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The bow that's always bent
will quickly break;
But if unstrung will serve
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So let the mind some relaxation take,
To come back to its task with
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HIS DORMITORY WAS named for Mr. ROBERT T. GRAY, Raleigh, who served as a member of the College Board of Trustees from 1901 until his death in 1912.

Mr. Gray, together with MR. R. S. PULLEN, gave the original ten acres upon which the first buildings of the College were erected. This gift, together with \$30,000, donated by the City of Greensboro from the sale of bonds in that amount. secured the location of the new institution in Greens-

Mr. Gray was a lawyer, a civic promoter, a church-man, and "the best loved" citizen of Raleigh, where he lived.

During his years as city attorney, he drew the plans for the sewerage and water systems, and organized the first electric light company in North Carolina, the second south of Richmond. He was a director of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad, financial agent and assistant president of the Carolina Steel and Iron Company, member of the Board of Trustees of the Blind Institute at Raleigh, member of the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, member of the Board of Trustees of the State Normal and Industrial College, now the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina; he was active in fraternal and civic organizations in his city and state. It was said of Mr. Gray that everything which concerned his fellow-man concerned him. So understanding and so charitable was he toward all people that he often quoted the lowly saving: there is so much good in the worst of

us, and so much bad in the best of us, that it hardly behooves any of us to be over-critical of our neigh-

View of Gray Dormitory

Erected in 1921

# Art Education As I See It .

By Gregory D. Ivy Head Department of Art Woman's College

My attention was attracted recently by three statements made by men who look at art from very different points of observation, and these statements are pregnant with meaning significant to all persons interested in art. Dean William F. Russell, Teachers College, Columbia University, in an article, "Art and the Future," in Art Education Today, April, 1935, says: "Art and Art Teaching hold a place of paramount importance in the future. In the Middle Ages those in terror of the future secreted themselves behind battlements and walls and hid themselves in caves. In this day and age, those in doubt could well prepare to become teachers of games and plays, teachers of drama, and

particularly teachers of art, for no other branch of knowledge or skill will fulfill so important a need or offer so certain an opportunity. Whatever our form of government may become, whatever trend the New Social Order may take, artists and teachers of art will be needed."

Allen Tucker, artist and teacher, made this statement in the American Magazine of Art, April, 1935: "For the creative imagination must rule the mind. The mind must not limit the creative imagination. The affair of the painter is to exercise and develop his creative imagination. The country depends on him. He



PERSIMMONS

CHARCOAL DRAWING BY RUTH ABBOTT CLARK '31 Done during her first six weeks as a beginning student in the course in Drawing and Composition.

Mrs. Clark lives in Reidsville, but comes to the College each week for instruction in Art.

must develop and express his ideas, his visual ideas, in terms of design. He must see — see visions; for where there are no visions the people perish."

We must realize also, as Irwin Edman states in Art Education Today, that "Art is at once a name for a group of activities and enjoyments, both expert and exquisite, and a name for a certain quality of all activity and all experience."

In many schools it has been the custom to employ an art supervisor who teaches art from grade one to grade twelve inclusive. This supervisor makes one or perhaps two hurried trips each week to each grade in the elementary schools where she works directly with children whom she may see from thirty to seventy times during the year. The short period of time in each classroom and the infrequency of the visits make it impossible for the supervisor to know, much less understand, the children individually; this practise in turn retards the development of the child and creates a feeling of dissatisfaction within the children and within the teacher. A better plan is for the regular classroom teacher to have sufficient background to enable her to work directly with the children as art problems present themselves in the course of the day's work. The art supervisor will function directly with the classroom teacher as a sympathetic guide, an efficient technical aid, and a source of inspiration for the true creative spirit so essential in the development of elementary school children. The elementary classroom teacher will become aware of and truly feel and appreciate the basic, universal urge to create an urge, which has in many instances been ironed from them in the college where they received their training; or perhaps the task was finished there after having been commenced in the elementary school and carried forward with gusto and determination in the secondary school. The classroom teacher expects the children to do as well in the art activities as she expects them to do in other school activities. Should not the administration and the pupils expect as much of understanding and appreciation of the art activities as the teacher may possess in other activities of school life?

A change is needed in the type of work done in many schools. Much of it is more or less busy work, almost wholly isolated from life and having no significance for the child, but done to relieve a tired classroom teacher. Art must mean something to the children in the public schools: better buildings (not necessarily more expensive buildings), better class-

rooms, a solution for some of the personal problems of the child. Art must mean something in the community: better housing, better industrial conditions, better parks and playgrounds, and a far better use of the steadily increasing leisure time of the great masses of the people. In other words, art must become a more vital and powerful social force, but must not become propaganda for any political or other groups to accomplish selfish ends. Art that does not produce a tolerant, independent and critical attitude toward life can have but little significance.

In the junior high school, art must become broader in scope. If interest in art wanes at this stage, it is usually due to a misunderstanding of boys and girls by the teacher, or to the academic policy adopted by the school toward the work of the school. A direct personal appeal for each individual must be so manipulated that it may contribute to the individual's integrated growth and have social meaning to him. The stronger ininterest noticeable tellectual junior high school pupils should receive stimulation so that depth may be assured in growth.

The direction of individual interests is frequently determined by the time the student enters senior high school, so that the creative development in any special direction may receive the emphasis that seems desirable from the standpoint of interest shown by the student and his technical ability. The art of the high school must carry forward the development of an individual who has a clear vision of the wholeness of life, the unity and the rythms of living. It is essential that students have a realization of the social and cultural contributions of the art of the past as it has taken its place in the complicated pattern of experiences contributing to a higher degree of real civilization; but he needs to have also the realization that the art of any age must look forward, must express itself in terms of its age regardless of the

turbulence of the times or the direction taken by a new social order. Anything else would be an attempt at escape from the reality of life, and such art would be decadent and would lack vitality and freshness of vision.

In any part of the public school this fact must be kept in mind — that the finished product is of no consequence, but whatever happens to the individual through the process of creating that product is vastly important.

Teachers of art must be developed who have a knowledge of real life, who possess a feeling of tolerance towards viewpoints, ideas, policies, and cultures other than their own and who have an independent, critical attitude which is flexible and fluid. They must be individuals who are continually growing, continually discarding old and worn ideas, and ever seeking new and fresh sources of inspiration from the life around them, for their own creative efforts and for the inspiration of those people with whom they work.

The whole matter is aptly summed up by George J. Cox, chairman of the Department of Art, University of Los Angeles: ". . . art is something that will eventually make our utilities intelligent, our Main Streets civilized, our leisure a delight, and our daily lives significant of something more God-like than the mere will to survive. In short, to the modern teacher, Art means Life."

# The Weil Fellowship Students



In order to aid and encourage graduate study, Mrs. Henry Weil, of Goldsboro, established here in 1924, as a memorial to her husband, what is known as the Weil Fellowship. The original gift was six thousand dollars, but Mrs. Weil has added to the initial sum from time to time, until the fund now totals sixteen thousand dollars. The income from this sum is available for the use of the winner of the Fellowship, and the amount is not to be repaid. So far the award has been made each year to a member of the graduating class, although the conditions of the gift provide that if no member of the senior class meets the requirements, the Fellowship may be granted to a graduate of the College of not more than five years standing.

The award of the Fellowship is made each year by a special committee of the faculty, appointed by the dean of the College, with himself as an ex-officio member. In making the decision, this committee adjudges each prospect by two basic principles: first, scholarship; second, general excellence. The winner is entirely free to do her year of graduate study at the college or university of her own choice.

The Weil Fellowship has now been in existence for twelve years, but thirteen young women have participated in its benefits, since in 1935 it was divided equally between two equally ranking students. It might be of interest to survey briefly the history of the award during this first dozen years of its existence.

### 1924 — Julia Ross

To Julia Ross, of Asheboro, belongs the distinction of initiating the series. She was a major in history. Choosing Columbia University, she studied there during the fall of 1924, remained at home the following spring, but resumed her work in the fall of 1925, and received the M.A. degree in Political Science in June, 1926. The spring of 1926, she taught government and history in the Greensboro High School. That fall she was married to Dr. W. L. Lambert, a physician in Asheboro. They have a daughter named for her mother. As Mrs. Lambeth, the first winner of the Weil Fellowship is active in every phase of civic life in her city.

### 1925 — Margaret Bridgers

Margaret Bridgers, of Tarboro, was also a history major. She chose the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; and after a year of graduate study there, received the M.A. degree in Sociology, in 1926. For two years thereafter, Miss Bridgers taught history in the Greensboro High School. Followed another year of study at the New York School of Social Work. This additional training led her into four fascinating years as visiting teacher in the Norwich, Connecticut, city-schools. Going from there to Houston, Texas, she did social service work in connection with Faith Home; but this year finds her back in the state of Connecticut, as visiting teacher for the Hartford public schools. Margaret Bridgers is another good thing the Yankees have taken from us!

### 1926 — Kate Hall

Kate Hall, of Asheville, was a major in English. She had creative imagination in writing; she was interested in dramatics. It was no surprise, then, that she chose Yale University, enrolling in the school of drama, in Yale's department of Fine Arts. She spent half the year there, following her graduation here, but in the spring study was interrupted by illness. That fall she came to Greensboro to teach for a year in Aycock school. Followed two years as director of Greensboro's Little Theatre. During this time she also wrote two or three pageants which were staged in the city. When the Little Theatre was disbanded, Miss Hall taught English for a while at Washington Seminary in Atlanta, and spent a year in Richmond, teaching and doing various other things. In Atlanta, she was active in the Little Theatre group, and became definitely interested in marionettes. She made her own puppets, wrote her own plays, and gave a number of puppet performances in the city. In the spring of 1934 she went to Athens, Ohio, did graduate work in English at the State University there, published several poems in Manuscript, supervised a library project for the FERA, and under the sponsorship of the University, gave puppet shows in Athens, and in neighboring towns; she also taught a class in puppetry. A few months ago she came to Washington, to be assistant to the head of the statistical department of the Women's Division of the WPA.

### 1927 — Josephine Hege

Josephine Hege, of Rosemary, was a major in history. She was also president of the Student Government Association. Like her immediate predecessor, she chose Yale University. The year after graduation here, she studied at Yale, pursuing there her undergraduate interest. Then the High Point High School claimed her for six years as teacher of history. But in the spring of 1934, the high school at Ridgewood, New Jersey, lured her away. But not for long. In the fall of that year she returned to North Carolina, to the Woman's College, to be-Student Counsellor in Anna come Howard Shaw Dormitory, and to teach in the department of History.

### 1928 — Katherine Taylor

Katherine Taylor, Salisbury, majored in French. She entered Radcliffe College for her year of graduate work, won new laurels in scholarship, and received the M.A. degree in June, 1929. That fall her Alma Mater called her; and since that time she has been an instructor in French in the department of Romance

Languages, Woman's College. For the past two years, Miss Taylor has also served as a Student Counsellor, dividing her time between that work and teaching.

### 1929 — Clara Guignard

Clara Guignard, Lincolnton, was a major in Sociology. She broke away from the traditional East, and went West to grow up with Chicago University. For two years she studied there, and received her M.A. degree in Sociology in the summer of 1931. But the labor of learning was not unmixed with other pursuits: and a few weeks after the degree was conferred by the University, she was married to Dr. R. E. L. Faris, whose father is chairman of the Department of Sociology at Chicago. (It might be added that Clara was at one time a student of both!) During her second year of university study, Mrs. Faris spent much time working under Dr. Jesse Steiner, now at the University of Washington, then at Tulane, gathering material on Recreation in Chicago, from 1900-1930, for the section on Changes in Recreation of the Hoover Commission on Social Trends, headed by Dr. William F. Ogburn, of Chicago. Mrs. Faris lives now at Providence, Rhode Island, where her husband is a teacher of Sociology in Brown University. She remarks: "Of course I have had to learn to keep house, particularly now that we live in a new little New England cottage on the edge of a large farm, with woods reminiscent of the Park back at College, and with a hill for mid-winter sports." This winter she is teaching history and sociology for the local Emergency Program of Collegiate Studies, for high school graduates who are not attending college.

