gamma Sigma, have arranged a great treat for the students this year in the way of a Christmas surprise. A Christmas dinner is to be given in the dining room of the college; and following the dinner the Little Theatre is to present the play "Christmas Carol," Charles Dickens' immortal story of Christmas. The dinner and play will take place on Tuesday night, December 19.

Traditional Christmas Dinner

The Christmas dinner has been a tradition at Queens for many years. It has always been a formal affair starting at 6:00 o'clock. This year the day students have been cordially invited to come. The price of the turkey dinner—and it's always a dandy one—will be 30 cents this year instead of 50 cents as it was last year. Tables will be arranged so that the students may sit with their own class.

Little Theatre Play

After the dinner at 8:15 o'clock, the Little Theatre workshop will present—absolutely free—an adaption of Charles Dickens' Christmas Carol. Miss Louisa Duls is the director for the play. Between scenes carols will be sung under the leadership of Billy Senn.

The cast of characters is: Scrooge, Parks McConnell; Bob Cratchet, Jim Moore; Tiny Tim, Kennedy Gammage; Mrs. Cracher, Margaret Long.

Others included in the cast are: Catherine Bra, Hanna Knowlton, John Larsen, Ralph Finlayson, Monroe Landreth, Billy Senn, Jach Johnson, and Charles Dudley.

Supper at Hut Sunday Night

We want to remind the boarding students of the supper that will be given in the Y hut Sunday night. These meetings have been very successful and we are sure you will enjoy the coming one more than any of the others. There will be the usual supper followed by carol singing with the Moravian candle service.

Day Students Hold Monthly Meeting

Council Sponsors Song Writing Contest

The monthly meeting of the Day Student Organization was held last Monday at 4:30 in the Day Student Home. Following the opening prayer by Janet Robinson, Mary Frances Austell, acting secretary, read the minutes.

Two announcements of great importance were made by the president. First, the Day Student Council is sponsoring a contest for a day student song. A prize of one dollar will be given the winner. Second, Christmas dinner on Tuesday evening, December 19, to which day students have always been invited, will cost only thirty cents this year. Following the dinner, the Little Theatre will present, free of course, Dickens' Christmas Carol.

An entertaining program followed the business meeting. Dr. Blair, sponsor of the organization, gave an interesting talk about "New books you want to read." This year has not been a year of one or two good books, she said, but full to overflowing with good books of every type. Of these, she chose three to tell about. The first was Emily Newbery's Journal, a diary of a genuine, natural young girl of the Victorian age, who, besides being interested in the boys, or "snipes," of her day, longed for fame. This book, published exactly as it was found in spite of the "atrocious spelling," became a best seller. The next was Flush, a story of Elizabeth Barret Browning's dog told through the senses of smell and hearing by Virginia Wolff. The last was the book of thirteen lyrics by Sara Teasdale, containing the last poem she wrote before her death last spring.

Dr. Blair also spoke of modern fiction, its return to the romantic novel, as in Anthony Adverse; its return to the soil, as in On the Earth Farm; and the last novels in a series, such as One More River and Master of Julva.

Two musical selections, a violin solo by Sarah Hunsucker and a piano solo by Eileen Bowers.

While refreshments were being served, the Hubbard sisters entertained the group with popular songs.

Dramatic Play Will be Given Monday Night

Jo Dandridge, Director Of A Christmas Play; No Admission Charge

AN EXPERIMENTAL PROJECT

The dramatic department will present a play Monday night, December 18, at 8:15 o'clock in the auditorium of the college. Miss King, head of the department is putting the play on as an experimental project, and no admission will be charged. The play to be given is "A Christmas Nonsense Play."

Josephine Dandridge is the director, Clare Hazel, the co-director, and Marie Burton the stage manager. Those people taking part in the play are: Reid Ramsey, Allen Blowers, Louise Thompson, Alice Cowles Barringer, Betty Manning, Mary Franklin, Martha Means, Dorothy Deal, seven years old and Martha Anne Chapman, five years old, are two town children who will also have parts in the play.

