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*The Blues* is the college newspaper of Queens College, Charlotte, North Carolina, and as such is one of the three major publications of the institution . . . the other two being *The Quill*, the literary magazine, and *The Coronet*, the college annual.

Queens College is an accredited senior liberal arts college for women located in the largest city of the Carolinas. It confers Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science degrees.

Queens is a member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The college holds membership in the Association of American Colleges, Southern Association of Colleges for Women, Presbyterian Education Association of the South, and the North Carolina College Conference.

## INTRODUCING THE NEW . . .

Mr. McAlister Carson, chairman of the Queens College Board of Trustees, was appointed acting president of the college last June, following the resignation of Dr. Hunter B. Blakely. Mr. Carson has been closely associated with the college for many years, and in his present position, he is rendering a great service to Queens College.

Dr. Robert F. Boyd, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Charlotte, has joined the faculty on a part time basis as assistant professor of classics. He has degrees from the College of Charleston, Charleston, S. C., Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Ga., and Union Theological Seminary, New York City, where he received his doctorate in theology.

Miss Grace Marie Childs, a 1950 Queens graduate with a major in psychology, is now secretary in the Public Relations Office and aids in the alumnae work.

In the Division of Fine Arts, Miss Nancy Eagle, of Salisbury, N. C., is instructor in music teaching courses, in music education and theory, and in children's piano. Miss Eagle is a graduate of Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, and she also has her master's degree from the University of North Carolina.

Miss Lee Holcombe, Spartanburg, S. C., has joined the faculty during the absence of Miss Jessie Sue Bynum. Miss Holcombe is instructor in history, having received her B.A. degree from Mt. Holyoke College and her M.A. from Columbia University. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and she is especially interested in dramatics.

Another Queens graduate who has joined our staff is Miss Emily Kimrey, '49, who is secretary to the Dean of Students. She taught in Shaw, Miss., last year.

Miss Anne H. Martin, Easley, S. C., is assistant to the dean and also instructor in English. She received her A.B. and M.A. degrees from the University of North Carolina and before coming to Queens, she held a position at Delta State Teachers College, Cleveland, Miss. Miss Martin is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of Sigma Alpha Iota, music fraternity.

The newly appointed violin instructor in the Division of Fine Arts is E. Lindsey Merrill. He was graduated from Yale University with a master's degree in music in 1949, after having served three years in the army. Mr. Merrill was a member of the Louisville Philharmonic Orchestra and of the New Haven Symphony Orchestra. While on Okinawa in 1946, he was violinist and concert master of the USO shows.

In the Division of Science, Dr. Andrew Lee Pickens is associate professor of biology. He is a graduate of Furman University, Greenville, S. C., and did his graduate work at the University of Virginia and the University of California. Dr. Pickens is a member of Pi Gamma Mu and an associate member of Sigma Mu. He has written numerous articles and books on natural and human history.

Miss Eloise Rankin, former supervisor of the Mecklenburg County Schools, is the new associate professor of elementary education. She is a graduate of Queens College, and she received her master's degree from Columbia University. Having supervised many Queens graduates as teachers in Mecklenburg County, Miss Rankin is now training undergraduates for vocations as teachers.

Miss Caroline Richardson,

Orangeburg, S. C., is a member of the Division of Language and Literature as assistant professor of French. She received her B.A. degree from Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C., and an M.A. degree from the University of South Carolina. Miss Richardson is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. She spent a year in France as an exchange teacher in Lycee de Jeunes Filles, Toulouse, and she came to Queens from the Orangeburg High School.

Harley A. Scott, Jr., assistant professor of psychology in charge of the Testing Bureau, is a graduate of Duke University and an associate member of the American Psychological Association. Mr. Scott was employed for several years as clinical psychologist for the Veterans Administration Mental Hygiene Clinic, Durham, N. C.

The department of business administration has two new members, Miss Ellen Skinner, Mt. Gilead, N. C., instructor in secretarial administration, and Carl C. Storey, assistant professor of accounting. Miss Skinner is a graduate of Meredith College, Raleigh, N. C., and she received her master's degree from the University of Tennessee. She came to Queens from Virginia Intermont College, Bristol, Va., where she was a faculty member.

Mr. Storey received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Arkansas,

where he also served there as an instructor. He has operated his own accounting business and served three years in the army, part of the time as teacher of accounting in the First Infantry Division School, Gugenhausen, Germany.

Dr. John Walton is professor of education, chairman of the Division of Professional Subjects, and director of the Adult Education Program. He received his bachelor's degree from Transylvania College, Lexington, Ky., and his master's degree from the University of Kentucky. In 1950 he was awarded the Ph.D. degree from Johns Hopkins University. Dr. Walton has served as Latin teacher, principal, and superintendent in high schools in Ohio and as instructor in English at Loyola College, Baltimore, Md. He is the author of numerous professional articles and was a special agent in the Counter Intelligence Corps of the Army from 1942 to 1946.

## QUILL . . .

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of concern to each Queens student, short stories, sketches, and poems. *The Quill* is representative of the best of your creative ability in written expression. Do you think it could be better? Why don't you see what you can do?

Notes of appreciation for the hospitality of Parents' Week End are still coming to the office of the Dean of Students. Fathers and Mothers say that the tangible results of classroom and laboratory activity. In the art studio, down in the projection room, in the biology laboratory and "African Violet Hothouse," visitors came and stayed. Some of the braver parents also went to class. In fact, the letters have expressed thanks for all phases of the week-end program.

The college community, too, received pleasure in planning and carrying out the events. What measure of success attended this first Parents' Week End was the result of the co-operation of every student, staff and faculty member with the committees. The three main groups with their faculty advisors planned and organized all activity. Everyone went about her assignment cheerfully and performed her job efficiently.

But, the college community remembers with profound appreciation the strong cooperation it received from the Alumnae Association. Without its financial help, Queens could not have had the Saturday Founders Day program and luncheon. The address Dr. Jones gave re-emphasized the importance of Christian education and made a profound impression, particularly on those parents who had not had the privilege of hearing the college minister before.

Many students, their parents, and faculty and staff members have expressed the wish to have a similar occasion next year. If the week-end plans can be carried out as successfully next year as they were this fall, and if the college community displays the same enthusiasm, then Parents' Week End will be an assured event of the fall of 1951.

## PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS

It has often been said that getting people to part with money is like pulling hen's teeth. We have found this only too true in the advertising business this year. If you need any proof for this statement just ask any of the business managers and their assistants for the various student publications. Some merchants have consented to advertise with us for the coming year, but these are not enough. Many merchants feel that they are only giving a contribution to the student publication when solicited for an ad. We do not want them to feel this way. We want them to know that it is good, profitable advertising. Therefore, we ask each of you to read the ads and patronize the firms that they represent. Also do the publication the favor of saying, "I saw your ad in the *Queens Blues*, or *The Coronet*." Believe us, the merchants will both appreciate and remember it. Then during the summer months and next fall when they are again approached about an ad, they will be only too glad to use this form of advertising. Remember that it is up to you to see that your publications have successful contacts with the business firms of Charlotte. Help to print better publications by patronizing our advertisers.

## BLUES APOLOGIZES

The *Blues* staff is extremely sorry that the first issue of the paper is so late in making its initial appearance. Certain circumstances, too numerous to enumerate here, have caused this. It is hoped that the Student Body will accept this apology and continue to support the newspaper as it has done in the past. It depends entirely upon them what the newspaper can accomplish on the campus during this school year.

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