

NEWS OF THE COLLEGE AND ITS ALUMNÆ

THE ballot for the 1934 elections of major campus officers, as announced by the electoral board, presented the following nominees: President of the student government, Henrietta Manson, Lottsburg, and Inez Graybeal, Christiansburg; president of the Y. W. C. A., Eleanor Cook, Charleston, West Virginia, and Mary Page Barnes, Amelia; president of the Athletic Association, Pam Parkins, Norfolk, Julia Courter, Amelia, and Douglas McDonald, Scotts, N. C.; editor-in-chief of the *Breeze*, Eugenia Trainum, Meltons, Joyce Rieley, Troutville, and Elsie Mallory, Vigor; editor-in-chief of the *Schoolma'am*, Ruth Shular, East Stone Gap, and Mary Blankenship, Clifton Forge.

The election, held on February 6, resulted in the following choices: Misses Manson, Barnes, Parkins, Trainum, and Shular.

The Mirror section of the *Schoolma'am* recently determined by student election, has been announced. Girls selected for the "Big" Mirror are: most intellectual, Sarah Lemmon, Marietta, Georgia; most dramatic, Gladys Farrar, Rustburg; best looking, Lois Bishop, Norfolk; most musical, Evelyn Watkins, Norfolk; most literary, Sarah Lemmon, Marietta, Georgia; most artistic, Frances Pigg, Washington, D. C.; most athletic, Emily Pittman, Gates, N. C.; most versatile, Madaline Newbill, Norfolk; best leader, Hilda Hisey, Edinburg; most popular, Hilda Hisey, Edinburg. Those chosen for the "Little" Mirror are: most stylish, Dot Williams, Norfolk; happiest, Gladys Farrar, Rustburg; most dignified, Hilda Hisey, Edinburg; best dancer, Louise Borum, Big Stone Gap; quietest, Edith Todd, Norfolk; wittiest, Gladys Farrar, Rustburg; most business-like, Margaret Smith, Norfolk; most friendly, Gladys Farrar, Rustburg; most sophisticated, Dot Williams, Norfolk; most studious, Mary Spitzer, Harrisonburg; most original, Helen

Madjeski, Elizabeth, N. J.; typical student teacher, Mary Spitzer, Harrisonburg.

The intercollegiate debating schedule is being arranged. The question to be debated is, *Resolved*: That the powers of the President should be substantially increased as a permanent policy. Henrietta Manson, Lottsburg, and Joyce Rieley, Troutville, will support the affirmative against Mary Baldwin College here on Feb. 23. Virginia Cox, Woodlawn, and Sarah Lemmon, Marietta, Georgia, will argue the affirmative with East Radford State Teachers College here on March 3. Ruth Behrens, Timberville, and Mary Truhan, New York City, will defend the negative here in a debate with Shepherd's College in April.

The sophomore class celebrated its annual "day" January 12, using as its theme "Sailing to Success." The girls wore sailor caps and collars and carried anchors, all in green and white. The sophomores, under the leadership of Elizabeth Thweatt, Petersburg, president, conducted chapel. There was a banquet that night and a party in the Big Gym.

Julia Courter, junior, of Amelia, was elected president of the Athletic Association by the Athletic Council after the resignation of Marietta Melson, Machipongo. Hattie Courter, also of Amelia, was elected vice-president. Julia is a member of the varsity hockey and basketball teams, sergeant-at-arms of the Lee Literary Society, and member of Kappa Delta Pi. Hattie is secretary of the junior class, vice-president of the Art Club, and a member of the Lee Literary Society and Le Cercle Francais.

The Harrisonburg team defeated Shepherdstown in the first game of the season 62-12. A few new girls have been added to Harrisonburg's varsity, making it even stronger. The individual high scorer for the game was Virginia Barrow of Blackstone, a new student. Captain Emily Pittman of Gates, N. C., ran her a close second.

The French Circle is planning to give a

play written by Moliere and translated by the advanced French class, *The Doctor in Spite of Himself*. The cast includes Ruth Behrens, Ruth Shular, Kathryn Harlin, Sarah Lemmon, Elsie Mallory, Alice Kay, Hilda Hisey, and Joyce Rieley. The play will be presented in assembly.

Dr. Florence Stratemeyer, professor of education at Teachers College, Columbia University, was guest lecturer of the A. A. U. W. here. Her subject was "Curriculum Making in the Present Social Crisis." As she is first vice-president of international Kappa Delta Pi, a reception was held for her by the Alpha Chi chapter.

Margaret James of Whitestone was recently elected swimming sports leader for the school. She is replacing Pam Parkins, of Norfolk, who found it necessary to resign. Mary Blankenship of Clifton Forge was elected student body representative to the *Schoolma'am* staff.

The Glee Club presented a program of American music in Wilson Hall recently. They were assisted by a men's quartet from town and by Sara Smith, of Little Rock, Arkansas, dancer. The club also sang at the United Brethren Church here at a Sunday evening service. The college girls' class of the Methodist Church gave a recital recently. It included vocal and instrumental music and readings.