### 1930 — Mattie-Moore Taylor

Mattie-Moore Taylor was a major in English. As editor-in-chief of the college newspaper, The Carolinian, she became deeply interested in journalism. To the University of Wisconsin she turned, and entered its gradaute school as a major in Journalism. After a year there, she became publicity director for the Madison Community Union, an organization similar to the Community Chest. They have never let her go. Miss Taylor's official title is Director of Publicity. It is her job to inform and "educate" the public about the work of the fifteen Community Union agencies. In addition to the usual and general routine of news releases and the gathering of statistics and information about social conditions, she prepares and directs radio programs, operates a speaker's bureau, and during campaign time writes booklets and pamphlets, and prepares posters and other material of information and appeal. "Of course I see the clients in need of service at one end, and the business men and leisurely ladies at the other end — it's a fascinating contrast."

### 1931 — Mary Jane Wharton

Mary Jane Wharton, Greensboro, was a major in Biology. She was also president of the Student Government Association, and was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa in 1935, the first year that the society was installed at Woman's College. Mary Jane brought the Weil Fellowship back East, and for the third time to Yale University. For four years, from 1931 to 1935, she did graduate work at Yale, pursuing the Ph.D. degree in Zoology. During two of these years, she held a laboratory assistantship. But romance will find a way, even among the test tubes and telescopes, and so in the spring of 1933 Mary Jane was married to Walter Nelson Thayer, III. In January, 1935, Mr. Thayer graduated from the Yale School of Law. They are living now in New York City, where Mr. Thayer is practicing law. Mrs. Thayer is teaching biology in Fieldston School, and completing her dissertation, preparatory to the award of the Ph.D. degree.

### 1932 - Marian Anderson

Marian Anderson, Havana, Cuba, was a major in piano. The year after her graduation, she went to New York, where she studied piano with Josef and Rosina Lhévinne. In the summer of 1933, she went with her teachers to Austria, where she again studied piano with them at the International Conservatory of Music in Mondsee. While there, she played in a public concert with the Roth String Quartet from Budapest. Back in the fall to New York, where she won a fellowship on a competitive basis, for study at the Juilliard Graduate School of Music. At the beginning of her second year at the Juilliard, she was named teacher of secondary piano in the school, a position which she still holds, along with her graduate work. This is Marian's fourth year of study in piano, and allied subjects, in New York City, and her third year at the Juilliard Graduate School.

### 1933 — Katherine Moser

Katherine Moser was the second Greensboro girl to receive the Weil Fellowship. Her major was history. She was elected last year to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. With her the pendulum swung back to Chicago University, and there she spent the year after graduation, continuing her undergraduate major, and receiving the M.A. degree in history in 1934. That fall, she taught history in Burlington High School. But at the beginning of the second semester, her Alma Mater brought her into its faculty, as an instructor in the department of History.

### 1934 - Alice Armfield

Alice Armfield represented the Concord High School. She was a major in French. During the entire four years she was a student at Woman's College she made no grade lower than A — the high-

est record in scholarship ever made by any student in the history of the College. Needless to say, she was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. In addition, she was an outstanding leader in student activities. Alice also turned to Chicago University. There she continued the brilliant record made in undergraduate days. But in the spring of 1935, she became ill, and returned to her home in Concord to recover.

### 1935—Margaret Moser Kate Wilkins

Margaret Moser and Kate Wilkins were both Greensboro girls. Margaret was a major in history; Kate was a major in chemistry. Both were elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. Both were outstanding in general excellence. Their qualifications for the fellowship were so nearly equal that the committee divided the award equally between them. Margaret followed the example of her sister, Katherine, and entered Chicago University last fall, where she is again concentrating in the field of history. Kate went East — to Mount Holyoke College, at South Hadley, Massachusetts, where she is an assistant in the department of Chemistry.

Has the Weil Fellowship been justified? Has the judgment of the various committees been justified? Here is the record. Make your own answer. Read into it a whole volume of idealism not mentioned on the printed page. Remember, too, that the Weil fellows have only begun.

And what do the beneficiaries think? Here is a sentence taken at random from a letter from one of them: "I must not close without trying to express my appreciation, though most inadequately, for Mrs. Weil's interest in Woman's College students. I hope some day to prove what the fellowship has meant to me."

# Affairs of the Local Clubs and Associations

### SIX ALUMNAE CLUB AND ASSOCIATION CHAIRMEN







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### ATLANTA CLUB

Meeting one: College spirit and enthusiasm ran high among Atlanta alumnae on the afternoon of November 30, when we gathered around the tea table in Eunice Kirkpatrick Rankin's home and heard Dr. Jackson talk about the College, the changes that have taken place, and the plans for its continued development. In the group present were representatives of classes from the second year of the opening down to the graduating class of 1934. Needless to say, many personal reminiscences punctuated our dean's story of continued growth. This was an interesting group. Dr. Mary McDougall, head of the department of Biology at Agnes Scott College, has done distinguished work in her field. Among the evidences of recognition which have come to her is the award of the Rochester Fellowship for research work in Naples. Some of the results of her research have been translated into five foreign languages. Eva Sink Weir has recently been elected to the Board of the Atlanta League of Women Voters,

although her great interest is Progressive Education. Etta Allred Brannon is so proud of being a grandmother that we almost accuse her of being a snob! Then there was Florence Smith Cannon — she of the most lovely suburban home, who severed her connection with the Coca-Cola Bottling Company, but who still maintains an office down town and supplies us with flowers from her gardens. Ina Edwards Groome, our 1934 graduate in Home Economics, was present. Bess Tays Donaldson, wife of a greatly beloved physician, advises our group on current literature, her latest recommendation being Lady Astor's Horse! Florrie King Morgan has a talented daughter studying on a fellowship at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia. Sue Canter, with her friendly smile, encourages us as a member of the staff of the main branch of the Carnegie Library, to read good literature. Still others were Theo Chestney Davis, a niece of Miss Kirkland; Margaret Morris Spaugh, whose husband serves as Commissioner of Boy Scouts for the Northwestern Area, who has an irresistible lad called Pee Wee; Marjorie Hood and Hazel Grogan Morris, students in the Library School at Emory; Lillian Watson Buhman, teacher of a large woman's Bible class in one of the city's churches; Dixon Thacker, connected with the T.V.A., and finally, Mrs. Rankin, our hostess, in whose two fine sons — one now at Tech, and the other a 1934 graduate in medicine at Emory, our entire group takes pride. In fact, we are secretly saving up all our symptoms until the young Doctor finishes his internship!

It was a good meeting — believe the word of one who was there; and we parted with confidence in the future of our College under Dr. Jackson's leadership.

Lizzie Roddick Edgerton.

### CATAWBA COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting two: High school girls from the senior classes of Hickory and Newton high schools, together with present students at Woman's College, home for the holidays, were honored with a program and tea, given by the Catawba Alumnae Association in the assembly room of the Duke Power Company, Hickory, on the afternoon of December 27. Dorothy Hunt Merritt, chairman, presided. Various phases of college life were presented as brief topics by a number of local students now in College: "The Social Side of College Life," by Laura Vernon Abernethy; "The Religious Side of College Life," Margaret Mahaffey; "Sports," Myrtle Rowe; "Athletics," Bess Rankin; "Academic Life," Willie Ree Rollins; "Student Clubs," Minnie Fowler; "Lectures and Recitals," Mary Elizabeth McIntosh. These talks were followed by a round table discussion, centering around the Woman's College in general. Mrs. Chalmers Fox also sang a group of songs. During the short business session, Louise Cloninger Cummings was elected president for the coming year; Ione Mebane Mann, vice president; and Helen Frye, secretary-treasurer.

Bringing the delightful afternoon to a close, a salad course, with Russian tea, was served, to the accompaniment of several piano numbers played by Mrs. John McFarland.

Helen Frye, Secretary.

### CHAPEL HILL CLUB

Meeting one: On Saturday evening, October 5, the members of our club were entertained by Julia Cherry Spruill, chairman, and Pattie Spurgeon Warren, secretary, at the home of Mrs. Warren in Chapel Hill. Mrs. Spruill presided. We decided to meet four times a year, the next meeting to take place in January. Five objectives were adopted:

- 1. To inform ourselves about our College, its history, its present status, and important current happenings on the campus.
- 2. To make the College known to Chapel Hill girls and their parents.
- 3. To aid alumnae who are newcomers in Chapel Hill to adjust themselves socially in the community.
- 4. To keep vital our interest in the College and in other alumnae.
- 5. To keep ourselves informed regarding important matters of particular interest to women.

To carry out these objectives, the chairman appointed several committees: the Social Committee, to interest itself particularly in the newcomer, Adelaide Van Noppen Howard, chairman; Irene Slate Stoudemire, Vera Ward Peacock, Gretchen Taylor Hobbs, Madge Kennette; a High School Committee, to become acquainted with the Chapel Hill high school girls and their parents, and to devise ways and means of informing them of the opportunities at Woman's College, composed of Mae Stoudemire Armstrong, chairman; Janie Stacy Gwynn, and Elsa Craig; a News Committee, to keep us informed on impor-

tant happenings of particular interest to women, composed of Lucile Elliott, chairman, and Mary Dudley; a Publicity Committee, to see that notes and reviews of our meetings, and important news about the College is published in the papers, Eula Parrish Pugh in charge; a Program Committee, Eleanor Elliott Carroll, the committee. At the conclusion of the program, tea and cookies were served by Inez Koonce Stacy, Clyde Wright, Lettie Glass, and our two hostesses.

Eula Parrish Pugh, Chairman of Publicity.

# CLEVELAND COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: The Cleveland County Association met on Saturday afternoon, November 9, at the home of the chairman, Katherine Shenk Mauney, in Kings Mountain, to celebrate the forty-third birthday of the College. Guests were welcomed by Ruth Raby Fulkerson and Emma Rice. We sang the College Song, read the messages from the FAMILY ALBUM, and heard a piano solo, Trees, by Rasbach, played by Miss Rice. During the business meeting, over which Mrs. Mauney presided, these new officers were elected to serve for the coming year: chairman, Rosalynd Nix Gilliatt. Shelby; vice chairman, Mitchell Williams, Kings Mountain; secretary-treasurer, Burt Gettys, Shelby.

At the conclusion of the program, the guests were invited into the dining room, where the lace covered table was centered with a white birthday cake, and topped with 43 tiny yellow lighted candles, arranged to make the figure 43. Mary B. Reynolds Wolf, of Charlotte, poured tea.

# CONNECTICUT STATE ALUMNAE CLUB

Meeting two: A luncheon meeting was again held in Hartford on November 9. Nine members were in attendance. It was

voted to have an evening meeting in January, which would be our third for the year, and a fourth, later in the spring. We shall make an effort to contact the mothers of Connecticut girls now at Woman's College, for the spring meeting. Much interest was expressed in Alumnae House.

Jessie Bridgers, Chairman.

