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Queens May Court Is Chosen

MAY COURT ATTENDANTS AT QUEENS COLLEGE



SELECTED.—Attendants to Queens College May Queen Ann Abernethy of Lincolnton and Maid of Honor Mabel Ruth Munday of Denver, N. C., are pictured above. They are, front row, left to right, Clara May Barnes of Charlotte, Peggy Barrentine of Charlotte, Marilyn Biggers of Charlotte, Joan Birge of Gastonia, Caroline Bishop of Scarbro, W. Va., Grace Marie Childs of Charlotte; second row, left to right, Eulalie Draughn of Mobile, Ala., Katherine Ebert of Charlotte, Jacqueline English of Spruce Pine, Joy Godfrey of Clinton, S. C., Betty Gore of Decatur, Ga., Virginia Gray of Clinton, S. C.;

third row, left to right, Dorothy Hamrick of Davidson, Eleanor Huske of Reidsville, Sara Claire Litte of Jacksonville, Fla., Betty Norris of Macon, Ga., Ruth Porter of Charlotte, and Frances Scarratt of Atlanta, Ga., Ruth French Smith of McBee, S. C., and Marilyn Sailors of Charlotte; back row, left to right, Rachel Spangler of Shelby, Laura Stroupe of Mount Holly, and Patricia Watson of Charlotte. Not present when the picture was made was Dorothy Thomas of Kingstree, S. C. (Observer Staff photo—Houston.)

24 Girls Are Elected

Twenty-four Queens were elected to May Court during chapel period on November the 12th.

A committee of representatives from each class nominated thirty six very attractive girls to compete in the election. The student body voted upon this group as each girl, clad in a lovely evening gown, glided across the stage to skillful, soft music provided by Jeanne Walker.

The Sophomore class led in the number of girls elected. Those Queens who were chosen are as follows:

Freshmen: Jo an Birge, Corolyn Bishop, Lee Draughn, Betty Gore, Sarah C. Little.

Sophomores: Clara Barnes, Peggy Barrentine, Marilyn Biggers, Grace M. Childs, Dot Hamrick, Betty norris, Ruth Porter, Rachel Spangler, Dot Thomas.

Juniors: Kate Ebert, Jackie English, Joy Godfrey, Virginia, Gray, Pat Watson.

Seniors: Eleanor Huske, Marilyn Sailors, Frances Scarratt, Ruth Smith, Laura Stroupe.

The May Day Committee of the Recreation Association has not yet decided upon the theme to be presented in May Court.

Barron Announces Quill

The fall issue of the Quill will be out on December 5, Goldie Barron has announced. This issue has been well planned and will include several new features. The cover design is quite different and the contents include stories, poems and editorials that will be good reading for each of us. Sara Dell Adams has served as art editor and illustrated each section with appropriate sketches.

The Quill is a publication that in the past has brought favorable recognition to Queens and we are sure that this issue will rank among the best.

Calendar Of Events

November 27th — Thanksgiving Day Holiday. Wake Forest vs. University of South Carolina. Open House following the game sponsored by Pan-Hellenic Council.

November 29th—Kappa Delta Sorority Party.

November 30th—The Messiah at the First Methodist Church.

December 1st—The Messiah at Davidson.

December 5th—Cello recital by Miss Williams.

December 6th — Shrine Bowl Game. Christmas Formal.

December 9th—Recital by Mrs. Mosley's music students.

December 12th—Home Economics Club annual Christmas party for the children of Alexander Home. Phi Mu Alumnae Party.

December 13th—Sorority Christmas Parties.

December 14th — Christmas Vespers.

December 15th—Chapel for everyone. White Gift Service sponsored by SCA and by the Sororities.

December 18th—Christmas Holidays begin.

January 5th—Students return to campus by 11:00 P.M.

January 6th—Classes begin at 9:00 A.M. No Chapel.

The "Messiah" To Be Presented

On Sunday, November 30th, at four o'clock George Handel's famous oratorio, The Messiah, will be presented at the First Methodist Church by a mixed chorus of Davidson and Queens students accompanied by the Davidson-Queens Little Symphony, all under the direction of James Christian Pfohl. Guests soloists this year will be Majorie M. Porter, soprano, who has been soloist at Riverside, New York, for eight years; Beatrice Donley, contralto, who is a teacher of voice at Meredith College; William Sutherland, tenor, who is a senior at Davidson College; and Earl F. Berg, baritone, who is a member of the music faculty of Davidson College.

The manuscript score of "Messiah" now in the Royal Library of Music at Buckingham Palace is said to have been composed and completed within twenty-four days, begun August 22, 1771, and completed Sept. 14, 1771. Although the oratorio was written in England, its first performance was in Ireland, given for a relief of prisoners and for raising funds for a hospital and infirmary. The performance was such a success that a repeat performance was given the following week. This time the ladies came without their hoops and gentlemen laid aside their swords.

Freshman Class Holds Election

The freshman class held its election of class officers Monday, November 17. Those elected were: president, Sara Claire Little; vice-president, Marion Christopher; secretary treasurer, Deanie Berryhill.

Miss Williams To Play

On Friday, December 5th., at 8:15 P.M. the Queens College Department of Music will present Miss Charlotte Williams, cellist, in the first of the series of faculty recitals. Miss Williams will be accompanied by Mr. John A. Holliday at the piano.

The program will consist of the following numbers:

Adagio (From Divertimento) by Haydn-Piatigorsky; Sonata, Op. 5, No. 2 by Beethoven; Elegie By Faure; Suite Populaire Espanale

The recital will be given at the Ninnis Auditorium.

Dance Plans Announced

The time is coming when everyone will don their gayest evening frocks to attend the Snow Carnival to be presented by the Social Committee on Dec. 6. The committee has been working hard to make this dance one of the most outstanding affairs on Queens Campus.

Morrison Hall will be decorated in an atmosphere of white which will usher in a gala winter season. Billy Knauff is going to provide us with music throughout the evening for the 14 program dances.

During the evening a figure will be presented. The five presidents of the main organizations and the nine members of the social committee will take part. There will also be a 30 minute intermission when refreshments will be served.

Monday Nov. 24-25 the unique programs and invitations were issued to the student body in the Y store from 8:30 to 1:00.

Surprise souvenirs will be presented to everyone upon leaving. This Christmas dance is coming to be an annual affair at Queens and is one that the students look forward to with great anticipation. From all appearances at the present time this dance promises to be a thrilling and remembered event.

Sociology Students Form Club

"Social Engineers" is the appropriate name of the organized membership of the departments of economics and sociology, which is now applying for a "charter" for official recognition. The motto is "A Design for Service" and the objectives tentatively adopted are: (1) to coordinate the work of the department and the community agencies, (2) to develop an insight into community needs, (3) to implement fact-finding on a scientific basis, (4) to cooperate in community projects pertaining to the work and interest of social engineers, (5) to initiate and conduct surveys of social problems in the community, (6) to encourage political action in behalf of needed social legislation, (7) to train for active community leadership, (8) to promote social action among youth groups in churches, (9) to sponsor a community program of family life education, (10) to demonstrate Christian citizenship.

To implement such aims five commissions are already in operation. The function of the Commission on Social Service is to study the social problems of the community (or communities); to locate areas of service for the students in

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