

Pastels on Parade

A fashion show of stripes, plaids, checks, pastels, and chambrays was featured at the Home Economics Exhibit Monday evening, May 19, in the quadrangle in front of Holt Hall.

Lila "Sandy" Spilman, Statesville, modeled four dresses in the show. Outstanding among these was a ballet-length evening dress of white embroidered swiss over luscious pink, one of the "eye catchers" at Saint Mary's Junior-Senior dance. Her novelty crepe afternoon dress was also one of the exhibit's feature attractions.

Marilyn Whetstone, Upper Nyack, N. Y., and Josephine Hoyt, Washington, each had a two-piece cotton dress on display.

Aurelia Fulton, Walnut Cove; Lucile Best, Clinton; and Margaret Wilkins, Durham, had dresses of the same pattern, but their choice of materials made their dresses appear entirely different.

Emily Fisher, Josephine Cusick, Nancy Duckett and Eleanor Tucker, all "belles" of Raleigh, each had two cool cotton summer dresses on display.

Willie Marjorie Reddick, Scotland Neck, also modeled a similar dress.

Janet Frazier, day student of Cary, exhibited two dresses, a pink striped one and a tailored green one.

Martina Fillmore, Tarboro, and Etta Craig Dick, Charlotte, displayed dresses with the new "balloon" sleeves. Martina's was a green, and Etta Craig's azure blue.

Miss Elizabeth Bason, instructor to these future dressmakers, commented that each member of the class had worked well on her dresses, and as a result had achieved two stylish and becoming dresses. Some, she added, were exceptionally well made.

Eight Students Present Recital

Eight students of Mrs. Janice Fitzgerald Wellons presented a studio recital May 20 at 5 p.m.

Opening the program, Myrtle Alston, Henderson, played *Adagio from Sonata in F* (Mozart). Barbara Wooten, Gastonia, and Katharine Moseley, Kinston, next played a duet, *Allegro from Symphony II* (Mozart).

Barbara Pope, Dunn, played two selections, *Little Suite* (Harris), and *Nocturne in E Minor* (Chopin).

Pastorale (Scarlatti), was played by Katharine Moseley and Shubert's duet, *False Nables*, was done by Jeanne West and Shirley Ann Fox, Raleigh.

Josephine Cooper, West Hartford, Conn., played *Sheep and Goat Walking to the Pasture* (Guion), followed by Bellini's *Pinocchio*, by Barbara Wooten.

Mary Leah Thorne, Farmville, played *Prelude in B Minor* (Scriabine).

Concluding the program, Barbara Pope and Josephine Cooper performed a two-piano arrangement of Lecuona's *Malaquena*.

SAINTS' SALLIES

REMEMBERING . . .

The end has finally come and our days at Saint Mary's are over. Gosh, we've had a lot of fun. Remember last year when we first arrived? Were we homesick? Just the thought of giving up that soft bed at home for a little cot, and getting up at 7 o'clock! Then the family left; Casper rang the cowbell, and we all marched to the dining room to eat our first meal at Saint Mary's—cheese and crackers, potato chips, grits, and peaches. Sure didn't seem like home, but after all, we were college girls now.

Girl-Breaks

It was funny going up and breaking on a boy at the first girl-break, but in this way we got to meet all the cute boys. Martha Conger had a date who wore an argyle sweater and a red tie; he really got a rush! After that things flew along, and before we knew it, the seniors were going home for their long week-end. It didn't take Christmas long to get here, and for many of us it was our first trip home. Remember how everybody got the "flu" about a week before vacation started, and how Holt parlor was turned into a hospital? Mary Anna, do you and Anne Huske remember how excited you were when you came back to school with your new fur coats? Gosh, were we jealous! Next, here came February, and no doubt, Ginger, Weddy, and about eleven others will never forget that fateful day of February 14th. Didn't know six weeks could be so long.

Spring Vacation

Spring vacation came none too soon, and what fun! In fact, several girls were having so much fun they didn't make it back on time. Then came "May Frolies" at Carolina. "Strook," you ought to remember how much fun that was. In the midst of all this Miss Harmon gave us each a pig to dissect in Biology Lab. Wasn't it about this same time that Peggy Swindell was a constant visitor to the Phi Gam house, and "Beau" Welsh thought of nothing but Fort Bragg? With May here our first year of college life was almost at an end and none of us were too sad, because just the thought of being a senior next year was enough to make anybody happy.

By the end of May "Crow" and Libba were talking of nothing but Virginia Beach. "Demp" was in a worried state of mind as to how she could possibly be at Camp Carolina on the Saturday before school was out, but things worked out fine. You really didn't miss too much, "Demp." Sara Mell could hardly wait to see the land of Alabama. When Doolie dropped the handkerchief, we didn't know whether to laugh or cry. Just think, we wouldn't see "Wce," "Teenie," Loula, and Kathryn again for a long time. It didn't take us long to forget all thoughts of short stories, exams, and all our hard studying at Saint Mary's when we hit the

cool water at the beach and dated until all hours. . . .