# CRAVEN COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: With Gertrude Carraway presiding, the Craven County alumnae met at the parish house in New Bern on Friday evening, December 28, elected new officers, and heard a program on college activities, presented by nine young women who are present students at the Woman's College. Jane Dill Willis was voted chairman for the coming year: Bettie Wright Smith, vice chairman; and Frances Claypoole, secretary-treasurer. Lelia Styron, member of the Board of Trustees of the Consolidated University, Gertrude Carraway, member of the Board of Trustees of the General Alumnae Association, Louise Bell, Sara All Abernethy, and Mrs. Smith composed the nominating committee which presented the names of the new officers. Mothers of students now in College, as well as several girls who are members of the senior high school class, and a few additional visitors were cordially welcomed by the alumnae. Mrs. Gertie Willis Matthews, a student at the College in 1895, Mrs. Bessie William Dill, 1896, and Alice Taylor, a member of the last graduating class, each singled out some particular fact relating to the College as they knew it; and Norma Styron, home for the holidays from New York, told of a recent alumnae meeting in the Metropolis. Following the varied and interesting program, Mrs. R. A. Nunn and Mrs. S. L. Dill, representing the mothers of the college students, poured tea at an attractively appointed table. Cakes and candy were also served.

### DUPLIN COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: In keeping with the Founders' Day spirit, our Association met on Saturday afternoon, October 5, at the home of Louise Kornegay Boney, Kenansville. Martha Stewart Powell, chairman, presided. The singing of the College Song was followed by the FAMILY ALBUM. The messages from the members of the faculty were read by various alumnae, and the pictures were passed for all to see. It was voted to send a check from the Association treasurer to the Alumnae Association at the College, to be used toward purchasing an article of furniture for the Alumnae house, in the name of the Duplin County Association. Five senior high school girls were special guests on this occasion. New officers were elected as follows: chairman, Alma Davis Wells, Rose Hill; vice chairman, Allie Hill Boney, Wallace; secretary-treasurer, Ruth Teachey Murray.

It was also voted to hold the next meeting in Wallace. During the social hour, the hostess served unique refreshments in the college colors.

> Laura Carroll Wells, Retiring Secretary-Treasurer.

### DURHAM COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: At a meeting characterized by an earnest desire to be of service to our College, with fun and fellowship likewise in good measure, twenty-five alumnae met on the evening of November 13, at the Y. W. C. A., to elect officers, and to plan a formal spring meeting. Sallie Boddie Patterson and Mary Sue Weaver Allison were in charge of the evening's proceedings. Under their guidance, a delightful social hour was followed by an interesting business session. Dr. Mary Poteat, of Duke University, was elected chairman; Sue Horner, of the Durham City Schools, was named secretary-treasurer. Dr. Poteat

gested as the first step in our program, a survey of the alumnae in Durham County, with two purposes in mind: to enroll them as members of the Association; to find out their activities since leaving College—this material to be sent to the alumnae office for permanent record, and for the publication of such items as are of general interest. Plans for the dinner meeting were also set in tentative motion. We hope at that time to have several members of the College faculty present with us.

Virginia Kirkpatrick, Chairman of Publicity.

# EDGECOMBE COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: The FAMILY ALBUM, with its irresistible messages from members of the faculty, called Edgecombe alumnae together on Tuesday evening, October 8, in the home economics room of the Tarboro High School. How we relived our college days, and heard again the voices of our teachers, as one by one their messages were heard, bringing us up to the minute with current developments on the campus! Then there was a birthday cake — in all the glory of forty-three tiny glittering yellow candles, in honor of the 43rd anniversary of our College. It was good to have been there.

During the business session, these officers were chosen to serve during the coming year: chairman, Em Austin; vice chairman, Elseline Felton Speir; secretary-treasurer, Catherine Cobb Smoot. Catherine C. Smoot.

### GREENSBORO ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Greensboro alumnae are very proud of their Scholarship Fund, which is aiding three Greensboro girls to remain in College this year. Under the leadership of Edwina Deans, chairman, this group sponsored a Benefit Bridge on Tuesday evening, October 29, in Students Building, on the campus. We

invited our friends - men and women, and also members of the faculty, in addition to the alumnae, and approximately \$120.00 was added to the Fund. Blossom Thomas Graham brought in great basketfuls of autumn leaves and made the lower floor of Students gay with them. Claire Hartsook and her committee on prizes secured more than thirty interesting gifts from the merchants of Greensboro, and twenty-five friends who could not attend donated cash. All the prizes, with placards in black and white. bearing the name of the article and the name of the donor, were displayed on tables in the foyer of Students; and previous to the commencement of play, Miss Deans read the list in each of the rooms. At the conclusion of the contest, the names of the prize winners were read, and they were asked to come forward in order and make their own choice. Miss Anne Kreimeier, of the Training School faculty, was grand winner. Aside from the awards to the winning players, a large number of prizes were distributed to holders of lucky numbers. Home-made candies were also sold. For refreshments, punch was served continuously. Other heads of committees included Martha Petty Hannah, in charge of refreshments; Annie Beam Funderburk and Clora McNeill Foust, who were responsible for the reservations of tables; and Edna Forney, who acted as treasurer. In addition, Miss Deans had the aid on her central committee of Corinne Cannady, Lela Wade Phillips, Corinne Cook, and Sarah Harper Jerome.

### HIGH POINT ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: May Lovelace Tomlinson was hostess at her home in High Point to an unusually large group of alumnae, on the afternoon of October 23. Mary (Wilson) Wall, chairman, presided. Special guests from the College were Miss Laura Coit, Miss Minnie Jamison, and Clara B. Byrd, our alumnae secretary. Previous to the program, Mrs. Wall con-

ducted a brief business meeting, during which new officers were elected as follows: chairman, Clare (Case) Ingram; vice chairman, Mary Wilson Wall; secretary, Margaret (Bell) Farley.

The FAMILY ALBUM was used as the basis for the first part of the program, messages from the various members of the faculty being read by the alumnae. Much information was gathered, and much sheer enjoyment was ours. Susan Sharp, flutist, Adelaide Crowell, violinist, accompanied by Ila Hensley, featured the meeting with their music numbers. Miss Coit and Miss Jamison each spoke briefly. Mrs. Tomlinson reported the progress of Alumnae House and urged the alumnae "to go see for themselves!" Miss Byrd also spoke briefly, and then showed moving pictures of college life and activities. One reel was in colors. At the conclusion of the very excellent program, Miss Byrd was presented with a corsage from the Association.

Guests were then invited into the dining room for tea, and here Eleanor Watson Andrews and Clare Case Ingram presided at the tea table, which was centered with a mass of autumn flowers.

Margaret Bell Farley, Secretary.

### LEXINGTON ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: On Tuesday evening before Thanksgiving, junior and senior high school girls were special guests of the Lexington alumnae at an evening meeting in the American Legion Hut. In addition, four special guests came from the College: Dr. Jackson, Dean of Administration: Clara Byrd, Alumnae Secretary; Hilda Dowdy, Durham, and Peggy DeVaney, Norfolk, Virginia, students from the School of Music. Mrs. Flossie Harris Spruill presented Dr. Jackson as "one we all know and love." Dean Jackson talked about the place of education in the life of women, and discussed recent changes and developments

at Woman's College. Miss Byrd took us to the movies, showing pictures of major events on the campus. Miss Dowdy sang two numbers, accompanied by Miss DeVaney. Tea and wafers were served under the direction of the Home Economics Department of the High School. During the business session, over which Mary Ratledge McCrary presided, plans for a benefit bridge party to be held early in December were completed. The proceeds are to be applied to the Lexington Scholarship Fund. Our Association is aiding a Lexington girl to attend Woman's College this year, and we have pledged for this purpose the sum of \$100.00.

New officers were also elected to serve this coming year: chairman, Mary Ratledge McCrary; vice chairman, Clara Swain Brown; secretary, Louise Justice; treasurer, Lois Spaugh Newton.

At the conclusion of the program, Frances Spratt, head of the home economics department in the Lexington High School, assisted by a group of students, served refreshments.

Willie B. Koontz, Retiring Secretary.

Meeting two: On Tuesday afternoon and evening, December 3, our club sponsored a matinee and evening Benefit Bridge party, at the American Legion Hut. The Hut was brilliant with holly, trailing ivy, other Christmas greens, and big bows of red paper. Every effort was made to glorify the occasion in the interest of our Scholarship Fund. Numerous prizes were donated by Lexington business firms, and our Fund was materially increased.

Mary Ratledge McCrary, Chairman.

# MECKLENBURG COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: The Mecklenburg Alumnae held its initial meeting of the year on the afternoon of November 13, when

a delightful tea was given at the Woman's Club. An arrangement of yellow and bronze chrysanthemums helped to create a festive scene. Tempie Williams Franklin, chairman, greeted the guests at the door. Joint hostesses with her were Ruth Clinard, Ruth Jones Harding, and Jav McIver Hester, C. W. Phillips, director of Public Relations at the College, was the guest speaker for the afternoon. He discussed briefly numerous changes that are taking place at the College, mentioning particularly the reorganization of the social life, the revision of the curriculum, and the three fields in which graduate work may be done. Pauline Shaver Moore, Lucille Sharpe Long, Annie Willis Jonas, and Alma Smith assisted in serving refresh-Jav McIver Hester. ments.

### NEW YORK ALUMNAE CLUB

Meeting one: When we heard that our Alumnae Secretary was coming up to New York in December to attend a meeting of the National Board of the American Alumni Council, we immediately decided to get the gang together. Therefore, the call went forth for a dinner meeting on Saturday evening, December 7, at the Ella Barbour Club. Alumuae from the earliest days down to the class of 1935 were present — women who rate as doctors, writers, librarians, teachers, journalists, research scientists, psychologists, social workers, homemakers, university students. Our one gentleman guest was Dr. Gudger. After the good dinner, with Alice Sawyer as our gracious hostess, we pulled our chairs close together, eager to hear all the "news from home." Kate Styron McCullough presided and presented our guest and friend. Miss Byrd talked in intimate fashion about the folks at College we know best and love. She told us current happenings in the inner life of our College, and gave us a finer understanding and appreciation of its place in the educational world. Incidentally, she intro-

duced many of us present to the group at large. Last but not least, she described to our delighted ears — Alumnae House. Then came the pictures. As scene after scene passed, bringing to mind wellremembered activities and well-loved spots, we all fell to talking at once. "In between acts," what could have been more natural than our sudden breaking into the College Song! Under the head of business, Mrs. McCullough presented the plan of organizing the Metropolitan Area into regional branches, each with a chairman and each to meet twice a year with its own program; with a meeting of the entire membership to be held in New York City once a year. This motion was unanimously voted. As officers of the federated group, the following persons were chosen: chairman, Alice Sawyer, New York City; vice chairman, Lottie Whitt Teass, New York City; secretary-treasurer, Margaret McIver Byrn, Woodside. Regional chairmen chosen as follows: Queens, Kate Styron McCullough, Long Island; Columbia, Avery McConnell Hood, New York; the Village, Rebecca Herring, Brooklyn; Eastern New Jersey, Grace Forney Mackie.

We believe that the organization of the Metropolitan territory into smaller groups will make for greater cohesion and more active participation of the individual members.

Margaret McIver Byrn, Secretary.

### NORFOLK-PORTSMOUTH CLUB

Meeting one: On Saturday afternoon, October 12, Jennie and Lottie Eagle were hostesses to the Norfolk-Portsmouth Alumnae Club. Jennie Eagle, chairman, opened the meeting with the reading of the 13th chapter of First Corinthians, in honor of Dr. McIver, and this was followed by a short prayer in concert. Various members read the messages from the FAMILY ALBUM; others guessed who the authors were. Everybody enjoyed the pictures. At the

conclusion of the program, we gathered around a white birthday cake, decorated in yellow wax tapers. Yes — we took turns in blowing the candles out! And did we enjoy it when it was cut and served with coffee! Long live the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina!

