

YWA's Will Sponsor Lottie Moon Offering

The annual Lottie Moon Christmas offering, sponsored by the YWA, will be collected today from the unit organizations of the BSU. No goal has been set for the fund, according to Laura Kendall, who is in charge of the offering.

Vesper programs this week have been planned in conjunction with three Foreign Missions Emphasis of the YWA of which the Lottie Moon offering is a part.

A box is provided in the Student Center for any students who are not members of the unit organizations of the BSU and

who would like to contribute to the mission fund.

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Mrs. Zeb Vance Attends Meeting

Mrs. Zeb B. Vance, assistant professor of economics and secretarial studies, attended the annual convention of the Southern Business Education Association at Virginia Beach, Virginia, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

While there, she participated in a panel discussion before the College and University Section on the subject of "Maintaining the Right Perspective for Business

Education." Her topic was "The Place of the Liberal Arts in Business Education," with special reference to the Conant Report and the reports of the Ford and Carnegie Foundations.

Mrs. Vance was elected secretary of the College and University Section for the 1960 Convention, which will be held in Atlanta, Georgia.



By GRACIE ADCOCK

The Social Register of Mercer reads as follows: The Kappa Sigma's will have their Founder's Day Banquet and Sweetheart Ball at the Lanier Hotel, dancing to the music of Percy Welch and his orchestra. They will name their Sponsor, Sweetheart and officers at the dance . . . The Alpha Tau Omega's will have a Christmas Party at Jonesco with Mad Sam and his Combo furnishing "sounds" . . .

The Kappa Alpha Gentlemen will also have a Yule party at the Howard Community Club, swinging to the music of George Fuller and his group . . . At the much talked about Lambda Chi Alpha Lodge there will be a group to meet and discuss "Something Else".

Phi Delt's will be busy most all day long. Beginning the day they will have a rummage sale downtown on Cherry Street for the benefit of all the far out wonder who wish to purchase (the Alpha Gam's will also add to the personnel).

Later on, out at Bloomfield, they'll have a "Beatnik?" Party, swinging to the music of Johnny Jenkins . . . Gladys Williams will entertain the Sigma Alphas at their Sweetheart Ball which will be at the Fred Astaire ballroom . . . All these swinging pad parties will be held Saturday night.

All the sororities will decorate a Christmas tree at the Macon Hospital. The Alpha Gam's will have the main floor, ADPI's will have the Charity Ward, The Chi O's will have the 4th floor children's ward and the Phi Mu's will have the 2nd floor children's ward.

The Alpha Tau's have invited four new truth seekers: Dale Redd, Floydada, Texas; Jimmy Eldrod, Gray; Harvey Collier, Talbatton; and Charles Austin, Raleigh, N. C. The Lambda Chi's have chosen two way-outs; Richard Fix, Cordele, and John Cruiger, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, as their new pledges.

SAE's Gary Brantley has given his pin to Alpha Gam's Carole El-

erbee . . . Charles Andrews, KA, has given his to Betty Smith (a hometown, high-school lass) . . . Benjie Eldson, Phi Mu, and Benjie Hudson, SAE . . . Lambda Chi's Charles Richardson and Sally Harley, Alpha Gamma Delta, have also exchanged College vows!

Taking a bigger step were Libby Smith and Jackson Taylor, a Siggie from Georgia. Julia Johnson, Phi Mu, and Jimmy McRae, a med school senior in Augusta; Marsha Morgan and George Colson, Kappa Sigma; Lucretia Rogers, Kappa Sigma Sponsor, and Phillip Young, Kappa Sig, are all engaged and Phi Delt's Win Parkers has cut ADPI's Ann Jones out completely, he married her!

Ad Lib . . .

(Continued from page 7) of those with young and unformed tastes.

Teenage idol Dick Clark was one of the first to go under investigation—accused of pushing records issued by a label in which he was involved and from which he stood to make a profit.

An article in the Dec. 10 Down Beat recounts the various appearances of the late Charlie Parker, for whom Birdland is named, at the club. Once Parker, confined to a hospital bed, fled to Birdland in his pajamas, only to be taken back to the hospital for his own good and sent back up the fire escape via which he had escaped. Hospital personnel never knew he was gone

Sounds . . .

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Me, He Loves Me Not" LP Charles sings a moody side of ballads. Three blues-ballads stand the side off: Lil Armstrong's "Just For a Thrill," Buddy Johnson's "You Won't Let Me Go" and Charles Brown's "Tell Me You Wait for Me."

Then comes "Don't Let the Sun Catch You Cryin'" which has a slight Western tinge to it followed by an excellent, almost straight and unmodified "Am I Blue," which gets better treatment than it deserves.

The LP ends with "Come Rain or Come Shine," a track which best demonstrates something the rest of the LP has been hinting at: his musical talent aside, Ray Charles comprehends and handles lyrics better than any other blind singer since, again, Bill Holiday.

Usually performed as a "show stopper" sort of number, "Come Rain" here is done in a very styled fashion, with latent, intense blues overtones hinted at, the brought uninhibitedly to the surface for occasional startling effects.

Throughout most of the LP, David Newman, tenor sax man from Ray's own band, who has been getting a big build-up lately by both Charles and Atlantic Records, solos over the excellent arrangement, some of which are by Ernie Wilkins and Quincy Jones.

Ellington tenorist Paul Gonsalves solos earthily and eloquently in "Two Years of Torture." Ray Charles, self-accompagniment and solos on piano as just right, particularly on the side with strings, where his playing helps keep things down to earth.

The LP is recommended without reservations. In this day of sloppily planned and hastily produced albums, this one is important as refreshing, it is important.

December Meet To Feature Bobo

The Mercer Chapter of Future Business Women will hold the December meeting Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the home of their advisor Mrs. Zeb Vance, with Miss Bobbie Bobo as special guest. Miss Bobo will discuss "The Fascinating Job of President's Secretary."

Following the program, the Chapter will enjoy a Christmas party directed by Miriam Blizars, social committee chairman. A Christmas tree is planned with gifts appropriate to the secretary.

FBW Attend Mid Ga. Group

The members of the Mercer Chapter of Future Business Women were guests of the Middle Georgia Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America at the regular November meeting at 4:30 p.m. Monday. Nancy Childs, recently selected "Miss Future Business Executive of America," was speaker for the meeting.

Following the program the guests were conducted on a tour of the business department, after which the two chapters were served dinner in the college dining hall.

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