

Music Department Presents Students In Final Recital

Violin Solo Opens Program; Pianists, Vocalists Featured

A joint voice, piano, and violin recital by students of Miss Geraldine Cate, Mrs. Janice Fitzgerald Weltons, and Miss Mary Ruth Haig was presented Thursday, May 22, in the Saint Mary's auditorium.

Opening the program, Margery Carey, Orlando, Fla., played *Andante and Allegro* from Sonata No. 1, for the violin (Handel). Following this, Martha Upchurch, Raleigh, sang another selection by Handel, *O Sleep, Why Dost Thou Leave Me?* Katharine Moseley, Kinston, next played *Pastorale* (Searlatti).

Two numbers by Mozart, *Sonata No. 5*, 2nd Movement, and *Vedri Carino*, were played and sung respectively by Barbara Daniel, and Sally Ann Borthwick, Winston-Salem. Eleanor Pollard, Asheville, played *Sonatina in C Major, No. 3*, by Clementi. Barbara Pope, Dunn, followed, playing *Nocturne in E Minor* by Chopin. *Prelude in B Minor* by Scriabin was played by Mary Leah Thorne, Farmville.

Two songs were sung next by Nelson Edens, Garner, and Mary Helen Nicholson, Raleigh. They sang *Ich Grolle Nicht* (Schumann), and *Ouvre ton Coeur* (Bizet).

Miss Haig and Nancy Hobbs, Raleigh, played *Finale from the Violin Sonata*, arranged for two pianos (Cesar Franck).

My Lover Is a Fisherman (Strickland), *Blackbird's Song* (Cyril Scott), and *Love Has Wings* (Rogers), were sung by three of Miss Cate's voice pupils, Faye Lee, Smithfield, Barbara McLaughlin, Orlando, Fla., and Mary Jo Whisenant, Maiden.

The novel *Pinocchio* (Bellini) was played by Barbara Wooten, Gastonia. Josephine Cooper played *Sheep and Goats* (Guion). Varying the program, Betty Williamson, Raleigh, sang *The Nightingale and the Rose* (Rimsy Korsakoff), and Mary Lou Abdalla sang *The Time for Making Songs*.

Three selections by Rachmaninoff were next played. *Polichinelle* by Virginia Leland, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; *Prelude in G Sharp Minor*, by Myra Jarosz, Graham; and *Prelude in G Minor*, by Emily Fisher. Barbara Marley, who has been a guest on the Stars of Tomorrow broadcast over WRAL, sang *Cara Nome* (Verdi).

Concluding the program, Josephine Cooper and Barbara Pope played an arrangement for two pianos, *Malaguena* (Lecuona).

This recital concludes the student recital series in the auditorium.

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Betsy Siler, Waynesville, and Margaret Cooper, Raleigh, are working the lights, while Laura Page, Charlotte, and Jo Anne Darden, Newsoms, Va., are handling publicity.

Myrtle Alston, Henderson, and Betty Ann Cooper, Greensboro, are in charge of the grounds.

Commencement Schedule

Schedule for the 105th Annual Commencement of Saint Mary's May 30-June 2 is as follows:

Friday, May 30

8:15 p.m. "Twelfth Night," the Saint Mary's Dramatic Club under the direction of Miss Florence Davis.

Saturday, May 31

11:00 a.m. Sophomore Class Day Exercises.

1:00 p.m. Alumnae Luncheon and Meeting in Dining Hall.

4:00 p.m. Senior Class Day Exercises.

8:30 p.m. Student Music Recital.

Sunday, June 1

8:00 a.m. Holy Communion in the Chapel.

11:00 a.m. Morning Prayer in the Chapel and Baccalaureate Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Robert L. Crandell, Rector, Saint Peter's Church, Charlotte.

5:00 p.m. Organ Recital and Alumnae Service.

Monday, June 2

10:30 a.m. Graduating Exercises in the Auditorium.

Speaker, Francis R. B. Godolphin, D.D., Dean of the College, Princeton University.

Presentation of Diplomas in the Chapel.

Pendleton Hogan, Novelist, Urges People To Help Chinese

"I urge anyone who can possibly do so to go into missionary work in China," said Pendleton Hogan, author and winner of the Legion of Merit, who spoke here last week. Having spent some time in China while he was in the army, Mr. Hogan is well-acquainted with the conditions of the country.

During his six months stay in Shanghai, Mr. Hogan, then a lieutenant colonel in G-5, encountered many interesting experiences, including meeting the Generalissimo. An opera party given by Chiang Kai-Chek and attended by Mr. Hogan supplied unusual material for an article in the *New Yorker*.

According to the author, China is in dire need of medical and church missionaries. In the mission schools the Chinese have been taught to speak English, a language consid-

ered necessary by many of the educated Chinese. They have also been taught cleaner and better living, he says.

