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On Thursday night, May 12, the Sigma Lambda and E. A. P. Literary Societies held their annual banquet in the Hotel Carolina. This banquet, a tradition at Saint Mary's, was the last meeting of the year, at which the new members were initiated, the new officers announced, the final literary award given, and farewell said by the Seniors.

The new members initiated at this time were Sarah Sawyer, Hallie Townes, Virginia Allison, Helen Montgomery, and Peggy Hopkins. Their initiations were elaborate and rather difficult, but were performed well.

A new feature this year was the invitation to former members of the societies, now faculty members, to attend the banquet. Those people, who included Miss Sutton, Miss Allan, Miss Spruill, were required to re-initiate themselves by taking off students. Miss Jones, an alumna, and Mr. Moore also performed.

The presidents for next year were announced to be Helen Holt for the E. A. P.'s and Mary Shepherd Quintard for the Sigma Lambda's, who gave to the retiring officers presents in gratitude for their hard work. Gifts were also presented to Miss Jones and Mr. Moore.

The announcement of the winners of the short story contest found Sarah Sawyer, an E. A. P., with first place, Patsy Jones, a Sigma Lambda, with second, and Helen Holt, an E. A. P., with third. The final score for the year showed the E. A. P.'s winners of the new cup which has been so graciously given the societies by their retiring presidents, Jean Blount and Anne Dawson. The chairman of the program committee for the banquet was Helen Noell, and Jean Miller had charge of initiation plans. Jean Blount made the welcoming address, Louise Jordan welcomed the new members, Peggy Hopkins responded for the new members, and Patsy Jones made the final farewell.

After the regular program, which included the reading by the winners of their short stories, various individual contributions to the hilarity of the evening were made. The old members as a whole presented their version of "Snow White" and several girls performed. The excellent dinner, too, cannot be overlooked, for it was enjoyed to the last bit by every banqueter. The evening was over before anyone could realize it and everyone returned to school, already anticipating next year's banquet.

SIGMA'S WIN BASEBALL GAME

On Thursday afternoon, May 12th, the Sigma's and Mu's played the decisive game of baseball, but because of lack of time, only five innings were played. Sigma's gained the victory with a score of 13-8, the team consisting of Petie Seidler, captain, Virginia Barker, Laura Dingle, Hixie Mae Davis, Nancy Murchison,

Sylvia Cullum, Mallie White, Francis Coxe, and Frances Bailes.

Mary Gault was chosen captain of the Mu team, Georgianna Hetsch, Mary Lily Moore, Virginia Trotter, Ernestine Rich, Margaret Griffin, Nancy Taylor, Frances Fish, and Mary Midyette made up the rest of the team. Miss Harvey umpired.

Francis Coxe of the Sigma team made the only home-run of the game. Petie caught a fly!

The Mu's offered good competition with Mary Lily Moore pitching a nice game and Mary Gault playing good ball at first base.

The game was very exciting and all who didn't come out to watch missed some good ball playing.

MRS. CRUIKSHANK ENTERTAINS SENIORS

After the Junior-Senior dance on Saturday, May 7, the Seniors with their dates were invited to Mrs. Cruikshank's home, where a delightful supper was served informally on the porch, and in the several rooms thrown *en suite* for the occasion. After a delicious supper of chicken salad, olives, beaten biscuits with ham, chocolate cake and coffee, the boys escorted the girls to Holt Hall, where reluctant good-byes were said.

JUNIOR-SENIOR DANCE

Saturday, May 7, was a great day at Saint Mary's. The long anticipated annual Junior-Senior dance was held in the gym. And what a dance it was!

It ought to have been wonderful, though, because the Decoration Committee and willing helpers spent many long hours of toil and labor on the gym. Their energy was well spent, for the gym was not the place which we know; it was a penthouse on Fifth Avenue in the light of a full moon with millions of stars scattered through the heavens.

After the dance started, everyone realized how foolish her worries had been. The fact was that very few girls were able to eat much dinner that night and some started a nervous fast on Saturday morning. There was one word that inevitably rose in the minds of everyone. All the girls had mental pictures of being out on the dance floor with the same boy for hours on end. However, the dance went over with a bang and we salute the Junior Class for one of the most successful dances ever held at Saint Mary's.

Delicious fruit punch was served throughout the evening to hot, thirsty dancers.

The pages for the dance were: Helen Lu Divers, Dorothy Diggs, Betty Beasley, Martha Blythe, Yvonne Rumpfheldt, Lucille Mitchell, Janet James, Frances Smith, Kay Castles, Wye Allan, Becky Lockwood, Maxine Hoffman, Elise Martin, and also several Juniors.