Back Again

September 18, and we were all back. Seniors Jane Thomas and Joan Hassler came back pinned, and Marty Hinkle was desperately in love. In October "Bee" and "Bo" added their names to the list of girls pinned, but "Bo" quickly withdrew hers. The first big event was the Stagecoach Dance. Lots of us agreed this was the best dance we'd ever been to. "Sibbie," do you, Mary Leah, and "Midgie" remember that night at the hotel after the dance? The Duke-Carolina week-end came next, and what could have been more perfect than Tommy Dorsey's music—unless it was Tex Beneke's at Fall Germans. The month of December was full—Duke-Carolina, Fall Germans, Senior Dance, and December 7th—one day some of us would like to forget.

Christmas

Christmas couldn't have been better. A dance every night, and more men than it was possible to date. "Ginny" Woodley decided she wasn't going to stay single any longer, so she popped up with a diamond; then Cynthia, who wasn't going to be outdone, told us of her engagement. Right after all the excitement of Christmas we all found it hard to settle down to studying for exams, but nevertheless, we knew we had it to do, and so we did. Will you ever forget that English exam? For the first time Saint Mary's gave everybody a free week-end after exams, and if anybody ever needed one, it was us.

Mid-winters and Valentine's blew in in full force in February, and after that Mid-winters at State. Lucy Brewer, you remember that night. After we counted the days for so long, March 21 arrived. "Coop" and "Woolie" pawned just about everything they owned and had a wonderful time in New York. Betsy Wetterau, we were really proud of you when you told the coffee to go boil some place else. Ann Jennings, just remember KA's are swell at Georgia, but after all there's no place like Chapel Hill. "Chubby" couldn't let Fripp be ahead of her, so she jotted her name down with all the rest of girls with "frat" pins. Margaret Lee put Saint Mary's in the limelight when she led the ring figure at V.M.I.

May Day

May Day Sande, you really made us proud to have you as a member of our class. No May Queen ever looked prettier. Harriott, guess you remember that week-end and the Sigma Mu's. Maggie, wasn't it fun on Tuesdays and Thursdays going to the Little Store and waiting for those phone calls? Mary Anna beat us all when she went to the beach for her week-end. May Tenth and Junior-Senior. Heavenly—that's all we can say about that. And last of all finals at Carolina. The perfect way to end our year.

Library Receives Two New Books

"Is our civilization doomed?"

Although this question will probably always be unanswered, the significant book, *A Study of History*, by Arnold J. Toynbee, presents an excellent study of the rise and fall of civilizations. This book, a condensation by D. C. Somervell of Toynbee's six-volume work, was presented to the Saint Mary's library by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Crawley in memory of the late Eliot F. Stoughton. Mrs. Crawley, the former Miss Adelaide Winslow, was assistant librarian here at Saint Mary's for three years.

Probably one of the most outstanding new books in the library is *The New World*, edited and annotated by Stefan Lorant. This book contains the first pictures of America made by John White and Jacques Le Moyne and engraved by Theodore De Bry. It is beautifully bound, and the pictures are reproduced in their original lovely colors so far as they have survived. "This book must be pronounced the most important historical volume of the year." Although you may not have time to read a complete book in these last few days, it will be worth your time to look through this volume of America's first picture—a work of art in itself.

Birthdays

- May 27—Joanna Roberts
- 28—Nancy Cumming
- Musette Brown
- 30—Margaret Way
- June 1—Margery Carey
- Lizzie Hancock

For lots of us it was our last trip to the Hill and we just had to make it, English quarterly or not!

We've got so much to remember—playing bridge till all hours, the D.I. and the fun we had, cooking hamburgers in the room, sleeping through breakfast, Mrs. S. T. Stevens, picnics, Lassiter's Mill, the Soda Shop, trips to the Toddle House. Why, we could go on for pages, but you remember all of this and maybe a lot more.

UNLUCKY?

We thought we were the unlucky class when we got all the hard teachers and tough courses, but it hasn't been so bad; it's been fun. None of us will ever regret these last two years. Of course, for a few, things were a little tough, but in time all the bad things will be forgotten and the things that we'll remember most will be the friends we've made. Just think, in 1955 you'll be sending your daughter to Saint Mary's along with the rest of us. Let's make these last few days really count and tie our friendship knots just as tight as we can. Juniors, make the most of your senior year. It's the best time of all. We're leaving Saint Mary's in your hands; please take good care of it because it's really a wonderful place.