

# King Authur's Court Gains Junior Victory

Yea, Juniors—give 'em a hand! And do they deserve it. Dot Funderburk, Junior stunt night chairman, Winnie Shealy, gallery chairman and the Junior gallery turned out a very clever skit on the search for a bride for King Arthur, who was portrayed by Flora McDonald. The Knights were: Nancy Gaston, Billie Harmon, Ann Golden, Ruth Edmiston, Jane Montgomery, Cookie Scoggins, and Mary Marshall Jones. Lib Isaacs played the part of Merlin, Ann Mauldin, the bugler, Tena Grainge, Johnson C. Smith, Doris Raley, the Queen, and Mary Lou Wright, St. Mary. The gallery was dressed like troubadours and ladies of the Middle Age and rode broom-stick horses into the auditorium.

The dignified Senior skit, with Lib Brammer as stunt chairman and Mary Payne as gallery chairman, copped second prize. The skit was neatly done as an alumnae meeting in 1971. Those at the alumnae table were: Tera Baily, Jennie Lynn Wright, Julia Edwards, Caroline Edwards, Sara Thompson, Jean Ferguson, Anne Harris, Mimi Bradham, Frances Brockington, Maud McClam, and Mary Mason.

Sara Alexander as Diana in the sophomore skit was the hit of the evening. Ann Wiley was stunt night chairman and Sue Crenshaw was gallery chairman. The gallery was dressed like Dianans with bows and arrows complete.

Freshmen skit was directed by Idrienne Levy and Margaret Powell, gallery chairman. Freshmen deserve especial mention for their smoothness of production and attention to details.

Judges were Miss Mary Louise Green, Miss Matoka Torence and N. G. Sims.

# Queens Girls Lead Christmas Pageant

## Holiday Season Opens With Parade

The business section of Charlotte glowed with a profusion of colored lights Thursday night at 6 o'clock as the gala Charlotte Christmas Parade officially opened the Christmas shopping season.

Miss Cornelia Truesdale of Kershaw, S. C., was selected by a majority vote of the students of Queens College to reign as queen over the parade.

The Queen and her court, made up of the ten girls receiving the next highest vote, rode on a special float in the spectacular parade.

Attending the Queen were: Jean Ferguson of Chicago, Ollie Meadows of New Bern, Lucille Blackburn of Charlotte, Mildred Taylor of Charlotte, Elizabeth Brammer of Christiansburg, Virginia, Doris Raley of Ruby, S. C., Mary Heilig McDow of Asheville, Marie Pons of Valdese, Alice Clark of Clarkton and Ann Wiley of Charlotte.

More than 300 persons participated in the parade which featured men and women dressed in the costumes of other nations, balloon characters, commercial floats, and the music of many bands.

The parade started on South Tryon Street at 6 o'clock and continued on Tryon to Seventh for one block; it proceeded on College Street to Trade Street where it turned right and continued to the post office.

R. L. Chapman was general chairman of the parade. W. W. Kale and a committee including Herbert C. Alexander and Mrs. H. C. Dwelle reviewed the parade from a stand on the steps of the Y. M. C. A. and judged the commercial floats.

# Home Economics Delegates Attend State Convention

The State Home Economics club met Friday and Saturday, November 22 and 23, at Eastern Carolina Teachers College in Greenville, North Carolina. Sue McNulty, Drucilla Ballentine, Maud McClam, and Margaret Kornegay attended as representatives from Queens.

These girls were elected to go at a called meeting of the Home Economics club, November 13. At the meeting, too, a report of the fashion show was given, and the following

## Things To Come

Thursday, November 28th  
Thanksgiving holiday.

Friday, November 29th  
Talk by Mr. Mitchell in College Parlors.

December 3rd, 5th, 6th  
Presentation of "Cradle Song" by Queens Players and Little Theater in College Auditorium.

# English And Chinese To Receive S.C.A. Scholarships

The Student Christian Association presented last Friday, November 22, their project for giving this year. The cabinet decided that this year, because of the equal need and interest, they would choose a double project, namely: giving a scholarship to an English refugee girl to come to Queens College; and sending money to Mr. Hamilton, a missionary in China, to use in the refugee work there, as he sees it is needed.

Of the money contributed \$150 will be used for the scholarship, the balance will be supplied by the administration. Everything collected over and above this amount will be given to the Chinese.

