

CLASS GAMES BEGIN

Shirley Dickinson, basketball manager, gives the following report about the basketball class teams. The Freshmen have been divided into two teams; so as to give more girls a chance to play in games. There is a Sophomore class team. Neither the Juniors nor Seniors had enough girls eligible to make a team, so the classes combined to form a Junior-Senior team.

The classes are playing a Round Robin Tournament this year. That means that each team plays every other team. The point system is two points for every game won and one point for every game tied. The team with the highest number of points wins the tournament.

Games played are as follows:
 Freshmen A won over Freshmen B, with a score of 31-6.
 Sophomores and Junior-Senior teams tied—19-19.
 Freshmen A won over Junior-Senior with a score of 11-5.

Prof.: "What is geometry?"
 Stude: "The little acorn grew and grew and one day woke up and said, 'Gee-om-etry'."—*The Pointer.*

Open House Held In Two Dormitories

Fairecloth and Jones Halls were hostesses at an Open House sponsored by the College Health Committee.

To the Open House were invited all the members of the faculty, administration, and student body.

Prize winners for Jones Hall for the neatest, most attractively arranged rooms were:
 First prize, 117, June Baker and Betty Knowles.

Honorable mention, 209, Sadie Outlaw and Rebecca Maness, 313, Sarah Mull and Evelyn Bowers.

Prize winners for Fairecloth were:
 First prize, 103, Elva Creech and Dae Bulloch.

Honorable mention, 221, Gerry Couch and Rachel Lovelace; 322, Doris Tulbert and Helen Beckwith.

The College Health Committee which planned the event is made up of Mary Frances Comer, Catherine Barefoot, Mary Elizabeth Wilkerson, Mary Catherine MacIntyre, Elva Glenn Miller, and Miss Christine White, faculty adviser.

Juniors Honor the Seniors at Banquet

On Saturday night, February 20, the junior class honored the seniors at their annual banquet. Virginia Ayers, president of the junior class, was in charge of the affair.

A welcome was given by Virginia Ayers followed by a response given by Elizabeth Riggs, president of the senior class. A toast to the dates by Page Rankin was answered by John McMillan of Wake Forest College. The Freshman Quartet consisting of Mary Lee Holder, Jane Watkins, Betty Jean Downey, and Gloria Downing rendered selections. Onie Shields gave a toast to Mother Goose, which was the theme of the banquet.

Another contribution by the freshman class was the skit, "The Sign of the Cleft Heart." Those taking part in this were Elizabeth Shelton, Viola Hoyle, and Mary Davis.

Anne Kramer gave a farewell toast after which the Hut and the parlors were open for entertainment.

College Defense Committee Plans Semester Program

Many clubs and other organizations are putting into effect their defense programs this semester, the chairman of the college defense committee recently announced. Various clubs will sponsor such defense activities as War Stamp-Bond Drive, nylon salvage, and other salvage campaigns.

There will be another blackout soon: the exact time and date will be announced. For a successful blackout, everyone must be familiar with the standard blackout signals and the college all-clear signal.

Meredith advanced First Aiders, many of them after finishing the advanced First Aid course on Tuesday, March 2, are applying to the National Red Cross in order to organize First Aid detachments here at the college. Although this group was not organized for the purpose of operating particularly during blackouts and air raids, they would be in operation during the blackouts here

at Meredith. Such detachments have heretofore been organized in schools, department stores and factories. In order to become a First Aid detachment there must be at least fifteen members in the organization all who have had Advanced First Aid.

Meredith's eighteen members are headed by June Carter, who has charge of those on the freshman side of the campus, and by Elizabeth Brownlee as head of the other side of the campus.

Wake Forest, as reported by the *Old Gold and Black*, has contributed more than any other North Carolina school toward sending free cigarettes to the boys overseas. While word comes that Woman's College, in its second semester of 1942-43, still holds its record for being the second largest woman's college in the United States, and the largest women's residence college in the world.



Life in the WAAC

Some questions and answers of interest to every patriotic college woman

The drilling sounds so strenuous—!



Nonsense! The most beautiful women in America today are the girls in khaki! Some calisthenics and drilling are vital to general good health, discipline and tuned-up reflexes. After a few weeks at Fort Des Moines, Daytona Beach or the new Fort Oglethorpe training center you'll feel better than ever in your life.

Maybe I couldn't like the work?



People are happiest doing what they do well. Every effort is made to place you where your service will count most toward final Victory. You may have some latent talent that will fill a particular need for work interesting and new to women—such as repairing the famous secret bombsight, rigging parachutes, operating the fascinating new electronic devices—or driving an Army jeep over foreign terrain.

Then I have a chance to learn something new?



Yes, indeed. And the list of WAAC duties grows constantly. The training and experience you get in the WAAC may equip you for many stimulating new careers opening up for women.

What are my chances of promotion?



Excellent. The Corps is expanding rapidly and needs new officers, both commissioned and noncommissioned. *Those who join now have the best chances.* All new officers now come up through the ranks. If qualified, you may obtain a commission in 12 weeks after beginning basic training.

What is the age range and other requirements?



Very simple. You may join if you are a U. S. citizen, aged 21 to 44, inclusive, at least 5 feet tall and not over 6 feet, in good health—regardless of race, color or creed. But the Army needs you *now*—don't delay. Total War won't wait!

Linguists needed. If you speak and write Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Japanese, Russian, French, German or Italian, see your local Army recruiting office *now!* You are needed for interpreting, cryptography, communications.

First of all, is the WAAC really needed?



Emphatically *yes!* Already the President has authorized the Corps to expand from 25,000 to 150,000. The Air Forces and Signal Corps have asked for thousands of WAAC members to help with vital duties. Both Ground Forces and Services of Supply are asking for thousands more. Members of the WAAC may be assigned to duty with the Army anywhere—some are already in Africa and England.

Can the WAAC really help win the war?



The whole idea of the WAAC is to *replace trained soldiers* needed at the front. If American women pitch in now to help our Army (as women in Britain, Russia and China do), we can hasten Victory—and peace.

What can my college education contribute?



College training is important equipment for many WAAC duties too long to list. Cryptography, drafting, meteorology, laboratory work, Link trainer and glider instructing, for example. If you are a senior *you may enroll at once* and be placed on inactive duty until the school year ends. See your WAAC faculty adviser for more details.

But can I live comfortably on WAAC pay?



There are few civilian jobs in which you could earn clear income, as WAAC enrolled members do, of \$50 to \$138 a month—with all equipment from your toothbrush to clothing, food, quarters, medical and dental care provided. WAAC officers earn from \$150 to \$333.33 a month.

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