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Alumnae Are Always Welcome!

# The Rotunda We Teach To Teach

**Our Basketball** Team Is Prime!

No. 20

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FARMVILLE, VIRGINIA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1938

# Ficklin, Hubbard, Dugger, Will Edit Virginian, Rotunda and Magazine

# F. Bress, N. Gray And J. Lybrook Are Managers

### Nora Jones Is **Presiding Officer** At Meeting

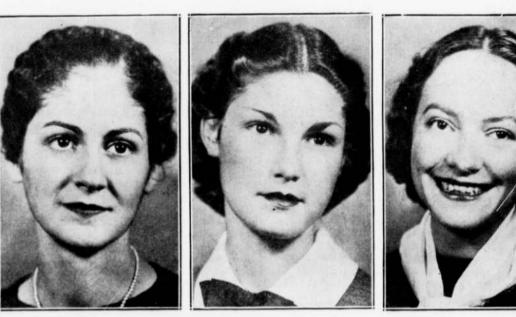
Miriam Ficklin of Richmond LeNoir Hubbard of Crewe and Ann Dugger of Farmville were chosen by a committee as editors of "The Virginian", "The Rotunda" and "The Farmville Quarterly Review" respectively. Nancy Gray of Roanoke, Florence Bress of Norfolk and Johnnie Lybrook of Fincastle were elected business managers of the same publications.

The committee was composed of the retiring editors, Ruth Montgomery of "The Virginian", Mary Harrison Vaughan of "The Rotunda" and Norvell Montague of "The Farmville Quarterly Review", and the faculty members of the publications Messrs. T. A. McCorkle, S. M. Holton, Jr., and J. M. Grainger. Nora Jones was appointed by the student council and approved by the student body in chapel last party to preside at the committee meeting.

Miriam Ficklin was business year. She was assistant photographic editor her sophomore year. Miriam has been on the chapel committee two years, and was recognized as a school leader by Alpha Kappa Gamma in Febru- Building debt is now estimated at ary

LeNoir Hubbard has made an excellent scholastic record in her three years here. She was on "The Rotunda" staff her sophomore year and was Feature Editor this year. She is a member of Beorc Eh Thorn and the House Council.

Ann Dugger was first honor graduate of the certificate class in This year she was Book Review pha Sigma Tau, Junior Class, Y.



Publications heads (l. to r.) : Miriam Ficklin, The Virginian: LeNoir Hubbard, The Rotunda, and Ann Dugger, The Farmville Quarterly Review.

# President Receives Ann Dugger, Kitty Jamison **Student Building**

\$2,102.27 in all was contributed Thursday as the disinterested to Dr. Jarman for the school on Founders' Day by organizations and inviduals. Of this amount manager of "The Virginian" this \$1842.27 was given to the Student Building Fund and \$260 for loans to students

> After taking in the money contributed Saturday, the Student esting" to the recreation and so-\$2,607.73. The debt will probably be entirely erased in two more founders days.

Organizations contributing to Student Building were Faculty and Administration, Alumnae and Alumnae Chapters, Farmville Womans Club, Farmville Herald, Dra-1937. She has been on the maga- matic Club, Senior Class, Freshzine staff since her freshman year. man Class, Sophomore Class, Al-Editor. She was sent as a dele- W. C. A., Cotillion Club, Pan-Hel-

# Large Donation to Describe Meeting Ecstatically By Helen Reif

lantic City, last week.

ings, and mention of outstanding

educators which were "so inter-Metropolitan opera star, a reception at the Ritz-Carlton. Club Nenickelodian." and sight-seeing tours with a gentleman from Kentucky

"One of the nicest things about the whole convention," Ann explained", was the fact that there were delegates (200, to be exact) from so many states including California, Maine, Montana, Idaho, and Arizona. You learn so

"Oh, it was wonderful," ex-| Her eyes grown as wide and claimed Ann Dugger as she gave sparkling as possible, by this time, the pillow an ecstatic little plump Ann took a deep breath, and conand started talking about the cluded with, "Well, I guess I've Kappa Delta Pi convention at At- told you everything, but, oh, it was all so grand.

She talked most rapidly for fif-When Kitty Jamison started teen minutes, describing the four telling about the I. R. C. Convenday convention, in which she tion at Nashville, she vied with jumped from the speakers, meet- Ann for honors when it came to enthusiasm.

"We had the biggest time. It was like a set of college dances, cial life which included hearing a and it was all certainly a true example of Southern hospitality.' was Kitty's reaction to the social mond, a "hamburger place with a part of the convention. As for the educational side, she stated that the work was done in group meetings, and therefore, the resultant interchange of opinions

was extremely informative. Kitty enjoyed the fact that they ate in the Vanderbilt cafeteria. since, "It was there that we met some precious girls, and equally much about other colleges from and Juliettes from Alabama." in Germany—Hitlerism"; (3) "The Editor. She was sent as a dele-gate to the Kappa Delta Pi con-lenic, Sigma Sigma Sigma, Ath-their rules and regulations, extra-their rules and regulations, extra-our girls seem to have found one Have-Not Nations"; (3) "The Have-Not Nations"; (4) "Isolagate to the Kappa Delta Pi con- lenic, Sigma Sigma Sigma Sigma, Ath-vention in Atlantic City recently. letic Association, Alpha Kappa unricular activities etc. I learned (if we can take Kitty's word for tion, Neutrality or Cooperation as

**Program Reveals** All Phases of Life In Farmville S. T. C.

A cross section of life at Farmville was the theme of the program presented by the students in the auditorium Saturday morning. March 5.

Miss Mary Nichols, alumnae president, welcomed the alumnae ack. Representatives of alumnae chapters greeted Dr. Jarman and the student body, and presented him with their gifts for the student building und.

The senior skit presented scholastic life, wi h Dr. Wynne's classroom an example of one that is ypical. The juniors showed the extra curicular activities. Their scene was laid in the Rotunda, and as girls passed to and fro the aulience saw and heard of the many activities the girls engage in outide of the classrooms. The sophomores and the Mardi Gras court used Mardi Gras as a phase of social life, and showed in their skit the crowning of the queen and the entertainment that will follow it. Dormitory life was the subject of the freshman skit. They showed the life of the students. as they live it day by day in their rooms.

After the skits, Elizabeth Morris presented the gifts from the student body in the form of a book, the chapters of which were written by different organizations. each student contributing something.

Dr. Jarman received the gift. and thanked the student body. and the program closed as every one sang the Aima Mater.

College Orchestra played before the program and between scenes.

### Jamison, Sears and **Bailey** Attend **Relations** Club

Kathryn Jamison, Ruth Sears, and Martha Bailey attended the International Relations Club conference at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, on March 4 and 5.

The conference was divided into five large discussion groups, instead of meeting in one body as has been the practice in the past. nice boys, Romeos from Georgia Eastern Question"; (2) "Problems

# **Three Hundred** Alumnae Return For Founders Day At Alma Mater

### Mrs. M. G. Guthrie **Is Oldest Member Of Reunion Class**

Three hundred alumnae returned to their Alma Mater Friday and Saturday for the annual Founders' Day program. It was reunion day for the classes of 1888. 1898, 1908, 1918 and 1928.