For the past year Mr. Hogan, a cousin of Mrs. Stone, has lived in New Orleans, where he has written a short story which will soon appear in *Collier's*, and a novel, *The Porcelain Path*. With an American army captain and an educated Chinese guerilla the main characters, *The Porcelain Path* begins at Peishiyi, an air field outside Chunking, and ends six days later in Shanghai. During his visit on the Saint Mary's campus as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Stone, Mr. Hogan corrected the typed script of his new novel.

This was his first visit to Raleigh, and he says he has had a delightful time. He has now gone to Washington, D. C., his home.

More Education Beckons Girls

Although "Much studying is a weariness of the flesh," many sophomores and seniors who are graduating from Saint Mary's this year are planning to attend other schools next fall.

Among the most interesting are Margaret Norfleet and Martha Conger, who are going to New York to attend Tolie Coburn School for Fashion Careers. Planning to enter the nursing profession, Nancy O'Keeffe, Bluefield, W. Va., and Priscilla Ford, Washington, are going to St. Luke's Hospital, New York.

Faithful to their South Carolina breeding, three "sandlappers," Harriet Barnwell and Elizabeth Childs, Columbia, S. C., Betty Clarke, Manning, S. C., have big plans to attend the University of South Carolina. Sarah Margaret "Tumpie" Hudson, Shelby, is also going there.

To five Saint Mary's girls Randolph-Macon will open its doors: Rose Wallace, Chase City, Va.; Katherine Clarke and Betty Adkerson, Lynchburg, Va.; Martha Brickhouse, Norfolk, Va.; and Eleanor Pollard, Asheville.

With plans to study child psychology, Virginia Ewers, Madison Mills, Va., is going to Richmond

Professional Institute. Betty Asbill, Raleigh, is planning to go back to her native state and attend Agnes Scott. Others down Georgia way who will attend the University of Georgia are Lillian Lumpkin and Ann Jennings, Americus, Ga.

Sally Ann Borthwick, Winston-Salem, is planning to lend her talents to the radio station in her home town, and Martha Dillard, Lynchburg, Va., is going to live at home and attend Phillips Secretarial School.

Journeying way out to California, Violet La Rue, Raleigh, is going to the University of Southern California. Another bound for a big university is Janet Reese, Fairmont, W. Va., who is going to the University of West Virginia.

Marguerite "Pody" Way, Waynesville; Ann Wicker, Tarboro; Sylvia Green, Williamston; and Elizabeth Taylor, Winston-Salem, are going to Salem College.

Living at home, Anne Harmon, MeBee, S. C., will attend Coker College, Hartsville, S. C., and Helen Boyle, Charlotte, is turning Presbyterian and is going to Queens.

To the Woman's College of

Laughter, Shouts, Bangs, Proceed From 'Rec Room'

It's here! The mysterious bangs and shouts coming from the basement have materialized in the "rec room," which at last blossomed out after a long session of painting and scrubbing with tempera, turpentine, and Bon Am.

Now one can dash down in the afternoon, play a few of the records donated by the dance marshals on the "vie" (which, incidentally, was bought with money left by the dance marshals of last year), or buy "big towns" and crackers to accompany one's col-

Bridge fiends are already being coming attached to the "rec room card table," and the just plain "loafers" can usually be found parked on one of the rec room's, whose gay covers were donated by students. One of the rec room's main features is that of friend food, sold at the little counter by the "Y" at night by the Circle from 4 to 5 (P.M. that is).

The walls have been given a coat of white paint, and a ping pong table, three-way floor lamp, pillows, huge white ash-tray (really wash bowls your grandmother used) complete the friendly little rec room's wardrobe, while the Granddaughters' Club is donating money to Saint Mary's new "hangout" for future permanent fixtures.

The rec room is fast becoming a familiar Saint Mary's landmark and almost every night around nine-thirty one can find a crowd congregated in "Holt basement dancing, eatin', talkin', concelebratin' on that bridge game, just "floppin'."

Acolytes Chosen By Mr. Hughes

Mary Pierson, Enfield; Helen Eppes, Henderson; Preston Weathers, Moorestown, N. J.; Mary Pierce, Greensboro, were recently appointed by the Rev. I. Harding Hughes as acolytes for next year.

To serve as crucifers Leona Williams, Faison, and Luck Flinders, Swainsboro, Ga., were also selected.

North Carolina, Greensboro, are going Nancy Ford, Washington Glenn Hardin and Josephine Chick, Raleigh.

Going up North, Laura Page, Charlotte, and Betsy Carter, Pinehurst, are planning to go to Vassar. Serena Ashburn is going to Mary Washington, and Virginia Woodley to William and Mary. Two Florida girls, Emily Weathers, Orlando, Fla., and Judy Taylor, Eustis, Fla., are attending Smith and Tallahassee, respectively.

Next September 15 quite a few girls will be coming back to Saint Mary's, but "wherever our daughters may roam" the thoughts of Saint Mary's will "aye kindle a flame of sweet recollection and love."