The S. C. A. project was presented in Chapel last Friday morning by members of the Cabinet. Dorothy Longenecker, president of the asso-

## College Entertains

# Day Students and Others Guests At Formal Dinner

Formal dinner was held Friday, November 22. The following guests attended. Dr. and Mrs. Frazier Hood of Davidson; Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Harding and Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Ownby, of Charlotte. Day students included on the guest list were: Margaret Aldred, Norma Anderson, Kathleen Massie, Marie Leonard, Betty Mae Potts, Marguerite Mason, Jane Grey, Anne Mauldin, Helen Duncan, Johnnie Lee Huneycutt, Norma Humphries, Ruth Kilgo, Mary Elva Smith, and Jeanne Love.

Marguerite Gillespie, Louisa McLean, Leakie Wyatt, Betty Ross Delling, Margaret Powell, Dot Herron, Lucille Wayland, Kitty Beckett of the freshman class, acted as hostesses.

Interesting programs are being prepared for the monthly meeting which Home Economics students are urged to attend.

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# Dramatic Group Will Present "Cradle Song"

## Humble King Will Direct

Co-directed by Miss Ethel King and Thomas Humble, the Queens Players, in co-operation with the Charlotte Little Theater, will present the widely acclaimed "Cradle Song" on December 3rd, 4th, and 5th in the college auditorium.

The play, which was written by Martinez Sierra, has received favorable critical comment everywhere it has been produced. It is considered by some authorities the most outstanding play in the last twenty-five years in America.

The plot develops in two acts around life in a convent. It is the romantic story of a foundling girl who is reared by the nuns.

Queens girls taking part in the performance are as follows: Jennie Linn Wright of Landis; Anne Harris of Brunswick, Georgia; Frances Trulock of Climax, Georgia; Margaret Powell of Chester, S. C.; Mary Katherine Martin of Richburg, S. C.; Josephine Johnston of Goldston; Frances Prater of Townville, S. C.; and Katherine Langerhans, Martha Irwin, Rebecca Wiley, Cecil Sypher, Dorothy Failor, Peggy Sadler, and Margaret Porter, all of Charlotte.



Miss Ethel King, right, and Thomas Humble, left, are co-directors for the production of the widely-acclaimed play, "Cradle Song," which will be presented by the Queens Players and Little Theater, December 3, 5 and 6.

# Symphony Orchestra Gives First Concert

## Freshman Leads School With Five Superior Grades

Mildred Pearson, who is a student in the real sense of the word, was born July 28, 1923, in Decatur, Georgia. But although Georgia was her birthplace, she has lived in Florida most of her life and claims it as her home state.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson started their daughter to school at the customary age of six. When her first report card was sent home, Mildred's parents knew that their little girl had started up the ladder of success. She continued upward until she reached a milestone in her progress, graduation with honors from Landow High School in Jacksonville, Florida.

On September 10, 1940 Queens College welcomed her as a freshman. Here she continued her journey upward and at the first report period was awarded with five distinctions.

At present she is taking a straight A.B. course, preparing to teach.

## Chapel Guest Talks On A.B.S.

Dr. I. A. McIlroy was guest speaker in chapel on Tuesday, November 19th. Dr. McIlroy, speaking on behalf of the American Bible Society, explained the great work which the Bible societies of this and other countries have carried on. He pointed out that through the combined efforts of these organizations various parts of the Bible have been printed in more than a thousand languages and dialects. He then explained that the European societies have been smothered by the war.

Dr. McIlroy concluded his message with the fact that the American Bible Society is the only group now for the distribution of the Bible, and that its task and ours is to supply the world with the Gospel.

The Queens-Davidson Symphony Orchestra presented its first concert on the Queens campus this year in the college auditorium, on Friday, November 22.

The orchestra, which is the largest college symphony in the state, played to an unusually large and receptive audience. The personnel of the orchestra is comprised of sixty advanced students in the music departments of Queens and Davidson.

The following program was presented by the orchestra, under the direction of Professor James Christian Pfohl, head of the Queens-Davidson co-ordinate music department:

Overture to "Oberon," Weber; Beethoven's First Symphony; "Carmen" suite, Bizet; "Bolero," Ravel.

The next appearance of the orchestra will be when it joins the Central High School Symphony Orchestra in the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" on December 18.

## Godard Speaks To Ministers' Meeting

Dr. J. M. Godard, Dean of Instruction, addressed the Charlotte-Mecklenburg Ministerial Association at a luncheon meeting on November 18th at Efirid's Department Store.

Dr. Godard spoke on the topic, "The Psychology of Personal Counsel." He stated that the pastor needs to know the motives behind personal behavior, and how to apply forces of religion to human problems.

Dr. Godard was introduced by Dr. John A. Redhead, Jr., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Bill Mitchell of the *Observer Printing House* will talk informally on "Commercial Advertising" in the college parlors on Friday evening, November 29 at 7:30. All students interested in any phase of advertising are cordially invited.