Mrs. M. G. Bland, formerly Matilda Guthrie, was the oldest member of the reunion class' alumnae present at the Founders' Day program on March fifth, Mrs. Bland completed her course from Farmville Female Institution in 1898; however, this was the first program she has attended since that date. She was accompanied by her daughter Mrs. John Weis and two grandchildren Mary Salome and Daniel Weis, Mrs. Bland's daughter, Beatrice, is a junior of Farmville State Teachers College this year.

Mrs. Bland mentioned that so many changes had taken place since she was a student here that it was hard for her to recognize the place. but it was a happy pleasure to be in the school again.

The earliest class represented was that of 1892 with Mrs. Louise Hamlett.

Among the other reunion class alumnae present were Mrs. Mattie Bowles Black, Mrs. Eleanor Jamison Folk, Jr., Mrs. Nora Garrat Lancaster, and Mrs. Georgeana Newby Page.

From the class of 1918 were Mrs. Marian Beale Darden, Mrs. Jessie Brett Kennedy and Mrs. Katherine Anderson Maddox

1928 had the largest reunion class representations. The foling 1928 class members returned: Miss Annie Beulah Carter, Miss Bertha Chappell, Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Elizabeth Hutt, Miss Aileen McClenny, Miss Phylis Burnett Martin, Miss Marnetta Sander, Miss Eliza Story, Mrs. Nellie Conner Tolley, Miss Evelyn West, Mrs. Mary Clements Winston, Miss Audrey White and Miss Pauline White.

Among the alumnae who returned were: Mrs. Louise Hyde Ale, Miss Hattie Ashe, Miss Lillian Beach, Mrs. Fannie Owen Bradshaw, Mrs. Matilda Guthrie Bland. Mrs. Mattie Bowles Black, Mrs. Ruby Overton Brooks, Miss Jeanallan Bowles, Miss Louise Brewer, Mrs. Molly Moore Bondurant, Miss Kathryn Bully. Miss Vivian Clarke, Mrs. Anne Wilkinson Cox, Miss Annie Carter, Mrs. Hazel Thompson Clark, Miss Carmen Clark Miss Louise Chandler, Mrs. Sarah Beck Crinkley, Miss Bertha Chappell, Mrs. Lillian Obenshain Cocks, Miss Carolyn Cogbill, Mrs. Lillie Canody Denning, Mrs. Marion Beale Darden, Mrs. Lucy Moore Drewry, Mrs. Lucy Moseley Davidson. Miss Alice Elder, Miss Elsie Freeman, Mrs. Eleanor Jamison Folk, Jr., Mrs. Carey Jeter Gist, Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Fay Fuller, Miss Martha Gunter, Mrs. Mary Wiatt Gray, Miss Amanda (Chubby) Gray, Miss Anne Gannaway, Mrs. Grace Elcan Garnett, Miss Katherine Hoyle, Miss Winnie V. Hiner, Miss Mary Clay Hiner. Miss Dorothy Hudson, Miss Edith Hines, Miss Frances Horton, Miss Martha Harrison, Mrs. Josephine Hughes House, Miss Kathleen Hundley, Mrs. Louise Twelvetrees Hamlett, Mrs. Hilda Baldwin beth Hutt, Miss Olive T. Iler, Miss Miss Judith Jeffries, Mrs. Anne Miss Ruth Jarratt, Miss Ruth Jordan, Miss Mildred Jones, Miss Continuea on Page 3

mittee of the Y. W. now.

She was assistant to Elizabeth H2O Club and Orchestra. Roberts, Business Manager of

of "The Farmville Quarterly Re- \$260. view". She is active in her class and is also on "The Rotunda" staff. She is a member of Alpha Phi Sigma.

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# In Portsmouth

College Choir, A Cappella and congregation of over 900. Every been made to students from this seat in the large church was occupied with many people standin the local church.

Nancy Gray has served on "The Gamma, Student Government, Pi Virginian staff for a year. She Gamma Mu, Rotunda, Kappa Del- just as much that way as I did it) "showed us", to quote Kitty, was Assistant Business Manager ta Pi. Pi Kappa Sigma, Chi, Colthis year. She has also been active lege Choir, Freshman Commission, in the Y. W. C. A. She was chair- Pi Kappa Delta and Debate Club, man of the Freshman Commission Beorc Eh Thorn, Alpha Phi Sigin 1935 and is on the Service Com- ma, Association of Childhood Education. Gamma Psi, Granddaugh-

Florence Bress has been active ters Club, Virginian, The Problem in debating and other forensic Club, Phi Zeta Sigma, Choral activities. She is a member of the Club, Home Ec Club, Sigma Phi Debate Club and Pi Kappa Delta, Rho, Orchesis, Monogram Club,

Loan funds added to the ones "The Rotunda" this year. She is already had are \$35 to the Tabb also a member of Pi Gamma Mu, Memorial Fund, Alpha Sigma Al-Johnnie Lybrook is serving her pha \$100, Junior Woman's Club second term as Business Manager \$25 and Mu Omega \$100, totaling

> At the business meeting of the alumnae on Saturday, March 5. reports from the several memorial funds were given.

Cunningham Memorial Fund which was established in order to give students aid now has a bal-S. T. C. Choir Appears ance on hand of \$5.19, ready to aid some needy student. Students have been loaned \$158 this year. and the amount that has been The Farmville State Teachers returned to the Fund is \$218. Jennie Masters Tabb Fund Junior A Cappella, appeared in the which is also a student loan fund Monumental M. E. church, Ports- has a balance on hand of \$79.79. mouth Sudnay evening, before a Loans amounting to \$832 have

fund Morrison Memorial Fund, ing. Although lacking several of used for Library books, was rethe outstanding singers, due to ported to have a balance on hand sickness, the concert was consid- of \$79.08. Many new books have in the Home Office for Mrs. Laing ered one of the finest ever given been added to the Morrison Me- who recently went to New York to morial shelf this year.

curricular activities, etc. I learned (if we can take Kitty's word for at the meetings."

tened to them, and they listened legiate atmosphere.

to us." Her opinion of Atlantic City tion," Kitty continued, was revealed in vivid snatches of, Florida and Virginia began to As soon as you opened your eyes, quarrel as to which should have you'd see the ocean-It was just the convention next year. There as windy as out west they said- was a lot of state pride involved and I lost my hat about six times. in this, but we still contend that We wanted to go in swimming. Virginia is the best state in the but didn't have the nerve, and we Union. even if the "big shot" of all walked up the boardwalk sing- the convention did get up and say ing college songs."

#### Mrs. Blanton and Mr. Atkinson Are Recovering of Illness Campus Founders Day

Mrs. Emma Blanton, member of the Home Office staff, has been ant was here all day Saturday absent for the past two weeks re- taking pictures of the campus, covering from a fall. Mrs. Emma students, faculty and alumnae for Paulett has been on night duty in her place.

Mr. W. T. Atkinson (Cousin Tommy), formerly night watch- Mardi Gras scene reproduced on man and at present day watchman, was at Baltimore last week where he underwent a facial operation. Mr. Atkinson is back on duty at present.

Annette Roberts is substituting meet her daughter.

