

## LITERARY SOCIETY BANQUET:

The Sigma-Lambda and E. A. F. literary societies met with their new members at Carolina Pines last Friday night. The meeting was held in the form of a banquet and every minute was enjoyed.

Dressed for the gala occasion, we crowded on the bus at six-thirty and started out for a most enjoyable evening. A few minutes after arriving, we were invited into the dining room. The room was lighted by candles and the decorations carried out the color scheme of green and lavender. Near her place-card each new member found another card with a part of her initiation written upon it. On the tables in contrasting colors were the letters from Saint Mary's. With much admiring of decorations, every one sat down and the program began.

Peggy Mathewson, president of the E. A. P.'s, welcomed us cordially, and Patsy Jones replied. During the course of a scrumptious dinner, Helen Rose Witten and Clarice Bailey presented gifts to the presidents of the clubs. Virginia Bower presented Mr. Moore, also, with a carton of cigarettes in appreciation of his interest and helpfulness during the past year.

The greater part of the program, however, was taken up with the initiation of the new members. With much trembling, each new member arose and performed the act that had been written on her card---even to giving an honest opinion of Mr. Moore. After only a few minutes in which to collect scattered senses, the new members were asked to imitate a movie star. We had everything from Garbo's desire to go home to a pig story by Bob "Bazooka" burns. After the old members had tired of movie stars, they requested that the new girls imitate first a member of the faculty and then a member of the student body. Finally, several old girls made special requests for performances from new girls. With these last few minutes of nervousness on the part of the new girls, the program closed. Mr. Moore made a speech and complimented the clubs on this year's work.

One of the most important events of the evening was the announcement concerning the next year's presidents of the clubs. Anne Whaling announced that the new president of the Sigma-Lambda would be Ann Dawson; Effie Flanagan announced that the president of the E. A. P.'s would be Jean Blount. We want to congratulate both of these girls and wish them success throughout next year. Peggy Mathewson and Eleanor Jackson have served the clubs very splendidly this year and we feel sure that the new presidents will carry on the fine work Peggy and Eleanor have started.

## MAY DAY:

We wonder if the beautiful weather had anything to do with the large crowd present at our May Day? Anyway---even if the weather was partly responsible for bringing out so many people, they were sufficiently entertained by the lovely queen and her court---as well as the dancers. We can now realize what had kept Miss Vincellia and her dancing classes so busy these past few weeks.

We are enjoying Mr. Tucker's snap shots of our May Day, and we would also like to see those taken by the State College fans. Wonder if they caught Fran and Kay having so much fun with the queen's train?

We should be very proud of the lovely surroundings nature has provided for Saint Mary's. Each girl should do her part to help keep the grounds lovely. At this time of year the campus is more beautiful than ever, and it seems such a shame to mar it with papers and other litter. It is the cooperation of each individual that counts!

On April 28, Mr. B. E. Norman, pastor of the Lutheran Church, was our speaker for assembly. Mr. Norman, who made his home in Japan for fifteen years, gave us an interesting description of Japan and its people.

## VISITORS:

In view of the fact that we are not having our regular guest week-end this year, we are inviting our friends a few at a time. For recent week-ends there have been quite a few girls with us to get an idea of what life here at Saint Mary's is like. The visitors seemed very much pleased.