## FACULTY RADIO COMMITTEE 'CONCERT SERIES RETURN PLANS NEW SERIES WITH TO STC FOR FOURTH SEASON COLLLEE VARIETY PROGRAM <br> This year marks the fourth an-

Dr. J. D. Blackwell Opens College Broadcast Season Stressing S.T.C.'s Value To City

Dr. J. D. Blackwell, President of S.T.C., opened the third year of collegiate broadcasting over WSAL Monday, October 2, at 3 P.M., with the speech, "The Inter-Relationship of the State Teachers College and Salisbury." He outlined in some detail the value of the college to Sailsbury and of Salisbury to the college. Educational opportunities offered to local youth were pointed out, as was the fact that students may transfer academic credits to other Maryland colleges and re ceive full credit.
"Financially," he said, "the college is an asset to Salisbury since most of the $\$ 96,000$ budget is spent in the city.
In stating the objectives of the college, he said that young men and women are trained first for (1) citizenship duties, (2) development of individual personality traits, (3) acquisition of knowledge necessary for understanding of life and its problems, and (4) development of integrated personalities. Campus activities and organizations for these purposes were fully explained.
The initial S.T.C. broadcast over WSAL was made when the College Chorus assisted in the opening of the station November 17, 1937. Since November, 1937, weekly broadcasts on Mondays at 3:00 to 3:15 P.M. has been sponsored by the station. In these programs broadcasting opportunities were
given to faculty members, college given to faculty members, college
students, and college elementary school pupils.

Plans for broadcasts through the first semester of the college year have been formulated by Miss Margaret Black, Mrs. William Howard Bennett, and Mr. Paul Hyde, faculty committee on WSAL programs. Productions this year will be of more general nature. The
programs are scheduled as follows:
Oct ser 2 -"The Inter-relationship of the State Teachers College and Salisbury," Dr. J. D. Blackwell.
October 9-"Difficulty of a Discoverer," Sophomore Class.
October 16-Children's Problems Discussion.
October 23-"Campus Flashes,' October 30 -Sixth and Seventh Grades.
November 6-"Should Armistice Day Be Observed," Baglean Carnean Debate Society.
November 13-Book Week, Miss Grace Strickland.
November 20 -Sophanes Players.
Miss Margaret Black has return ed to the faculty of the State Teachers College as Instructor of Music after a half-year's leave of absence during which time Miss Helen A. Russell served in this capacity. Miss Black completed her work for a Bachelor of Arts degree at the University of Delaware.
niversary of the Salisbury Cooperative Concerts Association, and the season of 1939-40 is expected to out do the previous concert series.

In past years, music iovers have heard such stars as Rose Bampton, Kathryn Meisle; Carola Goya, famed Spanish dancer; Wilbur Evans; Joseph Knitzer, Dorothy Crawford, the Russian Imperial singers, and many others.
One of the star attractions for his year's series is the internationally famous Jooss Ballet to be produced on January 22. This troupe s in its fourth tour of America. The Jooss Ballet will come to Salisbury direct from their engagement at the Lyric Theatre in Baltimore. Because of the tremendous expense, all of the company's stage hands will not accompany them. A stage crew of S.T.C. men will be selected to help with delicate lighting and changing of sets.
The ballet is very colorful with magnificent scenery and costumes. There are eleven well known numbers in their repertoire which express romance, comedy, satire, and drama of which only four will be produced on the college stage. The twenty-two dancers are directed by Kurt Jooss in collaboration with Mme. Aino Siimolo. Musical direcfion is done by F. A. Cohen.
The two artists who are to supplement the appearance of the bal let January 22 are Ernest McChesney, brilliant young American tenor who will come here Friday evening, October 20 , prior to his engagement with the Chicago Opera Association, where he will sing "Romeo" in Gounod's "Romeo and Juliette," in a special gala revival of the opera, as well as leading roles in the opera company's French and Italian repertoire; and
the closing concert artist, Julius Katchen, 13-year-old piano prodigy, who will appear in the early spring.

