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## Queens-Chicora Opens With Formal Program

### Dr. Frazer Leads Opening For Twenty-Second Year At College

The 1938-39 session of Queens-Chicora College was formally opened on Saturday morning, September 17, with a chapel program at 9:00 o'clock in the college auditorium, with Dr. W. H. Frazer, president of the college in charge.

Singing of "All Hail the power of Jesus' Name" opened the program, after which Dr. Luther Little, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Charlotte, led the opening prayer. Dr. John A. Redhead, pastor of Second Presbyterian Church of Charlotte, read the twenty-eighth chapter of Job as the devotional.

Dr. Frazer introduced the guests and new teachers, including Dr. Little, Dr. Redhead, the Rev. S. J. Hood, pastor of the Philadelphia Church of Mint Hill; the Rev. C. C. Hamilton, pastor of St. Andrew's Church of Charlotte; the Rev. Herbert Spagh, pastor of the Little Church on the Lane of Charlotte; J. L. Choate, J. A. Henderson, and Peter S. Gilchrist, all of Charlotte, members of the board of trustees of the college; Dr. Malcolm Lockhart, assistant to Dr. Frazer; and Dr. J. M. Gettys, Miss Ann Vann, Miss Thelma Edwards, Mrs. T. T. Eason, Mrs. Esther Wright Huffman, Miss Connie Burwell, and Miss Louise Ivey, new teachers and new dietitian.

The Rev. Mr. Spagh extended a welcome to the new girls on behalf of the Charlotte ministers. Dr. Frazer made a short address, asking that the girls co-operate in an effort to make this, his last year as president of the college, the best year.

The Rev. Mr. Hamilton pronounced the benediction.

Enrollment of the year at the college stands at approximately four hundred students.

## Improvements Made Locally

Various improvements and additions have been made at Queens-Chicora College during the summer vacation. Outstanding among these are the telephones in each dormitory, the new mattresses, some new beds, and the painting and polishing of floors in the buildings.

Among the books added to the library, according to Miss Rena Harrell, librarian, are one hundred sixty-four new volumes, almost entirely reference. Titles of some of the more important books included "Youth's Return to Faith" by Cox; "Facing Life's Questions" by Blakely; "Horizons" by Norman Bel Geddes; "Textile Design"; "Guide To Constellations"; "Engravings and Their Value" by Slater and Barbour; and "Careers for Women" by Catherine Filene.

About one thousand dollars have been spent in the library, Miss Harrell said. There are two new "Readers' Guide" for the use of the students. Miss Harrell asked that a welcome to the library be extended to the freshmen, where they are free at all times to acquire knowledge.

## Annual Affair Is Held Here

### Faculty and Officers Greet New And Old Students At Receptions

The annual formal reception of the college was held Friday night, September 16 at 8:30 o'clock. This climaxed four days of entertainment of the new students by the orientation committee and the faculty.

Receiving at that time were Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Frazer, Helen Cumnock, Sally McDowell, Eleanor Jenkins, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Byrd, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Godard, Mrs. Virginia Miller Agnew, Dr. Ethel Abernathy, Mrs. Annie Booker, Dr. Lucile Delano, Miss Alma T. Edwards, Dr. Minnie A. Graham, Dr. M. Dorisse Howe, Miss Oliver Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Kennedy, Dr. Agnes Stout, Miss Thelma Albright, Miss Mary Denny, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McEwen, Miss Sara Nooe, Miss Ida Patrick, Miss Cordelia Henderson, Miss Mary Inglis, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Mullaney, Mrs. Estelle Porter, Miss Rena Harrell, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Gettys, Miss Connie Burwell, Miss Anne Vann, Mrs. T. T. Eason, Miss Thelma Edwards, Miss Ethel King, Miss Grace Robinson, Miss Mary Wharton and Mrs. Ester Wright Huffman.

Mildred Lowrance and Cree Roberts were assisted in serving by members of the boarding students and day students councils, including Sara DuRant, first vice-president; Marguerite Craven, second vice-president; Katherine M. Martin, third vice-president; Marjorie Timms, senior representative; Hannah McNulty, secretary; Elaine Suber, junior representative; Virginia Cochran, sophomore representative, members of boarding student council; and Margaret Duckett, vice-president; Lucille Gwaltney, secretary; Caroline Edwards, treasurer; Dorothy Duckett, junior representative; and Maujer Moseley, sophomore representative, day student council members.