Lottie Eagle, Secretary.

### NORTHAMPTON COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Our first meeting of the year — a business meeting — was held on October 8 at the home of our chairman, Hettie Cannon White, in Conway. Representatives from Jackson. Square, Milwaukee, and Conway were present. It was decided to have our annual banquet the second week in November, at Conway, and to invite a representative to come from the College to speak to us at that time. Plans for Woman's College High School Day were initiated, with Grace Stanford Lambertson, Rich Square, chairman, and Margaret Futrell Hughes, Jackson; Chloe McDaniel Carter, Woodland; Bert Mc-Crummen, Seaboard; Ruby Rice Martin and Hettie Cannon White, as additional members. Mary Conner Smith, Rich Square, was named chairman of the Alumnae Association Membership Committee. Serving with her are Ruby Rice Martin, Conway; Nita Clark Beamon, Jackson; Mabel Powell, Seaboard; Mar-Woodland. The garet Aman Carter. Alumnae Achievement Committee composed of Mary Katherine Ainsley, Conway; Cora Hare Benthall, Woodland; Mebane Holoman Burgwyn, Jackson; Clara Stephenson Harris, Seaboard. The work of this committee is to collect news concerning former students and send to May Fallon Boyce, Rich Square, who as chairman will send the material to the alumnae secretary at Woman's College. At the conclusion of the session, Mrs. White, assisted by Mary Katherine

Ainsley and Sallie Woodard, served tea and wafers.

Meeting two: Our banquet took place on the evening of November 8, in Conway, as scheduled. Hettie Cannon White acted as toastmistress and welcomed the group. C. W. Phillips, Director of Public Relations at Woman's College, spoke. Special guests were alumni of the University of North Carolina and State College. The place cards, bearing also the menu for the three-course dinner, were in the form of tri-cornered pennants - one each of the colleges represented, each in its appropriate color. Every dish on the menu carried also a strictly collegiate title. Mr. Phillips spoke interestingly of the Woman's College, recounting various matters relating to its progress and development. His wife, the former Miss Lela Wade, was also present, and recalled several amusing incidents about certain of her college mates present. Other features of the program were toasts and greetings by Mrs. Cherry, Anne Minton, May Fallon Bovce, Vaughan White Holoman and Nita Hedspeth Davis, with their accompanying responses; also the singing of the three college songs. Grace Stanford Lambertson presented the plans for High School Day, Maxine Allen gave an interpretive dance, Lucile Bedford rendered a vocal number, and Ruth Vick Everett introduced the speakers. Our total attendance was about 75.

May Fallon Boyce, Reporter.

### RANDOLPH COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Randolph alumnae came together on the afternoon of Founders' Day, at the home of Julia Ross Lambert in Asheboro, to commemorate the 43rd birthday of our College. In addition, two matters of business claimed our attention. First, new officers were elected as follows: chairman, Julia Ross Lambert;

secretary-treasurer, Annie Moring Alexander. Second, it was decided to have a meeting during the spring with our high school girls as special guests, and to present the opportunities of Woman's College to them at that time.

### ROANOKE RAPIDS CLUB

Meeting one: Reba Rhea White and Elizabeth Dover were joint hostesses to the Club at the home of Mrs. White, at our October meeting. Five new members were welcomed: Betty Eatman Farmer, Mary McFarland, Blanche Mooring, Ruth Jackson, and Margaret Dunning. Irene Gordon, chairman, presided over the business session. During the social hour, coffee and sandwiches were served.

Elizabeth Dover, Secretary.

### STANLY COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: The American Legion Hut in Albemarle, gaily decorated in yellow and white fall flowers, was the setting for an enthusiastic dinner meeting of Stanly County Alumnae on the evening of November 7. The dinner was for "just us ourselves," and there was an attendance of about sixty. Louise Whitley Rice, chairman, presided, welcomed the guests, and did the honors. At the conclusion of the dinner, item one on this strictly private division of the program was the College Song, and it was sung with spirit and with zeal. Next, Mrs. Rice presented in turn Clara Byrd, Alumnae Secretary, Miss Mary Channing Coleman, head of the department of Physical Education at Woman's College, speaker for the evening, and Frances Summerell, a student counselor at the College, and a frequent visitor in Albemarle, each of whom greeted the alumnae briefly at this time. During a short business session new officers were also elected for the coming year: chairman, Marjorie Humphrey Grigg; vice chairman, Mary Gulledge; secretary-treasurer, Pauline Whitley.

The first division of the evening's program ended, we were joined by a large group of senior high school girls from the county, together with fathers and mothers of students now in College. Mrs. Rice was again in charge. Rosa Blakeney Parker, principal of the elementary schools of Albemarle, introduced the speaker. Miss Coleman discussed the newer trends in women's education, punctuating her delightful talk with frequent witticisms, and also enumerating various developments which are taking place at Woman's College. The presiding chairman then presented the Alumnae Secretary, who showed moving pictures of College activities, prefacing the showing with a series of facts about the College, Miss Summerell brought news concerning Stanly County girls who are now students at Woman's College. After the program, visitors from the campus, high school girls, and parents, were all guests of the alumnae for a social hour, when tea, sandwiches, and cakes were served.

Pauline Whitley, Secretary.

### THOMASVILLE ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Thomasville alumnae met on the afternoon of October 9 at the home of our chairman, Margaret Woodward. We delved into the treasures of the FAMILY ALBUM, and enjoyed the stories, both old and new, as well as the gallery of pictures the book contained. According to custom, our association had sent a message to the College to be read on Founders' Day. During the business session, two new officers were elected: chairman, Vysta Woodley; secretary-treasurer, Mary Green Matthews.

Our hostesses, assisted by Miss Florence Lawrence, served tea, sandwiches, and cookies.

Mary Green Matthews, Secretary.

# TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Under the leadership of Marjorie Craig and Charlotte Hatcher, a group of alumnae in Transylvania County met in Brevard on December 7, and organized a Transylvania County Alumnae Club. To head the work for the coming year, these officers were chosen: chairman, Ruth Green Jones; secretary-treasurer, Azile Owen Eldridge,

A spring meeting was also planned. We wish to be of real service to our College. Azile O. Eldridge, Secretary.

# VANCE COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: With Catherine Hight Loughlin, chairman, presiding, we met for dinner on the evening of November 21, in the dining room of the First Methodist Church, Henderson, Dr. Jackson, from the College, was our honor guest and speaker. Preceding his talk, Henrietta Alston Coffin and Elizabeth Fox sang in duet "Love's Old Sweet Song" and "Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms." Mrs. Mattie Taylor Gill made the invocation, Maxine Taylor presented the dean to the group. Dr. Jackson spoke informally on freedom in education, and afterwards answered a number of questions about recent changes in the curriculum and in the faculty at the College. It was a great pleasure to have him. During the business session, Maxine Taylor was elected chairman of the association and Katherine Teague vice chairman, Approximately fifty alumnae enjoyed the occasion together. The tables were handsomely decorated in yellow chrysanthemums, yellow autumn leaves, pumpkins, and lighted by yellow candles in crystal holders.

Betsy Ross Jones.

### WASHINGTON (D. C.) ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Hennie Cannon McFadven, chairman of the Washington City Association, was hostess to the group at a well-attended and enthusiastic business and social meeting, held at her home on the evening of December 5. The following new officers were elected to serve the organization during the coming year: chairman, Frances Hampton Goodridge; vice chairman, Luella Lowe; secretarytreasurer. Charlesanna Fox. Frances Gibson Satterfield was named chairman of the program committee. It was decided to meet once a month, and to send a printed announcement of the program to the members well in advance of the meeting, so that they might be fully informed ahead of time of the subject to be considered. The general plan is to hold informal meetings during the spring, with one formal occasion for good measure.

> Ruth Kernodle McDonald, Retiring Secretary.

Meeting two: We gathered at eight o'clock, on the evening of January 16, in the club room of the American AssoofUniversity Women, with ciation twenty-one members present. Frances Hampton Goodridge, chairman, presided. Frances Gibson Satterfield, as chairman of the program committee, McClellan, Frances introduced Miss Associate Editor of Childhood Education, official magazine of the Association for Childhood Education. The speaker outlined the origin, organization, purpose, and services of the Association, and interested us very much when she told us that a new chapter has been

organized in Greensboro. She closed her talk with the inspiring text used by the Greensboro chapter on its first program: "Let us set the child in our midst and know him." Kate Hall also gave a short talk on the work being done by the Woman's Division of the WPA. Mrs. Fodie Buie Kenyon, one of the first students at our College, related a few experiences of the early days, with the promise that more would follow at another time.

During the business meeting which came after the program, plans were initiated for a dinner to be held in April. Charlesanna Fox, Secretary.

### WILSON COUNTY ASSOCIATION

Meeting one: Wilson County alumnae greatly enjoyed the Founders' Day meeting which was held on the afternoon of October 5 at the home of Clee and Zell Winstead, in Wilson. Allie Parsons Winstead, chairman, presided. During the business session which immediately followed the reports of the secretary and treasurer, all officers were re-elected to serve another year.

The FAMILY ALBUM constituted the program, and many interesting facts were brought out through the splendid messages from the faculty, not only about the College and today, but of yesterday. Two new members were also welcomed: Alma Furr and Margaret Watson. We are delighted with the progress of Alumnae House and we hope that Wilson County will have a fine delegation at Commencement in 1936. At the close of the meeting, our hostesses served refreshments.

Minnie Deans, Secretary.



# MORE ABOUT BOOKS

Pleasure Piece. By Rose Batterham '11. (New York: Harper and Brothers. 1934. Pp. 290. \$2.00.)

Reviewed by Anne Cantrell White '22, staff member, Greensboro Daily News.

Rose Batterham has done well.

Her "Pleasure Piece" is as sturdy and simple, as sincere and strong as the mountain folk about whom she writes. Perhaps there are actual persons like



ROSE BATTERHAM

Celie and her father Jud who inhabit caves in the mountain fastness. Perhaps not. That isn't important. It is important that Rose Batterham makes them real; her characters capture the heart and the imagination.

The novel moves with a sweep, a rhythm that scarcely misses a beat.

Even toward the end, which lacks a little of the promise of the first part, when melodramatic situations sweep nigh into high tragedy the book is sustained and convincing.

Even the dialect fails to annoy as dialect so often does. It seems natural and fitting that Celie should "aim to commence on the new uns come morrow." "Mighty peart gal ye got, Jud," says Beam, one of the Dark Hidges who ply their black business of living in the secret places of the mountain. A right peart girl indeed is Celie, sweet with the first budding of womanhood, sweet and lovely and good, even though she treads near the precipice of becoming a "pleasure piece," as the mountain folk term a man's light o' love.

Rose Batterham shows her love and knowledge of the plants and herbs that clothe the mountain steepness. She shows real feeling for the mountain people. She has freshness and restraint. Hers may not be a great book, but it is a beautiful book and a moving one. She has done well.

(Note: It will be good news to the readers of "Pleasure Piece" to hear that the author is already working away on another novel. Rose Batterham, so known to her classmates and college friends, is in private life Mrs. W. G. Houskeeper, and lives in South Orange, N. J. Her husband is greatly interested in amateur photography, and some of his pictures have been accepted in the Photographic Royal Society of Great Britain and in the Annual of American Photography. They have a son in high school, and a daughter in junior high.)