## Enrollment Of 136 Freshmen This Year Boosts Total

Number Of S. T. C. Students To State Quota
1939-1940 Shows Increase of 150 Percent Over Freshmen Class of 1935

With the enrollment of 136 freshmen, 60 young men and 76 young women, by far the largest freshman class in the history of the college; enrollment of 74 sophomores, 30 men and 44 women; 35 juniors, including 11 men and 24 women; and 27 seniors, 5 men and 22 women, the college has enrolled a total of 106 young men and 167 young women, a total of 273 , or 3 more than the goal set for 1939-40. This number represents an increase of more than 150 percent since the reorganization of the college on a four year college basis in 1935, at which time only 106 Miss Pearl Hudson, a graduate of in 1935, at which time only 106 Mary Washington College, who has


SENATOR GEO. L. RADCLIFFE

## COLLEEE DEDICATES ROOM TO

## COUNTY HISTORIGAL SOCEETY

 To HOUSE WICOMICO REIICSSenator Radcliffe Addresses Group On World Peace At Evening

United States Senator George L Radcliffe, President of the Mary land Historical Society, delivered he address at the quarterly meeting of the Historical Society of Wicomico County, at State Teachrs College, Monday evening, September 19, at 8 P.M. Senator Radliffe had that afternoon previousy been present at the unveiling of the murals in the Salisbury postffice. These murals depict scenes of the Colonial era in Wicomico County and are placed on the walls of the postoffice lobby as a tribute the past history of the county. (Continued on Page Four)

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HMME-COMING ALUMNI TD CONVENE NEXT SATUPDAY

Games, teas, and dinner - so characteristic of homecomings have become traditions at S.T.C. Alumni were first invited to this college as guests December 18, -926. Since then some week end in he fall has been set aside on the social calendar as homecoming .week end. Open house throughout the college has become a feature of homecoming day. Anniversaries have often been used to stir up enthusiasm for these events. This year is the tenth anniversary of the class of '30. The program this year includes a soccer game between the alumni and the junior varsity and a girl's hockey game between the seniors and sophomores. Tea will be served at 3 o clock in the social room and a string ensemble will furnish the music. Dinner interspersed with a program of varieties will be sery ed at $5: 30$.

POCAHONTAS TO BE ENACTED STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE BY CLARE TREE MAJOR CAST

Returning Clare Tree Major players will bring "Pocahontas" to the stage of State Teachers College Auditorium, Tuesday, October 24, at $7: 45$ P.M. This play is based on the early history of the United States as colored by Captain John Smith and his friendship with the Indian maiden. In the cast of players is a full-blooded Indian who will play a principal role and will sing throughout the performance.
dramatization of the famous nursery rhyme "Ole King Cole" will be presented November 21, and Washington Irving's "Rip Van Winkle," February 22. The P.T.A.'s of Pinehurst and the campus elementary school sponsor these plays in order to bring to the children of Salisbury the best in entertain ment.
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State Teachers College at Radford, State Teachers College to other Virginia; Mr. William Fox, a gradcolleges with full credit for all aca- uate of American University; Miss demic work completed. A number Marie Steffens, a graduate of St. of such transfer students graduat- Mary's Seminary; and, Miss Pauled from the University of Maryland, Western Maryland, Washington, and other colleges in June 1939.

The 273 students include Mr . mmons Blake, of California, and Mrs. Martha Solotar, who have enrolled as special students, and been teaching at Quantico, Vir- Miss Rose Moore, of Virginia.

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## COLLEGIATE ORGANZATIONS LAUNCH ACTIVITY PLAMS FOR ENSUING SEMESTER

 Be Executed By Large MembershipsCampus organizations have begun their active programs for 1939-1940. The Chorus and the College Orchestra have made the first performances of the year. During the assembly programs the College Orchestra composed of sixeen members this year, five women and eleven men, have played processionals and recessionals. The Chorus gave a public appearance t the Parent-Freshmen-Faculty Dinner Friday, September 29. The Women's Glee Club has a membership of thirty-two and the Men's Glee Club, eighteen. For a few weeks the men and women wiil meet separately to build up individual repertoires to fill requests for appearances that ask for just the men or the women. Work has also been started on music of "Bohemian Girl." This light operetta is to be given in costume. Tryouts for leading roles are being given.