## Editor Picks Annual Staff

The staff of the 1939 Coronet, annual publication of Queens-Chicora college, was announced recently by Sue Mauldin of Charlotte, editor-in-chief. Staff members, with the exception of one, are from Charlotte.

Sara Little will serve as associate editor; Virginia Smith, assistant editor; Margaret Duckett, photographic editor; Agnes Hope Gwaltney, senior editor; Dorothy Alexander, junior editor; Ermine Waddill, sophomore editor; Ellen Waddill and Ann Mauldin, freshmen editors; Ruth Hoggard, snapshot editor; Betty Gardner, Mildred Thomas, and Mary Payne, assistant snapshot editors; and Annie Mae Brown, sorority editor. Peggy Williams of Sarasota, Florida, will be organization editor.

Ruth Knee of Charlotte, business manager, has not yet announced her staff.

## Dean's List Is Selected

### Dr. Godard Announces Girls With High Scholarship For Semester

Dean's list for the first semester of Queens-Chicora College was announced recently by Dr. J. M. Godard, dean of instruction. Girls acquiring this honor through high scholastic average will have unlimited cuts during the year, provided their grades do not change.

Those making up the list are Olive Crosswell of Asheville, Mary Griffin of Charlotte, Agnes Hope Gwaltney of Charlotte, Helen Hatcher of Winchester, Va., Eleanor Jenkins of Charlotte, Sara Little of Charlotte, Sue Mauldin of Charlotte, Eleanor Alexander of Knoxville, seniors; Margaret Flowe of Derita, Callie McElroy of Charlotte, Elizabeth Green of Charlotte, Lucille Gwaltney of Charlotte, Alice Longnecker of Belgian Congo, Eleanor Guyton of Kosciusko, Miss., juniors; and Jean Neu of Charlotte, Elizabeth Walters of Waynesboro, Georgia, Maujer Moseley of Charlotte, and Caroline Edwards of Charlotte, sophomores.

## Picnic Given For Freshmen

On Wednesday afternoon, September 14, the freshmen were entertained at a picnic in Eastover by members of the Student Christian Association Cabinet. A treasure hunt and other games were enjoyed.

After supper was served, the group joined in singing school songs and other group songs. A contest was held to determine the member of the freshman class who is the most talented. Nancy Walker, who sang, was voted the best.

Members of the Cabinet, who were in charge of the picnic, are: Mildred Lowrance, president; Agnes Hope Gwaltney, day student vice-president; Olive Crosswell, boarding student vice-president; Sara DuRant, secretary; Helen Hatcher, treasurer; Frances Reins, hostess of the hut; Mildred Sneeden, boarding student representative; Virginia Smith, day student representative, Lucille Gwaltney, social service chairman; Katherine M. Martin, church work chairman; Eleanor Alexander, music chairman; Enid Waggett and Dorothy Carson, music committee; Sue Mauldin and Jean Ferguson, publicity; Dorothy Longnecker, sophomore representative; Ann Fuller, junior representative; Anneal Triplette, senior representative; and Alene Ward, program committee.

The food committee was composed of Sally McDowell, Hannah McNulty, Katherine M. Martin, and Agnes Hope Gwaltney.

An impressive candlelight service was held on the college campus on Sunday, September 18, at 6 o'clock, by members of the Student Christian Association cabinet.

The theme of the service was "Christ—Everything, Everywhere," which is the theme for the year. Each member of the student body was asked to dedicate one or more of her talents to Christ for His work during the year. The co-operation of the students with S. C. A. was urged.

## Freshmen Arrive Here For 1938-39 Session

### Six Chapters Give Dinner

#### Sororities Entertain Here At Progressive Party For Newcomers

The six national sorority chapters on the Queens-Chicora campus entertained on Saturday afternoon, September 17, in honor of the new students, at a progressive dinner party.

Guests met in the auditorium to be divided into groups of thirty. They were taken from one sorority house to the next in line, to eat at the last house to which they came. The same menu was served at each of the houses.