This play is of great interest for the reason that much new material is being used. All the characters participating are from outside of the dramatic department, with the exception of Misses Dandridge, Burton, and Franklin. A large attendance is expected, as the college is very interested in the dramatic department and the productions of Miss King.

Student Government Report

The Student Government reports that almost the entire student body signed the pledge cards. They appreciate this splendid cooperation. There were only about forty students who did not sign these cards.

Out of the 150 boarders 127 have already paid their budget fees; and out of the 190 day students 110 have paid or have signed notes promising to pay at a definite date. The boarders are ahead but not by a large margin. We would like to see the student body go 100% in paying this fee.

Musical Program Presented By Miss Starr

She Was Assisted By Dr. J. R. Ninniss; Carols Sung

One of the big events of the year of interest not only to the people of Charlotte, will take place at 4:00 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, December 17, in our college auditorium. Miss Elizabeth Starr, assisted by Dr. J. R. Ninniss and Katherine Aaron, pianists, and Ruth Martin, vocalist, will present a program of Christmas carols.

A special attraction of the program will be the beautiful arrangement of Gasparini's "Nazarath" for women's voices and two pianos.

The opening number, "Candle Light," will be sung by Margaret Frobaugh, Eva Hill, Dorothy McCreight, and Frances Smith. In the same number Frances Smith will sing a Christmas cradle song. Other solos will be: "Holy Night Fantasy," rendered by Ruth Martin, violinist, and "Star of the East," sung by Martha Frazer.

The ensemble will sing the following: "The First Noel," "Long Ago a Midnight Strain," "Gloria in Excelsis," "Manger and Cross," "Triste Noel," "Sleep Baby Sleep," "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," and "Nazarath."

A large audience is expected, for these programs are always well attended.

The Charlotte Little Theatre is anxious for Queens students to enter one-act plays in its annual contest, said Mrs. M. G. Townend, who is on the committee for making arrangements. A ten dollar prize will be given for the best play.

Each play must be unsigned, the author's name placed in an envelope on which the title of the play will be written. The envelope will not be opened until the judges make this decision.

The plays must be in by March 1st.

See Mrs. Townend or Dr. Stout for further information.

Chooses Sister, Grace Hubbard, Maid of Honor

Voting by Secret Ballot — Campaign Speeches Heard in Chapel

It was announced in Chapel December 14 that as a result of the voting December 13, Mary Steele Hubbard had been elected May Queen. Miss Hubbard has chosen for her maid of honor in the May Court, her sister, Grace Hubbard. Grace is a member of the junior class.

Campaign Speeches

The campaign managers have speeches for their candidates during the chapel period Dec. 13th in the auditorium of the college. The candidates were elected by the voting of the student body. The three persons receiving the most votes for nomination were put up as candidates for May Queen. Those put up were Lois Meacham, Houhgla Lee McCullum, and Mary Steele Hubbard. Campaign managers were Jean Orr, Claudia McChesney, and Ruth Grover respectively. Each campaign manager spoke on the worth, ability, character, etc. of her choice. Jean Orr, campaign manager for Lois Meacham, introduced her subject in an unusual manner—when the candidate's name was announced, two girls dressed as pages marched down the aisles blowing trumpets, thus calling attention to their nominee.

Voting by Secret Ballot

The voting for nominees and finally for the candidates was carried on in the Day Student Building by secret ballot. Members of the General Council were in charge of the voting.

Announcement of May Queen

Mary China Stevenson, president of the general council, announced in chapel December 14, Mary Steele Hubbard as May Queen for the year.

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Sorority Statistics

ACTIVES	
Kappa Delta	88.85
Chi Omega	86.51
Alpha Delta Theta	86.19
Alpha Gamma Delta	85.86
Alpha Delta Pi	83.84
Phi Mu	80.87
PLEDGES	
Kappa Delta	85.01
Alpha Gamma Delta	84.96
Phi Mu	84.86
Alpha Delta Theta	81.96
Chi Omega	81.77
Alpha Delta Pi	80.02