

May Day Theme To Be Origin Of Flag

Social Series Swamps Serious Seniors

Banquet Will Climax Week Of Festivities

The schedule of plans for the annual series of events known as Senior Week has been announced. This year the week of April 27 through May 2 has been set aside for the special activities of the Senior Class.

The faculty will entertain the seniors at a grill supper on Monday night, April 27 at the new outdoor oven on the back campus.

Tuesday night there is to be a formal dinner in the dining hall with all seniors sitting at a special table. Following this there will be an after-dinner coffee in Burwell Hall.

On Wednesday the seniors march out of chapel, as is traditional, and go to Rozzelle's Ferry for the day. There they will discuss their plans and ideals. All seniors are excused from classes on Wednesday.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Al Brown, whose daughter is one of the class mascots, will entertain the seniors at a tea at her home on Lawyers Road.

There will be a luncheon at the Blakely home on Friday, and the week will be climaxed by the annual Junior-Senior banquet at the Hotel Charlotte Saturday night.

Soph Victory Proclaimed In Paper Battle

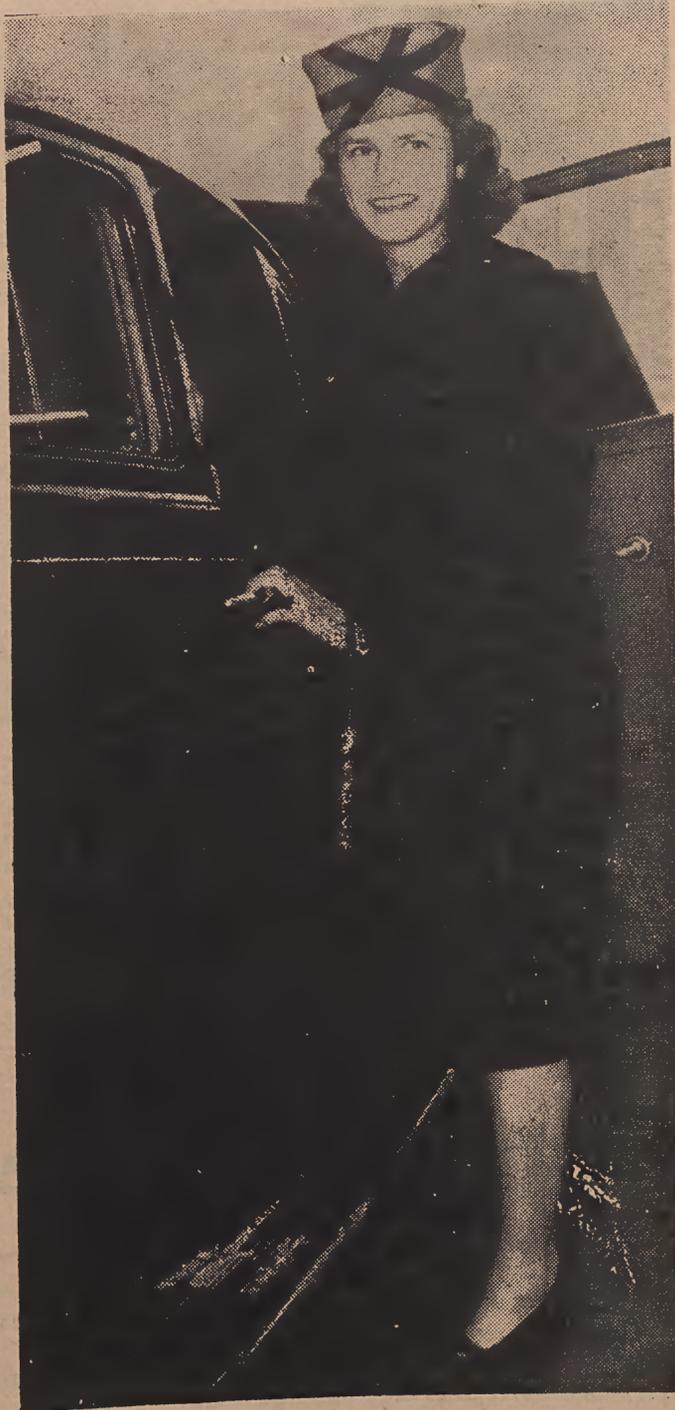
The battle of the freshman edition versus the sophomore edition has come to close—without bloodshed. The scores have just recently been tabulated and the winner acclaimed. This honor goes to the sophomore class for its edition of February 6.

The Editor-in-Chief was Idrienne Levy. Her staff included Elnora Honeycutt, Lucille Wayland, Lib Lael, Margaret Powell, Nancy Isenhour, Franz Rummell, Mildred Pearson, Adelaide Henry, Nancy Baker, Mary Sue Barnette, and Judy Scholl, editorial staff; Dot Harms, business manager; Norma Anderson, advertising manager; Helen Vogel, circulation manager; Marjorie Imbody, collection manager. Theme of the sophomore issue was National Defense.

The freshman paper was printed March 2. The staff, headed by Elsa Turner, editor, included Betsy Hodges and Pat Stagle, associate editors; Bettye Welche, Hilda Brewer, Dot Mauldin, Polly Foglesong, Betty Howard, Louise Leitszy, Marjorie Rogers, and Patsy Scoggin, reporters; Frances Bryan and Dottie Sappenfield, business managers; Ruth King, Betty Kenyon, Marie Sitton, and Jane Boovy, business staff.

Miss Laura Tillett is faculty adviser of the Blues. Adviser for the freshman edition was Miss Evelyn Baty.

The judges were Miss Thelma Albright, dean of students and instructor of English; Miss Mary Denny, instructor of English; Mr. Melvin Watson, acting head of the English Department; and Mr. Tom Jones, director of public relations for Queens College.