# Calling All '35s!

The Roll Call will be continued in the next number of the Alumnae News



- Mary Jane Allen, Dietary Department, Riley Hospital, Indianapolis, Indiana.
- Maxine Allen, teaching Physical Education and Health, Seaboard.
- Irene Brown, teaching at Smithfield. Irene is leader for the 4-H Girls Clubs in Johnston County.
- Brockie Daniels, substitute teaching, Stumpy Point.
- Helen Dugan, graduate study, University of Chicago. Helen and Margaret Moser are rooming together in Green Hall.
- Edythe Ellis, secretary to the district manager of the Hospital Care Association, Greensboro.
- Elizabeth Fluck, Mrs. F. S. Holt, Burlington.
- Clarice Fowler, third grade, Pittsboro.
- Loraine Gray, English, high school, Colfax.
- Helen G. Greenwood did graduate work last summer at Middleburg College School of German, at Bristol, Vermont. She not only enjoyed the work, with its opportunity to speak German, but she also acted as secretary to one of the professors. Helen is preparing to be a teacher of the German language.
- Lois Grier, fourth grade, High Point.
- Pauline Hámbright, Home Economics, high school, Pittsboro.
- Margaret Hamlin, taking secretarial course, High Point.
  Margaret says she expects to be right here when Alumnae House is dedicated.

- Nancy S. Hardison, Junior Clerk, Soil Conservation Service, Wadesboro.
- Madeline Heffner, Assistant in Biology, Woman's College, Greensboro. Madeline served as laboratory technition for a group of Greensboro physicians this summer.
- Martha Hefner, second grade, Sumner School, Greensboro.
- Elizabeth Hewitt, English, high school, Timberlake.
- Rilda Mae Hill, commercial subjects, Campbell College, Buie's Creek.
- Helen H. Hoffman, Mrs. Willis J. Physioc, Jr., volunteer social case worker, Stamford, Conn. Helen adds that of course the biggest thing that has happened to her since graduation was her marriage to a "Yankee." But she is keeping a mighty warm place in her heart for W. C. U. N. C.
- Mebane Holoman, Mrs. John Griffin Burgwyn, Jackson. Mebane says keeping house is the most fun of anything she has ever done!
- Jane Elizabeth Hopkins, taking a business course, Winston-Salem.
- Dorothy Howard, Home Economics, high school, Bladenboro.
- Hope Howell, stenographer, County Superintendent of Schools, Troy. Hope's job enables her to live at home, and this she is enjoying very much. Her business work includes handling of county school books.
- Mary Elizabeth Howell, secretarial work, AAA, Washington, D. C.

- Lee Ona Hughes, Central Junior High School, Greensboro.
- Mary Alice Hutchison, third grade, Bethune School, Charlotte. Mary Alice says she is teaching in the very school she once attended, and under the very same principal. She is living at home too, and enjoying it. She came up to College for a week-end early in the fall.
- Mildred Hutchinson, Mathematics, high school, Kannapolis.
- Rosalie Inman, second grade, Aulander.
- Alice Eleanor Johnson, studying at Yale University School of Nursing, New Haven, Connecticut.
- Pauline Johnson, Laboratory and X-Ray Technician, Guilford General Hospital, High Point.
- Eula Mae Jones, working in the Peoples Bank and Trust Company, Nashville.
- Frances Kernodle, Student Dietetian, Department of Nutrition. Presbyterian Hospital, New York City.
- Susanne Ketchum, assistant in dramatics, Woman's College, Greensboro.
- Josephine Kiker, English, high school, Norwood.
- Anna Mae Kornegay, Mrs. Lawrence H. Guill, Greensboro. Anna Mae says that although she has parted with her tonsils and spent a vacation on the beach since graduation, by far the most important thing that has happened to her is her wedding in Danville on July 6.

- Elizabeth Leftwich, taking business course, Mary Ellis Secretarial School, Greensboro. Elizabeth spent five months after graduation in the far west—in Colorado and Wyoming. She had a grand time, but is glad to be back in the Tar Heel State.
- Zona Livengood, primary work, Hanes School, Hanes.
- Martha Lockhart, Home Economics, high school, Albemarle.
- Heath Long, working in the business office of Region IV of the Resettlement Administration, Raleigh. Heath had a motor trip all through New England last summer, and down the coast. She saw a good many college campuses, but none that she thought could compare with ours.
- Frances McCrary, fourth grade, High Point.
- Marion McDowell, graduate study, University of Pittsburgh. Marion says that she finds Pittsburgh perfectly thrilling for all its dirt! She is working very hard too, but the days are full of variety and interest. There are a good many Woman's College alumnae there, and as often as they get together, they are conscious of the same big wish—to be back at their Alma Mater again!
- Mary McFarland, first grade, Roanoke Rapids. Mary is a new member of the Roanoke Rapids Alumnae Club.
- Lucille McGoogan, commercial subjects, high school, Walkertown.
- Lorena McManus, employed at Vick Chemical Company, Greensboro.
- Elizabeth Shelby Macon, substitute teaching, Lee Edwards High School, Asheville.

- Lena Bernice Madry, private secretary to her father, Scotland Neck.
- Willa B. Marks, primary work, Ledbetter School, Rockingham. Willa says she is eagerly looking forward to the reunion and the Homecoming next June.
- Erveane Massey, taking secretarial course at Washington School for Secretaries, Washington, D. C.
- Hazel May, History and Dramatics, Red Oak High School, Red Oak.
- Mary Hazel Meacham, Arithmetic and Algebra, high school, Rockingham.
- Frances Michael, sixth grade, Winecoff School, Concord.
- E. Kathryne Miller, Physical Education E. K. Powe School, Durham.
- M. Katherine Miller, English and Civics, high school, Rockingham. Katherine says that the Mooresville-Charlotte Bridge Club. made up of Woman's College girls, met regularly during the summer. It included Lorna Colson, Elizabeth Sloop, Erleen Sloop, Lillian Hartness, Shirley Melchor and herself-all of Mooresville; and Mildred Hutchinson and Ruth Davis. Charlotte.
- Mildred B. Miller, Math and Science, high school, Ellerbe..
- Gloria Milton, French and English, high school, Dover.
- Anne Minton, Home Economics and Civics, high school, Rich Square. Anne says she is enjoying teaching a lot.
- Margaret C. Moore, Physical Education, high school, Charlotte.
- Margaret Moser, graduate study, University of Chicago.

- Bet Nelson, second grade, Morven.
- Margaret Newbern, taking business course, Ahoskie.
- Louise C. Nimocks, History, Eastover High School, Cumberland County.
- Josephine Parham, sixth grade, Lemon Springs.
- Mary Elizabeth Partridge, Physical Education in grades 2-6, North Durham Grammar School, Durham.
- Mary Pierce was Laboratory
  Technician in the Lincoln
  Hospital, Lincolnton, during the month of July. Hospital work is hard, she says, but unusually interesting. At present she is at home in Greensboro.
- Elizabeth Pope, Math and Science, high school, Burlington.
- Jane Page Powell, Mathematics and General Scence, high school, Harrisburg.
- Martha Redfern, Physical Education and Health in grades 4-7, Pittsboro. Martha was life-guard at Ridgecrest last summer. She was happy to be able to spend those weeks in the mountains of North Carolina.
- Mercer Reeves, Public School Music Supervisor, Washington.
- Isabelle Rhodes, commercial subjects high school, Forest City. Isabelle has two Woman's College roommates—Alline Richardson, and Emily Carr. They are also members of the same high school faculty.
- Esther M. Ross, Dietitian Intern, Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelpha, Pennsylvania.
- Margaret Neely Rouzer, taking course in religious education, Richmond, Virginia.
- Elinor Rowland, at home, Miami, Florida.

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# Keeping Up With the Alumnae

Miss Edith McIntyre was a member of the faculty in the early days. News of her death came in a recent letter from Phoebe (Pegram)

Baughan:

"I have just returned from Gainesville, Ga., where I learned that our beloved Miss Edith A. McIntyre had passed away. She was taken with something like acute indigestion on the night of November 11. The doctor was called and he gave her a hypodermic for relief. She went to sleep for a little while and then awoke strangling and passed away before anything could be done. I had a long talk with the lady of the hotel. Miss McIntyre's nephew came and sent her body home for burial. Will you please let her many friends know if you have not already been informed of her passing."

Katherine Bradshaw is the new Junior Court Director for the Gate City Temple of the Maccabees. She meets each Saturday with children of Maccabees to teach them dancing and dramatics. Her instruction, one of the cultural and educational projects of this order, is extended to about one hundred and fifty boys and girls.

Hattie Bunn says the Founders' Day letter from the College made her "homesick" for the College and her friends there. She lives at the beautiful old Bunn residence just outside of Rocky Mount, but on account of illness doesn't leave home very often. We count her among our most steadfast alumnae.

Victoria Byerly has been assisting her brother, who is a doctor, in his office at Cooleemee for twenty-three years. Previous to that time she taught for a number of years in the schools of Lexington and Davidson county. Victoria was one of our alumnae guests at the College on Founders' Day.

Dr. Margaret (Castex) Sturgis has numerous honors and responsibilities surrounding her name. She is first of all a busy physician in Philadelphia. She is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons; member of the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology; clinical professor of Gynecology at Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania; Chief in Gynecology, Woman's Hospital, Philadelphia; Associate in gynecology and obstetrics Philadelphia General Hospital. A few years ago, she made a talk at Woman's College on "Medicine as a Profession for Women."

Alma (Cunningham) McCain, High Point, chairman of spiritual life for the Greensboro District, addressed the Woman's Missionary Society of West Market Church at one of the Society's fall meetings. Mrs. McCain made a deep impression upon the large group of women assembled to hear her.

Elizabeth (Harrison) Duckett and her family, home from their wanderings for a time, are settled this winter at Drexel Hill, Pa. "All three boys are in school, after a wonderful summer at camp. With their music lessons, regular studies, scout activities, the Episcopal Boys Choir, and so much playing to do—they are very busy. Needless to say, they keep mother occupied too. But if I am on the East Coast next Commencement, I promise to come to the College for the Homecoming."

J. Dewey Dorsett, whose wife is Minerva Jenkins, is president of the National Association of Workman's Compensation Administration. The Association held a two-day conference last fall at Grove Park Inn, Asheville, and during that time Mrs. Dorsett was hostess at tea at the Inn, honoring Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labor, who was one of the speakers at the conference, and the wives of the men who were attending the sessions.

Louise (Kornegay) Boney is one of Duplin County's most busy women. In addition to making a home for her son and daughter, and her husband, who is a lawyer, she is chairman of the sixth district of Wilmington Presbyterial, vice president of her local church auxiliary, teacher of the Beginners' Sunday School Class, treasurer of the P.-T. A., chairman for public welfare for the Kenansville Woman's Club, and last but not least, chairman of the Roll Call for the Duplin County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Hattie S. Parrott, specialist in elementary education with the State Department of Public Instruction, has recently completed a three-year curriculum study program for the public schools of North Carolina. She has also recently published a bulletin, "Outline Course of Study for Public Schools." During the summer she promoted conferences for school principals in all sections of the state, and carried out one-day institutes for music teachers in Asheville, Greensboro and Greenville.

Agnes Peacock is office secretary for the Board of Character Education of the Western Carolina Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church. Last fall the Board moved its office from Greensboro to Salisbury.

Elsie Riddick is now on the Civil Service Commission of Raleigh (created by the last legislature and effective last April 1) for the Fire and Police Departments. The employees of the Commisson serve under the merit system rather than political administrations.

### CLASS OF 1899

Mary Collins, Secretary Enfield, N. C.

Bessie Moody writes enthusiastically about a motor trip taken last summer from Milton, Florida, where she is now living, to the mountains of western North Carolina; thence to Cumberland Gap, and on to the big city of Chicago; on to Milwaukee, and on back home—with only one flat tire, and that in an overnight place—all this with her brother and sister. "Well, it was a grand jaunt!"