"all the sights, and took us to the

Ann thought that they were all high-spots." At one of the dances. so easy to entertain, since, "every the orchestra played songs of the time we opened our mouths, they'd states represented, which made sit up and look at us, so we lis- quite a contribution to the col-

> "Politics entered the conven-"when

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Movie Cameraman **Takes Pictures of** 

soon.

A photographer with his assista movie to be shown at the Eaco

Among the scenes taken was the the program in the auditorium Saturday morning by the sophomore class. Scenes were also taken in Shannon's and all around town and campus.

The date of the showing of the ture date.

a National Policy"; (5) "Problems of the Western Hemisphere".

Farmville's three delegates from Pi Gamma Mu, the national honor society for social sciences, attended the meetings of group three. The first of these discussions was

held Friday afternoon. After dinner on Friday night, Dr. Fenwick of Brenan College in Georgia spoke on the subject "The Have-Not Nations

Saturday morning there was the second group meeting, followed by a business meeting. At this time there was a discussion on the service and type of materials to be used in the college groups next year. The Carnegie endowment was brought up before the group as a possible source. Miss Amy Jones, president of the Carnegie Endowment Fund, spoke at this meeting.

Following the third group discussion after lunch, the entire conference met and the secretaries of the several groups told of the conclusion reached by their respective bodies. Kitty Jamison, of Farmville, was secretary of group three.

After a heated argument at the business meeting, a vote was taken to determine where the con- Hix, Miss Bessle Hix, Miss Elizaference would convene next year. The College of William and Mary Lila Jacob, Miss Lucy Jeffries, won over Tallahassee, Florida.

Dr. Price spoke on "The Far Meredith Jeffers. Eastern Question" Saturday night film will be announced at a fu- after the formal banquet. The conference ended with a dance.

## Let Us Never For a Moment **Forget Farmville**

Founders Day brought many former students to this campus, and we were glad. Their presence here made us who are still here proud because they are yet treasuring the traditions that are the very breath we breathe while here. If it were not so, they would not have returned to us.

This is a place of old loves, loves that have been passed on from one class to another through the years. We have to live up to traditions founded by old girls when they themselves keep in touch with us so carefully. We felt lumps in our throats when we saw the enthusiasm of all the returning girls.

We, who are Seniors, feel particularly close to the alumnae, among whose ranks we will soon be. We know the feelings of the girls who are still here, and, we feel deeply a new feeling that we will remain a part of the place even after we have graduated from here. We understand how you feel. We comprehend the love you feel for Dr. Jarman, Miss Mary, former teachers, former haunts and all the things that endear Farmville, our Alma Mater, to the hearts of girls who choose her as a college

Let us go on loving and returning. Let us never forget days of work and play in Farmville. Let us carry on the torch, send our friends and relatives back to our school home to keep that torch ever brightly lighted.

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### TO OUR ALUMNAE:

We look forward to Founders Day or Home Coming Day with a great deal of pleasure, for it means the coming home of Alma Mater's daughters. We are proud of you and take delight in claiming you as our own and have done what we could to build an Institution worthy in every way of you. We appreciate your loyalty which you show in many ways. You send your daughters to us-we have had a Granddaughters Club for many years. You are active in sending your friends. Through your alumnae chapters and as individuals you have helped to build our beautiful Student Building. You have established local funds and helped with other loan funds. In fact you have always stood ready to cooperate with your Alma Mater in her various undertakings. We appreciate this whole-hearted loyalty and cooperation and send greetings and our best wishes and assurances of a cordial welcome whenever you can find the time to come to see us.

Affectionately your friend,

J. L. JARMAN, President

#### Edith Estep Gray Poem Read at Of Class of 1920 **Funeral of Miss** Estelle Smithey Wins Prize

You are not dead-Lie has but set you free! Your years of life were like a love-

ly song, The last sweet poignant notes of

which, held long Passed into silence while we listen-

ed. we Who loved you, listened still expectantly!

And we about you whom you mov ed among

Would feel that grief for you were surely wrong-You have put passed beyond where we can see

For us who knew you, dread of age is past! It never lost for you its lovely

look: You kept your interest in its thrilling book:

To you, Death came, no conqueror, in the end-

You merely smiled to greet another friend! and her class spirit by her offlice

**Roselle Mercier Montgomery** This poem originally appeared in the Good Housekeeping magamember of Cotillion Club and Mu zine because o fits likeness to the the feeling about her death.

# **Rotunda Reverberations**

#### By Liz Carroll

Everyone reports a most inspir- an elaborate reception. Upon ening Founders Day! From the class tering the Rotunda Mr. and Mrs. of '92 through the class of '41 the Gratton Lindsey were to have daughters of S. T. C. paid tribute been greeted with showers of rice to their Alma Mater. Of course accompanied by the immortal the diversity of celebration is strains of Mendlesohn's Recesswhat lends color and atmosphere ional . . . rendered as only the colto this day of days on our school lege orchestra could render it! calendar. One keen observer sum-Imagine the disappointment of the student body when it turned out med up the week-end as follows: . . Founders Day; Satto be a joke! . . Rounders Day:

## Former Students with the Apple in biblical times Send Telegrams but this modern generation To Alma Mater

Edith Estep Gray, an outstandng graduate of the class of 1920 has gained merit for herself and this school by her ability to write beautiful poetry. For her poem. The Lesson," she was awarded the 1938 poetry prize offered by the Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.

#### The Lesson

April is a lady Possessed of every mood From tears to sudden laughter By every season wooed. Now a hint of summer: The sun and breeze are soft:

We open up our windows; Our spirits soar aloft.

Then in just a twinkling The breeze is cold and chill. We hate to close our windows:

'Tis Autumn on the hill. April is a lady; Her moods will soon depart:

We know she's just coquetting That summer has her heart.

May's a sweet young matron. All tenderness and bloom. Her hands are filled with flow

ers: She banishes all gloom.

Through her we feel life's essence

It is of her a part. She is both wife and mother

And summer's own sweetheart

June's a fair young maiden. Her mother is sweet May;

Summer is her father: They guide her joyous way.

Thus we have a cycle; Tis nature at her best.

Oh, let us heed the lesson. We shall be truly blest.

-Martinsville Alumnae Chapter "Best wishes for Founders' Day."

-Maud and Sue Yeaman "Greetings to my Alma Mater and best wishes to you personally for the success of Founders' Day."

-Carrie Sutherlin 'My spirit is at S. T. C. even if

GLEANINGS By

#### Virginia L. Agee

#### Jeanne d'Arc-Maid of France

The name of Joan of Arc has come down to us through the ages, and her name has always meant glory and pride and victory. It isn't until one goes deep into the life of this wonderful girl that one understands that mixed with the triumph and eauty of her life-span were hardships, discouragements, and the bitterness born of ingratitude and cowardice.

To try to embody the entire life of our patron saint in this one small column would be attempted murder. It can't be done, for her life, in spite of its shortness, was so rich, so glorious, so full of mysteries and faith that it is an impossibility for anyone, no mater how large the volume. Everyone knows that she was born of peasant parents early in the thirteenth century, and that her early life was spent in the simple, country atmosphere of France. Everyone knows equally well how she saved ner beloved France from English tyranny, now she crowned her king, how she was captured and tortured by her captors, and how her native France deserted her when she needed aid. These are facts everyone knows.

