

## TALENTS HAVE MANY OUTLETS SURVEY SHOWS

Students Have Opportunity To Develop Various Abilities At Mercer

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Mercer is peculiarly adaptable as an outlet for student talent through the various organizations on its campus. Individual ability has a wide range in which to find expression and to develop fully.

Those whose interests center around dramatics have an excellent opportunity to further them in the Caper Club, organized for freshmen, the Mercer Players, and Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatic fraternity. They write and give plays through the year.

Literary talent has a chance to thrive in many ways at Mercer. Publications, such as the school paper and the yearbook, are edited by students. To maintain and advance the knowledge and interests of students who intend to enter the newspaper field is the Newspaper Club. For those with outstanding literary talent there has recently been formed a writer's fraternity which is now petitioning the national writer's fraternity for a charter. In addition, there are the Phi Delta and Ciceronian Literary Societies.

Another opening for student talent is found in the Alembic Club, composed of instructors and advanced students of science. It has for its object the promotion of interest in scientific literature and research. Addresses and lectures by prominent scientists tend to inform the student who has interest in science.

Students who plan to become ministers are benefitted by membership in the Ministerial Association, the purpose of which is to promote the interests of the ministerial students. There is also the Young Women's Auxiliary, and the Volunteer Band, composed of students who expect to become foreign missionaries. The Baptist Student Union supplements the religious organizations on the campus.

Scholastic ability is recognized by Phi Eta Sigma, national scholastic society for freshmen whose scholastic record averaged at least half A's and half B's.

An attraction for those with musical talents is the glee club and the orchestra, which give concerts each year in Georgia and Florida. They have just recently completed a successful tour.

Recognition for character and service to Mercer through various other organizations is rewarded by membership in the Blue Key fraternity and Cardinal Key sorority. These two organizations are composed of those who have been leaders in extra-curricula activities and who, at the same time, have maintained a good scholastic record.

## STUDENTS PLAN ONE-ACT PLAYS

Program To Be Presented May 19; Casts Named

Again this year, the Mercer Players will present a program of original one-act plays. Dr. Wilbur Stout, director, has announced that May 19, will be the date of production.

These plays are written by members of the class in playwriting during the winter quarter each year and are produced with the assistance of the class in Play Production each spring.

Plays to be presented this spring and casts include

*Darksome Are The Days*  
 Hiney \_\_\_\_\_ Wylie Davis  
 Elmer \_\_\_\_\_ John Couric  
 Katie \_\_\_\_\_ Adolyn Arline

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## Cartoon Depicts New Mercer Spirit



## CARDINAL KEY TO TAP EIGHT ON WEDNESDAY

Spring Tapping Ceremony To Be Held May 4 At Chapel Exercises

Eight Mercer co-eds elected on a three-fold basis of scholarship, leadership, and character, will be chosen for membership in Cardinal Key, national honor society for senior college women, at the organization's annual spring tapping ceremony Wednesday morning at chapel exercises.

Members, dressed in white sitting on the chapel stage, will go out into the student audience and tap the eight by pinning upon them red roses, symbolic of Cardinal Key Mercer's chapter of the society, sister organization to Blue Key national honor fraternity, is a charter chapter of the sorority and is the only chapter in the state.

To be eligible for membership, co-eds must rank high in scholarship, having at least a B average for the three quarters preceding tapping, must be outstanding in extra-curricular activities, and must have high qualities of character. Members tapped Wednesday morning will be initiated at a banquet to be held the latter part of May.

### MUSEUM

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wood Hall, men's dormitory, is named.

"Mercer now has ample facilities for the safe-keeping of any valuable articles which might be contributed to the Museum," Dr. Stout explained yesterday, "and we expect more pieces to be given as friends become interested in the work."

The articles are displayed in glass-top cases and on tables under glass covers to prevent handling.

Several books printed in the 15th century and classed as incunabula are in the Museum collection. They

A collection of 20 silver cups,

formerly belonging to Locust Grove Institute, Mercer preparatory school, was given to Mercer for safe-keeping when the Institute closed. The cups are on display.

An interesting article is Jessie Mercer's desk of home-made walnut at which he wrote his volume of poems titled *Mercer's Cluster*.

One of the most important collections in the Museum is a group of books, monographs and papers of the late Dr. Albert Henry Newman, Mercer graduate and professor and international authority on church history.

Dr. Newman, who graduated in 1871 and was professor from 1921 to 1929, left his entire library to

Mercer when he died in Canada shortly after being made professor emeritus. A large number of his

works and copies of publications containing his essays are in the exhibit.

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