### CLASS OF 1901

Ida (Wharton) Grimes has a son who is associated with his father in the practice of law in Washington, their home. One daughter is married and lives in Winston-Salem. Another daughter has a position at home. A fourth child, a son, is a student at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

### **CLASS OF 1902**

Sadie Klutz is teaching grade seven in the Wiley School, Salisbury.

Elizabeth Tripp continues her work as a good teacher in the schools of Winterville, her home town.

### CLASS OF 1905

Mrs. J. R. Young (Annie McIver), Secretary Greensboro

Emma (Sharp) Avery is this year teaching Mathematics in the Greensboro Senior High School. Her daughter Emma Sharpe, Jr. is a senior high school student. Last fall, when the Greensboro alumnae put on their big benefit bridge at Students Building, Emma Sharpe, Jr. was one of the very efficient candy vendors. Her object was to sell candy for the Fund - no mistake about it. She approached Dr. Foust with the request that he buy some candy. Dr. Foust (teasing): "I cannot buy any; it is too hard; I can't bite it!" Emma Sharpe, Jr. (quick as a flash): "That's nothing - you can suck it!" It is reported that Dr. Foust then bought out the lot!

Last spring at the state meeting of the North Carolina Education Association, Ruth Fitzgerald made a talk on "The Elementary School Principal and the New Curriculum." There were so many demands that it be put into permanent form and made available for people who were not present at the meeting, that the paper was published in full in North Carolina Education.

Ethel (Harris) Kirby continues her work as secretary in the office of the dean, Teacher's College, Temple University. Mrs. Gerberich, teacher of French in Curry School at the College, is this year studying there for her doctor's degree, and the two exchange news about the College and their mutual friends here. Ethel passed through Greensboro at Easter, in the spring of 1935, and stopped all too short a time to see a few of her friends at College.

### CLASS OF 1906

Mrs. J. R. Bennett (Josie Doub), President Rocky Mount

Margaret Horsfield spent nearly two months in Mexico last summer with two friends who had lived there twenty years ago. One of them had been brought up there. "Mexico is quaint and picturesque and the scenery is marvellous—high mountains, snow-capped volcanos, gorgeous flowers and quaint little Indians. Don't try to drive it—the road is nowhere near ready. We were glad we went by air-cooled trains." Margaret continues her work as teacher in the department of Romance Languages at the University of Kentucky.

### CLASS OF 1907

Mary Exum, Secretary Snow Hill

Rosa Lee Dixon says that she is in the midst of her twenty-third year as a teacher—for the last thirteen years in the schools of her home town, Hickory. "I still feel as enthusiastic as ever, even in the face of crowded conditions. Wide awake high school boys and girls always furnish new interest."

The Alumnae News takes the liberty of quoting herewith from "The Carrollinian," Vol. II, No. 1, dated at Chapel Hill N. C., December 25, 1935—an issue devoted to the activities of the Eleanore (Elliott) Carroll family, and put out by the Carrolls as a joint enterprise—printing editorials, art work, etc., and carrying Christmas greetings to their many friends:

"Years do not dim our memories or weaken the ties that bind us to our friends of these long years. We send you again at this season our warm greetings and our hope that your

1936 will be rich in serenity.

"Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Carroll spent a week in New York the latter part of April. Mr. Carroll was attending a meeting of the Collegiate Schools of Business. Mrs. Carroll was the guest of Mrs. D. W. French of Englewood, N. J. These little events being spaced by seven to ten years are duly recorded in the family annals—as points from which to reckon time.

"The Carrolls and Elliotts summered (for 2 weeks) at Beaufort. Elliott's daily swimming schedule was from 9-12 A. M. and from 2-6 P. M. except by special prayer of his

mother.''

Under Chicago headlines we read:

"D. D. Carroll, Jr., arrived today to spend two months assisting Don MacCracken, golf professional at the Euclid Hills Country Club.

(Ed. note: He earned his living during these eight weeks—approximately!)

"Eleanor Carroll's progress in her art work is attested by her promotion to assistant art editor of the Carrollinian. She made her own block print Xmas cards this year.

"It is chronicled that to 83 lb. Elliott, the third son, went eight pounds of the avoirdupois his mother is reported to have discarded

last fall!

"We regret to report that Donald Carroll (age 5) was the first of the Carrolls to suffer suspension from school. He ran away from kindergarten and came home alone — about 2 miles — with incidental visits at the President's office where he went 'to see Frank,' and to the Library, 'to see Gugga.' After two days he was permitted to resume his course.

"The golf score of the senior golfer fluctuates between 32 and 45. These may be taken also as inverse barometic readings."

Last fall Mary Exum opened a Woman's Exchange and Novelty Shop in Snow Hill. She invites all her college friends and classmates to "come down and shop with me."

Mary Hyman is in New York this winter, working toward her doctor's degree at Teacher's College, Columbia University. I am having a good time, but my! I'm homesick for some North Carolina children and teachers."

Mary (Reid) Idol is teaching in the High Point Junior High School this year.

### CLASS OF 1908

Edna Forney, Secretary Greensboro

Nettie (Brogden) Herring is librarian this year in the Greenville High School. It is a great pleasure to have her back on the campus all along.

Margaret (Redmond) Thigpen teaches in the high school of her home town, Rocky Mount.

Bessie (Ives) Vincent is also again into library work, as chief of staff at Sheppard Memorial Library, in Greenville, her home town.

### CLASS OF 1909

Flieda Johnson for a number of years has taught first grade in what is now the new consolidated Caesar Cone School, Greensboro.

Mary (Mitchell) Sellars was guest speaker at a fall meeting of the Ex Libris Club, Greensboro, using as her subject the Dolly Madison Shrines.

### CLASS OF 1910

Katie Kime, Secretary Greensboro

Clara Lambe's husband, Rev. E. B. Craven, is pastor of the Methodist Church in Roxboro. They were moved from Snow Hill three years ago by the North Carolina Methodist Conference.

### CLASS OF 1911

Mrs. L. E. Hassell (Myrtle Johnston), President Roper

Rose Batterham's novel, Pleasure Piece, was well reviewed in the October 6 issue of the New York Times, her photograph accompanying the review. Rose is now writing another novel.

Margaret (Pickett) Hamlin is teaching this year in the Elm Street School of her home town, High Point.

### CLASS OF 1913

Mrs. S. S. Coe (Verta Idol), President High Point

Maude (Beatty) Bowen is teaching English in the high school of her home town, Greenville.

Elizabeth Craig gave up her position in the Commercial Department at the College about a year ago, and for several months has been in New York City. She has two sisters living there.

Meriel Groves is now in New York City. Her address is 729 Warren Street, Hudson, N V

Sallie Sumner is program director for the Y.W.C.A. for the city of Cleveland, Ohio. "There are seven Y.W.C.A.'s in the city and our program reaches girls and women from twelve to sixty." Sallie has a senior niece, Margaret Smith, at Woman's College this year.

Ethel (Bollinger) Keiger was hostess at luncheon at her home in Greensboro during November, honoring the Round Table Study Club at its regular meeting. Marjorie (Kennedy) White '07 and Mrs. John H. Cook, wife of Dr. Cook of the College faculty, gave the program. Mrs. White reviewed the autobiography of Helen Keller. Mrs. Cook followed with special items of interest relating to this truly great woman.

Pattie (Spurgeon) Warren is closing her third year as president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church in Chapel Hill.

### CLASS OF 1914

Mrs. J. H. McEwen (Iris Holt), President Burlington

Nina Garner has taught so successfully in the Burlington schools that she has become a very much beloved factor in them. She is again at the Maple Avenue School.

Pattie J. Groves is now Junior Resident Physician at Mount Holyoke College. Incidentally she is also a golfer, and who likewise shares her hour of recreation with two very charming chows.

"How People Talk to Each Other" is the subject of an article in the October "North Carolina Education," written by Ruth Gunter, supervisor of the second grade, Curry School, Woman's College.

Nola (Wagstaff) Highsmith has a new address in Durham — 1026 West Trinity Street.

Emma Lossen is one of the powers in the New Hanover High School, Wilmington. She has taught several hundred boys and girls not only how to extract the cube root, but also how to extract a lot of the best things out of life.

Bessie Terry, well beloved principal of the Rockingham School, and teacher of the sixth grade, had a grand trip to Mexico last summer, along with her brother, John Terry, who teaches English at New York University, and Elizabeth Hall '14. Bess says their journey led them by motor down from the states, and along the Gulf of Mexico, and then to Monterey. "And you know what, I've been accused of stirring up the Revolution!"

### CLASS OF 1915

Katherine A. Erwin, President Washington, D. C.

Anne Albright is this year dean of Women at Western Carolina Teachers College, Cullowhee, one of the chief teacher training institutions in North Carolina. Anne says she feels rather far away from Woman's College, since as dean of girls in the High Point High School, she was for so long near to us. But she is enjoying her new field immensely.

Kate Bullard is still in the classroom — as teacher of English and French in the Churchland School, near Linwood.

Margaret Linker is now Mrs. Curtis L. Wyatt. She was married last June, in the St. John's Lutheran Church, Salisbury. She is living there this winter, but commutes every day to Davidson County, where she continues her work as rural supervisor of schools.

Roselle (Ditmore) McIntosh and her husband have left the teaching profession. They are living in Hickory, where Mr. McIntosh is engaged in business. They have a daughter who is a freshman at Woman's College this year.

Vera Millsaps has completed all the requirements for the Ph.D. degree in Botany at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Her final oral examinations were heard on September 19. "It is all over now except the actual receiving of the degree, and that will be next June." Vera is teaching Biology in the McKinley High School, Washington, D. C.

Louise (Whitley) Rice was hostess at bridge the latter part of November at her home in Badin, other guests being members of the Entre Nous Club, in which she is also active.

### CLASS OF 1917

Nina Belle (Horton) Avery is living in Richmond, Va., where she is contract clerk, in the Telegraph Department, of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

Annie Hall is teaching Clothing in the Boyden High School, Salisbury.

Lillian Morris is again in Salisbury, teaching Latin in Boyden High School, after several years in and near New York City. While in that part of the country, she took her M.A. degree at Columbia.

Eula Parrish is Mrs. W. M. Pugh. She lives at Chapel Hill.

Flossie (Harris) Spruill was hostess to the Sorosis Club at her home in Lexington, at its meeting early in December. "Inventors" was the subject under consideration—Bell, Edison, Marconi, Curtiss, and other great contributions to the world's happiness and progress were brought before the members in illuminating review.

### CLASS OF 1918

Mrs. Charles Finch (Susan Green), Secretary
Thomasville

Sue Ramsey (Johnston) Ferguson says she has learned a lot about farming, and all that, together with housekeeping, fills most of her time.

Leafy (Spear) Guthrie, President of the North Carolina Education Association, spoke at the meeting of the classroom teachers of the Northwestern District when this body assembled at Woman's College the latter part of October. In her address she listed nine objectives before the educational forces, chief among them being the raising of salaries, an adequate sick leave, the passage of tenure and retirement laws, and the raising of professional standards.

### CLASS OF 1919

Mrs. J. H. Thompson (Mary Bradley), Secretary Wadesboro

Edith Russell was married last July to H. R. Harrington, her partner in the Russell-Harrington Studio, Asheville. Laura Russell, Atlanta, was an attendant. For several years, Edith and her husband have had in charge the costuming, properties, and pageantry for the Rhododendron Festival. During the past few years, they have also staged a number of important festivals, among them: Wilmington Bi-Centennial; Georgia Bi-Centennial at Atlanta and Macon; Greene County, Tennessee, Sesqui-Centennial; the 350th Anniversary of the First Walter Raleigh Expedition at Roanoke Island, the Central Florida Annual Festival at Orlando and the Pageant of the Smokeflower at Kinston.

