

# Order Of Circle Initiates Five New Members During Midnight Walk

Dalton, Perry, Hammon, Dawson, Oettinger Receive Honor

The Circle, Saint Mary's honor society, walked for the third time this year Monday, April 9. Five new members were initiated. They are Sally Dalton, Evelyn Oettinger, Mary Gage Hammon, Nancy Dawson, and Lois Perry.

Sally Dalton, of Charlotte, is president of the sophomore class, secretary-treasurer of the YWCA, a member of the BELLES staff, the *Stage Coach* staff, and the Beacon. She is a *Sigma*.

Evelyn Oettinger, of Kinston, is chairman of assembly, president of the *Sigma's*, business manager of the BELLES, a member of the Hall Council, Letter Club, Canterbury Club, Athletic Council, and Dramatic Club.

Mary Gage Hammon, of Greenville, South Carolina, is a member of the Canterbury Club and the Altar Guild. She is on the Honor Council for next year and is a *Mu*.

Nancy Dawson, of Elizabeth City, is vice-president of the junior class, vice-president of the Student Government for 1951-52, head cheerleader for the *Sigma's*, and a member of the Canterbury Club and the Dramatic Club.

Lois Perry, from Windsor, is on the Honor Council for next year, a *Mu* cheerleader, and a member of the Canterbury Club and the Dramatic Club.

## Saint Mary's Beacon Taps Six New Members

The Beacon, Saint Mary's high school honor organization, tapped six new members Wednesday, March 21. The organization held its initiation ceremony and party in the Hut after supper on that same date. The girls selected for membership at that time were Vicki Stedman, Laura Matheson, Jean Summers, Mary Michal, Catherine Morrison, and Jean Summerlin.

Membership in the Beacon is one of the highest honors that can come to an underclassman at Saint Mary's. "The Beacon is not a secret organization since the principal purposes are to promote among the high school girls a better school spirit, more cooperation, and participation in extracurricular activities."

Vicki, of Lumberton, is junior warden for the Student Vestry and a *Mu* cheerleader. She is a member of the Canterbury Club, the Dramatic Club, and the *Stage Coach* staff.

Laura, of Ahoskie, is secretary of the sophomore class and a member of the YWCA and Doctors' Daughters' Club. She is a *Sigma*.

Jean Summers, of Richmond, Virginia, is a member of Orchesis, the YWCA, the Dramatic Club, and the Doctors' Daughters' Club. She is a *Sigma*.

Mary, of Waynesville, is a member of the Dramatic Club, the Doctors' Daughters' Club, and the Canterbury Club. She is a *Mu*.

## CAMPUS NOTES

Patricia George, '49 H.S., was recently elected president of the University of North Carolina's chapter of the *Delta Delta Delta* sorority for next year. She is secretary of the sophomore class and last year was social chairman of the freshman class. Pat is a resident of Chapel Hill.

Helen Brundage, '50, is president of the University of North Carolina's chapter of *Pi Beta Phi* sorority. Helen is from Tryon.

Betty Bowles, '50, of Statesville, is the newly elected president of the University of North Carolina's chapter of *Chi Omega* sorority.

Betty Ray, '50, of Faison, is president of the YWCA at the University of North Carolina for the session 1951-52 and also vice-president of the *Pi Beta Phi* sorority.

Marjorie Penton, of Wilmington, has been appointed associate editor of the *Bulletin*. Marjorie is a junior, a member of the choir, the Glee Club, the Granddaughters' Club, and a *Sigma*.

Jo Cooper, '49 H.S., has achieved the distinction of becoming a Junior Durant Scholar at Wellesley. This honor is awarded only to a relatively small number of juniors and seniors who stand at the very top of their classes.

While Jo was at Saint Mary's she ranked first in her class. She won the Pepsi-Cola Scholarship Contest in North Carolina in 1948.

Since being at Wellesley, Jo has also organized and swum in a water ballet.

Widgee Switzer, '50 H.S., of Harrisonburg, Virginia; Beth Harriss, '50, of Wilmington; and Mrs. Ralston Welch (née Betty Ann Williamson, ex '51) were visitors during the week April 5-8.

Evelyn Menzies won a rating of excellent in the State High School Music Contest held in Greensboro April 11. She won the right to enter the finals by winning a rating of superior in the district contest at Meredith College earlier this month. Evelyn was one of twenty-two pianists chosen to play from a larger group of over 200, chosen from all sections of the state. She plans to enter Converse College as a music major in the fall. She is from Hickory and is a student of Donald Peery.

Catherine, of Gastonia, is secretary of the freshman class and a member of the YWCA. She is a *Mu*.

