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# WELCOME TO SAINT MARY'S

## Saint Mary's Girls Have Iowa Test Week

### SMS Gives Tests to Discover Individual Student Abilities

All Saint Mary's students took the series of Iowa State comprehensive tests Tuesday through Friday, September 19-22. These tests are given to discover each student according to her abilities in various fields of study. Besides showing the teachers the capabilities of each student the tests can also be of help to the student in planning her vocation.

The Iowa State tests are a series of examinations on various subjects. They were drawn up by a group of professors on the Iowa State College faculty, with each teacher preparing a certain section. The fields covered are social studies, mathematics, literature, reading comprehension, natural sciences, and spelling.

When taking the Iowa State tests, each pupil must try to do her best, because it is only in this way that a true graph of the student's knowledge may be obtained. Also, as these tests show the ability of a certain school as a whole in comparison to other schools, any one student could raise or lower the score for her school.



New arrivals—Mary Nina Hodges and Evelyn Menzies

## Saint Mary's Students Welcome New Faculty Members For Coming Year

### Newcomers Will Teach French, Chemistry, Commercial Classes

Dr. Owen Hand Browne, Miss Anne Henderson Lindsey, and Miss Ernestine Boineau are the new teachers who have joined the Saint Mary's faculty this year.

Dr. Owen Browne will take over the chemistry department. He was the associate professor of science at Lenoir-Rhyne College, Hickory, N. C., last year. He received his B.S. degree at North Carolina State College and his Ph.D. at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland. His father is William Hand Browne, professor emeritus of electrical engineering at N. C. State College. Dr. Browne married the former Mary Martin Johnson. They have three children.

Miss Anne Henderson Lindsey from Washington, D. C., and Chattanooga, Tennessee, will teach Spanish and French. She received her A.B. and M.A. at the University of North Carolina. She studied further at Duke, French School of Middlebury College, and the University of Havana. During the war she worked as a censor in Miami, and last year she was employed in the language cataloguing division of the Library of Congress in Washington.

Miss Ernestine Boineau is in charge of the commercial department. She received her A.B. at Winthrop College and graduated from the Southern Business College in Atlanta, Georgia. Last year she taught in the Atlantic Christian College, Wilson, N. C.

## Many Improvements Greet SMS Students

### Alumna Donates Three Crystal Tiered Chandeliers for Parlor

Saint Mary's campus greeted its students of the 1950-51 session with an improved face. These improvements were made during the summer months and are both beautiful and practical.

All the walks on back campus now bear a new coat of cement. The walks from Holt Hall to the dining room and the infirmary, from East and West Wing to the dining room, and from the faculty house to the music building were paved the latter part of the summer. The back drive which leads off College place around the back of the dining room to the side of Holt Hall and the drive in front of Mr. Hughes' house were paved at the same time.

### COVERED WAY PAINTED

The covered ways have been freshly painted and whitewashed. All the halls of Holt and a good many of those in Smedes have been repainted. The chapel and the president's home are also a new white.

### PARLOR REPAPERED

The parlor has been repapered in a soft shade of green. Mrs. A. B. Stoney of Morganton (née Mary Wilson of Greensboro) donated three grandiose tiered crystal chandeliers which now grace the parlor. In keeping with the chandeliers is the crystal and bronze girandole set now on the front mantel of the parlor, donated by the sophomore class of '50.

The kitchen has been supplied with a great deal of new equipment and plumbing.

## Seniors Assemble For First Of Picnic Series

Saint Mary's senior class met Tuesday night, September 19, at 7:30 in the Hut for a picnic. The members of the class assembled on this occasion for the first time as a group since their summer vacation. Al White, class president, welcomed her reunited class. The program consisted of informal conversations concerning the summer's activities. The usual hot dogs, slaw, pickles, apples, and milk covered the picnic table.

## Saint Mary's Has 295 Students For 1950-51

### Enrollment Includes Students From Two Foreign Countries

Enrolled at Saint Mary's School for the 1950-51 session are 245 boarding students and 40 day students.

Fifty-six of the boarding students are seniors, ninety are juniors, forty-one are sophomores, forty-six are freshmen, and twelve are commercial students.

These students come from nineteen states, the District of Columbia, Japan and Brazil. One hundred and sixty-four of the boarding students are from North Carolina, twenty-nine are from Virginia, twenty-one are from South Carolina, four are from Brazil and four from Georgia, three each come from Alabama, Florida, and New York, and one each come from Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas, Mississippi, Ohio, Connecticut, New Jersey, Louisiana, California, Pennsylvania, Indiana, West Virginia, the District of Columbia, and Japan.