

Ellis Arnall's Much Discussed Book in Library

Not often are we privileged to hear an author speak at Saint Mary's the same week that his book becomes available in our library. After hearing Ellis Arnall last Monday night, everyone will want to read his significant book *The Shore Dimly Seen*. If you liked Mr. Arnall's address, you can find out still more about his ideas on education, race problems, and Southern industrialism in this book which is "a wise and suggestive look at that dimly seen shore toward which the nation moves."

Raleigh Author

Frontier on the Potomac, by Raleigh's own Jonathan Daniels, executive editor of the *News and Observer*, can be found in the book trough. He wrote this book after his sojourn in Washington as assistant director of the Office of Civilian Defense, as administrative assistant to the President, and as press secretary to Roosevelt and Truman. As a young boy he lived in Washington when his father was Secretary of the Navy. His picture of Washington life, politics, and personalities is so entirely human that after reading the book you will realize that the executives are not merely machines, but normal human beings like people you meet on the street every day. Let this be a "must" on your spring reading list.

Fiction

For your fiction this week, Kenneth Roberts' latest novel, *Lydia Bailey*, is guaranteed to keep you breathless to the very last page. You will want to know what happens to the young lawyer from Maine who falls in love with the portrait of a girl. Believing her to be in Haiti, he goes in search of her, reaching the island at the time of the bloody Negro uprising under Toussaint. What happens when he finds the girl in the portrait we will leave for you to read. The *Saturday Evening Post* of April 12, containing the story of *Raleigh* (page 20) is in the library. If you haven't read it yet, by all means stop by the magazine rack and read this interesting article.

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Work to Begin on Recreation Room Next Week

Work on the long-awaited recreation room will get under way next week, announced Joan Hassler, Thomasville, chairman of the Recreation Committee. A coke machine will be installed, and the circle will sell food. Plans have been made to decorate the room temporarily until the furniture that has been ordered arrives. Girls who have old pillows which they wish to donate may turn them in to Joan Hassler, Mary Lou Pratt, Gene Hines, or Margaret Norfleet.

Town Talk

Last week-end the day students went visiting: "Trina" Blake went to Camden, S. C.; Mary Marshall Ragland, Mary Ann Kirkpatrick, and Lillian Evans went to Spring Frolics at Davidson; Barbara Crawford went to Greensboro, Violet LaRue to Carolina for the Playmakers' Festival, and Armeicia Eure to a KA party at Carolina.

Barbara Marley attended a Delta Sig picnic out at the Tar Heel Club. She says she had a mighty good time! Our two tennis champs, Barbara Pope and Nell Fulghum, represented Saint Mary's at the tournament at Carolina. And while Georgia Stathacos was gaily dancing in Wilson, Dot Godwin was having a wonderful time—he came all the way from Florida to see her!

School and Gallery To Exhibit Work Of Art Students

With the end of the school year approaching, the annual exhibitions of school art have already begun.

Exhibitions at State Art Gallery

Started about five years ago by Miss Katherine Morris, an exhibition is held each spring at the North Carolina State Art Gallery by North Carolina Elementary School Children and by the art departments from colleges in Raleigh.

The current showing is one of elementary schools. The work was done during the year in various schools throughout the state.

College Show in May

The show in May will include work from various colleges in Raleigh. Each department is allowed between ten and fifteen pieces of its best work. Preparation has already begun in the Saint Mary's studio for this exhibition.

Saint Mary's Exhibition

Saint Mary's art department also has its own annual exhibition, which is held during graduation week. At this time the best work representative of what has been done in the department during the year is shown for the students and their parents.

Frances Drane Speaks to Club

Representing Saint Mary's at the Woman's Auxiliary Convention at the Episcopal Church in Henderson April 16, Frances Drane, Monroe, spoke to the gathering about the year's accomplishments of the Saint Mary's Auxiliary. Katherine Wilcox, Roanoke, and Helen Eppes, Henderson, also attended the meeting.

Begun Last Year

The Auxiliary at Saint Mary's was started last year with Cynthia McCaw as first president. The Henderson Auxiliary has been interested in the progress of the organization and has offered its help and support.

"Guilty" Still Heads List

It's been at the top a long time now, but "Guilty" is still the most popular record in the country. Margaret Whiting is holding her own as the vocalist with the best recording of the nation's top hit. Capitol is the lucky company to issue this platter. Other recordings of it are put out by Black and White, featuring Nick DeLano, and by Victor with Johnny Desmond featured. The former is the most original arrangement.