Those receiving were Frances Marion O'Hair of Rock Hill, Marjorie Timms of Winnsboro, Catherine King of Lumberton, and Sally McDowell of Pacolet for Beta Iota chapter of Alpha Delta Pi; Mary Griffin of Charlotte, Agnes Hope Gwaltney of Charlotte, Sara DuRant of Newton, Iowa, and Frances Ehrhardt of Pinehurst, at the Psi chapter house of Alpha Delta Theta; Virginia Duncan of Glen Rock, N. J., and Eleanor Guyton of Kosciusko, Miss., for Gamma Gamma chapter of Alpha Gamma Delta; Eleanor Alexander of Knoxville, Adele Sutherland of Charlotte, Ruth Knee of Charlotte, Nancy Hovis of Charlotte, and Helen Cumnock of Davidson, for Theta Gamma chapter of Chi Omega; Helen Hatcher of Winchester, Virginia, Ermine Waddill, of Charlotte, Anne Pease of Charlotte, and Georgie Hunt of Charlotte, for Alpha Omicron chapter of Kappa Delta; Alene Ward of Tryon, Dorothy Alexander of Charlotte, Lib Imbody of Charlotte, and Lib Harms of Charlotte, for Gamma Gamma chapter of Phi Mu.

The dinner party was a part of orientation, and no rushing was allowed.

## Year's Vespers Are Outlined

The outline for the programs of the Sunday evening vespers for this year is a very interesting one. The programs are to follow the general theme "Christ—Everything, Everywhere." The special topic is John 14:6—"I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life and no man cometh unto the Father but by Me."

Programs before Christmas will be based on the subject "I am the Way"—the Way of Surrender, the Way of Prayer, the Way of Service, the Way of Peace, and others.

The program committee believes that these programs will prove of real practical value to every member of the student body and it is hoped by them that everyone will attend them. Many interesting speakers are being secured. The co-operation of each person is urged in taking part on those programs which are under the charge of students.

### Orientation Takes First Week Of New Student's Life At Queens

Freshmen arrived at the college Tuesday, September 13, and began orientation activities planned for them that night. Helen Cumnock, president of the student body, had charge of greeting the girls as they arrived in Burwell Hall.

Members of the committee received the new students and introduced them to Mrs. Virginia Miller Agnew, dean of women. Mrs. Agnew assigned rooms and the committee members took the girls to them. Dr. W. H. Frazer, president of the college, registered the new students. A picture show party was given Tuesday night at the Broadway theater and all the girls went to town in taxis.

Wednesday morning, freshmen were given tests for placement in the proper classes. Dr. Ethel Abernathy gave the tests in the auditorium. Handbook tests were given by members of the orientation committee after the placement tests. Students entering the college from other institutions on advanced standing were registered during the morning. Modern language tests were given at 2:30 o'clock. At 5:30 o'clock, the Student Christian Association entertained them at a picnic in Eastover. Mildred Lowrance, president, was assisted by other members of the association.

Thursday morning, Dean Godard explained the curriculum to them and they were classified. Dr. Samuel Byrd, registrar, was in charge of classification. A tea was given in the afternoon for the girls by the Day Student and Boarding Student Councils. The Athletic Association with Cree Roberts as president, gave a swimming party Thursday evening at the Y. W. C. A. Miss Cordelia Henderson chaperoned the party.

Upperclass day students and boarders were classified and registered during the day Friday. Day students were classified during the morning and boarders during the afternoon. Friday evening the annual formal reception was held in Burwell Hall. Members of the faculty received along with members of the executive council of the student body.

Saturday morning the official opening services were held in the auditorium by Dr. Frazer. At that time he introduced local pastors to the students. He also presented members of the faculty to the audience. Saturday evening a progressive dinner party was given by the six sororities as a climax to all orientation activities.

Members of the orientation committee were: Helen Cumnock, Sally McDowell, Eleanor Jenkins, Mildred Lowrance, Cree Roberts, Hannah McNulty, Elaine Suber, Marjorie Timms, Marguerite Craven, Katherine M. Martin, Sara DuRant, Anne Fuller, Virginia Duncan, Georgia Hurt, Ruth Knee, Sue Mauldin, Agnes Hope Gwaltney, Frances Marion O'Hair, Mildred Sneeden, Maujer Moseley, Mary Payne, Marie Roseman, and Ermine Waddill.