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# Y. W. C. A. To Present Pageant of Birth Of Christ

Story of Birth Will Be Given at Vespers Sunday.

In keeping with the annual Christmas week programs, the Y. W. C. A. is presenting the pageant portraying the birth of Christ on Sunday evening in the Rotunda.

Priscilla Kelley, vice-president of the "Y" has arranged the pageant. The music made up of Christmas carols will be furnished by the "Y" choir, under the direction of Evelyn Mav.

Mary, mother of Christ, will be pantomined by Matilda Tillman; Chappie Bragg will be Joseph.

Lorene Johnson, Jo Joubert, Virginia Tuck, and Clara Louise Driskell will be the four shepherds who visited the Christ child in the manger.

The three kings from the Orient who brought gifts for the child will be played by Joy Miller, Margaret Cannon, and Leonora Dufour.

A chorus of angels will be made up of the following girls: Mary Dubois; Clara Hammond, Myra Hackett, Evelyn Whitmire, Nena Westbrook, Carol Forrester, Amanda Barksdale, Ruth Wiliams, Frances Carson, Alexa Daley, Hulda Summer, Elizabeth Kelley.

The children will be represented by Vivian Paulk and Lucy Cox. The story of the birth will be read by Anna Richter.



The hanging of the greens by the seniors which is to be Sunday evening, December 15, at the vesper hour, in the rotunda is one of the customs of G. S. W. C. around Christmas time.

The seniors, dressed in white, will light the candles in the windows and the fires in the two large fireplaces. These will lend cheer and warmth as the seniors hand wreathes of evergreen on the doors and about the rotunda

Clara Louise Driskell, president of the Y. W. C. A., will read.

### Driskell and Hackett To Attend "Y" Meet

The delegates who are to represent comes to variety. G. S. W. C. at the Indianapolis con-Louise Driskell of Irvinville and Myra day." Shades of Humanism! Hackett of Moultrie.

which represented the whole campus. |"Petrarch crossed the Isthmus of Pa-It consisted of two girls from each class.

They will leave on the 27th of December so as to be there when the convention opens on the 28th. The convention closes on January 2.

# Georgia Artist's Exhibit Will Close Wednesday

The Georgia Artist Exhibit opened

Friday, December 8, and will remain in the upper rotunda through December 18. There are 55 Georgia artists represented and 82 paintings. Twenty-eight artists have one painting and 27 have two paintings each.

The artists when grouped in cities show a larger representation from the larger cities. Savannah leads with 19 artists. Atlanta is represented by 14; Columbus, 9; Athens, 5; and Macon, 2. There is one artist each from each of the following towns: Greenville; Valdosta; Montezuma; Birmingham, Ala.; Winchester, Mass.; and Fort Benning.

# College Calendar

Sunday, Dec. 15-9:45, Sunday School, 11:00, Church; 4:30, Tea for Daniel Whitehead Hicky, sponsored by English Club; 6:45, Vespers, Hanging of Greens by Seniors.

Tues., Dec. 17-Thurs., Dec. 19-Exams.

Thurs., Dec. 19-6:30 p. m., Christmas Festival.

# EINSTEIN WRITES BIOGRAPHY OF MONARCH: HEGIRA IS MOHAMMED'S WIFE

It seems that some members of the class think that Einstein wrote Charlemagne's biography, a fact that would probably shock the good professor into another theory on relativity, and that Hegira was Mohammed's wife. Now we have lost all faith, and are sadly dissillusioned about the merits of a college education.

Even Miss Price herself is ready to question when she receives such answers as this on her tests: "A fief is a low person in character."

Then there are those students who think as follows: Polygamy is a gambling game; the flight of Moham-

med is called the feudal system; Kaaba was the holy cow, the animal holy to all believers in Mohammedanism; Moslems were trouble makers in China. There is no accounting for the facility of the human mind when it

And for those of you that are be-They were selected by a committee hind in your facts here is a honey: nama and discovered the Pacific." One girl thinks as follows about

the question of marriage: Marrying was to the church, what killing was to the state.

Another student answers that same

Festival Is 10th For Leroy December-And G. S. W. C. is pre-

paring for the annual Christmas Festival with an esthusiasm which not even final examinations can dim! Costumes are being made, dances practised, and chorals learned. The decorating committee makes diagrams for converting Ashley Hall into a great feast hall. And in the kitchen plans are being formulated for a feast that will eclipse all previous ones!

