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FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Faculty Members Get Welcome At Reception

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It was get-acquainted time as the Board of Trustees of Western Piedmont Community College held its first annual reception honoring its faculty and staff. Approximately 200 came to the Sunday afternoon event at the community house.

Dr. E. W. Phifer Jr. chairman

of the board, welcomed guests and introduced them to his wife and W. Stanley Moore, vice chairman, and his wife; Rev. L. Clement Hahn, Hildebran, trustee, and Mrs. Hahn. Mr. Hahn in turn introduced Dr. Herbert F. Stallworth, president of the college, and Mrs. Stallworth.

Others in the receiving line were E. P. Dameron of Marion and Earl M. Spencer of Valdese, both trustees; Dean and Mrs. J. Paul Bagley; and Dr. Gordon C. Blank.

Inside the large meeting room many scattered groups visited and got acquainted.

Presiding over the two punch tables were Mrs. Ben Hoffmeyer, Mrs. C. L. Walton, Mrs. Earl Spencer, Mrs. E. P. Dameron, Mrs. Thad M. Poteat, wives of trustees. Assisting them were Mrs. W. D. Owens Jr., Mrs. J. Iverson Riddle, Mrs. Hugh E. Bigham.

Also helping with serving were 10 work study students, members of the charter class which is beginning this September. They were Miss Barbara Shook, Miss Theresa Moore, Miss Dollie Shade, Miss Cynthia Annas, Miss Katie Rogers, Miss Cathv Bannon, Miss Mary Anna Williams, John Bridges, and William Woody.

One of the special features of the reception was having the many guests sign the registration book kept by Mrs. Roy N. Walters Jr., wife of the college's business manager.

Decorations on the two refreshment tables were carried out in yellow and white. Shasta daisies and yellow and white mums were used in following this theme. On each table the centerpiece was built on a three tiered epergne. On each side were candles.

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Refreshments included a golden fruit punch, petits fours, dainty sandwiches, and salted nuts.

Numerous yellow and white flower arrangements graced the rooms at the community house.

Conversations during the reception ranged from discussion of new programs at the college to special interests in antiques, trips to beautiful and unusual places in and around Morganton, and the warm welcome which faculty members and their families have experienced since coming to Morganton.

For many of the faculty families this was a first opportunity to get to know each other as well as to meet people of the community.



SIGNING GUEST REGISTER — Faculty members and guests signed the guest book kept by Mrs. Roy Walters Jr. at Sunday's reception given at the community house by the board of trustees of Western Piedmont Community College. Left to right are Mrs. Walters,

wife of the college's business manager; Mrs. Don Whalen and her husband who is chairman of the natural science department; and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kincaid, St. Mary's Church Road, Morganton. (Staff photo by Dorothy Cable)