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FIRST VICE PRESIDENT ELECTED

On May 25, in Holt Hall parlor, final elections were held to decide who was to be the next year's first vice president of the Student Body and Sarah Sawyer was elected. This decision was reached after several elections in which Aylett Putney and Frances Warren were the opponents.

The office of the first vice president is a newly created office this year. The duties of the person will be to have charge of the orientation of new students and be chairman of the committee for the revision of the Constitution.

It is believed that Sarah will be very efficient in her office. Since she has been at Saint Mary's she has distinguished herself as an excellent student by making honor roll every month and being a member of the literary society, and as a leader by being made a member of the Circle. May she have the support of the school in her new office.

SENIORS SPONSOR SCHOOL PARTY

On Saturday, May 21, in the parlor, Saint Mary's Seniors sponsored the twenty-seventh annual school party. After the programs were distributed and the classes had seated themselves together, the Seniors, beautifully and tastefully attired in their class dresses, marched in and took their seats in alphabetical order and the program began.

In true Saint Mary's spirit, the first item on the program was "Hail, Saint Mary's," sung gayly by the entire student body. Following this, Tудie gave a friendly welcome to all in tone and attitude that made everyone happy and sad at the same time. In answer to Tудie's speech, the classes sang in turn their praise of the Senior class and the school. All the volume, spirit, and joy of Saint Mary's students' voices was given to the singing of those songs. And the Seniors, too, in their song showed the true spirit of their class.

The next great event was the turning over of the school books to Helen Montgomery by Mary Louise. It was a disinterested person who did not feel the significance of this event. The support and admiration which has been Mary Louise's all this year, will certainly be Helen's next year.

The awards for the six outstanding girls this year were given by Mrs. Cruikshank, with the explanation that they were given for simple virtues as well as outstanding achievements, to: Louise Jordan, Mary Jane Yeatman, Louise Partrick, Mary Anne Koonce, Mary Louise Riddick, and Erwin Gant. The publications awards, presented by Mr. Moore in reward for the girls'

work this year went to: Mary Jane Yeatman, Louise Jordan, Alexa McColl, Helen Noell, Jean Miller, and Sue Clapp.

To the most outstanding person in Saint Mary's every year was given a present when Mary Louise presented to Mrs. Cruikshank a magazine rack from the student body. Then Hallie Townes gave Mary Louise a locket in appreciation of her service and devotion this year. And the Seniors gave a make-up kit to a very appreciative Tудie Neff.

After the serious part of the program was over, the Seniors set out earnestly to entertain the guests and in that task they succeeded admirably. Anne Shook's poem, "Listen My Children," was an excellent tell-tale description of the Seniors. This was followed by a scene in Saint Mary's the afternoon after the Junior-Senior, the Pedagogue Parade, the Swing Sisters, Charlie McCarthy and Edgar Bergen, and a Professor Quiz stunt in which Miss Spruill was the winner.

The Senior superlatives, as announced by Helen Noell, were:

Best All-Round—Mary Jane Yeatman.
Most Intellectual—Louise Jordan.
Most Attractive—Tудie Neff.
Most Popular—Mary Louise Riddick.
Most Original—Ann Dawson.
Best Dressed—Tish Knox.
Cutest—Patsy Jones.
Wittiest—Jean Miller.

The program ended with the singing of the Senior good-bye song and "Alma Mater." Refreshments were served afterwards.

THE DRIVE COMMITTEE

In assembly on Thursday morning, Mary Louise Riddick made an announcement which was joyfully welcomed by all. Next year there will be a new committee at Saint Mary's, the Drive Committee. The chairman will be named by the student body, and the members will be chosen by the chairman. With this committee at work, many beneficial and worthwhile things can be accomplished which have long been needed. The committee's first project will probably be a drive for a new library, as the present one is too small and inadequate. 1938-39 will be the trial year for this committee, and if it is a success the chairmanship will become a major office to be filled by election. This will be a wonderful opportunity for Saint Mary's students to prove that they are willing to work for the things they want, and the things which will make their school a better and a happier one.