There are several things - individual things-that are not always known, however. Joan of Arc was a splendid woman; she was not beautiful; she was striking .ooking; she possessed a wonderful bearing that was emphasized by the suit of white armor that she always wore. She held unquestionable poltical and military genius, and for this reason she was loved and respected by the soldiers in her armies and held in wonder by the learned men of France. Her human qualities make her so lovable; when she was first wounded on the battlefield, she wept as any woman would have done instead of gritting her teeth and bearing the pain as men would have done. When her orders and commands were disobeyed, she, like any woman, flew into fits of angry passion which usually ended in stormy tears.

Her devoutness has never geen questioned. Today there are people who call her a religious fanatic; their judgment is harsh. She was a staunch Catholic and not once was her faith daunted. Her firm belief was that through the voices of God's saunts her amazing mission was unfolded-and



SENIOR

VIRGINIA L. AGEE

"All the world's a stage-" and we can usually find Ginny taking her share of the limelight on the stage of which she is a part. Vivacious, light-hearted and gay, with always a friendly greeting for everyone Agee, has shown her diverse talent and capability in many fields. Dramatics have been her main interest here and we have all known and loved her on the stage as she portraved, first. Katherine in "The Taming of the Shrew" and then "Mary of Scotland" this year.

Having a love for music and a good voice, she has been able to direct our class in two successive prize-winning circus stunts, and in choruses for sings and productions. She has followed her interest along this line by being a member of the College Choir, the a cappella choir and the college quartet. She has written for the Rotunda staff the four years she has been in school, being a colum-

Her leadership has been recog-

nized by Alpha Kappa Gamma.

as vice-president her junior and

senior years. She has been elect-

ed to May Court two years, is a

Flounders Day!

, one girl, however, was

. if it had

Eve may have tempted Adam

easier to catch the point!

One or several of the Hamp-

den-Sydney lads consulted Betty

Bly last week for information

about a perplexing question often

put to them by the fairer sex

She replied, "What's a college ed-

ucation for?" Miss Bly's reputa-

tion as an adviser to the love lorn

but it seems a shame for the H.-S.

lads to wander around in a forest

of bewilderment while waiting for

a reply from this able columnist.

As a remedy for this deplorable

ger sponsor such a column with

perhaps Horace Cromer or Bill

Kay as author so that speedy and

accurate advice may be given

Orchids for the best publicity

stunt of the week go to Jennie

Belle Gilliam and Gratton Lind-

sey. Sunday night Miss Mary re-

ceived a telegram from Jennie

Belle saying she was married and

asking for permission to stay

away one day longer. In true S. T

C. fashion the news spread like

wild-fire! Lest the union of two

such important personages go un-

noticed the girls began plans for

those in need of it!

situation we suggest that the Ti-

is of course firmly established

nist for the paper this year.

Omega sorority.

Saturday

Sunday

urday night

Allen, Louise Allen, Elizabeth Burke, saw a reversion of the old story Mabel Burton, Louise Campbell, Liz exemplified by Tom Croom! Arm-Carroll, Inez Chappell, Bernice Copley, ed with the forbidden fruit he entered the College Shoppe and pre-Ann Dugger, Marie Eason, Martha Meade Hardaway, Marian Harden, Mildred apple Harry, Helen Jeffries, Pattie Jeffries, Sara given an orange. Just what the Keesee, Johnnie Lybrook, Mary Mahone, Madeorange was symbolic of we haven't liene McGlothlin, Marjorie Nimmo, Clara Notbeen able to find out . tingham, Livian Powell, Helen Reiff, Becky been a lemon 'twould have been Sandidge, Ada Sanford, Kathleen Sawyer, Ann Scott, Margaret Sheffey, Janelle Shelor, Dibbs Tyree, Vivian Womack, Sudie Yager, Frances Hutcheson, Frances Steed, Norma Pamplin, Edna Strong, Jean Terrell, Mary Walker Mitchell, Elizabeth West, Mildred Callis, and E. Byrd Hutcheson, Agnes Pickerell, Kitty Cassell, Dell Warren, Ann Bradner, Sadie Cobb. Hazelwood Burbank, Mary Sue Edmundson. and Shirley Stevens.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1938

I cannot be there in person. May Several interesting telegrams each of you have a grand Founwere received Saturday from for- ders' Day and may the spirit of sented each girl therein with an mer students. Some of them are: Alma Mater mean as much to you "Best wishes for the continued as it does to me. Please don't her death, through the tortures of the dunsuccess of our Alma Mater." change her name."-Kate Trent

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#### Wanted for Morrison Memorial Library

Arblay, Mme. Frances Burney-"The Diary and Letters of Frances Burney", Madame O'Arblay-revised and edited by S. C. Woolsey, Little, Brown & Co.

Carlyle, Jane W .--- "Letters and Memorials" edited by J. A. Froube, N. Y. Scribners.

Cawein, Madison, "Poems" (Small)

Clemens, S. L. (Mark Twain) "Story of Joan of Arc" Mms. by Howard Pyle. Harper.

Clough, Arthur Hugh "Poems", edited by H. S. Milford, Oxford.

Cook, Philip Pendleton "Froissart Ballads and Other Poems". Hayne, Paul Hamilton "Complete Poems."

Herrick, Robert "Poetical Yorks of Robert Herrick" edited by Moorman. Oxford, Clarendon Press.

Johnston, Mary "Croatan", "Slave Ship". Eastern Book Co. Longfellow, H. W. "Poets and Poetry of Europe". Houghton. Ludwig, Lewisohn "Poets of Modern France", B. W. Huebush, N. Y Macleod, "German Lyric Poetry", Harcourt.

W. W. Moore "A Year in Europe"

Peck, Samuel Mintern "Rings and Love-Knots". Stokes Patrarch, Francesco "The Sonnets", "Triumphs," and "Other Poems of Petrarch". London, Bell.

Preston, Margaret J. "Cartoons". Little Brown & Co.

Reese, Lizette Woodworth "White April and Other Poems. Farrar Somerville, Martha-"Personal Recollections of Mary Somerville. Thompson, John Reuben-"Poems". Scribners.

Ticknor, J. O .--- "The Poems of Frank O. Ticknor". Lippincott. Watson, John-"The Days of Auld Lang Syne." Dodd, Mead & Co.

through the entirety of her life, she lived by God's commands and His guidance.

This holy faith clung to her until geon, through the strain of confinement and horrible illness, and it was this faith that mystified her captors and made them wonder.

Joan of Arc died by fire-she was dressed in a plain white gown and around her neck was a rough wooden cross, fashioned at her request by a pitying English soldier. On her lips were the words, "Jesus, Jesus"; on her head was a great fool's cap on which was written:

"Heretic, Relapsed, Apostate, Idolater."

They followed her to victory; they praised her name; they left her in the hands of the English and saw her burned at the stake; they made her a saint and her name is hallowed.

For these reasons and many others, Joan of Arc has become a heroine-a leader of women-a model. Because there is probably none in history with the exception of Jesus Christ whose life story offers so complete a picture of the heights and depths of human sacrifice and staunch character as Jeanne d'Arc, Maid of France.

