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## Continue Playing

"YOU DON'T QUIT PLAYING because you grow old, you grow old because you quit playing." That quotation, which appears outside the Raleigh YMCA applies not only to men, but to girls also. At Saint Mary's with the Sigma and Mu athletic societies, there is no chance to quit playing, but there is a chance to lose interest and pep by growing old in spirit.

Losing this interest and pep, other things develop in its place. A likely substitute for enthusiasm is argument. In fact, argument is a substitute for bad playing, bad errors, fumbles, and anything that might happen in a ball game.

Half the fun of playing is in working together. Good, clean competition offers much. When there is fussing, "feudin' and fighting" much of the joy of playing is lost with it.

Needless to say, the decision of the umpire goes first always. Whether or not the umpire is right, she cannot change her mind. An error called is an error played, although many times we think we are completely in the right. Plays look different to people, but the person chosen to umpire has more knowledge of the game than any of the players.

First and foremost in any sport is the way the game is played. In winning a game, often more is lost than won. Throughout our competitions next year, whether we are at Saint Mary's or not, let us forever keep before us that the game is merely a means to an end—and sportsmanship is the most important factor.

# Personality Previews

JEAN ROBERTS

"Businesslike and full of fun with a helping hand for everyone."

Hails from—Durham.

Craves—cheeseburgers with onions and ketchup.

Loves to—go on cabin parties.

Simply loathes—studying, especially Spanish.

Lives to—catch a husband.

Always sayin'—"Hurry up, Weddy."

Has passion for—Duke, and the beach.

Enjoys—playing golf.

Is wild about—"any kind of flower I can get."

Loves to smell—Aphrodesia.

Always humming—"Always."

Hair 'n' eyes—brown 'n' grey, green or blue (they change!).

Plans to—go to Carolina with Weddy and Lilly Bet.

Remarks: Sweet and stylish . . . served as president of the senior class this year . . . lives with "Weddy" on second West Wing . . . good listener . . . plans to go to Morehead, Virginia Beach, and the mountains this summer . . . patient . . . member of the Circle . . . popular.

NANCY O'KEEFFE

"Pep, punch and personality."

Hails from—Bluefield, West Va.

Craves—home-made strawberry ice cream.

Loves to—discuss McCaulie.

Simply loathes—nothin' in particular.

Lives to—become a "Tar Heel."

Always sayin'—Hi-ii!

Has passion for "them West Virginia hills."

Enjoys—shooting archery.

Is wild about—orchids.

Likes to smell—"My Sin."

Always humming—"Temptation."

Hair 'n' eyes—brunette 'n' blue.

Plans to—go to St. Luke's Hospital of Nursing.

Remarks: Vivacious vice-president of the senior class . . . big blue eyes and cute figure . . . rooms in spacious room with Gene Rose on 3rd Smedes . . . witty . . . good sport . . . loyal upholder of the Sigma Athletic Society.

VIRGINIA WOODLEY

"A ring on the finger is worth two on the phone."

Hails from—Norfolk, Va.

Craves—"all food."

Loves to—look out West Rock window.

Simply loathes—lotsa' things.

Lives to—graduate and get married!

Always sayin'—"Rilly."

Has passion for—Norfolk, Va.

Enjoys—playing basketball.

Is wild about—"Sweet William."

Prefers—Chanel No. 5.

Always humming—"Guilty."

Hair 'n' eyes—brown 'n' blue.

Plans to—go to William and Mary (with William).

Remarks: Well-liked secretary of the senior class . . . good-natured . . . rooms in the "rock" with Rose . . . tall . . . has very definite ideas about very definite things . . . almost missed out on the figure at the junior-senior . . . Sigma.

ROSE WALLACE

"A cute little bundle of fun."

Hails from—Chase City, Va.

Craves—cheeseburgers and ice cream sandwiches ('specially on Friday).

Loves to—look out West Rock window too.

Simply loathes—not being able to take a nap in the afternoon.

Lives to—finish school.

Always sayin'—"Lemme tell ya'."

Has passion for—Chase City, Va.

Enjoys—playing croquet.

