



## Honor Society Taps Two

by Laura Fanjoy

The High School Honor Society held a very special assembly Wednesday, March 27, during which two new members, Leslie Stokes and Valerie Tullai, were inducted. All the old Honor Society members wore long blue robes and assembled in a semi-circle to receive the new members. Leslie and Val were each presented a red rose and then robed by old members. Finally, both girls took the Honor Society oath and became official members of the organization.

Also, during the assembly, five new sophomores were recognized for maintaining a high grade average. The constitution states that to be eligible for membership a girl must maintain a 3.5 grade average and be at St. Mary's for at least one year. The new sophomores, not having been at St. Mary's for one year already, were not eligible for official membership. But, the Honor Society felt that because these girls had maintained the required grade average, they should be recognized. Rebecca Blackburn, Beth Hahn, Cindy Royal, Jeanne Watford, and Sharon Weers were recognized and presented with white carnations.

The High School Honor Society has been a very active organization at St. Mary's this year. The girls have worked hard on several different projects. With the money earned, four new books have been purchased for the library. Also, at graduation, there will be a book presented to the girl who has most improved her grades over a two-year period at St. Mary's. The Honor Society Scholarship Fund has been greatly increased thanks to contributions from students and faculty. Approximately \$200 has been added to the fund which will be used in the future to enable some girl to come to St. Mary's who is not financially able to do so. A great deal of thanks is extended from all the Honor Society members to those who helped in this project.

come closer to the school itself, since the bond that the students feel among themselves is the most important aspect of life at St. Mary's."

With the vast amount of leadership existing among these SGA officers, there is no doubt that they will guide the students well.

## 1974-75 SGA Officers Elected

by Mary Dombalis

As the school year draws closer to an end, the new Student Government Association officers are already working hard for the betterment of the school. These girls — Margaret McAlister, Martha Kelly, Susanne Owens, Paige Ward, Lynn Harand, and June Upchurch were installed on April 3, 1974.

Their goals and aspirations vary, but the girls all share one common desire — to serve the school. In the next year, they must be willing to give unselfishly of their time, talents, and ideas. They will face trying times, but hopefully the rewarding experience will outweigh the demanding duties.

Margaret McAlister is the 1974-1975 President of the Student Government. Margaret was treasurer of her freshman class

and vice-president of her sophomore class. As President of the SGA, she will be Chairman of Honor Board. In addition, she will serve on Social Board and Legislative Body.

Next year, Margaret would like to see the faculty and students become more involved with one another. Margaret also stated, "I want to familiarize all the students with the St. Mary's Constitution." She also hopes to bring back old traditions to the school.

Martha Kelly is the new Chairman of Social Board. Her duties are not altogether new since Martha served on Social Board her sophomore year. In addition to her duties on Social Board, Martha also serves as Chairman of Hall Council.

Martha said, "The SGA officers this year have done such

an outstanding job, and I hope that next year will prove to be as successful as this one has been." Martha added, "We all need the support of the school; without it the Student Government could not function."

The new Vice-President of the SGA, Susanne Owens, is not a novice in the area of Student Government either. Susanne was president of both her freshman and sophomore classes, and presently serves as one of the junior representatives on Honor Board. As Vice-President, she will be Chairman of Legislative Body. Susanne will also serve on Honor Board and Social Board.

One of Susanne's primary goals for next year is "to maintain and promote the present school spirit." She would also like to see the students involved in more activities on campus.

The new Secretary of the SGA is Paige Ward. Paige will serve as Secretary to the Honor Board.

Paige would like to "bring all of the classes together." Paige also stated, "I want to make every student aware of her responsibility to uphold the Honor System."

Lynn Harand is the 1974-75 Secretary of Social Board. She will also be in charge of Minor Offense meetings. Lynn hopes "to leave behind with the other girls the realization of what a rare privilege it is to live in this great atmosphere of love and spirit at St. Mary's."

The President of the Day Students for next year is June Upchurch. June will also serve on Social Board. Her main goal as an SGA officer is "to bring the Day Students closer together so that in turn they can be-

## Saga Outbidded; Bud To Leave

Meat for all breakfasts, seconds on all meat, and steak periodically; sounds great, doesn't it? It would sound even better though, if Bud was still

going to be here to serve us. For financial reasons, St. Mary's is switching from Saga Food Service to Slater. Although the present cafeteria

situation has proved more than satisfactory, the school will be able to save several thousand dollars by making the change. Don't worry, though — A cheaper service will definitely not mean worse food. Slater Food Service simply has the advantage of having its own meat-packing plant in Greensboro. Meat, therefore, is much cheaper for this food service than for Saga.

Slater will be able to provide us gourmets with such extras as a continental breakfast, fresh fruit, dietetic foods, and smushy ice-cream — you know, out of a machine. Let's just hope that along with these luxuries, we will also be served with friendliness, and genuine affection, as Saga has done for twelve years.

Bud Watkins, who has been with us since Christmas of last year, said: "I've enjoyed it here very, very much. I've worked at a lot of colleges; this has

been the best by far. The administration is great, and the student body is so, so nice.

"I've spent a wonderful year-and-a-half here, but I feel that the change made by Mr. Conrad (of the Finance Committee) was for the best. We all respect what was a fair, sensible business decision. We all regret leaving, but we are happy about the time we've spent here."

Commented Clementine Pearson, one of our great cooks, "we have a lot of fun, and I especially loved the Halloween party — you know, those cartoon characters, monsters, and everything. All the workers here are great; we have a good time."

What James Medlin, another of our chefs, liked best was Suppressed Desire Day. "I died laughing just watching y'all come through the line."

One of the best student workers in the cafe is Kitty Grimsley. "The staff we have now is

great, and all the student workers are good. And next year, people'll realize that Saga wasn't bad at all; but Slater, according to their contract, will be good, too."

Two more members of the staff to whom we owe our thanks are John Townsend and Mary Smith.

And, oh y e s, what we have done without our "number lady," Mary Sciabarasi; who has been here for five-and-a-half? "It has been so nice becoming a part of St. Mary's; so much that I'd like to stay if there is a place available for me. Also, I'm really looking forward to seeing my daughter Susan here as a freshman here this fall."

As we will miss the entire staff — their cooking, their parties for us, their hard work over the years; but most of all, we will miss their wonderful attitudes and their perpetual smiles.



"HELLO, BUD'S CAFE" . . . A favorite man about campus, Bud Watkins, is seen busy, as usual. Bud will be leaving St. Mary's due to a food service change.