Convocation exercises for the winter quarter were held January 7, at which time, Rev. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the Harrison-burg Baptist Church, conducted the devotional program. Professor Vittorio Macchioro, of the University of Naples, was the convocation speaker; he told of the differences between Italians and Americans, contrasting the Italian attitude toward authority and tradition with that of the typical American. The speaker is in America to promote international peace and understanding, under the auspices of the Carnegie Foundation.

Professor Macchioro, during the first week in January, gave a series of three lectures, illustrated with lantern slides, on Rome, stressing different phases of this civilization as they have been discovered through archeological findings.

The three literary societies have elected the new officers for the winter quarter as

follows:

Laniers—Pauline Efford, president; Frances Bell, vice-president; Rebecca Leatherbury, secretary; Louise Hooks, treasurer; Louise Mapp, sergeant-at-arms; Maxine Pointer, critic.

Lee—Marie Burnette, president; Lena Bones, vice-president; Florence Stephenson, secretary; Mary Hyde, sergeant-at-arms: Martha Franklin, critic.

Page—Harriet Ullrich, president; Maxine Karnes, vice-president; Martha Ellison, secretary; Florine Collins, treasurer; Betty Bush, sergeant-at-arms; Elizabeth Oakes, critic; Sarah Dutrow, chairman of program committee.

Keeping house for the winter quarter, ten home economics students have moved into the Practice House. They are Virginia Gilliam, Mary Watt, Evelyn Glick, Lucille Bywaters, Gaye Phillippi, and Ethel Harmon.

Frances Land, Lelia Kearney, Virginia Jones, Martha Ellison, Mildred Henderson, Virginia Ruby, and Gladys Farrar have recently been added to the *Breeze* staff.

## ALUMNÆ NEWS

Mary Wilson, class of 1913, who is now Mrs. J. S. Turnbull, of Jamestown, Ohio, paid the college a visit recently and was much pleased with the evidences of growth in buildings, general equipment, and student body. At present she is spending some time at her old home, near Rockbridge Baths.

Mary Emma Scott, who will be remembered as an active participant in the Shakespeare pageant of 1916 and as an efficient member of the *Schoolma'am* staff for two sessions, is a well-known organizer of European tours. After protracted residence and study in France, England, Italy, and other countries of Europe, she has located in New York City. The Wonderland Tours, to which she gives her chief attention, are popular and justly celebrated. Her residence and office are at 603 Fifth Avenue.

Mary Miller Snead has made a great success as teacher and school principal. For several years past she has been working in the counties of Fairfax and Arlington. Not content with a measure of training that is already extensive and effective, she is continuing her work as a student at George Washington University. Her present address is 2100 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Louise Patrick, now Mrs. Marshall, lives in Charlotte, N. C. In sending a Christmas message to Blue-Stone Hill she wrote: "I have the cutest baby girl you 'most ever saw. She's almost a year old—will be in March."

Maxine Dryden is teaching 5th grade at Poquoson, Va. She likes her work, but she says: "I often wish I were at H. T. C."

Georgie Foreman, as we remember her, now Mrs. Smith, lives at Willoughby Beach, Norfolk. She still has a warm place in her heart for the college, and says, "I want to see you all." She has a daughter, Anne, aged eight, and son, Albert, aged five.

## MANY PAY DUES IN THE ALUMNÆ ASSOCIATION

The 1930-31 dues have been paid since September by the following:

Helen Acton '18 Mary Brown Allgood '30 Margaret Jarvis Anderson '22 Ruth Bean Arthur '23 Bernice Aylor '26 Constance E. Bailey '23 Pauline V. Bell '30 Virginia Matheny Binns '26 Evelyn Bowers '30 Annette Branson '30
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Charlotte Byers '29
Rosalie Brock Byrd '19
Frances S. Cabell '28
Marie Canada '30
Lady Louise Clark '24 Lady Louise Clark '24 Edna Crenshaw '29
Zena W. Crone '15
Elizabeth L. Davis '30
Hazel Davis '19
Edna Dechert '17 Lillian Derry '30 Carrie Dickerson '30 Hazel Donovan '21 Hazel Donovan '21 Gertrude Drinker '30 Maxine Dryden '29 Kate Dunnivin '23 M. Pauline Ellmore '29 Jean Foley '29 Hazel Foltz '28 Sue W. Foster '19 Lillian Gilgery '14 Elsie Haga '24 Sarah Hartman '28 Sarah Hartman '28 Mrs. E. H. Henry Constance Henry Stache Hoff '30 Ruth Round Hoof '12 Mae Hoover '28 Rosa E. Hopkins '30 Kathryn Wilson Howard '21 Ruby Hubbard '29 Henrietta F. Jacob '29 Lucille Keeton '24 V. Elizabeth King '29
Edna Anderton Kritzer '17
Lillian R. Lanier '25
Edyth T. Maddox '27
Mary Yowell Mahanes '14
Linda Malone '30
Suria Malore '15 Susie Maloy '15
Margaret Thorma Martyn '22
Elizabeth Primrose Murphy '18
Octavia Goode Maxwell '12
Mareta O. Miller '27
Anne Moore '28 Anne Moore '28 Mary W. McCown '14 Vivian McDonald '30 Helen McLee '30 Byrd Nelson '23 Bernice Nicholson '29 Corinne Bowman Nye '14 Doris Persinger '26 Lucile Biedler Piner '22 Ruby M. Pryor '30

Louise Ramsburg '29 Florence Reese '29 Idell Reid '13 Alma Reiter '13 Lila Lee Riddell '24 Eva Reynolds '29 Haselteen Reynolds '30 Suella Reynolds '30 Margaret Roberts '29 Grace Rohr '30 Frances Selby '15
Margaret Chandler Shreve '28
Sarah K. Pruden Six '17
Mary Finney Smith '29
Clara Belle Smith '29 Clara Belle Smith '29
Elizabeth Sparrow '23
Isabel Sparrow '22
Lennis Shoemaker '25
Helen Bendall Still '16
Nina Randolph Swecker '23
Frances V. Titus '30
Sarah E. Thompson '27
Virginia Turpin '28
Hannah Marie Via '30
Nell Walters '29
Sarah Moffett Walters '12 Nell Walters '29
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Viola E. Ward '29
Marguerite B. Washington '25
Rachel Weems '14
Emily O. Wiley '30
Mildred Garter Williams '21
Katherine Wilmoth '23
Emma Winn '27
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I have noticed that folks are generally about as happy as they have made up their minds to be.—ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

To stop learning is to stop growing. That is why the minds of so many men and women are dwarfed and atrophied.—John OLIVER RATHBONE in Foursquare.

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