

Mercer University Chapel Choir Sings In Atlanta Churches

The University Chapel choir, under direction of Dr. Arthur L. Rich gave two concerts in Atlanta Sunday, one at Morningside Baptist church in the morning and the other at the Second Ponce de Leon Baptist church in the evening.

Following the morning program the singers were served dinner by the Women's Missionary Society of the church. A buffet supper was served for them after the evening concert, which was broadcast over radio station WCON.

During the afternoon the choir members were conducted on a sight-seeing trip of Atlanta.

Margaret Garrison, Ochlochnee, and Betty Willet, Alpine, Texas, were soloists for the morning. Soloist for the evening program was George Mitchell, Atlanta.

May Festival Honors Pearl Holmes; Alpha Delta Pi Presents Best Stunt

By Ralph Temples

The delayed crowning of Pearl Holmes, Lafayette, La., as May Queen took place yesterday afternoon as girls from physical education classes staged a spring and winter tournament, and "Red" Dingler and Carl Thomas, professional acrobats, put on a tumbling exhibition such as rarely seen on the Mercer campus.

As Miss Holmes reigned over the gay program, she was surrounded by her court members, Margaret Garrison, Ochlochnee, lady-in-waiting; and Gerrie Dixon, Macon; Ruth Dunwoody, Macon; Frances Clements, Morgan; Joyce Hobby, Ashburn; Sally McKay, Macon; Nell Poole, Rockmart; Rosemary Ricks, Macon, and Sara Willis, Bainbridge. Immediately following the coronation of the Queen, with the King

by Ralph Temples and Jack Wardlaw

A former orderly of the ex-president who told Woodrow Wilson during World War I to give him 25,000 "Black Yankees" and he'd go over and lick those

is now an employee of Mercer. Henry Cooper, 74 years of age, a janitor in Shorter hall, served as Teddy Roosevelt's orderly during the Spanish-American War when he commanded the 10 Cavalry division.

Recalling his days in Cuba and Puerto Rico during the conflict, Cooper said he never realized then that his commander would soon become president.

"Every time he stopped I was right there holding his horse, and as soon as he remounted I got on mine and was right behind him," Cooper said.



Henry Cooper

A Man's War

Commenting on the envelopment and hard fighting of San Juan hill, probably the most decisive battle of the war, Cooper said that was the roughest fight he had ever seen. "That was a man's war then," he continued. "You couldn't run hide in fox holes and places like you can today. It was kill or get killed."

A native of Bibb county, the former soldier resides at 123 Green street. For several years now the father of four children, Cooper has been a settled man, but as he put it, "I traveled a lot in younger days."

Convention

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David Cook, editor of The South Georgian, South Georgia College, Douglas, will lead the editorial discussion, and Henry Brewer, Young Harris College, is to lead the advertising and financial panel. Cowan has been selected to serve on the editorial panel.

A business session and election of officers at 2 p.m. Saturday will conclude the convention.

He enlisted in the army in Peoria, Ill. in 1897, and stayed in four years eleven months. Visiting California seven times, he has been in far more than half the states of the union.

Mercer

Though his army days seem to be his favorite topic of discussion, Cooper remembers when Mercer consisted of two buildings, the Administration and Chapel buildings. One of his favorite memories about Mercer is Lee Battle's — how he was such a faithful servant of the University, how he used to go to all the football games and practically lead the cheering section, and of his death and funeral when all Mercer mourned and students served as pallbearers.

At 74 still a sturdy looking man who is a treasure chest of travel stories told in a strong deep voice, Cooper says he is always glad to take time out to talk to his friends just so long as they don't talk too long and necessitate his having to stay late to get his work done.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Entertains Mothers

The first formal function in the Sigma Alpha Epsilon lodge since receiving its new coat of paint was held last week when members of the fraternity entertained the Minerva Club, mothers of members, with a Mother's Day tea.

Mothers of all active and in active members were invited to the event, and Mrs. Joseph N. Neel, oldest member of the club, was honor guest.

The painting, which is the first phase in a decorating plan for the lodge which includes acquiring new drapes and beautification of yards, was done entirely by members under the supervision of Richard "Bird-Dog" Thornton, past president. Suggestions and advice on the work were offered by the Minerva Club and Billy Webb, architect and fraternity member.

Among faculty members attending the event were Rev. and Mrs. Eric Oesterle and Dean and Mrs. Richard Burts. Rev. Oesterle is adviser to the fraternity.

Phi Mu Fraternity Entertains With Picnic Saturday

Phi Mu fraternity entertained with its annual picnic, Saturday, May eighth at Stony Creek Lodge. The group assembled at three o'clock for swimming and boating. Supper was served at six-thirty and dancing followed by a song fest was enjoyed by the group during the remainder of the evening.

The picnic supper included fried chicken, sandwiches, salad; pickles, potato chips, ice cream and Coca-Colas.

The members and their dates were: Nat Blossom with Dewey Hayes, Mary Massey Prince with Quincy Crawford, Kitty Carmichael with Lee Oliver, Phoebe Gragg with John Ward, Laurie Shannon with John Christopher, Alice Sheridan with Dargan McAfee, Sally McKay with Charlie Harriston, Hilda Harris with Millard Hunt, Beverly Hill, Spencer Jarnigan; Ruth Smith, "D. D." Moore; Fran Clements, Don Bradford; Shirley Bloodworth, Nelson Butler; Doris Bracken, Will McEacheen; Betty Lathem, Billy Epps; Jean Kinnett, Joe Crudup; Mary Mott Hughes, Joe Carson; Ruth Manau, Tom Colquitt; Gloria McAfee, Maurice Wynn; Virginia Reese, Joe Hazel; Anne Miller, Billy Sparks; Deenie Roberts, D. L. Carowen; Nell Poole, Alfred Brown; Novis Brooks, Archie Sheffield; Susan Gragg, "Chick" Martin; Fran Mills, Fred Overstreet; Adena Duggan, Billy Cook; Betty Tom Smith, "Dopey" Reynolds; Celeste Champion, Joe Massey; Charlsie Barron, Clarence Ray; Harriot Rogers, Gene Lippman.

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mitted on probation, but if he should flunk out a second time, he will not be readmitted for any cause.

Article (3), SENIOR COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS, page 70, will apply to persons who graduate at the end of the summer quarter. This section requires the graduate to pass a comprehensive examination near the end of the senior year. For those who will graduate on August 22, the examination will be held in July, date to be announced.

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