scientific formulae, or in social institutions. If our leisure hours are devoted to these nobler pleasures of life, we cannot help but influence others to share with us these satisfactions of great worth.”

Award was made to J. Edna Phelps of the Snyder Prize for the best contribution to *The Breeze* during the session.

**ALUMNÆ NOTES**

**MUCH ENTERTAINING FOR RETURNING ALUMNÆ**

All of Alumnae Hall and part of Johnston Hall were turned over to the alumnae who returned for commencement this year. Everything possible was done for their comfort and enjoyment while they were with us. As each alumna registered in the alumnae book, she was given a tag for her name to be filled in and which, if worn, would admit her to all entertainments during finals. The Y. W. C. A. girls were on duty in Alumnae Hall from Friday evening until Tuesday morning, registering visiting alumnae, showing them to their rooms, and answering any questions that they could.

The annual alumnae meeting was held in Alumnae Reception Hall, Saturday morning, June 8, at 9:00. Mrs. Garber, Alumnae Secretary, in the absence of the President and Vice-President of the Association, conducted the meeting.

Saturday night the Alumnae Banquet was well attended, nearly three hundred being present. The banquet was acclaimed this year to have been the best one ever “pulled off” at H. T. C. Mr. Logan, who was the toastmaster of the evening, imagined Alice to be in Golfland instead of Wonderland and the toasts and responses were unusually good. The entertainment, furnished by the various classes and associations, demanded great applause. The banquet closed with the usual singing of Blue Stone Hill and Auld Lang Syne.

Sunday morning the alumnae attended the commencement sermon by the Rev. J. J. Murray of the Presbyterian Church of Lexington. Sunday evening the Harrisonburg Local Alumnae Chapter entertained the visiting past students at the Country Club at a buffet supper. Delicious fried chicken, salad, hot biscuits, pickles, cake were served. This affair has proved to be one of the most enjoyable features to the commencement exercises, as it is very informal and the girls have a chance to really see and talk to each other.

Monday afternoon a reception was given in Alumnae Hall to the alumnae. Many girls who were late in returning for the finals had a chance at the reception to see and talk to old friends and to the members of the faculty. Tuesday morning a number of the faculty members offered their cars to take the girls on little tours over the city and county. These rides seemed to be greatly enjoyed by all. This ended the special entertainment for the alumnae, but of course they all attended the regular features of the commencement program.

**NEW PRESIDENT ELECTED AT ANNUAL ALUMNÆ MEETING**

Miss Sarah Elizabeth Thompson, principal of the Pleasant Hill School, which is near Harrisonburg, was elected president of the State Alumnae Association, taking the place of Elizabeth Ralston, the president for the past two years.

**PETERSBURG CHAPTER ELECTS NEW OFFICERS**

President .................Agnes Nunnally
Vice-President ..............Lucy Gatling
Secretary and Treasurer.....Elsie Burnett

**FIRST GIRL TO REGISTER AT H. T. C. RETURNS FOR COMMENCEMENT**

Beatrice Marable, Blue Stone Hill’s first daughter, returned for commencement this year. Beatrice is now nursing at St. John the Baptist Mission, Ivy Depot, Virginia.
While here she presented the alumna office with its first gift from an alumna, a beautiful picture done in water colors of the Laguna Beach, which was painted by a friend of hers.

MRS. JOHN REA, FROM CALIFORNIA, RETURNS

Josephine Bradshaw Rea, formerly of McDowell, Virginia, and now of Gilroy, California, was an honored guest during commencement. She made the trip especially at this time to be here for the reunion of her class, the class of 1914. We were mighty proud to have such a loyal alumna for our guest.

GIFT FROM FIRST STUDENT

On May 27, at assembly exercises, Dr. Wayland presented the college with a gift sent by the first student enrolled in this institution, Beatrice Marable. He read the donor’s letter, which later appeared in the college newspaper, *The Breeze*, and spoke in terms of deepest appreciation of her fine service in various parts of our country.

In calling attention to the gift itself—two bronze book-ends, copies of Rodin’s statue, *Le Penseur*—Dr. Wayland facetiously observed that Miss Marable had probably thought that a college ought to have within its walls many thinkers, so she had resolved to furnish at least two.

PROGRAM OF ALUMNAE BANQUET, JUNE 8, 1929

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MANY ALUMNÆ RETURN FOR COMMENCEMENT

Class of 1918: Mary Armentrout, Alice Bartlette, Hilda Page Blue, Mildred Brinkley, Frances Cabell, Margaret Chandler, Wilmot Doan, Catherine Eagle, Isla Eastham, Virginia Field, Hazel Foltz, Mrs. Virginia Fristoe, Gladys Goodman, Mildred Kline, Olivia Malgren, Sarah Milnes, Louise Moseley, Mary Worsham.

Class of 1927: Lulu Boisseau, Pauline Callendar, Mary Will Chandler, Mary Cauthorn, Thelma Dunn, Virginia Edwards, Elizabeth Ellmore, Mrs. Mary Strickler Jenkins, Helen Kerr, Edwena Lambert, Evelyn Moseley, Merle Senger, Evelyn Steiner, Sarah Elizabeth Thompson, Ruth Wright, Helen Yates.


Class of 1925: Sara J. Greene, Florence Fray, Elizabeth Sparrow, Mrs. Gladys Hopkins Strickler, Sue Geoghegan, Margaret Herd, Emily Hogge, Mary Lippard, Sallie Loving, Lila Lee Riddell, Barbara Schwartz, Florence Shelton, Clotilde Rodes.

Class of 1923—Mrs. Louise Houston
Alexander, Anne Gilliam, Mrs. Alberta Rodes Shelton, Mrs. Marjorie Cline Snyder.