Is wild about—gardenias.

Likes to smell—Straw Hat.

Always humming—"The Gypsy."

Hair 'n' eyes—brown 'n' green.

Plans to—go to Randolph Macon with "Crow."

Remarks: Petite, witty . . . and always good-natured . . . has been at Saint Mary's three years . . . treasurer of the senior class . . . stands 5' 1/2" . . . member of the Circle . . . constantly cutting up with "Crow" . . . Sigma . . . enthusiastic over everything.

# Campus Notes

Dr. and Mrs. Richard G. Stone attended the convention of Divisions of East Carolina at Beaufort where Dr. Stone spoke concerning Saint Mary's School.

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Mr. Charles Sturgis, of Honolulu, Hawaii, visited the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. I. Harding Hughes May 14. Mr. Sturgis is former of Henderson.

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The Rev. and Mrs. James Fortune of Durham attended the meeting of the Faculty Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary on Monday, May 12. Mr. Fortune, minister in charge of the Epiphany Church in Durham, gave an address on his work among the deaf in North Carolina.

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Miss Allie Bell attended a meeting of the alumnae in Henderson May 21 at the home of Mrs. R. S. Davis.

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Miss Florence C. Davis attended a Grecian play at Randolph Macon, Lynchburg, Va., on May 10th.

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Jane Bowler, ex '47, visited the campus May 8 as a guest of Elizabeth Roberts.

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Mrs. D. Boyd Kimbell, Henderson, visited her daughter Marjorie Lou to celebrate her birthday May 18.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Carter visited their daughter, Betsy, Saturday, May 17.

## Glee Club, Pianists Present Concert

Combined talents of the Glee Club under the direction of Miss Gertrude Cate, and piano students will highlight Saint Mary's annual student music recital tomorrow night at 8:30 in the auditorium.

### Program

The Glee Club will begin the program with *Prayer for Saint Mary* from the "Centennial Cantata" and *Dedication Hymn* by Russell Broughton. They will continue with *In These Delightful Pleasant Groves* and *With Drooping Wings* from "Dido and Aeneas" (Purcell), and *How Merrily We Live* (Este).

The piano program will include *Nocturne in E minor* (Chopin) played by Barbara Pope, *Prelude in G sharp minor* (Rachmaninoff), played by Myra James Graham; *Personage Throwing Stone at a Bird* and *Two Children Menaced by a Nightingale* (Trigres) played by Mary Nelson Smithwick, Louisburg; and *Malaguena*, ranged for two pianos (Lecuona) played by Josephine Cooper and Barbara Pope.

The Glee Club will conclude the program with a group composed of *Spring Chorus* from "The Barber's Bride" (Smetana); *The Summer Time* from "Porgy and Bess" (Gershwin); and *Donkey Serenade* from "Firefly" (Friml).

## Sophomores Prefer Caps and Gowns

Now that commencement time is upon us, the BELLES inquiring reporter wants to know: **Should sophomores wear caps and gowns at graduation?**

Katharine Mosely, Kinston, sophomore: "I think we should wear caps and gowns so commencement would be more impressive. The sophomores here at Saint Mary's don't have enough prestige."

Harriet Barnwell, Columbia, S. C.: "I don't think the sophomores should wear caps and gowns because there isn't enough emphasis on their graduation here. For a girls' school, I think some white uniform dress is more appropriate."

Barbara Schumacher, Robbins, freshman: "Yes, they certainly should. Girls who have come to Saint Mary's deserve recognition

for their diligently earned high school diploma."

Susan Jenkins, Goldsboro, sophomore: "I think high school graduation is the most important of all graduations because it is the end of 12 years of work. Therefore, I think we should wear caps and gowns so it will be more impressive."

Laura Page, Charlotte, sophomore: "I don't think it is so important that we wear caps and gowns, but I do think graduation from high school is a very important occasion and should have more significance."

Etta Craig Dick, Charlotte, sophomore: "There isn't enough emphasis placed on high school graduation here at Saint Mary's. Students everywhere look forward to this graduation, and the Saint Mary's sophomores are no exception."