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# The Belles

OF SAINT MARY'S

"GIVE ENOUGH  
FOR ALL TWELVE  
MONTHS"

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## Sophomores Chose Risley, Watkins Daniels, and Gilmore to Lead Class

### Elections Completed by Class In Meetings of Past Week

The sophomore class chose for their leaders this year: King Risley, president; Lou Ann Watkins, vice-president; Kay Daniels, secretary, and Nedra Gilmore, treasurer. The Honor Council representative is Rachel Cozart, and the Legislative Body member is G. B. Kennedy.

King Risley, from Savannah, Georgia, is a Sigma, and is a member of the Dramatic Club and the Canterbury Club. Lou Ann Watkins, from Henderson, is on the *Stage Coach* staff, a member of the Canterbury Club and a Mu. Kay Daniels, who is from Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is a Sigma, and a member of the Canterbury Club and the Dramatic Club.

Nedra Gilmore of Nichols, S. C., is vice-president of the Doctor's Daughters Club, a member of the Granddaughters Club, Y.W.C.A., *BELLES'* circulation staff, and she is a Sigma. Rachel Cozart, from Fuquay Springs, is a Sigma, a member of the Y.W.C.A., the Beacon, and Doctor's Daughters Club.

## Students Pick Dance Marshals For Year

Members of the freshman, sophomore and junior classes elected their dance marshals at the class meetings held during the week of October 10-14. Chosen from the junior class were Mazie Strickland, Frankie Allen, Mary Ruth Ruble, Becky Wall, and Virginia Mowery. The sophomore class elected Betsy Wood and Teena McNulty from their number while Suzanne Robinson was picked by the freshman class as its representative. Nancy Bobbitt was voted the day student dance marshal, and Robin Arrington was chosen to serve as the business dance marshal.

### SENIOR MARSHALS

The chief marshal and the senior class marshals were chosen at the end of the school year last spring. Virginia Anne Landis will lead the marshals as their chief, while Sylvia Newson, Binny Chew, Beth Harriss and Anne Cahoon will represent the senior class as marshals.

It is the duty of the dance marshals to see that Saint Mary's dances are kept in order and running smoothly. The marshals welcome the boys at the front door of Smedes, where they take the coats of the guests and direct them to the dance. Finally, the marshals see that the dancers are provided with music, refreshments, and entertainment.

## Juniors Sponsor Halloween Party

### School Anticipates Festivity

The junior class will entertain the student body at the annual Halloween Party tonight at eight o'clock in the gymnasium. Under the direction of Stella Cobbs, junior class president, the program will include several songs by the Holt Hillbillies, and by Mary Anderson (Deedee) Davenport, who will also play for the grand march. A parade will be staged to review costumes, to the best of which a prize will be awarded.

The gym will be transformed into a Halloween scene complete with a horror house and a house of freaks, in addition to miscellaneous surprise booths. Two fortune tellers, an apple bobbing contest, and a wishing well will complete the planned entertainment.

In charge of the decoration committee is Virginia Hall, aided by Carolyn Welsh, Mary Sutton, Nancy Woodruff, and Bimbo Parshley.

The entertainment committee, headed by Allein White, is composed of Kit Armistead, Mickey Shannon, Rosemary Scovil, and Harriet Tew. The refreshment committee is composed of Louise Milliken, chairman, and La Nelle Edwards.

Chairman of the publicity committee is Susie Dell, who is supported by Margaret Gaston, Carolyn Cobey, Mimi Lynch, and Edith Rogers.

## Freshmen Pick Nesbit, Bowles, Le Sturgeon

The freshman class has completed the election of its officers for this year with the selection of Jane Nisbet, vice-president; Tresca Bowles, secretary; Kathy Le Sturgeon, treasurer; Nancy Halton, legislative body representative; and Suzanne Robinson, dance marshal.

Jane, who is from Charlotte, is a member of the Dramatic Club, Y. W. C. A., Doctor's Daughters Club, and is a Mu.

Tresca is a member of the Doctor's Daughters Club, Dramatic Club, and Y.W.C.A. She is a Mu.

Kathy, who is a Sigma and from Charlotte, is a member of the Dramatic Club, Glee Club, and Y.W.C.A.

Nancy is a member of the Glee Club, choir, Doctor's Daughters Club, and Y.W.C.A. She is a hall representative and a Mu.