Class of 1922: Mrs. Christine Long Rodes, Mrs. Fred Dent.

Class of 1921: Mrs. Margaret Lewis Wise.

Class of 1920: Anna Allen, Mrs. Charlotte Yancey Boice, Mrs. Mary Seebert Starr.

Class of 1919: Mrs. Ruth Marshall Aron, Mrs. Virginia Zirkle Brock, Mrs. Ruby Brill Hoover, Mrs. Helen Hopkins Hoover, Mrs. Eva Rooshup Kohl, Delucia Fletcher, Mrs. Elizabeth Nicol Metcalf, Virginia Nelson, Jean Nicol, Ruth Witt.

Class of 1918: Mrs. Flossie Grant Rush.

Class of 1917: Vada Glick, Rachel Weems.

Class of 1916: Edna Dechert.

Class of 1915: Tenny Cline Wolfrey.


Class of 1913: Anna Ward (Degree 1929).

Class of 1912: Mrs. Edmonia Shepperson Chermside.

Non-graduates returning: Sarah Dunn, Edith Cline Garber, Beatrice Marable, Alice Clarke, and Mrs. Anne Garrette Penn.

ADRIENNE GOODWIN BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. CARTER

Mr. and Mrs. Luther B. Goodwin announce the marriage of their daughter, Adrienne, to Mr. John Hurley Carter, on Saturday, June 1, at the Methodist parsonage in Harrisonburg. Adrienne has been head of the Home Economics Department of the Bridgewater High School for the past two years. She is also connected with the faculty of H. T. C. Mr. Carter has been for several years head of the Department of Agriculture at the high school in Oakland, Md. Mr. and Mrs. Carter are now at home in Oakland.

WEDDINGS

H. T. C. SENIOR WEDS S. M. A. INSTRUCTOR

On March 16, Gladys Hawkins became the bride of Mr. Robert L. Smith, of Danville, Ky. The announcement, which was made during commencement, was a distinct surprise to the friends of the couple. Gladys and her husband plan to attend the University of Wisconsin this summer.

FANNIE REBECCA HOLSINGER BECOMES THE BRIDE OF REV. C. T. GOOD

On June 12, Fannie Rebecca Holsinger married Rev. Charles Theodore Good. In the fall of 1927, Mrs. Good received her B. S. degree from H. T. C. and since that time has been teaching in the Shenandoah public schools. Mr. Good has attended Bridgewater College and for the past two years has been assistant postmaster at Mt. Jackson.

Announcements have been received at the college of the wedding of Bernice Mercer to Mr. Paul M. Simpson. The wedding took place at the Burrows Memorial Baptist Church, Norfolk, Va., Saturday, June 15, at three o'clock. Bernice graduated from H. T. C. in June, 1928.

MAMIE OMOHUNDRO BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. FRANK SWITZER

A pretty home wedding was solemnized on Tuesday, June 18, at 8:30 o'clock, when Mamie Wilson Omohundro, the daughter of Mrs. J. R. Omohundro, of Clifton Forge, became the bride of Mr. Frank C. Switzer, son of Mrs. W. C. Switzer, of Harrisonburg. For several years the bride had been a member of the training school staff of
the State Teachers College of Harrisonburg. Mr. Switzer, a graduate of Washington and Lee, is associated with his brother in the operation of the Harrisonburg Mutual Telephone Co. The couple, after an extended trip to Canada, will be at home in Hamilton Terrace.

MISS NELSON CHAPMAN BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. LYNWOOD MILLER

Miss Nelson Chapman, a student at H. T. C. for the past two years, was united in marriage, June 13, to Mr. Lynwood Miller, of Keezletown. The ceremony was performed in Frederick, Md., and the wedding came as a complete surprise to their many friends. The couple will reside in Keeezletown.

PEGGY MOORE MARRIES MR. MILTON LEE NASH

On Saturday afternoon, June 15, at 4:30, Margaret Kaeffer Moore was married at the Memorial M. E. Church, Norfolk, to Mr. Milton Lee Nash. Peggy graduated from H. T. C. in 1923, and for several years has been teaching in Maury High School. While on the campus of H. T. C. Peggy excelled in dramatics, and since her graduation has been one of H. T. C.'s most loyal alumnae.

MARRIAGE OF GIBSON GREEN ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Travers Green, of Culpeper, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Lucy Gibson, to Mr. Stanley Richard Rowland, on Saturday, June 15, in Denver, Colorado. The marriage came as a surprise to the friends of the bride, who at the time of her marriage was on a visit to her aunt. Gibson graduated from H. T. C. in 1926. She and her husband will make their home in Denver, Colorado.

DIED

Merla Matthews, of the class of '20, was drowned on Wednesday, May 29, while in swimming. Merla is remembered here as a wonderful athlete and a star basketball player for H. T. C. She received her degree in 1920 and since that time graduated from Georgetown University. She was teaching physical education in one of the junior high schools of the city of Washington up until the time of her death.

WALKER IS DEAD

Nearly all of our alumnae knew Walker Lee, the janitor of Maury Hall. Few, perhaps, know that he died at his home in Bridgewater on Friday, May 17. He was buried in Bridgewater, Sunday, May 19, by the Masons. The college sent flowers, and many of the faculty and students attended the funeral.

Walker will be missed, especially by the "old girls" who return for commencement and who have in the past asked the question, "Walker, do you remember me?" And the remarkable part of it was that Walker did remember. Mr. Burruss once said of Walker, "Walker is an institution himself.

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A group of teachers and students of French are this summer availing themselves of the William and Mary Study Tour in
Europe, conducted by Professor Arthur George Williams. Sight-seeing trips throughout France are combined with the regular courses at the Sorbonne.

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