## 112 Alumnae of **Farmville Have Married Since** March 1937

### **New Names and** Addresses Are Announced

Since March 1937 a number of marriages among our alumnae have been reported to the alumnae office here in Farmville. Those announcements and addresses which have been received are:

Elsie Elizabeth Allgood, Mrs. Robert David Cook, La Crosse; Edith Agee, Mrs. Kermit A. Locke, Beckley, W. Va.: Mary Elizabeth Alexander, Mrs. Albert Rockwell, Wethersfield, Conn.; Arlethia Dorris Adams, Mrs. Irving O. Marillo, Chatham: Margaret Virginia Armstrong, Mrs. W. G. Ottley, Farm-Elizabeth Booker, ville; Annie Mrs. William Vaughan, Charlotte Sarah Elizabeth Beck, County: Mrs. Crinkley, Blackstone; Virginia Isabella Brock. Mrs. Dixon. Crewe.

Annie Mae Bass, Mrs. Garnett, Rice; Irby Owen Berry, Mrs. Har-Richmond; Emily Lyle Brumfield, Mrs. Bell, Philadelphia; Pauline Guerrant Bourne, Mrs. H. H. Timberlake, Richmond: Annie Louise Briggs, Mrs. F. D. Childress, Farmville; Frances LaMay Britton, Mrs. A. A. Hayman, Jr., 411 Kappa Gamma, Webster St., Petersburg.

Jane Brown, Mrs. T. F. West Jr., 1861 Grasmere Ave., East Cleveland, Ohio; Edna Elzada Brown, Mrs. W. T. Puckett, Jr., 201 Park Place, University, Virginia; Mary Scott Bruce, Mrs. D. A. Hillsman, Jetersville; Bessie C. Barksdale, Mrs. M. O. Roache South Hill; Mabel C. Barksdale, Mrs. H. Wooding; Sophia G Bowman, Mrs. G. F. Chamberlain, Syracuse, N. Y.; Lois Bradshaw Mrs. C. J. Sharrer, Blackstone.

Sarah Frances Channell, Mrs Owington Gordon Delk, Jr., New York; Nell Louise Clingenpeel Mrs. G. W. Everett, Lynchburg; Alice W. Cole, Mrs. L. L. Powell Halifax: Lucille Gordon Crute, Mrs. R. M. Coltrane, Hampton; Margaret Virginia Campbell, Mrs H. J. Barrett: Nannie Belle Clendenin, Mrs. J. E. Terrell, Baltimore; Estelle Davis, Mrs. A. G. Roach.

Annie Louise Diuguid, Mrs. R. L. Thompson, Richmond; Evelyn G. Doyne, Mrs. Alfred Price, Rice; Blackstone; Mrs. W. G. Goodloe, Greenfield; Nell Fitzpatrick, Mrs. James E. Harris, Farmville; Margaret Teel Springs, W. Va.; Louise V. Nunn, Floyd Ave., Richmond.

Powhatan Courthouse:



Carter Belle Munt, of Petersburg, who will represent this college at the Apple Blossom Festival in Winchester.

# **Carter Belle Munt** Is Selected **Blossom Princess**

Carter Belle Munt of Petersburg has been chosen by Dr. Jarman to represent Farmville as a Shenandoah of the Apple Blossom Festival in Winchester in April. Carter Belle is secretary of the Senior class, a member of Alpha president of Beorc Eh Thorn and leader of the Cotillion Club. She has been active in the Y. W. C. A. and is secretary of that organization this year. For two years Carter Belle was a member of Mardi Gras court and last year she was in May Court.

During her stay in Winchester, Carter Belle will be entertained widely. She and princesses from other colleges will be present when the queen, whose identity is yet unknown, will be crowned. The princesses will ride on floats in the parade.

#### nington Gap.

Ruby Smythe Moss, Mrs. James Durravant, Buckingham County; Dorothy Lee Morris, Mrs. W. L Virginia Butler. Orange: Α Moore, Mrs. Rawley, Washington; Blanche W. Mottley, Mrs. J. S. Barret, Maidens; Penelope Murdock, Mrs. M. A. Clarke, Jr., Kenbridge; Daisie A. Mitchell, Mrs. J A. Vincent, 204 Cedar St., Suffolk. Margaret Amelia Otten, Mrs. H. Doris C. Eley, Mrs. T. J. Holden, W. Stuart, Farmville; Nancy E. Tempe Ewing, Noel, Mrs. T. P. Reynolds, Cumberland; Mildred Isabelle O'Brien, Mrs. A. Haug, White Sulphur Faris, Mrs. R. W. Grant, Jr., 813 Mrs. L. F. Kemp, Great Neck, L. I.

Martha Taylor Putney, Mrs. Virginia Carter Fox, Mrs. . D. Lloyd Staton Noel; Ruby Leigh Southwell, Fanwood, N. J.; Vir- Parsons, Mrs. J. E. Jones; Dorothy work of the school, and the daughginia Ethel Fisher, Mrs. T. H. Beverly Prescott, Mrs. R. R. Rob- ters of alumnae of S. T. C. auto-1151 Central erts, Bridge Louise Rosalie Fairchild, Mrs. F. port. Conn.; Dorothy Price, Mrs. W. W. Wilkerson, Dillwyn: Carrie Formal Dinner Is Farmer, Mrs. E. D. Reynolds, 206 Byerly Putney, Mrs. C. B. Dowdy Held in Dining Mt. Vernon Ave., Danville; Eliza- Richmond; Sarah Bernice Polbeth B. Feild, Mrs. T. E. William- lard, Mrs. J. R. Stokes; Rosalyn son, 3406 Noble Ave., Richmond. Peebles, Mrs. J. G. Arthur, Somerton. A formal banquet was held in Cornelia Taylor Quarles, Mrs. the dining rom Saturday evening. W. S. Moffett, Jr., Staunton: Margaret E. Gathright, Mrs. W. Grace Warren Rowell, Mrs. A. W. at 6 o'clock for the students and alumnae. Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Turn-Phelps, Ada, Ohio; Alice Frances C. W. Hamilton, Wise; Katherine Rowell, Mrs. G. F. Whitley, Jr., New York City; Nina Sparks Ross, field, Farmville; Louise Swartz Mrs. J. F. Peyton, 907 Prince St., ner The alumnae were seated at Hyde, Mrs. C. K. Ale; Martha Alexandria; Anne Watkins Rice, tables near the door. All the guests Mrs. T. N. Elliott, Blackstone; were dressed formally, and pink burn; Zell Hopkins, Mrs. T. N. Mary Ann Rives, Mrs. R. F. Clark, tulips decorated each table. 321 Clinton St., Petersburg. Joyce Sturm, Mrs. Walker, Apson, Mrs. Hampton D. Powell. palachia; Armistead Jane Scott, L. Mason, Rice; Bessie D. Hart, Mrs. R. C. Diedrich; Lucile Simp-Lynchburg; Anna Bruce Whit-Mrs. L. J. Payne, Chatham; Lois son, Mrs. J. P. Neathawk, Roamore, Mrs. A. F. S. Mackensie, Mt Holly, N. J.; Katherine Greenwood noke; Jessie Lee Swisher, Mrs. J. Wayt, Mrs. W. R. M. Woodbury, H. Scherer, Richmond; Bessie C.