Sixteen Cotillion pledges started off the goat season for the winter quarter. The new members are: Belle Krieger, Portsmouth; June Gulliford, Pulaski; Janie Miner, Meridian, Miss.; Anne Bond, Petersburg; Frances Averett, Lynchburg; Ruth Bodine, Harrisonburg; Lelia Rucker, Delaplane; Elizabeth Fisher, Bluefield; Martha Way, Huntington, West Virginia; Bertha Jenkins, Waynesboro; Mary Porter, Toano; Frances Cotrell, Toano; Rosa Lee Fowlkes, South Hill; Alpine Beazley, Beavertdam; Ruth Haley, Wytheville; Frances Kellam, Exmore.

The Lee Literary Society pledged thirteen girls this quarter. They are: Daisy

Mae Gifford, Harrisonburg; Ellen Eastham, Harrisonburg; Virginia Byers, Harrisonburg; Ruth Shular, East Stone Gap; Virginia Cox, Woodlawn; Albertina Ravenhorst, Lexington; Virginia Barrow, Blackstone; Alpine Beazley, Beavertdam; Nancy Turner, Norfolk; Melva Burnette, Leesville; Martha Way, Huntington, W. Va.; Mary Blankenship, Clifton Forge; Beulah Ellis, Norfolk.

New Page members this quarter are: Harriet Linger, Clarendon; Doris Miller, Clarendon; Adelaide Houser, Ballston; Marion Sullivan, Norfolk; Charlotte Homan, Harrisonburg; Audrey Slaughter, Charleston, W. Va.; Ruby McCloud, Norfolk; Alice Haley, Alexandria; Flora Heins, Ballston; Virginia Hisey, Mt. Jackson; Eleanor Biggs, Lynchburg; Virginia McCue, Fort Defiance.

Lanier initiates for the second quarter are: Bertha Jenkins, Waynesboro; Alice Geiger, Los Angeles, Calif.; Ruth Haley, Wytheville; Frances Averett, Lynchburg; Rosa Lee Fowlkes, South Hill; Elizabeth Carson, Lynchburg; Virginia Zehmer, McKenny; Carolyn Davis, Hilton Village; Betty Fisher, Bluefield; Kitty Burnette, Leesville; Dorothy Beach, Norfolk; Frances Forney, Winchester.

Alpha Rho Delta initiated five goats this quarter. They are: Henrietta Manson, Lottsburg; Josephine R. Miller, Woodstock; Hazel Koontz, Elkton; Lois Sloop, Harrisonburg; Elizabeth Page, Tabb.

Stratford Dramatic Club had three goats this quarter: Bertha Jenkins, of Waynesboro; Dorothy Mairs, of Baltimore; and Virginia Zehmer, of McKenny.

A number of alumnae were back for the mid-winter dance on February 3, among them Marguerite Bass, of Richmond; Virginia Orange, of Cheriton; Martha Warren, of Lynchburg; Sue Leith, of Aldie; Katherine Booton and Bobbie McKim, of Luray; Anna Colvert, of High Point, N. C.; Isabel Du Val, of Norfolk; and Mildred Dawson.

ALUMNAE NEWS

Home-Coming

March 23 begins the Home-Coming week-end for alumnae. A large representation of the various classes is hoped for as a result of the special letters from the respective class presidents. Many alumnae are so busy in June with their own commencements that they are then unable to return to H. T. C. Consequently March will appeal to many. This week-end, however, will not replace the alumnae reunions of June.

The tentative program is a movie Friday night, March 23; a business program Saturday morning; a tea by the Harrisonburg chapter and possibly a lyceum number Saturday afternoon; a banquet Saturday night followed by a "co-ed" dance. On Sunday the Y. W. C. A. is having a special program for alumnae who are still on campus.

As rooms and meals are furnished by the college to all alumnae, there is little expense. It is hoped that ever so many will find it possible to return and revisit old scenes as well as renew old acquaintances.

Shirley Miller, '31, spent the week-end of January 20 at H. T. C., formulating plans for the Alumnae Home-Coming. Shirley is teaching English in the Mt. Jackson high school, driving back and forth daily from her home in Edinburg.

Marriages

Jane Maphis, B. S., '32, was married on December 25 in Strasburg to Mr. Orville Wake, also of Strasburg. Jane is teaching in Strasburg and her husband is coach and instructor in the high school at Middletown.

During the Christmas holidays Mollie Virginia Goddin was married at Toano to Mr. Robert Archer Williams.

Virginia Schlater, N. P. '29, of Culpeper, was married to Mr. Sam Schlosser, of Gordonsville on December 31 in Fredericksburg. Virginia is teaching at Culpeper.

On January 21 Mildred Henderson, of Williamsburg, was married to Mr. John R. Schirard, Jr. Mildred was president of the class of '33. Her husband is a lawyer in Sanford, Florida.

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