The men are to begin work on a costumed musical skit soon.
The Sophanes Players have a large club this year and the season promises to be an interesting one. Their early work consists of tryouts for the play "Submerge." The all male cast of seven is to be directed by Carroll Speck. A play with all women characters will be given later. Mrs. William Howard Bennett entertained the board consisting of Helen Johnson, Carroll Speck, Hannah Gibson, Catharine Appleton, Edward Bowen, Edward Dougherty, and William Fox, Wednesday night, September 27 . At this time they drew up the club's tentative plans for work of the year.
The Baglean Carnean Debate So ciety has up to the present only held elections and transacted some other minor business. However they plan to select a topic and resume their intercollegiate debating started last year. The 1939 assem bly committee, Anna Brinsfield and Lawrence Powell under the direction of Mrs. Idabelle Wilson Thomas, have planned a program of assemblies for this semester scheduled for each Tuesday morning at 10:20.

## UNFIFED SHORE METHODISTS MEET AT STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE FOR CONFERENCE

United Methodisis will meet at Salisbury State Teachers College, October 30-31. This conference is the first in this city since the unification of the churches of Methodism.
It will include delegates from each of the Methodist Churches on the Eastern Shore from the Susquehanna River to the Virginia border line. The three former conferences represented are the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestants, the Wilmington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the Virginia Conference of the Southern Methodists. This meeting will be chiefly concerned with the organizing of a new conference and dividing the conference into districts.

## NEWS OF THE ALUMNI

"The American Teacher-Yes-/Miss May Jones class of ' 27 spent terday, Today, and Tomorrow" $\$ 75$ their vacation during July and Auprize essay by Miss Margaret Laws gust touring the West Coast. 39, was printed in the September "Eeacher-Education Journal." Miss Laws wrote this essay while in col-
lege last year. She is now teaching in Glen Burnie. Her address is 2nd and A Sts., c/o Mrs. Francis Hutchins.
Mr. Samuel Sherwell, class of '37, of Brooklyn, New York, was one of the twelve men who were certified and appointed to the state police of Maryland. He was one of the four college graduates chosen and i.. the competitive examination, taken by 170 men, he ranked in the upper five
Miss Anna Rose Smith, was the first of the 1939 graduates to get her MRS. degree. She is now Mrs Roy Farlowe. An orchid to Anna Rose from the staff and best wishes for happiness.
Miss Pauline Van Pelt has returned to Alma Mater from which she graduated in '31 to complete work for her B.S. degree. She has replaced Miss Margaret Laws as student assistant to Miss Powell.
Mrs. Henrietta Timmons (Hen-
rietta Townsend class of '26) and
What attraction does a senior blond use to make a high school teacher talk this way at the $4-\mathrm{H}$ movie-
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## COLLEGE DEDICATES ROOM TO COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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Directly after these murals were unveiled, members of the Wicomico Historical Society, with Sena tor Radcliffe as their guest, held "Open House," at State Teachers College from 3 to 5 when the public was invited to visit the room where a large collection of relics was on display. This room in college has been dedicated to the society for the keeping of early relics of Wicomico County, among which are pictures of the Salisbury fire early state bank money, copies of the first Baltimore Sun, a collection of antique minatures, and clothing of speciai interest.

When addressing the society in

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the evening, Senator Radcliffe urg. "tragic events in Europe" by the now recorded in history to keet United States out of the prep conflict across the ocean. Thes services were very appropriate since this year marks the 72 nd birthday of the founding of Wi. comico County.

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Music teacher: Hm-m-m, have you ever driven a car-?

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