### **CLASS OF 1920**

Marjorie Mendenhall, Secretary Greensboro

Laura Howard is this fall the new head of the department of Home Economics at Elon College. The student newspaper recently paid her a pretty compliment by publishing her photograph, together with an article about her and her work there. Laura received her Master's degree from Columbia University.

Carrie (Tabor) Stevens is president of the P.-T. A. at Council, her home. This association was recently presented with a standard certificate. This is the only association of that grade in the county. In addition, the association possesses the Honor Scroll for obtaining the required number of subscriptions to the national magazine.

### CLASS OF 1921

Mrs. Laurie Ellis (Reid Parker), Secretary Winterville

Catherine Millsaps continues her work as home demonstration agent for Edgecombe County. The Tarboro Home Demonstration Club recently held a meeting in her office, when Catherine gave a demonstration in the planning of meals.

### **CLASS OF 1922**

Mrs. Chas. C. Erwin (Murriel Barnes), Secretary Forest City

Mary John is grading and correcting papers for Uncle Sam in the Civil Service Commission. She is located in Washington City.

Joscelyn (McDowell) Williams went to New York last fall as a delegate to the conference on "World Affairs," sponsored by the Herald Tribune, and held in the Waldorf-Astoria.

### **CLASS OF 1923**

Mrs. Newton G. Fonville (Mary Sue Beam), Secretary Raleigh

Josephine (Jenkins) Bulluck was hostess recently to the Literary Guild, at her charming home in Rocky Mount. A few days later, she also entertained for the Friday Bridge Club.

Maitland (Sadler) Sykes has been living for nearly two years at Pottsville, Pennsylvania, about ninety miles from Philadelphia, and fifty-six miles from Harrisburg, in the anthracite coal mining region, with mountains all around. She describes her trip into one of the mines last summer. She went down to the sixth level, 1012 feet below the surface of the earth. Before entering the shaft, she had to put on miner's boots, a blue denim coat and a cap; she also carried a miner's light. For nearly two hours she stayed under ground. Maitland's daughter "Pat" is old enough now to get a grand thrill out of Christmas, and her exuberance simply overflowed for Santa Claus in 1935!

### CLASS OF 1924

Cleo Mitchell, Secretary Greensboro

Collie Garner '24 came down from Asheville to spend a week-end on the campus during November.

Margaret John is principal of McIver Elementary School in Sanford, but she commutes to her home in Laurinburg for the week-ends. The school has an enrollment of more than 1000.

Lorena Kelly sailed on September 28 for Brussels, Belgium, where she spent the fall weeks learning something of the language and orienting herself before going on to the Congo as a missionary under the Board of Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. She was transferred from the Department of Home Missions to foreign service, and left her post at Vashti School in Georgia to go to the foreign field.

Edna (Bell) Sitler lives in Flushing, N. Y., and is very active in the work of the church, especially as it relates to Peace. Last year the Carnegie Peace Foundation gave to the Federation of Churches of Greater New York \$5000.00 to use for the promotion of world peace. The Federation turned over to one of its committees, the Peace Action Committee, the work of spending that sum as wisely as possible for the promotion of peace. Edna heads one of the sub-divisions of this committee, as chairman of the Adults and Parents Group, and by reason of that appointment, also serves on the executive committee of the Peace Action group. To get some idea of the scope of the work, here is a list of the divisions of the Peace Action Committee: Program, Outdoor Administration. Festivals, Youth Action, Teacher Training, Adults and Parents, Church Schools, Private Schools, Literature, and Exhibits, Public Schools, making a comprehensive program.

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### **CLASS OF 1926**

Georgia Kirkpatrick, President Raleigh

Corinne Cannady reviewed findings from a recent meeting of the North Carolina Social Service Conference, as part of the program at the regular luncheon meeting of the Greensboro Social Agencies during November.

Emily Cate has wandered way off to Denton, Texas, where she is a member of the faculty of Texas State College for Women, as teacher of Physical Education.

Hermene (Warlick) Eichhorn is chairman of a new choral group, organized in connection with the Euterpe Club, Greensboro. Nell (Thurman) Morrissett '31 is assisting her with her work.

Virginia Smith, teacher of public school music in the schools of Roanoke Rapids, is a new member of the executive committee of the State High School Music Contest.

### CLASS OF 1927

Mrs. E. W. Franklin (Tempie Williams), Secretary Charlotte

Andrina (McIntyre) Micon's play, "The Quick and the Dead," written and performed when she was a student at the college, was again enacted in Aycock Auditorium the middle of November when a program of three cnc-act plays were presented under the sponsorship of the Day Students organization, the staffs of three student publications and the commercial class. The plays were directed by Susanne Ketchum '35, assistant in dramatics at the College, and Edythe Latham '36. Andrina was sent a special invitation to be present at this "second night" of her play, but could not accept. She lives in Scarsdale, N. Y.

Frances White's husband, Henry Rood, Jr., artist, has recently completed the portrait of Dr. W. L. Poteat, president emeritus of Wake Forest College. The artist was engaged by a group of alumni to make the portrait, which shows Dr. Poteat in a most characteristic pose—seated at a desk writing, with a reference book at his side. The Roods are now making their home in Greensboro.

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### CLASS OF 1928

Mrs. Boydston Satterfield (Frances Gibson), Secretary New York, N. Y.

Virginia (Sloan) Swain is now home demonstration agent for Rutherford County, with headquarters at Rutherfordton. It seems much like old times to have her back in the work again. Virginia has a little daughter whom folks of Woman's College hope they are going to have a chance to see before she is very much older.

Molly (Hall) Clarke lives in a university town, Athens, Ohio, where her husband is student pastor at the state university. Not merely in connection with student life does she find her time well-filled, but in connection with social service work in general. For two years, Molly was connected with the Athens County FERA, first as case worker, and later as supervisor of case workers, "a gruelling but fascinating job." Last summer she and her husband studied at Union Seminary and at Columbia University in New York. While in the eastern part of the country, she saw numerous college friends. among "Gibby" Satterfield, Fadean (Pleasants) Van Tassel, and Clara (Guignard) Faris. During November, Ohio University inaugurated a new president, and as the representative of the Woman's College, Molly marched proudly in the procession. Molly's mother died in Atlanta last spring, after a long illness, and her little brother is making his home with her this year.

### CLASS OF 1929

Mrs. Stablee Funderburke (Era Linker), Secretary Concord

Frances James is teaching sixth grade this year in the Caldwell School, Greensboro. As part of the last program before the holidays, of the school's Parent-Teacher Association, Frances directed the glee club in singing Christmas Carols. Her grade also won the banner for attendance.

Floride Cantey Johnson is in New York, where she is employed in the office of the Literary Guild of America. She received her M.A. degree from Columbia University in 1934, majoring in Vocational Guidance.

Pauline Pittard is Mrs. Arthur Gillespie, Peking, China. Her husband is a missionary. They have twin sons. They are said to be in North Carolina this winter, on a furlough from their work.

### CLASS OF 1930

Mrs. M. H. Williams (Edith Webb), Secretary

Helen Felder contributed an article to the November number of North Carolina Education on "The Present Plight of Primary Number." Has the trend towards projects and activity programs tended to digress the efficiency of teaching arithmetic in the primary grades? is the question she raises. She comes to the conclusion that while there is much that is valuable in this method of incidental teaching, the effect on number work in the lower grades has been more harmful than it has on other subjects.

Lorine (Davis) Johnston lives at Coral Gables, Florida. She has a son, Thomas, Jr.,

called "Jim," now a year old.

Glenn Boyd MacLeod was hostess at luncheon early in December, at the O. Henry Hotel, Greensboro, honoring Mrs. Kurt Rosinger, whose husband this year joined the faculty of Woman's College as head of the Department of Philosophy. Among the guests were Anne (Cantrell) White '22, Katherine High '29, Mary Montgomery Lentz '32, and Elizabeth Hall '29. Glenn Boyd is secretary to Dr. Knight at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill.

Evelyn Starr is living in Baltimore, where she is regularly teaching typing, shorthand, mathematics, and English at the Y.M.C.A. Business College. During the summer, when teachers are on vacation, she also teaches dictation, bookkeeping, and collateral subjects. Evelyn is herself taking some courses in Practical Psychology at the Y.M.C.A. College of Commerce. Teaching, studying, and scouting give her a full program which she greatly enjoys.

Alberta (Beam) Stone is living now in Asheville, where her husband is the new supervisor of the Pisgah and Unaka National forests. They have taken a house on Edwin Place, in Grove Park.

Grace Wolcott is associated with a group of doctors in Asheville as laboratory technician—the same doctors and the same job ever since graduation. Her sister, Ruth '33 is teaching in the city schools, and the two of them play bridge nearly every week with Florence Kincaid '30, Frances Barber '27, and Doll Barber Whitchead. They talk about the College and plan many trips back together!

### CLASS OF 1931

Mrs. John Hollifield (Helen Petrie), Secretary Lenoir

Miriam Block writes about apartments and curtains and rugs—yes, she and her sister

have a sweet little place together in Washington. She also writes about the plays she sees—Catherine Cornell for instance, in "Romeo and Juliet," and the Woman's College folks she meets, almost literally on every corner. Washington is a grand place in which to live.

Celia Gerskov, teaching this year at the J. Van Lindley School, Greensboro, arranged a fascinating program for the Parent-Teacher Association of the school at its final meeting before the holidays, held at the school. A boy from the fifth grade acted as master of ceremonies, and presented children in costume, from the primary grades, representing characters from literature for small children. These were followed by larger children from the fifth grade, each in the costume of some book character. A playlet "Bobby's Trip to Bookland'' was also given. The program concluded with a talk by Miss Florence Pannill. principal of the school, on the subject of reading for children, and the part parents can play in developing their taste and interest in books.

Anne (McDowell) Goulden writes interestingly about a year she spent in Florida her first year after graduation. Tallahassee was headquarters. From there she went with her husband, who was assistant state forester, from one end of the state to the other. They went into all sorts of out-of-way places and naturally had all sorts of out-of-way experiences. Once her husband received a frantic long distance call from the district forester in Lake City, saying that a fire had broken out in the Okefenokee swamp, and that the two hundred and fifty men who were fighting it hadn't been able to get it under control. They made the two hundred and thirteen mile trip in one hour and fifty minutes! From Lake City out to the St. Mary's Tower, where they had to go, the road was just two rows of loose sand, wandering off into pal-

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mettos and pines. But they arrived. While her husband was conferring with some of the workers, Anne watched the fire from the crow's nest of the fire tower. She watched the flames creep up the trunks of pines that were a hundred feet tall, and in a moment saw them crash to the ground. The men worked for two nights and a day - most of them without any relief, before the fire was under control. She was given the job of bringing food from Lake City and taking it out to the fighters. A few trips through the burning area turned her into a big black charcoal smear - like the men! It must have been exciting to this the one member of the brigade, to see anything of the fire itself. Anne and her husband live now in Knoxville, Tenn. She maintains that the most "dignified" member of the family is McTwinkle, their Scotch terrier!

Mary (Ratledge) McCrary has a daughter, Margaret McDonald, born the last day of May, 1935. Mary is the chairman of the Woman's College Alumnae Association in Lexington.

Edith Vail, this year a member of the Physical Education Department of Woman's College, directed the performance by Orchesis, given in Aycock Auditorium, as the final Friday program before the Christmas holidays. The College Vested Choir assisted.

### CLASS OF 1932

Margaret Church, Secretary Henderson

Virginia Kelly is this year teaching French for the third year in the Nathanael Greene High School, near Greensboro.