Jean Summerlin, of Goldsboro, is a member of the YWCA and the Dramatic Club. She is a *Mu*.

## Patterson Is Head Of Coming Seniors

Saint Mary's present junior class has elected Ann Patterson as next year's president of the class.

Ann is from Edenton, North Carolina, and has been at Saint Mary's three years. She is active in the Canterbury Club, Altar Guild, Dramatic Club, Orchesis, and is on both the BELLES and *Stage Coach* staffs. She is the current junior class secretary and is a *Sigma*.

The duties of the senior class president are:

1. To keep the page list up to date.
2. To be responsible for the Little Store.
3. To organize the Old-Girl-New-Girl party.
4. To make arrangements for the Senior Dance.
5. To arrange the Class Day program.
6. To take charge of the senior play.
7. To call and preside over meetings of the senior class.
8. To submit to the president of the Student Association the name of the faculty member desired as adviser.
9. To serve on the Legislative Body.

## Saint Mary's Library Receives New Books

Saint Mary's library has received nine new books through membership in the Heritage Club. The Heritage Club specializes in printing classics of all languages. All the books are decorated by leading illustrators with illustrations, type, and paper especially selected to go with the text. The library joined the club in an attempt to arouse interest in the finer editions.

The books already received are *Jane Eyre*, by Charlotte Bronte, *Wuthering Heights*, by Emily Bronte, Stevenson's *Kidnapped*, Goethe's *Faust*, Hawthorne's *House of the Seven Gables*, *Old Goriot*, by Honore De Balzac, *Crainquebille*, by Anatole France, *Madame Bovary*, by Flaubert, and *The Way of All Flesh*, by Samuel Butler.

Books to arrive in the future are Voltaire's *Candide* and Tolstoi's *War and Peace*.

Miss M. D. Jones addressed the Washington Alumnae Chapter in Washington, D. C., April 14.

Miss Bertha Ruef, a former teacher of French at Saint Mary's, has recently visited Miss Bason. Miss Ruef is now working for the Department of Defense in Washington.

I would not mind a woman having the last word if she did not have so many before she gets to it.—OLIN MILLER, *Journal*.

## Chief Laura Hays Will Drop Handkerchief at Close of Year

The Student Body elected as marshals for the year 1951-52 Laura Hays, Margaret Cheatham, Ruth Hines, Anna Redding, Nell Boone Crofton, and Susan Shepherd. Laura Hays will be the chief marshal.

Laura Hays is from Durham. She is a *Sigma* and a member of the Granddaughters' Club, the YWCA, Orchesis, and *Sigma Pi Alpha*.

Margaret Cheatham is from Henderson. She is a *Sigma* and is a member of the Granddaughters' Club, Orchesis, and the Canterbury Club. She is a member of the Altar Guild and is on the BELLES staff. She is also chairman of the decoration committee for the Junior-Senior Dance.

Ruth Hines is from Greenwood, South Carolina. She is a *Sigma* and is a member of the YWCA, the Granddaughters' Club, and the Glee Club. She was recently elected a dance marshal.

Anna Redding is from Long Island, New York. She is a *Mu* and is a member of Orchesis and the Dramatic Club. She is the incoming editor of the 1952 *Stage Coach* and is on the BELLES staff.

Nell Boone Crofton is from Lumberton. She is a *Mu* and is a member of the YWCA.

Susan Shepherd is from Weldon. She is a *Mu* cheerleader, a member of the Glee Club and Orchesis, and is on the Legislative Body.

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tion, the Hall Council, and the Legislative Body, together with duplicates of the annual reports submitted to the President of the school, and to deliver them to the Dean of Students for safekeeping until fall.

Mary Ann Eaddy has always been a Raleigh girl and this is her first year at Saint Mary's. She is a member of the *Sigma Pi Alpha*, the Dramatic Club and is a *Sigma*.

The duties of the president of the day students are:

1. To keep the day students informed of student government activities.
  2. To call and preside over meetings of the day students.
  3. To serve on the Legislative Body.
  4. To submit to the president of the Student Association the name of the faculty member desired as adviser.
  5. To be responsible for order in the day students' room.
- Mary Gage is a *Mu* and a member of the Altar Guild and the Canterbury Club. This is Mary Gage's first year at Saint Mary's.
- Lois is a *Mu* cheerleader and a member of the Canterbury and Dramatic Clubs. Both Mary Gage and Lois are members of the Order of the Circle.
- Their duties are:
1. To attend all meetings of the Honor Council.
  2. To encourage active co-operation with the Student Government Association.