There is an anniversary connected with the Christmas Festival this year —This is the tenth anniversary of Leroy's bearing the boar's head. In 1925, he led the procession for the first time. The Glee Club filed slowly into the feast hall singing "The Boar's Head in Hand Bear We"-and before them marched Leroy, dressed in spotless white, his chef's cap on his head, holding aloft a holly-decked silver platter on which rested the boar's head, a red apple in its mouth. Of such are traditions made. It is an unbreakable tradition at G. S. W. C. for Leroy to carry the boar's head to the table of the Lord of the Manor -may he bear it in many Christmas

Festivals to come!

One of the sources of entertainment question with "People was to the from the social science 110 class is the church what the pope was to the ridiculous answers from a recent test. state, the greatest of all crimes."

It seems that the inhabitants of Athens claim descent from the Queen of Sheba, Abraham and Aeneas. But one girl played safe and said that they claimed descent from God.

Another interesting fact involves the information that Rome's 200 years of peace and prosperity were known as the Crusades.

And we could never quite figure out these two: "The sources of the medieval towns were the bubonic plague," and "The grant of a fiel involved presentment and ask if he could get married."

The date 842 is very important as Gabriel came down the streets with his forces and told Mohammed the victory was his." No credit is even rols the next morning. given here for the horn.

the ruler of a German tribe; Byzan- five-thirty, goes up and down the Some of the girls had Erasmus, that tium was a rock on which there was dormitory halls very softly singing vention from December 28 to January worthy scholar, writing everything picture writing; and Dante's great 2 have been chosen. They are Clara from the "Divine Follies" to "Dooms- poem was "The Divine Glory" were Town of Bethlehem," and "What among the answers.

> But among our favorites are these: services of the Great Khan for 20 years was Henry the Eighth, and the answer to the question, "How many Moslems are there in the world?"-"Lots of them."

Oh, well, weren't we all freshmen once?

## **Christmas Festival** To Be Given December 10

Dances, Carols, and Merry-Making Featured on Program.

One of the happiest times of the college year is the evening before going home for the Christmas holidays. Then it is when "Ye Old English Feast" is held. The dining room becomes a baronial hall of Queen Elizabeth's time. The whole school is transformed for the evening as the good people of "Merry England" led by the "Lord of Misrule," entertain with play, dance, and song "Ye Lordes and Ladyes of Ye Court."

The evening proceeds from the comic and ludicrous to the quaint and humorous, and then on to the grace and beauty of the stately minuet.

Meanwhile the music has passed from the whimsical folk carol to a religious note, which deepens until at last when the entire company march out to the recessional, "Silent Night, Holy Night," there comes to our hearts a new interpretation of the meaning of Christmas.

The Feast, dating from the first Christmas-tide of the college, was instituted in the desire to enrich the life of students by leading their emotions to flow in the deep channels of social custom which are drawn the joyful infancy of our people.

# Santa Claus Comes Wednesday Night

Santa Claus will visit Converse and Ashley Halls Wednesday night.

In a special message to girls at G. S. W. C., Santa Claus today disclosed his intention to be his old accustomed self and make his visit a week early to Converse and Ashley Halls so the students could be with their families on Christmas day.

The girls will hang their stockings on the door before going to bed Wednesday night. Past experiences have proved that it will be filled with fruit, nuts, candies, and toys when they wake to the strains of Christmas ca-

The carols will be sung by a group Caliph was a pyramid; Hegira was of freshmen. The group begins about "Silent Night, Holy Night," "Oh, Little Child is This?"

The monitors on the various halls The counsellor and diplomat in the will act as Santa Claus on Wednesday night. All the girls have long ago learned the truth about the old gentleman, and we sincerely hope that we will not be betraying any of the little girls by making this remark. But the stocking will be hung just

the same that night. \_\_\_\_\_\_

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UNIV. OF GEORGIA BOY SCORES IN MOVIES

#### By PRISCILLA KELLEY

Did you who were wise enough to see James Melton in "Stars Over Broadway" know that he is a Georgia boy and attended the University of Florida and Georgia? And had a cousin .at Emory Jr.?

On Friday night of next week Mrs. Youman's Dance School will present their revue "Merry Christmas" at the Ritz Theatre. In addition to this presentation the picture will be "Peter Thetson" starring Ann Harding and Gary Cooper.

The play that ran ten years on Broadway, "The Return of Peter Grimm" will be shown at the Ritz on this Saturday in addition to one of those educational shorts, "Spain's Romantic Isle."

