

INFORMAL DANCE
TOMORROW NIGHT
AT 8:30

The Belles

OF SAINT MARY'S

HAPPY
HALLOWEEN

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Students Elect Assembly Chairman, Circle Inducts Three New Members School Marshal, Handbook Editor In Impressive Candlelight Service

Assembly Chairman

Becky Gordon is the new assembly chairman. She will replace Dottie Allen who did not return this year. Becky's duties are to submit to the school president the name of the faculty member desired as adviser, to plan regular Tuesday and Thursday assembly programs, to preside over the assemblies, and to present to the incoming chairman a written report of the year's program.

Becky, of South Hill, Virginia, is vice-president of the senior class, business manager of the BELLES, vice-counselor, Acolyte, member of the YWCA, the *Stage Coach* business staff, and the Altar Guild. She is a *Mu*.

Marshal

The student body elected Gene Overbeck as the new marshal on October 14. The marshals' duties are to take the offering in chapel, lead chapel lines, act as ushers at entertainments in the auditorium, and in general maintain order at all student body gatherings. Others nominated were Nancy McIver, Doris Ann Lineberger, Becky Gordon, and Louise Brand.

Gene, of Fayetteville, is president of *Orchesis*, dance marshal, member of the Canterbury Club, choir, and Altar Guild. She is a *Mu*.

Handbook Editor

Alice Bost is the new Handbook editor. Alice's job is to complete the editing of the Student Handbook with the help of a faculty adviser. Alice, of Hickory, is vice-president of the YWCA, assistant editor of the BELLES, a member of the *Stage Coach* staff, and is a *Sigma*.

Underclassmen, Juniors Elect Council Members

The freshman, sophomore, and junior classes have elected Honor Council members for 1952-53. Ann Pearson will represent the freshman and sophomore classes. Mary Michal and Margo Hester are junior class representatives.

Ann, of Southern Pines, is a member of the BELLES staff, the *Bulletin*, the Beacon, the Glee Club, and the YWCA. She is a *Mu*.

Mary, of Boone, is president of the Doctors' Daughters' Club, vice-president of the Dramatic Club, a member of the Letter Club, the Altar Guild, the Canterbury Club, and the *Bulletin*. She is a *Mu*.

Margo, of Tryon, is president of the Canterbury Club, a member of the Circle, the *Stage Coach* staff, the BELLES staff, Dramatic Club, and the Altar Guild. She is a *Mu*.



NEW OFFICERS

Rebecca Gordon, chairman of assembly; Anne Croom, president of business class; Timmie Timmons, president of junior class; Deborah Conner, president of freshman class; and Nancy Bowles, president of sophomore class.

Junior Class Elects Officers For Year

Timmie Timmons, president of the junior class, presided at the junior class meeting, which was held October 23. The class elected Laura Ervin, Connie Shaner, and Isabel Masterton to the offices of vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively.

Timmie Timmons, of Columbia, South Carolina, is president of the YWCA, vice-president of the *Sigmias*, a member of the Letter Club, BELLES circulation staff, Circle, and *Stage Coach* business staff.

Laura Ervin, of Morganton, was editor of the 1952-1953 Student Handbook. Last year she was vice-president of the sophomore class and a member of the Beacon. She is on the staffs of the *Bulletin*, BELLES, and is a *Mu*.

Connie Shaner, of Lynchburg, Virginia, is a member of the Canterbury Club and is a *Sigma*.

Isabel Masterton, of Hillsboro, is a member of the Glee Club, Dramatics Club, and Canterbury Club. She was a hall representative last year and is a *Mu*.

Junior Class Plans Halloween Affair

Saint Mary's annual Halloween party, sponsored by the junior and business classes, will be held in the gym tonight at eight o'clock. The class presidents, Timmy Timmons and Anne Croom appointed the committees and their chairmen. Chairmen of the committees are as follows: Kay Baker, decorations; Ann Derby, booth; Jeanette Uzzell, poster and publicity; Harriett Conger, entertainment; Trissy Holt, clean-up; and Frances Perry, refreshments.

Miss Cates' Students Enthrall Music Lovers

Miss Geraldine Cates' voice students presented the assembly program Thursday, October 30. The songs were from Mozart's opera, *The Marriage of Figaro*. Eftehea Chonis sang *Voi che sapete*. Barbara White sang *Dove Sono*. Barbara White and Harriet Harris then sang *Sull'aria* as a duet. Harriet Harris sang *Giunse Alfin*, a recitative, and *Ich vieni*, an aria. Myra Thayer narrated the program.

Seniors Receive SMS' Highest School Honor

Order of the Circle, Saint Mary's secret honor society, tapped three new members Wednesday night, October 29. The new members are Donna Bull, Syb Hamer, and Jackie Steed. The old members are Paula Whitaker, Deedee Davenport, Nell Eley, Susie Nicoll, Laura Deane Matheson, Timmie Timmons, and Margo Hester. Membership in the Circle is the highest honor a Saint Mary's girl may attain.

Donna, of Greenville, is president of the *Sigma's*, Legislative Body member, counselor, member of Letter Club, Altar Guild, YWCA.

Syb, of Lenoir, is senior Honor Council representative, marshal, vice-counselor, art editor of the *Stage Coach*, member of the Doctors' Daughters' Club, and is a *Mu*.

Jackie, of Raleigh, is president of the day students, a member of the Glee Club, and Legislative Body, and is a *Mu*.

As the old members arranged themselves around the Circle stone, the candlelight ceremony began. The old members brought the new members to the center of the circle where they lighted their candles from the torch. After all members had taken their places in the circle, the president waved the torch over the group signifying unity. The ceremony ended with a procession around the front campus.

Civic Music Concerts Open With Famed Singer

Civic Music Association announces that Victoria de los Angeles will open the season on November 3, 1952, at Raleigh Memorial Auditorium. A soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, she is now on her second coast to coast tour of the United States.

Senorita de los Angeles won first place in the international contest in Geneva, Switzerland, in 1947. Her United States debut came two years later in Carnegie Hall, New York City. She was so well received that ten days after the close of her first appearance at Carnegie Hall she was asked to return. She has had three sell-out concerts at Carnegie Hall.

On November 3, 1952, she will probably render some of her parts from the Metropolitan Opera. These may possibly include Mimi from *La Boheme*, *Madame Butterfly*, and Elsa from *Lohengrin*.

Other performances scheduled are Alexander Brailowsky, pianist, November 24; the Robert Shaw Chorale, December 16; the Ballet