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YRC and YDC Make Plans for the Year

The Young Republicans' Club is beginning a new year with thirty-five members. The club is planning several events for the year. At present, the club is sending letters to thirteen senators in an effort to get Clement Haynesworth on the Supreme Court.

Diane Fletcher, president of YRC, has been working with Gray Miller, chairman of the National Confederation of Young Republicans, in arousing interest in state politics. Diane also attended the Young Republican Convention held in Durham where several new resolutions were passed.

The club is planning to have several speakers during the coming year. "It is important for the YRC to get off to a strong start this year since it is not an election year," states Diane.

The Young Democrats' Club, with Mr. Roberts as its advisor, has been organized. This year, due to the lack of political activity, the YDC will be more of a service club. One of their prospective projects is the support of a child overseas. They are doing this through the Christian Children's Fund. They plan to finance this venture through dues and through candy and stationery sales. The YDC is also planning a project in Raleigh's Southside, perhaps in conjunction with St. Augustine's College.

THANKSGIVING PLAY:

THE CRUCIBLE TO BE PRESENTED NOVEMBER 24th AND 25th

This semester, the St. Mary's Dramatics Club is presenting **The Crucible** by Arthur Miller. **The Crucible** is a drama about the Puritan purge of witchcraft in Old Salem, Massachusetts. It is a combination of a historical play and a timely parable about certain immediate parallel issues in contemporary society.

It will be presented to the public on Monday, November 24, and



Honor Codes were distributed after Chapel Wednesday.

HONOR WEEK IS OBSERVED AT ST. MARY'S

Honor week at St. Mary's began Monday, November 17. The purpose of this annual event was to remind all students of their responsibility to be honest in all aspects of life at St. Mary's. "After all," remarked Pattie Graves, vice-president of the Honor Board, "our school is based on honor."

During the past week, the quality of honor was emphasized in chapel services. Mr. Baird had special prayers and talks on honor. After Wednesday evening chapel, Emily Kilpatrick, president of the Circle, handed out blotters printed with the St. Mary's Honor Code.

Assemblies were also centered

around honor. Pattie Graves spoke on the Honor Board's importance, and its members were introduced. Kack Harrison, president of the Honor Board, also gave a short talk.

The secretary of the Honor Board is Olivia Grimes. Marshall Young is the senior class representative. Junior representatives are Barbara Bear and Ann Stratton. Upperclassmen are represented by Jane Weaver. Faculty members are Miss Duncan, Mrs. Michael Smith, and Mr. Lawrence.

Various posters, which have to do with Honor Week and upholding the St. Mary's rules, were placed around the school.

MR. BROOKER LEAVES AFTER PROMOTION

After 19 months at St. Mary's, Mr. Frank Brooker, the Food Service Director, will be leaving us. His new job will be at Queens College in Charlotte which has twice as many boarders as St. Mary's. Mr. Brooker's new duties will include being responsible for all employees, food, and supplies in the dining hall, snack bar, and book store.

When asked about St. Mary's, Mr. Brooker replied, "It would be easy to leave all you guys here at St. Mary's if we didn't get along so nicely, but I feel deeply about being accepted as a person and a family, aside from my acceptance as a Food Service Director. I must end by saying that my St. Mary's life has been one beautiful dream and has helped me in the eyes of my company. My thanks to you all and especially to Marilee Hall, Jane Weaver, and Lou Latham."

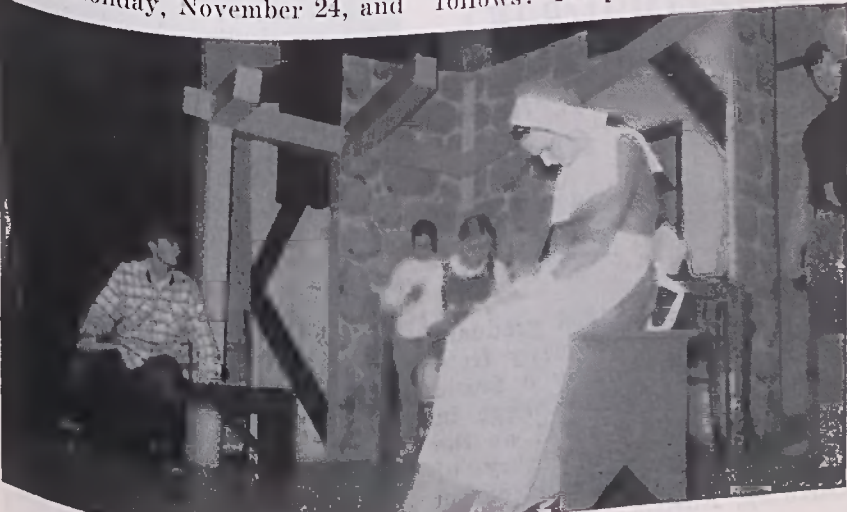


Robbie Wall, Pres.; Mary Strange, Vice-Pres.; Betty Lynn Gower, Sec.-Treas.

CRUIKSHANK ELECTS OFFICERS

The seniors of Cruikshank met last week to elect officers. This is the second year that officers have been elected. Last year, the seniors decided that they needed officers to help the counselors and to help to draw the girls in the dorm closer together.

Robbie Wall from Asheville will preside. Robbie has several duties which include assisting the counselors, helping with graduation plans in the spring, and assisting Mrs. Westbrook. Vice-President is Mary Strange from Wilmington, and Secretary is Betty Lynn Gower from Grifton. Mary and Betty Lynn will be responsible for collecting money needed for major senior projects.



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