#### Kappas Gain 'On Lambdas

The sports season came to a glorious end Monday with ending of the goat contest. The Kappas won the contest with an average of 2.75 while the Lambdas came in with a score of 1.75 points. Thus the season closed with the Kappas in the lead for the fall quarter.

Much enthusiasm, especially among the freshmen, was shown during the contest with a good natured spirit of rivelry existing between the two associations.

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# THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT OF G. S. W. C.

#### By ROSALIND LANE

The Christmas spirit is confused in the minds of most people with the maddening rush of giving gifts. There is so much artificiality in which many of the gifts are presented that the festal spirit is often lacking. Since Roman times, the Yuletide season has brought to the minds of man the spirit of peace and good will. Never since the observance of Christmas has it been other than a season of happiness and good spirit.

G. S. W. C. does its part in making the Christmas season full of good cheer for us. The Christmas Festival, hanging of the greens, singing of carols, burning of Yule Log, all contribute to our enjoyment of the real essence of Christmas.

Christmas is the time to forgive our enemies, be merry and begin that clean page for the New Year so that in the days to come, there will be greater and more reasons for rejoicing. We may not be able to do great things for the world at this celebration but we can each add to the happiness and fun of the students on the campus by doing our part toward making the Festival more enjoyable by helping fellow pupils who may need a hand and by trying to make our own lives more like His.

Let us take, then, the essential thought of Christmas with us, not only during one day or week but through all the year. 'The truest blessing is the ability to exclude self and to further the joys and pleasures of others.

## FRESHMEN EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS ON CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

#### By ELEANOR GARRETT

Opinions of the Christmas Festival are many and varied among the Accepted for mailing at special rate freshmen. Some just don't have any of postage provided for in Section 1103, Act of October 3, 1917. Authorized idea what they think of it, while oth-January 20, 1919. freshmen. Some just don't have any to them.

One girl says she thinks it's too much trouble, because she never could sew anyhow. Yet another says she likes the idea and just couldn't go home and miss it.

Anna Richter, freshman president, says, "I think it's a lovely custom. It gives all the girls more of a feeling place of snow she misses from New of being one big family, and it in- York in giving her just lots of Christstills in us all more of the Christmas mas spirit.

spirit. It's one of the loveliest customs I know of."

Barbara Harris, secretary of the class, says, "I like the custom of having a Christmas Festival. It brings everybody together and puts them all in good spirits and promotes a feeling did mixture of common sense, capaof love and fellowship for the other bility, personaliyt and sweetness. G. students. It adds something to the college life that's hard to get." One modern young miss dreads the

Festival, for she is sure she'll make a terrible old-fashioned lady.

C. J. Morris thinks it's a very nice custom and hopes it will take the

# PLUM PUDDING FOR DESSERT

#### By CHAPPIE BRAGG

Like dipping dressing from a stuffed duck, we take our little bits of Christmas news from the holidays crammed so full of it. Our campus is simply alive with the Christmas spirit-Miss Bancroft and the girls singing carols every afternoon-costumes for the festival in the making -frost in the air and roses in the cheeks go to make up a cheerful, busy atmosphore. Everyone wondering what to give the boy friend for a Christmas gift and hoping he does right by them-Blanche thinking that Christmas is as good a time as any to be married—even embarrassing moments such as a case of mistaken identity can be laughed off in the rush! What about it, Alvada?—And what's this about Bessie dashing around with a list of orchestras in her hand? Sounds like fun for the holidays!

The sounds of yelling on the tennis courts the other day, we discovered, was the goat contest in full sway, out the days are so full of fun and excitement that we can't even resent someone's getting our goat.

Inese G. S. W. C. girls are remarkaple creatures—in spite of all the

bustle and secrecy going on, we still have time for the quieter, more lovely things. At last a chance to put on our Sunday best and enjoy Daniel Whitehead Hicky in the Rotunda, and our firelight service which will be impressive and beautiful.

And still our roast duck is well stuffed—but dip for yourself this time!

And now for the plum puddingwhat will be tied with tinsel and cellophane and presented to Dr. and Mrs. Reade and Miss Hopper by the fool at the Festival?---We've stuck in our thumb and pulled out the plum -now it's your turn!

A Merry Christmas and

A Happy New Year W. M. OLIVER GRIFFIN COMPANY Inc. JOIN OUR HOSIERY CLUB 1362 PAIR FREE

#### DEBTS OF CANOPY WORRY JO

She's the sentimental lady from Georgia and the gal the students all love . . . Jo Daniel . . . she isn't very dignified and isn't affecting but when a feller needs a friend, there's an 8 O. S. for her . . . doesn't seem to ever lose her temper . . . has a smile and word for everyone.