Suzanne is from Gastonia. She is a member of the Dramatic Club, Y.W.C.A., and she is a Mu.

## Business, Junior Classes Complete Selection Of Officers For 1949-50

### Best Reports Steady Progress On Annual

#### Electives Remain to Be Chosen

Lucile Best, 1950 *Stage Coach* editor, in an interview with the *BELLES* reporter announces steady progress on the annual plans. Lucile has completed the dummy and on October 20 she had a meeting with Dr. Stone and Joseph Hardison, publisher with Edwards and Broughton, to complete final arrangements.

Kay Kyser has selected "Miss Saint Mary's," but his choice will not be announced until the annual is presented to the students in the spring.

Election of outstanding seniors will be held next week. As a new feature this year, the sophomores will select outstanding girls from their class, and these girls will be listed in the annual.

The dedication election already has been held. The results of this election will be kept a secret until presentation of the *Stage Coach* on Class Day in June.

Individual pictures have been taken and returned to the girls. The list of retakes will be posted in the covered way.

## Dean Serves As Member Of Theatre Committee

Miss Martha Dabney Jones has been made a member of the committee which will select the best actors of the year for the Raleigh Little Theatre.

After each presentation by this dramatic group the committee will nominate their choice of the best actor and the best actress in the following categories: the best leading role; the best supporting role; and the best newcomer to the Little Theatre. The final decision of the judges will be announced at the end of the Little Theatre's current season next spring, and the winners will be honored at that time.

During the week ending October 21 the Raleigh Little Theatre staged *The Time Of Your Life* by William Saroyan. The productions for the remainder of the year have not been announced, although the following plays are under consideration: *Another Part Of The Forest*; *The Little Foxes*; *Good-bye, My Fancy*; *Two Blind Mice*; *A Streetcar Named Desire*; *The Hasty Heart*, and *Edward, My Son*. The amphitheatre production will be *Taming Of The Shrew*.

Ainsley Pryor is director of the local Little Theatre group.

### Shannon Win as Class Leaders Rixey, Nicoll, Strupe, Steed,

The junior class completed election of class officers during the past week with the selection of the following girls: Ann Rixey, vice-president; Julia Steed, secretary; Mary Sue Strupe, treasurer; and Mickie Shannon and Anne Nicoll, Legislative Body representatives.

Ann Rixey, who is from Norfolk, is a member of the Canterbury Club, circulation staff of the *BELLES*, and ad staff for the *Stage Coach*. She is a Sigma.

A third year girl at Saint Mary's, Julia Steed is from Richlands. She is a member of the *BELLES'* circulation staff, Y.W.C.A., and the Dramatic Club.

Ann Nicoll, a second year girl, is from Charlotte. She is a Sigma and a member of the Altar Guild, Canterbury Club, and the *Stage Coach* staff.

Sue Strupe, from Winston-Salem, is a Sigma and she is a member of the Altar Guild and the Y.W.C.A.

Mickie Shannon, a member of the *BELLES'* staff, Dramatic Club, and Y.W.C.A., is from Greenville, S. C. She is a Mu.

### Moran, Warren, Jackman Lead

The business class completed elections during the past week, electing Elizabeth Moran vice-president, Louise Warren, secretary, and Mary Lou Jackman, treasurer. Elizabeth, a day student, is a Sigma.

Louise is a day student and a Sigma. Mary Lou is from Charlotte and she is a member of the Y.W.C.A., and a Mu.

The class chose Robin Arrington as dance marshal, and Mary Anne Hartzog as legislative body representative. Robin, who is from Rocky Mount, is a member of the Canterbury Club and a Sigma. A second-year girl, Mary Anne, is from Lexington. She is a member of the *BELLE'S* staff, Y.W.C.A., and she is a Sigma.

## SMS Chooses Allen As Handbook Editor

The student body elected Mary Frances Allen editor of the 1950-51 student handbook in elections held on October 21.

Mary Frances is a junior and has been at Saint Mary's two years. She is from Statesville and is news editor of the *BELLES*, a member of the Y.W.C.A., and the Dramatic Club. She is a Sigma. Other nominees were the following: Suzanne Friday, Merre-Lyn Lynch, Ann Nicoll, and Eunice Saunders.