## Nelson, Debaters Win Honors In Tournament

Caralie Nelson, a freshman from South Boston, Virginia, won first place in impromptu and second place in extemporaneous speeches and the Farmville debate teams won one round at the South Atlantic Forensic Tournament held at High Point, North Carolina on March 3, 4, and 5. The following girls represented Farmville at the tournament:

Marie Allen, Frances Hollaway, Caralie Nelson, Mary Rice and per, Cogbill, Jennings, and Hiner. Marguerite Snell.

Each team participated in five team won over Fredericksburg S. in which she or he was interested. T. C. while the Farmville negative team won over the team from Appalachia. The question for discussion was: "Resolved that the National Labor Relations Board be English and Reading, and Engempowered to settle all indus- lish in the Elementary Schools. trial disputes." Frances Hollaway and Mary Rice upheld the affirmative and Marie Allen and Mar-Appalachian, Lenoir Rhyne, Fredericksburg and Maryville.

Other colleges represented were: Carson-Newman, Emory and Henprincess in the court of Queen ry, University of Florida, Mississippi State, N. C. State, Elon. Wake Forest, and Gilford.

Mrs. S. M. Holton took the Farmville representatives to High Point and served as their coach. On Thursday she took them to en-Winston-Salem where they joyed all points of interest.

Granddaughters **Club Gives Tea** For Alumnae

The Granddaughters Club on Friday night, March 4, at nine It shall be to me a challenge to o'clock gave a tea for the alumnae live life more abundantly. I thank who returned to S. T. C. for you.' Founders' Day,

given after the The tea was basketball game between Harrisonburg and Farmville Colleges. most surprising was when I heard Members of the club served the refreshments and several members diamond ring at the auction sale." performed in a program for

amusement during the tea. On the program were a skit by Army and Betty Butterworth, and songs by Sarah Keesee, Mary Elizabeth Petticrew and Sidney Yonce

Each year a contribution of money is given for the Jennie Masters Tabb Memorial Fund by the Granddaughters' Club. This year five dollars was given.

This club was organized to keep the alumnae in touch with the matically become members

## **Five Faculty Members** Attend **Education Meet**

### **Atlantic City Is Convention Place**

Five members of the faculty attended the National Educational Convention, which was held from Froebel, the great German educa-February 28 to March 2 in Atlan- tor tic City. Among those who attend-

ed were Dr. Wynne, Misses Cam-While there they attended various educational meetings and

rounds of debate. The affirmative lectures, each attending those Miss Hiner was especially interested in the topics of the Na-

tional Conference on Research in All seemed to be impressed by John Dewey's address and espe-

cially his statement that a book guerite Snell upheld the negative was like an accordian spread out for Farmville. These girls met the and talk was like an accordian following girl colleges: Winthrop, pulled together but all the music was there.

Miss Jennings enjoyed the various points of view of the different philosophers of education. She was also impressed by Helen Keller's vocabulary and how she

could tell what a person was saying in spite of the fact that she was deaf. by placing her fingers, one on the side of the person's nose and the other on his lower lip. Helen Keller said that she

liked philosophy because it gave her a sense of freedom from all limitation. She was presented life membership to the National Educational Association and said when presented with her key, "I am too bewildered with emotion and appreciation to find my words. This chain around my neck I shall cherish but the key in my hand I take as a symbol not of my power but of my teacher, Ann Sullivan.

Miss Jennings in humor said, The wind was certainly the keenhave of educating children. est thing I met and perhaps the a school teacher bid \$1100 for a Miss Cogbill attended the John

Dewey Society Sunday night, and heard the discussion of Educational Freedom and Democracy Monday morning she attended the Kappa Delta Pi meeting. At 1:30 P. M. on the same day she saw a remarkable motion picture entitled "The River", which was shown in the ball room of the hotel auditorium. The film was prepared by the U.S. government. It dramatized the loss of natural resources in the great Mississippi Valley, the disaster of timber stripping, soil erosion and overcultivation of corn and cotton. On Tuesday morning Miss Cog-

### **Froebel's Pictures** Are On Exhibit **On Rec Walls**

Fifteen paintings known as 'Froebel's Pictures'' were exhibited in the "rec" by the Association of Childhood Education during March 3-6. These pictures depicted the development of the kindergarten and its methods as set forth by its founder, Diredrich

into three groups: the inspiration and development of Froebel's idea; the founding of the first kindergarten and the first few steps of development; the discoveries of science and its use in the modern kindergarten.

The first group of pictures shows Froebel getting his inspiration when he remembered his own neglected childhood. He thought about this and observed nature to see how she developed her children slowly and with great care. Why could not parents care for their children in this way, guiding them to higher education? This whole group is done in rather the Shoe" and "the Mad Hatter" dark colors, symbolic of the ignorance of parents in training the pre-school child.

The second group pictures kindergarten in 1837. The pictures are in lighter colors. somehow suggesting that knowledge conquering ignorance in the education and training of small children.

Beginning with the nineteenth century science was taking its place in the development of educational methods. All of the findings were eagerly used by educators in the modern nursery school. The last picture in this group stands for all that educators are trying to do. It shows a man holding a child to the sun which stands for knowledge and under it is the production has been put off seveinscription, "He Who Elevates the tints of the lighter colors, symbolic of the knowledge that we

Those of us who saw these pictures were fortunate in being able to learn more about the profession into which we are going. May we have more such exhibits to inspire us to be really great teachers

## **Freshmen Go** "Swing" for First **Class Production**

#### **Characters** Are Humorous Ones

"Swing" is the key note of the Freshman Production, which will be given on the night of March 10th. The plot is full of zest and fast moving action. Since the class The pictures may be divided has talented musicians, music will be emphasized.

"Sausages and Sweepstakes" is the title for the production, and will carry the theme of the three pigs a la modern. The three pigs, who are the heroines in the story are Marion Heard, Frances Steger, and Jean Scott, Opposite them as the heroes in the roles of the city silken wolves are Jamie Lee Peake, Betty Fahr, and Mary Sue Edmundson. Teresa Brinkley. Caralie Nelson, Dorothy Menefee Nancy Pierpont, Nancy Hopkins, Mary Elizabeth Petticrew, Norma Pamplin, Porter Shepard, Ruth Carney and many others will give modern interpretations of such characters as "Boy Blue", "Red Riding Hood", "the Old Woman in

The entire Freshman Class has entered into some phase of the production and nearly every girl is assisting in some group-Stagshow the founding of the first ing, Business, Music, Publicity, Properties, or Acting. Emily Hoskins is the director, the authors was of the production are Marion Heard, Esther Atkinson, Liggie Ellett, Jean Scott, Marion Worsham,

and Martha Whelchel. A special feature on the program for the night will be the guest artist, Mr. French. Mr French, who is classman of the Freshman Class, has consented to play the piano between acts.

For the past two weeks rehearsals have been held daily and much of the hidden talent has been discovered. Although the ral times the Freshmen have not Child Elevates the Race." This been in the least discouraged, and was done for the most part in the production will be up to the usual standard of excellency.

