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Montreat Opens With Largest Enrollment In History

Montreat Girl!

Now when a Montreat Girl walks down the street—

Isn't it the most glorious sensation to sing that song? You stand a little straighter and feel a little warmer inside—A Montreat Girl—not a "new girl" or an "old girl" as the title went the first week or so—but a Montreat Girl. And that sorta' links you with every other Montreat Girl into a "Montreat Family". Yes, you're now a very vital part of Montreat.

She looks a hundred per from head to feet—

That's right—there is a certain look about a Montreat Girl—Maybe it's the way you feel about things that just shows all over and makes you look *natural* and *yourself*.

She has a word, a smile, a winning way—

Of course, did you ever see a Montreat Girl see any one on the campus that she didn't have a ready smile for—A Montreat Girl that didn't like to stop and chat-a-while, just for the fun of it? We hope not!

And when you see her, boy, you'll recognize her and you'll say—
Now there's a girl I'd like to know—

Which girl? A Montreat Girl, naturally, and why not get to know her? There is nothing more lovely, more satisfying, more inspiring than *friendship*. Take time to make friends—to talk with them, to be interested in them, to help them and to love them. They will make you richer than a millionaire, and happier than a lark!

She has that Montreat spirit, pep, and go—

Well, here we meet with "that Montreat spirit" again—that "thing" that no one has ever defined. Maybe you haven't quite met "it" yet, but I promise you that you will be on the best of terms with "it" before many months. Someone said that "it" is a by-product of *everything* at Montreat. Could be—You'll see!

The New Year Has Begun

Oh! but this year looks full of promises and new experiences, those which will really help us to maintain the Christian Standards and develop ourselves Spiritually as well as mentally.

We, the Y. P. C. Council members, want to take this opportunity to give a cheer for those familiar faces who returned this year. To the new girls we want to extend the heartiest of welcomes and to offer our services in any way that we may be of assistance.

As you have gathered by this time, the Y. P. C. has certain ideals for which it stands: at all times, friendliness; to have Christian fellowship with one another; to have faith and to give our services to Christ as well as our fellowmen; to recognize that Christians hate sin but not sinners; and to keep hatred out of our lives, of our nation and therefore, out of our international thinking.

It's quite a job, I know, but we are certain you can all do it, so come on! Your cooperation is what we need.

Now a toast to a prosperous year full of knowledge and heaps of fun and good fellowship together.

—Ruth Smith, Pres.
High School Y. P. C.

Pep and go! Who doesn't know what we mean by that! Pep is the thing that makes you go out for the sports (soccer, right now), the sings, the class projects, the friendly get-togethers and all other activities. *Go* is the thing that sends you there with so much enthusiasm and interest.

And just to look at her is quite a treat
It's hard to beat
A Montreat Girl.

Are you beginning to see the light as to what a magnificent heritage you have as a MONTREAT Girl?

—Mary Jo Jackson, President,
Student Government Association.

Junior College Class Added

Going up! Yes, that's Montreat College on the way to the top. The year 1945-46 finds Montreat breaking all former records and opening with the largest enrollment in history, a student body of 400 members. Furthermore, for the first time Montreat proudly boasts a Junior College class and is on its way to having a Senior College class next year.

Does the headline of this column look familiar to some of you? The first issue of the paper year before last and last year carried the same headline. The fact that it can be used again this year proves that Montreat is really on the upward road.

Not only the student body has grown, but the faculty has also increased in number. New members of the faculty include: Miss Frances Corry, teacher of piano and High School English; Mrs. W. A. Macaulay, who teaches High School French and English; Miss Leila Kirtland, instructor of High School English and Bible; Mrs. Howard Morland, High School English teacher; Mrs. Clara Culpepper, who is house mother in Alba dormitory; Mrs. Elma Randal, in the Music Department; and Mrs. Mary Jane Clifford, in the Physical Education Department.

In former years, no classes have been scheduled for Monday. However, this year, due to the growth of the student body, Sophomore and Junior College girls have classes six days a week.

Yes, Montreat College is on the way to the top. May it continue to grow in the future as it has in the past.