"Russian Patrol," an adaptation of the popular "Meadowland," marching song of the Russian army, by Jerry Gray, Glenn Miller's former arranger, is the fastest and jazziest of the new two-part records. Mercury has released this platter, and it's so popular that copies are scarce already.

A French "Mam'selle"

From one of the best movies of the year, "The Razor's Edge," comes "Mam'selle," the theme featured as background music for French cafe scene. Art Lund sings the words set to this haunting melody which is put out by M.G.M. records.

Fast and Hot

"Everything's Movin' Too Fast" is Peggy Lee's newest offering to the swing collection. It's on Capitol records with "It's Lovin' Time" on the other side.

Wingy Manone, that jive man of the trumpet, revives "Paper Doll" and "Besame Mucho" on Capitol for his fans. The vocals are also done by Manone in that much talked about "gravel-voice" of his.

"Stars Fell on Alabama" is also

having a fresh start aided by Woody Herman's new recording of it for Columbia records. On the other side of the platter is "Sidewalks of Cuba," which isn't up to standard.

For Ellington Fans

For Duke Ellington fans there is his new arrangement, just out, of "Happy-Go-Lucky Local." Musicraft released this and it takes two sides of the record to complete it. Critics say it will go down in music's annals as a jazz classic.

Perry Como is also at the top of the popular record list this week with not one, but two records. They are "What Am I Gonna' Do About You?" with "I Got a Gal I Love" on the flipover, and "That's Where I Came In" with "I Want to Thank Your Folks" on the second side. Both of these hits are put out by Victor.

Sweet and Smooth

Smooth Les Brown's orchestra has succeeded again in making another new song popular. It's "My Number One Dream Came True" for Columbia.

Buddy Clark does a grand job on Columbia of "Linda." "Love Is a Random Thing" is on the other side.

Still It's "Hoodle-Addle"

And still holding its own with all the new hits in Tex Beneke's recording of "Hoodle-Addle" with the "Anniversary Song" on the back. This one is released by Victor records.

Billy Eckstine fans will love his new recording of Jerome Kern's "All the Things You Are" and "Don't Take Your Love From Me" on National records.

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dances for the pageant. Choreography has been created by solo dancers, and by group dancers under direction of Mrs. Guess. Thus all dances will be results of creative effort. Music by Bellini, Gershwin, Shostakovich, Debussy, Tchaikowsky, MacDowell, Prokofie, Kabalevsky, Miller, Liszt, and Chopin will be used to accompany the dances.

Accompanists

Members of Glee Club, directed by Miss Geraldine Cate, will sing for the entrance of each Season except Autumn, who will be heralded by a piano duet, *Ballet*, by Debussy, played by Mrs. Rosalie Moffett and Miss Ann Arthur. Songs by Glee Club will be *In These Delightful Groves* by Purcell, *Summertime* by Gershwin, *Soft-footed Snow* by Lie, *Spring Chorus* from *The Bartered Bride* by Smetana, and *I'm Always Chasing Rainbows* by Carrol.

Mrs. Rosalie Moffett, accompanist for the dancing classes, will be assisted at the piano by Miss Ann Arthur. Margery Carey, Orlando, Fla., violinist, will accompany two solo dances, and Myra Jarosz, Graham, will accompany Glee Club.

Saint Mary's Choir Sings at N. C. State

"Angel Voices" (Getchaniff) and "In Thy Presence" (Dubois) were two anthems sung by the Saint Mary's choir, under the direction of Russell Broughton, at State College Monday evening, April 14, in co-operation with State's Religious Emphasis Week, April 13-17.

"Reconstruction"

Theme of Religious Emphasis Week, "Christianity and Reconstruction," was carried out by the speaker, the Rev. Mr. Robert E. Lee, Monday night, who discussed "Putting What You Believe to Work."

Before singing at Pullen Hall church services, girls went by special bus to State, where choir members were special guests of the YMCA at dinner.

Former Secretary Will Wed Soon

The engagement of Miss Margaret Downey Hopkins to William Wallace Downes has been announced by her parents. The wedding will take place Saturday, April 26, in the Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Bel Air, Md. Miss Hopkins is former alumnae secretary of Saint Mary's.

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