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Sally Woodroff, Pridie Clark: May Queen, Josie McCall: Maid of Honor, Corinne Davidson.

CERTIFICATE PERFORMANCES GIVEN

CONCERT

The Music Department presented Josie Peoples and Anne Cooper in a certificate recital which is a requirement for a certificate in vocal music on Thursday night April 24.

The program included eighteenth century music by Scarlatti and Handel. Also presented were nineteenth century art songs of Schubert, Schumann and Brahms; French songs by Faure, Berlioz and Massenet; and contemporary English songs by Dougherty, Carpenter, and Horsman.

The second half of the program was the comic opera **Captain Lovelock**, by John Duke. In addition to Josie Peoples and Anne Cooper, the cast included Jackie Mooney, Anne Keller, and Kathi Hamby. The music director was Miss Geraldine Cate; accompanist was Mr. Michael Bulley.

PLAY

On Wednesday, April 30th, for the Assembly program, a certificate play was presented. A certificate play is one that enables drama students of St. Mary's to receive a certificate in drama. A student must appear or have a backstage role in two major St. Mary's productions, and she must appear in an assembly program in order to attain a certificate. The student's grades on her abilities must also be outstanding.

This year the certificate play was "The Recognition Scene from Anastasia." The scene involved Anastasia trying to convince her grandmother that she is the true princess. Marty Gray presented the introduction, Bacot Wright was the grandmother Empress, and Paula Edmunds was Anastasia.

1969-70 Senior Class President Elected

On Tuesday, April 22, Boyd Gregory of Weldon, N. C., was elected president of the rising senior class. While in high school, Boyd was cheerleader, president of the Beta Club, secretary of the junior class, valedictorian, and lay-out editor of the yearbook. She was voted Most Dependable.

This year she has been a member of the Granddaughters' Club and on the Honor Roll. She hopes that next year's students will be able to get to know Mr. Pisani and work with him in his first year here. Boyd also hopes that the senior class of 1969-1970 will work together to make the class the best ever.



Boyd Gregory: 1969-70 Senior Class President.

MAY DAY & ALUMNAE ACTIVITIES TOMORROW

The theme for May Day 1969 is "A Tribute to the Alumnae." This theme is unique since there is neither play nor plot, as the program usually has. This year, Mrs. Bailey composed and directed the program. Only one presentation will be given on Saturday afternoon at 4:00.

A progression of dances throughout history is the focal point of the program. The different groups will perform dances from different periods beginning as far back as the cowboys. Members of Orchesis will lead the groups with the entire Orchesis performing together in a dance. The Caperettes also present various dances. Some of the dances will be the Charleston, jazz, and ballet with appropriate music. The program salutes the alumnae by presenting dances that they were familiar with.

The program was choreographed by Mrs. Bailey, the Caperettes and members of Orchesis.

Miss Jordan Retiring In June

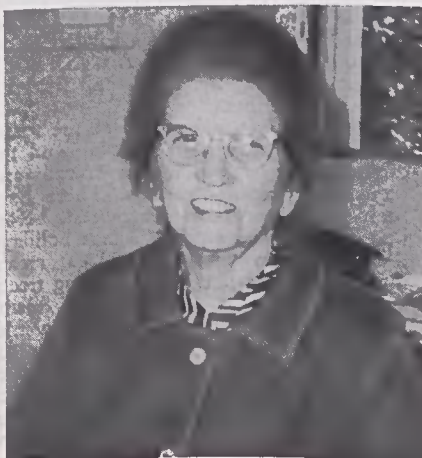
Miss Julia Jordan, the purchasing agent, will be retiring in June after 32 years at St. Mary's.

As the purchasing agent, Miss Jordan has been keeping tabs on orders for diplomas, robes, rings, office and classroom equipment—everything that the college needs to function efficiently.

Miss Jordan, a former student at St. Mary's, completed a business course here in 1915. After graduation, she held a temporary job working with Mr. Ernest Cruikshank who was then Business Manager at St. Mary's. Later on in 1937 she worked for Mr. A. W. Tucker, who was business manager at St. Mary's and she has been here ever since.

Although Miss Jordan has not made definite plans after retirement, she hopes to travel extensively throughout the U. S. and Great Britain visiting relatives.

Mrs. Juanita Hamm, who was manager of the admissions office, will succeed Miss Jordan.



MISS JULIA JORDAN.

Dr. Stone To Speak At Alumnae Luncheon

Alumnae Day activities will be held throughout the day on Saturday.

Registration will begin these activities at 10:30 A.M. at the front of Smedes. Members of the Granddaughters' Club will be on hand to welcome the alumnae.

Dr. and Mrs. Richard G. Stone will honor the alumnae with a coffee hour at 11 A.M. in Smedes Parlor. At 11:30 A.M. the alumnae Council will have a meeting at the Faculty Club.

The Alumnae Day Luncheon will begin at 12:30 in Clement Hall. The highlight of the day's activities will be the speech given at the luncheon by Dr. Stone, who will reminisce about many of his activities and duties as the President of St. Mary's for the past 23 years.

The meeting of the Alumnae Association, which will be held at Kenan Library at 2 P.M., will be followed by the taking of reunion pictures at 3 P.M.

At 4 o'clock the May Day program, "St. Mary's Potpourri," will conclude the Alumnae Day activities.

Letter Club Elects New Officers

The new officers for 1969-70 Letter Club were announced in assembly Monday, April 28.

The president of the Letter Club for 1969-70 is Connie Darby. Sherry Graham was elected president of the Mus for next year with Dell Parker as vice-president. The president of the Sigmas is Walker Holmes, and the vice-president is Cynty McAlister.

New Letter Club members are Christy Willis, Connie Darby, Walker Holmes, Dell Parker, Sherry Graham, Kack Harrison, and Peaches Rankin. Nancy Biggs won the golf tournament for the Sigmas.

In softball, the Mus won the championship Wednesday. The Mus had come from behind to win out over the Sigmas by a margin of 3 games to 2. This win gave the Mus the championship in the four major sports.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- May 3—May Day
- May 5—Junior Class Banquet
- May 6—"Inferno" Test
- May 7—Cold Cuts Tryouts for Juniors
- May 8—Letter Club Banquet
- May 16—Reading Day
- May 17—Exams Begin

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