

## AA Plans Softball Game, Supper Tourney, Swimming Instructions

By Sandra Sweet

An outdoor supper will be given May 16th at 5:30 by the Athletic Association. To start things rolling, a softball game has been scheduled for 4:40. The Seniors and Sophomores will play the Juniors and Freshmen, a Big Sister Little Sister affair. Doris Dunn and Pat Melvin are co-captains for the Seniors and Sophomores, and Pat Ritter and Betsy Auten will head the Junior-Freshmen team. Everyone be sure to sign up for the event and lets make our Big Sister-Little Sister softball game a big success!

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Swimming instructions have started. Mary Ella Mize and "Dee" Stone are in charge and

are qualified to give these instructions. They are holding classes for beginners and advanced swimmers. If you would like to enter in one of these classes see either one of these girls as to the time they meet their groups for instruction.

Certain rules and regulations pertaining to swimming have been set up for our protection. Let's be sure to follow these regulations closely, as they are for our safety.

They are as follows:

1. There must be at least three people at the pool, two of the three must be able to swim.
2. Gym suits, beach coats, etc. and shoes are to be worn to the pool.
3. Conservatory or auditorium

doors are to be used when going to the pool.

4. No bottles or other breakable objects are to be taken to the pool.

5. No men or children are allowed at the pool.

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The following girls have been chosen as heads of sports for 1955-56:

- Volleyball — Pat Farmer
  - Basketball — Mary Collins
  - Tennis, Ping Pong, Badminton — Mary Ruth Matze
  - Swimming — "Dee" Stone
- Congratulations girls! You are fine assets to the A. A. Board

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The tennis tournament will begin May 9th and last through May 14th. To be qualified to enter each girl must have four practice hours with a three hour minimum. Each entry will receive 25 points other than the winner and runner-up who will receive 50 points.

## Conservatory Crescendos Campbell Presents Senior Recital

By Julia Naugle

On the evening of April 28th, Miss Kathryn Campbell was presented in her graduating recital in piano. With poise she began her program with the Prelude and Fugue in F minor (W. T. C. vol. I) by J. S. Bach. The lengthy and contrasting "Allegro" from "Faschingsschwank" by Robert Schumann was played with confidence and varying degrees of tone quality.

With the "Polonaise" in C minor op. 42 no. 2 by Chopin Miss Campbell concluded the first group on her program. This selection favorably showed the fine strength of her left hand.

Miss Campbell played Serge Rachmaninoff's "Barcarolle" in G minor op. 10 no.3 with fluent rhythmic control and depth of color, and this selection was followed by "La Serenade Interrompue" by Claude Debussy the great French impressionist. A lovely audible description was portrayed by Miss Campbell in her performance of "Paradise Bird at a Waterfall" by the contemporary Walter Niemann. In conclusion of

this group Miss Campbell played John Powell's delightful "Merry-go-round" from "At the Fair".

Following a brief intermission Miss Campbell played the first movement of the Concerto in G major (K. 453) by Mozart. Dr. Charles Vardell, Jr. performed the orchestral accompaniment on the second piano.

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With reference to a comment made by Mr. Sinclair that was published in the last skirl, Ania Byrdinoff has composed and entitled a "Sonatina Sketched from Byrd-life".

The suggestion was made that Alice Brantley to wear high heels when performing the "Musical Clock".

A group of music students were looking at some bulletins of concerts given at another school. With a grave look Gaddis asked Mary Archie what kind of instrument an oon was. After very serious thought Mary Archie replied that she could not imagine. With an air of triumph Gaddis pointed to one of the programs and said "Here's a recital given by a Bass oonist".

## Cupid Busy This Year At FMC

By Dotti Morris

This has been a busy year for Cupid at Flora Macdonald College. He has been working overtime, it would seem, in order to get all the girls here fitted with the latest style in diamonds.

Mickey Ozlin, who is a Junior from Chase City, North Carolina, was among the first to receive her ring. Mickey got in on December 11, 1954. She is engaged to Gerry Page of Gastonia, N. C., who is studying architecture.

It was on January 30, 1955 that Elvira Tyner, a Sophomore, received her engagement ring from Carroll Ellenburg of Greenville, South Carolina, but who is the coach at the Red Springs High School. They plan to tie the knot on July 23, and will go to the mountains later.

A second year business student, Pat Lovett, became engaged on March 20 to Uly Joe Tanner, a store manager in Hemingway, South Carolina. Pat says they are planning a fall wedding.

Jean Rouse, Sophomore from Snow Hill, North Carolina, was given her diamond Hugh Hardy from La Grange, North Carolina. The event occurred at 7:30 p. m. on the corner of Second and Market in Wilmington, North Carolina. The wedding

will take place sometime after Jean graduates.

April had its share of engagement also. On April 7 Elaine Broadaway, a Freshman, went home to Asheboro, North Carolina for the Spring Holidays. She acquired her ring that afternoon at 2:55 p.m. She is engaged to Gordon Causey, and their wedding plans are indefinite.

Mary Hestor King, a freshman from Wilmington, North Carolina, became engaged to Bobby Lyons on April 23 at 7:40 p.m. He is from Wilmington and will get out of the Army in June. Wedding plans are laid for the Sunday before this coming Thanksgiving.

A week ago on April 30, Frances Shaw received her diamond from Sam Ashford at 9:02 a.m., having been called out of class for the event. They have no definite plans yet as to date of their wedding.

Miriam Barrow, another Freshman, became engaged to Gerald Lamm on February 27. Both are from Lucama, North Carolina. The plans for the wedding are not definite, but it will be in the summer in about two years. Gerald is now stationed in France, but he is expected to be home soon.

## Flora Macdonald Becomes Host To Science Fair

North Carolina Southeastern District Science Fair took place here at F.M.C. on Saturday, April 16. The Fair is an annual event, but this year Flora Macdonald played host for the first time. About nine o'clock in the morning science-minded high school students began to arrive and to set up exhibits in the gymnasium.

A program was held in the auditorium from eleven to twelve which included group singing, a guest speaker, and a skit entitled "Murder of the Elements" given by the students of the Red Springs High School. During this program the exhibits were judged. All students who received red and blue ribbons will be eligible for state competitions, and all participants were presented certificates.

## "Danny Grad" Speaks

Miss Shirley Haskins of Saint Louis, Missouri, spoke to the student body of Flora Macdonald at a morning chapel service Tuesday, May 3. Miss Haskins is a Danforth Graduate and is now working on the campus of East Carolina College, Greenville, North Carolina.

Speaking on the four-fold Christian growth, Miss Haskins used as her scripture Luke 2:52 "He grew in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man." She also thanked the students for the hospitality extended her.

## Chorus Sings In Raleigh

Under the direction of Lawrence M. Skinner, the choral club presented a program in the West Raleigh Presbyterian church of Raleigh, North Carolina, Sunday evening, May 1. The hour's concert consisted of sacred numbers.

Solos were sung by Mary Archie Brown and Julia Lee Ribet sopranos. The College Singers also presented two numbers.

Supper was provided for the choral club members at the church.

Rev. Edwards Agisten, minister, welcomed the group.

Recently the chorus has been recording various numbers for sale during May Day. The recordings were advised by David H. Meese, professor of theory.

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