

HONOR COUNCIL ELECTIONS HELD

On Friday, October 20, the election of the members of the Honor Council was held in the auditorium, which event marked the installation of the second group of student government officials for this year.

Senior representatives are Hallie Townes and Palmer Smith. Hallie, who is from Wilmington, N. C., was vice president of the student body last year, a member of the Circle, and is serving her second term on the Honor Council. Palmer, from Atlanta, Georgia, during her three years at Saint Mary's has won the affection and esteem of everybody. She is a member of the Sigma Lambda literary society and student assistant in the post office.

The Junior class elected Cornelia Clark, Julia Booker, and Anne Christian. Cornelia, whose excellent record in high school preceded her to Saint Mary's, is from Scotland Neck, N. C. Julia, a member of the publications' staff, is from nearby Chapel Hill. Anne lives in Raleigh and comes here as a day student.

The Sophomore class representative is Mary Kistler, who lives in Morganton, N. C. She has received many honors in her three years at Saint Mary's and is active in all school functions, including the Dramatic Club, publications' staff, Granddaughters' Club, and Sigma Lambda literary society. She was president of the Preps her first year, vice president of the Freshman her second, and secretary of the Riding Club.

The *Belles* congratulates these new members and hopes that they realize the trust and confidence Saint Mary's has placed in them.

FIRST FACULTY RECITAL ENTHUSIASTICALLY RECEIVED

The first in a series of song recitals to be given by the faculty was very enthusiastically received by the Saint Mary's girls and outsiders Monday night. Miss Horn, the new voice teacher, accompanied by Miss Scott at the piano, had planned a program of well known songs. Her poise and charm were effective additions to a beautiful voice. Among the most popular selections were Debussy's "Mandolin" and "Romance;" "Carneval" by Fourdrain; and Strauss' "Zweignung." In English were "Phyllis Has Such Charming Graces," "Sometimes," Walther, and Puccini's "One Fine Day" from *Madame Butterfly*. Miss Horn has not only a talented voice but one that commands the attention of her listeners. Her experience and constant study of the past few years was definitely shown in the quality of her voice and the ease in which she sang her songs.

Another highlight of the evening were the violin selections by Mrs. Dorothy Alden, who was accompanied by Mr. Jones at the piano. Her undoubtable talent was shown in the pieces she played, by Kreisler, Mendelssohn, and a popular one of Schubert's, "The Bee." Admired by everyone, she was called back to the stage several times.

In conclusion, Miss Horn sang several encores in answer to the appreciative applause of the audience. "Who Is Sylvia?" "Songs My Mother Taught Me," and "The Yellow Hammer" were the closing selections that topped a really excellent program.

DRAMATIC CLUB ATTENDS PLAYMAKERS' FIRST PERFORMANCE

On Saturday, October 22, the Carolina Playmakers presented their first performance of the season at Chapel Hill. A large number of the Saint Mary's Dramatic Club members attended it, filing impressively into

Memorial Hall, taking up several rows of seats, and throughout behaving like the well-mannered little ladies they are supposed to be. The play, *Room Service*, was exceedingly amusing: It was concerned with the desperate situation of producer, two friends, a disillusioned playwright, and a play which could not be produced for lack of capital. Startlingly ingenious attempts ranging from pretended illness and forged checks to pretended suicide and insanity were made to secure food and money and to keep the hotel bedroom, the only lodging of the four.

The actors did exceedingly well in spite of bad acoustics. Especially noteworthy was the hysterical hotel manager who could not get the "mad men" out of their long overdue room.

Weak from laughter at the end of the performance, the Saint Mary's girls renewed strength with ice cream and drinks secured at a nearby drug store. The girls returned in their special bus to a sleeping school of unlighted windows. They enjoyed creeping through a dark hall past silent rooms and felt a delicious thrill at being able to guiltlessly turn on the lights at mid night.

CAMPUS NOTES

On Sunday night, October 16, at 6:30, forty-five girls assembled in Mr. Guess' classroom to join the Political Science Club. First, Mr. Guess took charge of elections, and the secretary, Sarah Frances Wright, of Macon, Ga., was elected to make a list of members and take the minutes of the first meeting. Frances Bailes, of Anderson, S. C., was chosen as president. "Skinny," taking three courses under Mr. Guess, Economics, Government, and Sociology, is well qualified for the position. The vice president is Margaret Taylor, of Greensboro, N. C. Although Mr. Guess said a treasurer has no real work to do, Hazel Williams, of Meridian, Miss., was chosen to hold this office.

The Political Science Club, with Mr. Guess as its faculty adviser, meets one Sunday a month, after supper to discuss current events. Girls who take either American Government, Economics, History, or Sociology are entitled to join, and others who are particularly interested may belong with Mr. Guess' permission. The girls are already looking forward to the movie to be attended at the end of the year.

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Members of the Sigma Lambda and the E. A. P. literary societies met together for the first time this term at an informal meeting last Tuesday. The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing new songs to be sung in the dining room. It was decided that in the immediate future three important new songs will be suggested. The first of these is to be sung to any visiting alumna who may be at Saint Mary's. The second song is in honor of a girl who is outstanding for some reason, and the third one is to welcome visitors. After this discussion, Sheppy Quintard and Helen Holt, the respective presidents of the Sigma Lambda's and the E. A. P.'s served delightful refreshments.

GYM NOTES

Beginning November 1, there will be a tap dancing class on Thursday afternoons from four to five o'clock. This class is for anyone who is interested in tapping—beginners, as well as advanced. After November 1, the Dance Club will meet on Friday afternoons from four to five o'clock.