Helen Shuford was graduated from the Smith College School for Social Work last August, with the degree of Master of Social Science. She is now connected with the Family Service Association in Washington, D. C.

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### CLASS OF 1933

Mrs. E. P. MacDonald (Ernestine Halyburton), Secretary Melrose, Mass.

We extend deepest sympathy to Virginia (Dalton) Blevins in the death of her husband, Frederick Foster Blevins, December 15, at the Clinic Hospital, Greensboro.

Lottie Hood is spending her third year at Claremont, teaching English and French in

the Oxford High School.

Elizabeth Langford has been working for more than a year with the American Liberty League, in Washington. Jouett Shouse is president of the League. Lib's title is Assistant to the Organization Director, and she has a secretary of her own. She and Clare Ethridge have a double apartment together, and thoroughly enjoy their pleasant living arrangements. Lib says her job is fascinating—plenty of hard work, but new and interesting things from day to day.

Margaret Vestal is teaching in the Liles-

ville Schools.

Lottie Wall, teaching English this year at the Greensboro Senior High School, is directing Howard Cheyney's play, "Heart Trouble," which will be given by students of the high school the latter part of January.

We extend deepest sympathy to Kate Woodburn in the death of her father, November 21, Greensboro.

### **CLASS OF 1934**

Alice Armfield, President Concord

Asenath Cooke is back at Startown School this year, teaching two classes in Home Eco-

nomics and one section of Biology.

Margaret Kernodle, who is doing reporting on the Greensboro Daily News, reviewed Audrey Wurdemann's volume of poetry, "Bright Ambush," at the December meeting of the Winthrop Daughters, held in Greensboro. Miss Wurdemann was one of the Pulitzer prize winners for 1934.

Elizabeth King provided the music at the business session of the Greensboro Euterpe Club, meeting the latter part of November. She played piano numbers from the works of Debussy and Chopin.

### MARRIAGES

Kathleen (Harden) Heritage '22-'23 to Frank Moore, November 9, at the home of the bride's mother, Graham. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Georgia Tech, and is connected in business with the Duke Power Company, Greenville, S. C. At home there.

Helen Alma Widenhouse '23-'24 to Frank Brown Misenheimer November 2, First Methodist Church, Salisbury. For several years the bride taught in the schools of Concord. The bridegroom is an alumnus of the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, and is associated in business with the Reid Motor Company, Concord. At home there.

Vella Lenora Swaim '25-'26 to Herbert Gerard Washburn, Jr., May 1, at the rectory of Sacred Heart Church, Atlanta, Georgia. Mr. Washburn is a graduate of the University School, Bridgeport, Connecticut, and at present is southern representative for the Woodruff Seed Company, of Milford, Conn.

Martha Neal Deaton '26 to Gordon Morris Clark, at noon in the First Presbyterian Church, Statesville. Since graduation, Martha Neal has been a member of the faculty of the High Point Schools. The bridegroom is an alumnus of the University of the South, where he is now Director of Athletics and Alumni Secretary. At home Sewanee, Tenn.

The Alumnae Office at Woman's College extends special congratulations and good wishes to a fellow alumna and a fellow craftsman!

Sara Armstrong '27-'29 to Dave McIntyre, November 11, Salisbury. The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Alabama, and is a textile chemist. At home Franklinton.

Mae Finison '27-'29 to David Edward Gay, at the home of the bride's parents, Troy. Mae is a member of the Troy school faculty. The bridegroom is a graduate of Wake Forest College, and is also a member of the Troy school faculty. At home there.

Mary Elizabeth Avent '29 to John Eugene Crowell, Thanksgiving morning, at the home of the bride's sister, Bertha (Avent) Holt '16-'18. Since graduation, Mary Elizabeth has taught in the city schools of Thomasville. The bridegroom is an alumnus of the University of North Carolina and of State College, and at present holds a position with the State Highway Commission, with headquarters at North Wilkesboro.

Frances James '29 to William VanLiere, December 26, at the home of the bride's parents, Mebane. Since graduation, Frances has done graduate study at Columbia University, and for several years has been a member of the faculty of David Caldwell School, Greensboro. The bridegroom is a native of Grand Rapids, Mich., and is con-

nected in business with the White Furniture Company in Mebane. At home there.

Louise Walters '29-'30 to Fred Walker, November 28, at the home of the bride's parents, Reidsville. The bridegroom is connected in business with the American Tobacco Company. At home Reidsville.

Louise Roberson '30 to L. Holt Felmet, November 29, 1934, in the Chapel of Duke University. Dr. H. G. Myers, of the University faculty, performed the ceremony in the presence of classmates. During the three years previous to her marriage, Louise says she taught everything in the high school curriculum except Latin-Science. This year she is continuing her work in the Asheville schools, teaching Mathematics and French, and coaching the girls basketball team. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Duke University. At home Asheville.

Myrtle Rose Shepherd '30-'32 to Glenn Mowyer Swicegood, December 21, Danville, Virginia. For the past few years, Myrtle has been secretary to the registrar of State College. The bridegroom is an alumnus of State College, and is a member of the faculty of the Bartlett-Yancey High School in Yanceyville. At home there.

Edith Bennett '31-'32 to Wm. H. Sullivan, Jr., at noon, October 15, Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, Greensboro. Margaret Banks '35, organist, played the wedding music. The bridegroom is a graduate of the State College, a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity, and is associated with his father in the engineering department of Crutchfield-Sullivan Company. At home Greensboro.

Emily Hall Brock '32 to Ernest Judson Jones, November 16, First Methodist Church, Elizabeth City. At home Elizabeth City.

Esther Ione Godley '32 to Warren Edward Everett, at the home of the bride's parents, Bath. The bridegroom holds a position with the Standard Fertilizer Company in Williamston, with headquarters in Washington.

Rachel Agnes Johnson '32 to James Beverly Wills, October 5, Salem, Virginia. Rachel

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is this year a member of the faculty of Colfax School. The bridegroom is associated in business with Duke Power Company. At home Greensboro.

Ruth Secrest McKaughan '32 to William Bryan Carter, December 26, First Presbyterian Church, Greensboro. For the past two years Ruth has been a member of the faculty of Senior High School in High Point. The bridegroom is an alumnus of the United States Military Academy, West Point, and is now connected in business with Clark Brothers of Pittburgh, Pennsylvania, as district manager in eastern North Carolina. At home High Point.

Brownie Taylor '32 to Fred Chappell, October 20, Springwood Presbyterian Church, Whitsett. Jessie Parker 32 was a bridesmaid. Edith Ivy '32 assisted with the music. Since graduation Brownie has been head of the English Department of the Denton and Hemp High Schools. The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Kentucky, and is now connected with the Tale Mine, Hemp. At home there.

Emma Edwards '32-'33 to John Pierce Sumrell, November 26, Ayden. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Strayer's Business College, Washington, D. C. At home Ayden.

Margaret Hammond '33 to Neal Paris, July 2, Dillon, S. C. Since her graduation, Margaret has taught home economics in the Ramseur High School. The bridegroom is connected in business with the Carolina Power and Light Company. At home Asheboro.

Mary Anna Lentz '33 to Mack Ivey Cline, December 25, at the home of the bride's father near Concord. Verna Lentz '27, sister of the bride, assisted in the wedding music. The bridegroom is a graduate of Duke University, and at present is Educational Advisor at Camp Sparta, Switzer, S. C.

Sadie Odell Mull '33 to Floyd A. Moser, December 21, Greensboro. Since graduation, Sadie has been a member of the faculty of the Piedmont High School, Lawndale. The

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bridegroom is connected in business with the Southern Railway.

Emma Lee Aderholt '34 to Ivey Addison Groome, October 16, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Hickory. Since graduation, Emma Lee has taught home economics at the Central Junior High School, Greensboro. The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of North Carolina, a member of Theta Phi fraternity, and is now connected with the Life Insurance Company of Virginia. At home Groometown.

Mary Ware Albright '34 to Howard Hardy, December 25, at the Methodist Church, Waxhaw. Since graduation, Mary Ware has been teacher of home economics in Monticello High School near Greensboro. Mr. Hardy is connected in business with the American Tobacco Company. At home Reidsville.

Ruth Gamble '34 to H. Clay Turner, November 28, at the home of the bride's parents, Summerfield. Eva Gamble Futrell '14-'15, played the wedding music. This year Ruth is a member of the faculty of the Allen Jay School, near High Point. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Guilford College. He is now employed by the Soil Conservation Service, High Point. At home there.

Elizabeth McNair '34 to James R. Dalrymple, Jr., December 10, Presbyterian Church, Maxton. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Davidson College, and is associated in business with the Z. V. Pate Company, Laurel Hill. At home there.

Mary Henderson Moser '34 to Joseph Wesley Mann, Jr., Gastonia. Mary is now a member of the faculty of the Newton schools. The bridegroom is an alumnus of Duke University and is connected with the Newton Implement Company. At home Newton.

Elizabeth Whitbeck '34 to Clement H. Donovan, November 30, Greensboro. Last year Elizabeth did graduate study at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. The bridegroom is assistant professor of economics at Alabama Polytechnic Institute. At home Auburn, Alabama.

Ruby Mae Bame '35 to James A. Knox, October 19, Yadkinville. Ruby is this year a member of the faculty of the Granite Falls High School. The bridegroom attended State College and Appalachian State Teachers College. He is associated in business with the Crowell Publishing Company.

Mary Catherine Lamb '35 to Robert Lee Caviness, at four in the afternoon November 30, at the residence of the bride's mother, Wilmington. Edyth Ellis '35 was maid of honor. The bridegroom is a graduate of State College, and is a member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity. He is now associated in business with the Heinz Company. At home Winston-Salem.

### BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clover (Margaret Thornton '25), a son, first child, Philip Thornton, October 1, New York City. To Mr. and Mrs. W. Clinton Jackson, Jr. (Helen Clapp '27), a second son, Robert Alan, November 20, Wesley Long Hospital, Greensboro.

To Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Congleton (Dorothy Schwab '28), a daughter, Kay, January 3, Wesley Long Hospital, Greensboro.

To Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Kilpatrick (Katie Midyette '29), a daughter, Lois Kay, July 8, Griffin Hospital, Ansonia, Connecticut.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McAllister, Jr. (Rose Goodwin '32), a daughter, Jane Gray III, May 20, Arden.

To Mr. and Mrs. G. A. York (Evelyn Pollard '31), a son, Guy Pollard, November 29, Seagrove.

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Kathryn J. Royster, Physical Education, Huntington College, Montgomery, Alabama. Kathryn had two Woman's College predecessors — Grace (Hankins) Darsie '29 and Nellie-Bond Dickinson '32. She says they left a real tradition for her to follow.

Mabel Satterfield, English and Ancient History, high school, Flat Rock. Mabel says she stays at home and "commutes" daily by motor the two miles to and from her work.

Carroll Schulken, second grade, Bolivia.

Ellen Sherwood, Health Education Secretary, YWCA, Charlotte. Ellen was waterfront director at the Greensboro Girl Scout Camp last summer.

Frances Emma Smith, at home, Wilmington.

Lillian Frances Smith, sixth grade, Mount Pleasant. Frances says it is a pleasure to meet Woman's College alumnae at every turn all over Cabarrus County.

Alma R. Sneed, Typewriting, Greensboro High School.

Adelia Spry, Mrs. J. B. Dudley, substitute work in high school, Black Bay, Virginia.

Rachel Stephens, Secretarial Technician, Biochemistry Department, Duke Hospital, Durham. Rachel is enthusiastic about her work.

Alice Marie Squires, at home, Aberdeen. Alice Marie parted from her appendix last summer, and yet found time to take a secretarial course.

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