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strick, Mrs. P. J. Cartwright, 918 Dalton Estate, Altavista; Mary Ed-Hopewell. Elizabeth Julia Williams, Mrs.

J. T. Ellett, Crewe; Jane Jeter Walker, Mrs. L. R. Womack, Cumberland County; Elizabeth B. Ware, Mrs. A. F. Dillard; Frances L. Whitehead, Mrs. Richard Myers, Philadelphia; Mary W. Wicker, Mrs. Pearson Witcher, Farmville; Mary Alice Wiley, Mrs. W. S. Reeves, Patrick County; Barta Worrell, Mrs. J. H. Hogg,

bill attended the Virginia breakfast at the Claridge Hotel with the delegates and visitors from Room Saturday Night Virginia, after which she heard a discussion on the Elementary School—the organization of the kind of school needed.

To Miss Cogbill the vesper service, address by William Lyon bull and student waitresses were Phelps, and the Westminister in charge of the elaborate din- Choir Harp Quintette were outstanding features on the program.

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# THE ROTUNDA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1938 Page 4 **Alumnae Thrilled as Team Trounces Harrisonburg 24-18**

## **Girls** Are in **Excellent Shape**

### **First Quarter Ends In Score** of 4 to 4

With approximately twelve hundred alumnae student body an: friends cheering madly, Farmville's varsity basketball team began its Founders Day celebration and ended its basketball season in a 24-18 victory over Harrisonburg State Teachers College here on Friday, March 4. The game, marked by expert teamwork for the evenly-matched competitors, proved to be the most spectacular and hardest game for the undefeated blue and whites of Farmville.

Farmville scored up two fouls and one goal in the first quarter to the two goals of her opponent to tie the score at 4-4. She roused to greater action in the second quarter, however, when Jarman pulled two goals within a moment and after a rest from time out, when Carroll captured two more Season of one additional point. At the conclusion of the quarter Carroll failed in her free shot but Jarman recovered the ball for the basket and two more points. The half placed the score at a 16-5 marjority for the home team.

The second half was marked by rapid passwork, the ball travelling from one goal line to the other. In spite of its hard work during the third quarter, Farmville gained but one goal to Harrisonburg's schools. This season they have three; the score rising to 18-11. The fourth quarter was a despe- high schools. In view of their abilrate attempt for victory on both sides, both teams gaining and who comprise the team were sebring the score to a final 24-18 lected for varsity within a few triumph for Farmville.

Line ups:	
Farmville	Harrisonburg
Carrol, f	Purnell, f.
Jarman, f	Fischer, f.
	Glover, f.
Conyers, c	Powell, c.
	Quick, c.
Gilliam, g	Bell, g.
Smith, g.	Fitzgerald, g.
Referees-M.	Dabney, E. Berger.
Timekeepr-Rut	h Leanord. Score
keeper-Dot Fis	cher

## Athletic Banquet Is Held in Tea Room

Annual athletic banquet will be



Farmville's undefeated baskeball team is shown here. The members are: front row (left t oright): Chlotilde Jarman, Crozet; Ellen Conyers, Chester; Elizabeth Berryman, Surry: Sue Eastham, Culpeper: Virginia Carroll, Rocky Mount: Ellen Gilliam, Prospect, captain; Ruth Chambers, Blackstone; Jennie Belle Gilliam, Peters burg: Virginia Whitehead Smith, Princess Anne; Ruth Phelps, Madison Heights.

Back row (left to right): Ruby Adams, Richmond; Lavalette Gl enn, Prospect; Mary Sue Edmonson, Baskerville; Virginia Crute, Farmville; Juanita Smith, Rice; Mary Grainger, Farmville; Hild a Hubbard, Rice; Elizabeth Hillsman, Farmville; Virginia Taylor, Bridgeville, Del.; Jean McConnaughey, Amelia.

# **Freshmen End Unusual Success**

With a victorious record for every game this season, Farmville freshman basketball team has a record like unto that of its varsity team.

Freshman class is the only class with an actively organized team which competes with other met and defeated four Virginia ity seven of the nine Freshmen weeks after they organized.

All of the six games played have been "walk-away" victories for the class of '41. In their first game on January 20, they defeated Rice High School 36-2, thereafter winning by a large majority over two meets with Farmville High School, a return game with Rice, one each with high schools of Amelia and Hampton.

In class games the Freshmen bethey trounced first the Sophomores by a score of 34-8 and in the final round were triumphant over Seniors by 24-10.

Hilda Hubbard is captain of the team, Mary Sue Edmonson and a formal affair in the tea room Elizabeth Hillsman are at forward positions: centers are Rosa Cour-Varisty basketball squad, the ter and Virginia Crute; Mary Jean Rawls, Miss Garrie Elizabeth Mrs. Lottie West Whitehurst, Mrs. varsity hockey squad and the Ath- Grainger and Louise Ewell, Juani-Rawls, Miss Duvahl Ridgway, Miss | Hessie Chernault Yelton, and Miss Louise Ridgway, Miss Gertrude Ruth Yeates. play guard. Richardson, Miss Hildegarde Ross,

# Varsity Squad Is Reviewed After Thrilling Victories

risonburg game the excited spec- Their accurate shooting runs tator, 'tis said, was even more ex- scores far ahead of the opposing hausted than the players.

sity Team and have brought Chlotilde for two years. praise and victory for their college

Ellen Gilliam, having played on Varsity for four years, has proved to be an able captain of the team. She guards with tenacity of purpose and a level head.

Virginia Whitehead Smith, the played on the team for three girls, namely Ruby Adams, Elizayears. With this combination, beth Berryman, Jennie Carroll, Farmville has a stone wall of defense

Ellen Conyers and Sue Eastham are a pair of fast, competent cen- nie Belle Gilliam, Lavalette Glenn, on the color cup will be awards ters who keep the ball traveling Mary Grainger, Elizabeth Hillstoward the goal. Sue has been man, Hilda Hubbard, Chlotilde came school champions when they trounced first the Sopho-years and Ellen for three. Ruth Phelps, Juanita Smith, Vir-Virginia Carroll, Chlotilde Jar- ginia Whitehead Smith.

> Mary Peck, Mrs. Ruth Lane Pal- ton Williams, Miss Flora Belle mer, Miss Irene Parker, Miss Mary Williams, Miss Elsie Wilson, Miss Lou Raiford, Mrs. Sallie Goggin Goldie Williams, Mrs. Joyce Sturm Rode Miss Kathleen Ranson Miss Williams Mrs Ellen Lee Wilson

Miss Sarah Rowell.

Speaking of school spirit-a man and Ruth Emma Chambers basketball game really succeeds at forward position run up those in bringing it out. After the Har- pretty little numbers called points.

teams. Jennie's freakish (backed Seven girls are for the most by good aim) shots are the wonpart Farmville's undefeated bas- der of the spectators. Jennie has ketball record. They have given been a member of varsity for their time and ability to the Var- three years and Ruth Emma and

With a perfect record for three years our Varsity team ends another successful season. Three cheers for "Varsity" and their coach, Miss Iler!