Jo is a brunette . . . has dark brown hair . . . is of medium height . . sports clothes well . . . is very athletic . . . plays on American ball, soccer, and baseball teams and is eligible for honor plaque . . . likes tennis and is a ping-pong smasher. She's a grand sport and a swell all-around girl . . . works when she works and plays when she plays . . . is also very studious . . . makes honors most of the time . . . is an organizer and lead. er in everything. She's secretary and treasurer of the S. G. A., vice-president of Kappa Athletic Association and the efficient business manager of the Campus Canopy. She is a member of the Math-Science Club, past member of Philharmonic Club, past S. G. A. council member, trea-

surer of the "Y" and treasurer and scorer of Kappas . . . does everything well that she undertakes . . . dependability, personality, and sweetness. G S. W. C. reaps the benefit and would be lost without her. 'She's very sensitive and is constantly afraid shell hurt people's feelings-she probably couldn't if she wanted to.

Jo is a great admirer of beauty . . . loves sunsets, music, and good books. Her favorite song is "Lover Come Back to Me" (and lucky is the man who does come!) . . . looks cute dressed for a kid-party-pink rompers, pigtails, and bare feet . . . her secret passion is going barefooted and climbing trees . . . sometimes wishes she could join a nudist colony . . . likes to go hiking early in the morning and dine on coffee and pigs-inblankets. Her idea of Utopia: reading, eating and listening to music all at once. Main job: keeping the Canopy out of debt.

She waxes eloquent about the Christmas Festival . . . thinks the best feature of the celebration is the singing . . . likes the custom of singing Christmas carols early in the morning . . . believes there really is a Santa Claus . . . wrote him and asked him for some blue clothes and a typewriter . . . he refused the latter but promised something better . . . says she can go to China-when she graduates.



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# KAMPUS KALEIDOSCOPE

Jingle bells, jingle bells, Christmas is almost here. The very best season of the year for one is always filled with such pleasant anticipation, with the holidays, the dances, and the Christmas Festival. The seniors a little sad as it is their last one, the blase sophomores and juniors regarding it as only the last night before holidays and the little freshmen anxious to know whether it is as grand as they heard it was.

We wonder how many bunny coa's, diamond rings, and fraternity pins will be collected over the holidays. Happy hunting, girls.

Matilda we hope has learned that the proper time and place for aesthetic dancing is not in the hall.

Audrey Stump seems to be giving the dormitories a thrill lately, first Rachel and then Hulda, Nice going, Stump!

And just who, may I ask, were the people playing in the park Saturday night? Be your age, children.

Here's a rather belated Hallowe'en story. Leonora thought she was seeing a ghost when she saw Homer Sutton at a dance not long ago. She met him in a graveyard in Virginia. Bad business, Leonora.

Chappie seems to be getting more their auto radio Sunday night? used to that big ole' heavy ring on her finger.

And there is the poor unsuspecting little freshman who was campused for-never mind, we won't tell, just be more careful next time you get romantically inclined.



We have our opinion of people who have no regard for bulletin board material. One would think that we were running a kindergarten.

We heard Sis Fluker remark the other day as to the futility of polishing white tonnis shoes.

Jo continues to sit in the pines and commune with nature—or is that her motive?

As it continues to be cold there is still a war in class rooms over the windows.

Isn't it grand that the U. of Ga. still runs on the same holiday basis. It would be too bad for D. C. to have Teeny and Annettee here at the same time Christmas.

General Remarks: Don't you just envy Broun and Bille in those knitted things . . . Mickey Daniels is our idea of a cute child . . . Oh, that we could be as indifferent to the advances of the opposite sex as Alexa . . Doesn't Mary Ann Evans have the prettiest eyes? . . . Walter freely admits wherein his love lies . . . Virginia seems to be following big sister Margaret's footsteps in more ways than one ... We sure do like to dance with Woody . . . What two college girls serenaded Barney Jordan with





# During Christmas Holidays 1935-36

	One-Way	Round-Trip
Atlanta	\$3.55	
Chattanooga	5.25	9.45
Griffin		
Jacksonville	1.75	3.15
Lake City	1.00	1.80
Macon	2.35	4.25
Perry	1.95	
Rome	4.45	8.05
Tampa	4.10	7.40
Cordele	1.40	2.25
Miami	6.75	
Orlando	4.30	7.75
West Palm Beach	6.25	11.20
Daytona Beach	3.40	6.20
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