Margaret Bourke-White

Noted Woman Photographer Describes Varied Experiences

Margaret Bourke-White Talks On Journey In Soviet Russia

By Idrienne Levy

The smiling lady stepping into the car above, stepped just as easily into the heart of her audience Wednesday night at Piedmont Auditorium when she told thrilling stories of her adventures in Russia. She is the famous woman photographer, Margaret Bourke-White, who with her equally famous husband, Erskine Caldwell, toured the Soviet.

Miss Bourke-White's talk covered her journey into Russia through China where she photographed Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek. She described the unrest in Russia until the outbreak of the German war when every person questioned the position of Great Britain and the United States in the conflict. Miss Bourke-White's vivid description of Moscow under the great blitzkriegs were al-

most as realistic as the pictures she showed of the bombings at night.

Her impressive audience with the great dictator Stalin was so well described that the audience felt as if it too had gone with her down the long corridor to the impressive office of Russia's Big Little man.

Miss White's talk was punctuated with humorous remarks about the Russians' affection for Ambassador "Garry Gopkins"—the letter "H" being almost impossible to pronounce in Russia — and their intense hatred for "Gitler," the arch-fiend.

Margaret Bourke-White was dressed in an attractive black striped taffeta dress, and she delivered her lecture with a simplicity that charmed her audience. Her most recent work, "Shooting the Russian War," will be published this month.

Fantasy Is Based On Tradition Of Ross Rather Than On Facts

On May 8th Queens will crown Doris Raley as Queen of May. She will have as attendants her maid of honor, Mary Catherine Martin and 24 maids of the court. Sally McGregor will be flower girl. Entrance of Queen Doris will be preceded by a guard of honor who will give a drill.

Girls of the guard are Alberta Ballenger, Billie Harmon, Dot Link, Jean Rourk, Margaret Thompson, Harriet McDowell, Margie Imbody, Frances Pierce, Ann Carr Brown, Dot Funderburk, Marguerite Gillespie, and Betty Burgess.

S. C. A. Cabinet To Retreat On Week-End

The Spring Retreat of S. C. A. Cabinet will be held on the college campus in the "Hut" this week-end for both old and new officers. Miss Mary Louise Woodson, director of young people's work in the Synod of North Carolina, will lead a discussion group Saturday afternoon for members of the cabinet.

Dr. W. A. Alexander, minister at the First Presbyterian Church here in Charlotte, will talk to the group Saturday night. Sunday morning the Cabinet will meet during the Sunday School hour to make definite plans for the coming year. The group will go in a body to the Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian Church here on the campus where Dr. Gettys will preach. The Vesper program Sunday evening will climax the retreat. At this time, the traditional candle-light service will take place, and officers for the new year will be installed.

The theme of the program is in the nature of a fantasy representing the birth of the flag of the United States. Adelaide Henry portrays the role of Betsy Ross and Marion Miller, that of George Washington. Twelve girls together with Betsy Ross represent the 13 original states, and they dance a minuet. There will be a pickaninny reel and a red, white, and blue maypole dance. The three colors of the flag will be represented in three ballet dances: the white being represented by Dot Swearer, Rosemary Vincent, Mabel Beach, Dora Lybrand; the blue by Mary Moore; and the red by Margaret Davis. The whole fantasy is based on the tradition of the flag of Betsy Ross rather than facts.

May Day is under the direction of the Physical Education Association, headed by Miss Cordelia Henderson. Student chairman is Winnie Shealy, who is assisted by Dorothy Funderburk. The fantasy was arranged by the student members and Miss Henderson. The dances, which are original, are arranged by the students of the physical education classes.

Dr. John A. Redhead Delivers Address To New Honor Council

Installation services were held in the auditorium Wednesday morning for the new members of Honor Council. Dr. Samuel C. Byrd, introduced by Dr. Blakely, gave the invocation. Dr. John A. Redhead, Jr., pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, delivered the address.

Mary Marshall Jones, former president of the student body, welcomed

the new council members. Mary Martha Nixon, incoming president, gave the response. During the investiture service, old council members placed their robes on the new members.

Dr. Blakely made a charge to the student body, and the college Alma Mater was sung in response. Dr. J. M. Gettys gave the benediction.

Spring Election Results Fill Major Campus Council Offices

Results of the annual Spring elections are coming in from various points on the campus and most of the offices are now filled.

Mary Martha Nixon was elected to the Presidency of the Student Government, and will serve in that capacity for the coming year. Other members of her Council are: Sarah Holleman, Boarding Student President; Terry Mosteller, Day Student President; Jane Grey, Student Christian Association President; and Louise Blue, Athletic Association President.

Elections have been held for many of the council members. The Boarding Student Council will be: Louise Brumley, First Vice-President; Margaret Rowland, Second Vice-President; Mary Catherine Burleson, Third Vice-President; Mabel Beach, Secretary;

Edna Adams, Treasurer; Kathleen Hardee, Senior Representative; Kitty Ellmore, Junior Representative, Elsa Turner, Sophomore Representative.

The Day Student Council is as follows: Mary Jane Hart, Vice-President; Marjorie Imbody, Secretary and Frances Bryan, Treasurer.

The Student Christian Association Council is: Nancy Houston, Boarding Student Vice-President; Marguerite Mason, Day Student Vice-President; Ann Hatcher, Secretary; Lenore McCall, Treasurer; Julia Keys, Boarding Student Representative; and Eleanor Lazenby, Day Student Representative. The S. C. A. Fellowship Group consists of Lucille Wayland, President; Annelle McCall, Vice-President; and LaRue Allison, Secretary-Treasurer.