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Saint Mary's Girls To Become Pilots

Caro Bayley, '41, Earns Pilot's License. Margaret Shackelford Completes Six Solo Hours

Caro Bayley, class of '41, completed her C. P. T. training and received her pilot's license on August 20.

Mrs. Cruikshank received this letter from Mrs. Bayley:

SPRINGFIELD, O.
September 5, 1941.

MY DEAR MRS. CRUIKSHANK,

It is with great joy that I write you—not to agonize over Caro's English grades, fatal spelling, or conditions in French—but to say that when I got back from North Carolina, I found her gaily waving a pilot's license.

Caro took the same "Controlled Course" that the Government gives its C. P. T. students at our local airport, along with the government's class of ten boys and one other girl, with ground school every night at Wittenberg College for six weeks. She was one of the first four to pass her Flight Test; receiving her license on August 20.

Since then she has managed to log quite a few hours. Some by scraping together every available nickel—and yesterday one of the instructors asked her to fly to Columbus with someone to bring the plane back to the airport here. We are quite proud of her record. Caro hopes to get a job and keep on flying.

With best wishes always,
Sincerely,

CARO GRAY BAYLEY.

A new Saint Mary's girl, Margaret Shackelford, is following in Caro's footsteps. Margaret, who is from Martinsville, Virginia, started taking flying lessons August 7. She has completed six hours of solo work and has twenty-nine hours to go.

Saint Mary's aviatrix will resume her lessons at the Raleigh airport soon.

NOTICE ALUMNÆ

This first issue of *The Belles* is being given to the last several graduating classes of Saint Mary's in the hope that many old girls will wish to receive copies of the paper regularly. The cost of mailing *The Belles* to you is one dollar a year.

The payment of Alumnæ dues (also one dollar) entitles alumnæ to each copy of this year's *Bulletin*.

Send your two dollars to Miss Sarah Vann, Alumnæ Secretary, Saint Mary's School and Junior College, Raleigh, N. C.

Tucker-Webb Wedding To Be Held In Chapel

Maria Tucker, '36, to be Married By Presiding Bishop Tucker Saturday. Bishop Tucker to Preach Here Sunday

Miss Maria Washington Tucker, former Saint Mary's student, will be married to Mr. Paul Hamilton Waring Webb, of Columbia, South Carolina, on Saturday, September 20, at five-thirty o'clock in the Saint Mary's Chapel, Presiding Bishop Henry St. George Tucker officiating.

Maria was a student at Saint Mary's from 1931 to 1936, finishing her college work at the University of North Carolina. Following her graduation there, she went to New York, where she has recently graduated from St. Luke's School of Nursing.

Her four attendants are all Saint Mary's girls. Annie Cheshire Tucker, '35, is her sister's maid-of-honor, and two other sisters, Elizabeth Toole Tucker, '40, and Sarah Frances Tucker, '43, and a cousin, Alice Cheshire, '36, will be bridesmaids. Bishop Tucker is an uncle of the bride.

The Tucker-Webb wedding will be a small informal ceremony, performed in the presence of family and close friends. A reception will follow immediately at 1616 Ambleside Drive, Raleigh.

On Sunday morning Bishop Tucker will hold service in Saint Mary's Chapel at 10:00 rather than at the usual 11:00 o'clock hour.

CAMPAIGN FOR NEW BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT TO BEGIN IN FEBRUARY

Would Campus Store Win Your Support?

Do You Think the Student Who Suggested a Little Campus Store Has a Good Idea?

A member of the student body has made a suggestion to *The Belles* which the Editorial Staff wishes to place before the students.

Most of us spend at least fifty cents a week at the little store. Why couldn't we students install and manage a little store—a campus store—of our own. The nickels from our "cokes" and "nabs" would then be contributing toward the New Building Campaign, because the Drive Committee would probably run the store.

What about it? Would you be willing to support your own store? No more "gulping" of drinks because the clock says your time is up! No more dodging cars on Hillsboro! Our little store privileges would remain the same.

We may not get our store this year, but in order to show that you are interested, will each of you mark these ballots and drop them in the *Belles Box* on the bulletin board near the post office?

DO YOU PLEDGE TO SUPPORT OUR STORE IF WE SHOULD GET IT?

YES..... NO.....

WHAT DO YOU SUGGEST THAT THE LITTLE STORE CARRY?

SIGNED.....

There is nothing definite or planned about this project yet. This canvass is merely to see if the girl who brought this plan to our attention has the support of the student body behind her. Has she? It's up to you!

New Dormitory, Chaplain's Home, Science Building, and Various Other Improvements Are Being Considered

Some time in February Saint Mary's will begin one of the largest campaigns ever to be undertaken here—that of raising money to be used for the construction of new campus buildings, for the remodeling of some of the older ones, and for buying all sorts of new and much-needed equipment. Of course, with the drive so far in the future not many definite plans have been made. However, the authorities have decided on several improvements if the necessary money can be obtained.

The first and most important need of Saint Mary's is a new science building with laboratory equipment. In this building would be included the Home Economics department as well as the Biology and Chemistry laboratories and classrooms. Other pressing needs of Saint Mary's are new furniture all over the school and the complete renovation of all the buildings.

A new dormitory like Holt is being seriously considered. This, however, would not necessarily mean that the enrollment of the school would be increased, since the two Rocks would probably not be used for student living-quarters. Instead, it is hoped that East Rock can be reconstructed and made into an Administration building, since an increase in office space would be very desirable. West Rock might be used as an Alumnæ building as well as to provide faculty dormitories with reception rooms.

The creation of a scholarship fund to provide financial assistance to certain students has been considered. This would enable more people to attend Saint Mary's than the present scholarships now provide for. An endowment fund for the school is also being considered.

Besides all these improvements, the officers of Saint Mary's have made a list of many of its less important and secondary needs. Some of these are a new residence for our chaplain, the replacement of the present worn-out laundry equipment, a retirement plan for the faculty and officers, better fire protection, a telephone switchboard, the installation of a modern stage for the auditorium and other equipment for this building.

How far this building and reconstruction program will go will be determined entirely by the amount of money raised by the drive. Representatives from the Ward, Wells,

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