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SENIORS AND SOPHOMORES GRADUATE



Ann McKinney and Tricia Armstrong await Graduation.

GRADUATION SPEAKER

The graduation speaker this year will be a woman admired and respected as a leader in her field. Dr. Harriet D. Hudson, dean of Randolph-Macon Woman's College and professor of economics, served on the staffs of Blackburn College and Harvard University and the faculties of Pine Manor, Mount Holyoke, and the University of Illinois before coming to R-MWC in 1953.

She had been at R-MWC only four years when the senior class of 1957 chose as its gift to the college a fund for faculty research. They named it the "Harriet D. Hudson Fund for Faculty Study."

This student respect for her is shared by the nation's top educators and is evidenced by the following facts: She was the only woman on the executive committee of the Association for Higher Education from 1958 to 1961. She was that group's representative to the 1958 Belgian conference of the International Association of University Professors and Lecturers. She is a member of the Selection of Region V of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowships Foundation; the Committee on College Teaching of the American Council of Education; and at the Special Joint Screening Committee of the Committee on Standards and Reports of the Commission on Colleges and Universities of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. She has served on Visiting Committees of the Southern Association. She is also a member of the American Economic Association, the Industrial Relations Research Association, and the National Education Association.

Vitaly concerned with scholarship programs, Dr. Hudson is a regional director of the Tuition Exchange Program, which is made up of more than 200 colleges and universities; the only woman on the Advisory Committee on National Student Financial Aid Programs of the College Scholarship Service; and chairman of the Scholarship and Aids Committee at R-MWC.

A specialist in labor economics, she is the author of *Progressive Mine Workers of America: A Study in Rival Unions* and of several articles and book reviews.

In the spring of 1961, she was one of three nominees for the office of president of the Association for Higher Education for 1961-1962. The Association is composed of more than 15,000 faculty members and administrators from 1,500 colleges and universities in 50 states and 24 countries. Dean Hudson was the only woman to be nominated for the presidency.

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COUNSELORS FOR 62-63 CHOSEN

One of the highest honors a rising senior can receive is that of being asked to be a Hall Counselor. The counselors perform such an important work that their selection is carefully screened. From the Junior Class the counselor committee selects thirty-eight girls with at least a C- average or who exemplify the St. Mary's spirit of friendliness, helpfulness and cooperation. These girls must then be approved by Miss R. and Dr. Stone.

The thirty-eight girls who have been selected are: Gee Canada, Ann Farmer, Cydne Wright, Weldon Cabell, Verna Gillam, Reide Watson, Frances McLanahan, Susan Goode, Mary Parham, Alice Gribbin, Nannie Hussey, Ann Smith, Cornelia Johnson, Mickey Singletery, Haynes Walker, Barbara Martin, Nelson Pemberton, Sarah Rand, Caroline Walker, Phyllis Cannon, Lynette Smith, Sally Stevens, Nancy Baum, Parks Freeze, Becky Brown, Nell Bailey, Karen Herndon, Lib Rawlings, Shirley Keedwell, Mary Roper, Pat McNulty, Kathi Ligon, Stewart Howie, Lea Lea Hall, Jen Barber, Margaret Allen, Matilda Gholson, and Mary Stella Leak.

Attending weekly Hall Council meetings is the least of the hall counselors' duties. These girls set an example for their hall members to follow, create an impression of the school for new girls, and maintain discipline on the halls. Perhaps more important, the counselors must be willing to advise any girls who need help. The job entails work and time; however, the girls who have been chosen are well qualified to serve as hall counselors.

Baccalaureate Speaker

The Baccalaureate speaker at St. Mary's on Sunday, May 27, will be The Venerable David R. Thornberry, Archdeacon of the Episcopal Diocese of Southern Ohio. He was born in Rawlins, Wyoming, and brought up in Laramie, Wyoming, where his father was the Dean of St. Matthew's Cathedral. He attended the public high school in Laramie; the University of Wyoming; Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio; Bexley Hall, the Divinity School of Kenyon College; and graduated from the Episcopal Theological School in Cambridge, Mass.

His first position in the Church was as Curate of Christ Church in Dayton, Ohio, Diocese of Southern Ohio, from 1936 to 1940. In May of 1940 he became Rector of Grace Church in College Hill, Cincinnati, until the end of 1952 at which time he assumed his present position as the Archdeacon of the Diocese of Southern Ohio.

At the General Convention in Miami Beach, 1958, he was elected to the National Council and serves on several committees, such as: Department of Promotion, the General Division of Research and Field Study, the Finance Committee, and the Standing Committee. Recently he was elected to serve on the Board of Trustees of Kenyon College, and on the Board of Managers of the Overseas Missionary Society.

Friday, May 25

8:15 P.M. "RING ROUND THE MOON", presented by the St. Mary's Dramatics Club, Auditorium

Saturday, May 26

10:30 A.M. Sophomore Class Day Exercises

4:00 P.M. Senior Class Day Exercises

8:30 P.M. Concert by Glee Club

Sunday, May 27

7:50 A.M. Celebration of Holy Communion in the Chapel

11:00 A.M. Morning Prayer and Baccalaureate Sermon by The Venerable David R. Thornberry, D.D., Archdeacon, Diocese of Southern Ohio.

4:30-6:00 P.M. President's Tea for Parents and Graduating Classes. President's Home

6:00 P.M. Step Singing, Smedes Halls

Monday, May 28

10:30 A.M. Graduating Exercises in the Auditorium. Speaker, Harriet D. Hudson, Ph.D., LL.D., Dean of Randolph-Macon Woman's College.