Several of the Freshmen girls play also on Varsity. The entire star guard, is a junior and has Varsity Squad includes twenty Ruth Emma Chambers, Ellen Conyers, Rosa Courter, Virginia Crute, Sue Eastham, Ellen Gilliam, Jen-

# **Barber and Beauty**

# **Telegraphic Swim** Meet Will **Be Held Here**

Date of the inter-telegraphic swimming meet which was announced for April 14 has been changed to Tuesday night, March 12 in the college pool.

Results of this meet will be sent in to the University of Alabama along with the results of other meets which will be held in various colleges in the south. All meets will be held on this date and the school having the best Dame Woman's College of Baltimeet.

Students are practicing daily in order to get in the required number of practices. At least fifteen girls must take part in order for state trip to be taken by the team. Farmville to enter the telegraphic It is hoped that the team will be meet. Those participating must able to take a similar trip next have at least seven practice hours. year. Points for their respective classes

for the participants.

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# **Team Closes** Third Undefeated Year on Court

#### **Blackstone** Game **Is Real Fight**

Ending a third year as an undefeated team, the basketball varsity of this school closed its season by defeating Harrisonburg 24-18 Saturday night on home territory.

The hardest fought game of the season and the closest was the one played with Blackstone there. It was not until the last few minutes of the game that Farmville scored the determining goal to a narrow victory of 19-18.

The Farmville cagers were coached by Miss Olive T. Iler. Coach Iler is considered in the top rank among coaches throughout the state. Her principles for the production of real teams are outstanding. Miss Iler has no stars on her teams. "The girls work together sacrificing self-glory for the good of the whole team," Miss Iler says. The coach believes in regular practices and earnestness in the playing. The team is held under no pledge or training regulations.

The speed of the team, the good pass work, and the teamwork, backed by long hours of practice and the able instructions of the coach enabled the Farmville team to come through with an undefeated slate.

Ellen Gilliam has been captain of the team this year.

Farmville's 24-18 victory over Harrisonburg S .T. C. Friday night brought to a close her third successive undefeated basketball season.

The season was opened on the home court when Farmville met Roanoke National Business College. It was a fast game-Farmville took the lead in the early part of the night and held it throughout the game. The final score was 19-16.

Then came the big Northern trip! Again the display of splendid teamwork and Farmville emerged victorious over Notre record will win the telegraphic more and Panzer School of Physical Education in East Orange, New Jersey. The scores being, respectively, 34-11, and 24-13. The trip north was the first out-of-

The able passwork and spirited play of the Farmville team overcame the disadvantage of playing a two-court game and brought the team out with the greatest margin of a victory during the entire season when the team trounced William and Mary on the home court for a victory of 29-17.

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letic Council will be guests of ta Smith and Alsita Altomore honor at this banquet.

Other invited guests include Dr. Jarman, Miss Mary, Miss Barlow, Mr. Holton, Mr. French, Mr. Coyner, Mr. McCorkle, Miss Moran and Mrs. Warren.

#### Joiner Exhibit Portrays Exciting Movements of the Dance In All Forms of Art

Slightly whimsical yet full of exciting movement, the Betty Joiner pictures exhibited in the little sitting room last week indicate a definite new trend in modwater colors, and cloth appliques joined Gamma Psi in sponsoring Pritchett

the exhibit at a time when the

Joiner is a versatile person, and ral summers studying at Benning- from Charles Weidman. ton School of the Dance where

Founders Dav

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Annie Jones, Miss Ethel Joyner Miss Catherine Jones, Miss Elizabeth Jarman, Mrs. Jessie Brett Kennedy, Mrs. Nora Garrett Lancaster, Miss Aileen McClenny, Mrs. Frances Gannaway Moon, Jr. Miss Katherine Milby, Mrs. Katherine Anderson Maddox, Miss Marie Moore.

Miss Evelyn Massey, Mrs. Annie Garrett Mason, Miss Louise Morern art. Sketches, block prints, riss, Miss Edythe Martin, Miss Grace Moran, Miss Eleanor Meremake up the group of colorful dith, Mrs. Marguerite Massey Morpictures of which the dance is ton. Miss Lottie Marsh, Mrs. Thelthe predominating subject. It was ma Garrett Motley, Mrs. Phyllis because of this combination of Burnett Martin, Miss Ruth Phildancing and art that Orchesis lips. Miss Maude Pugh, Miss Ruth

Miss Thulia Park, Miss Evelyn returning alumnae could enjoy it. Peak, Mrs. Georgie Newby Page,

has magazine articles and a book one of Doris Humphrey's classes; to her credit. She has spent seve- the other, "In the Theatre", is The pictures were brought here she gleaned ideas for her pictures after interest in Miss Joiner's from the classes of famous teach- work was aroused by some of her From Old to New With Any Shoe ers there. Two pictures in the ex- drawings owned by Mrs. Fitzpa-

hibit showed this. One was "Pa- trick, who also studied at Benrade", a very expressive study of nington.

Miss Sarah Belle Smith, Mrs. Pearle Watterson Showalter, Miss Inez Sykes, Miss Anne Scales, Miss Louise Scruggs, Miss Isabelle Sprinkle, Miss Welby Saunders, Miss Marnetta Souder, Miss Easter Souders, Miss Elsie Story, Mrs. Flora Hobby Sykes, Miss Mabel Spratley, Mrs. Elizabeth Cogbill Stevens, Mrs. Maria Bristow Starke, Miss Elizabeth Temple.

Mrs. Nellie Virginia Conner Tolley, Miss Carrie Brown Taliaferro, Miss Virginia Tinsley, Mrs. Nellie Garrett Tomkins, Mrs. Margaret Farish Thomas, Mrs. Belle Brosius Wisman, Mrs. Mary Clements Winston, Miss Audrey White, Miss Elizabeth Walthall. Miss Pauline White, Miss Evelyn West, Mrs. Mattie Elizabeth Evans Wright, Mrs. Agnes Burger Williams, Miss Ruth Webb, Miss Though primarily an artist, Miss Mrs. Vivian Binns Parker, Miss Carolyn Watts, Mrs. Lucille Hol-

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# **Miss Nichols Begins Second Official Term**

#### **Miss Susie Floyd** Is Vice Head

Miss Mary Nichols began her second term as president of the alumnae association. Saturday, March 5, 1938, and Miss Susie Floyd was made second most important officer. Last year Miss Nichols was elected for a term of two years.

After the roll call and reports of chapters, a financial statement of each memorial fund was made by the various chairmen.

Miss Florence Stubbs reported upon the work being done through the association in securing Farmville plates.

Officers of the association are president, Miss Mary Nichols; first vice-president, Miss Susie Floyd; second vice-president, Miss Sammy Scott; directors, Miss Mabel Spratley, Mrs. Olive Smith Bowman, secretary - treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Harding Coyner.

The new nominating committee is composed of Miss Olive Iler. Mrs. Anne Meredith Jeffers, and Mrs. Eva H. Warren.

Mr. J. M. Grainger honorary member of the association closed the meeting with a tribute to Miss Estelle Smithey.

# **Committee Works To Bring Symphony Here**

A committee representing several communities in Southside Virginia has recently been formed to aid in bringing the Virginia Symphony Orchestra to Farmville for two concerts in the State Teachers College Auditorium on Friday, April 1, 1938. Mr. T. J. McIlwaine is chairman of the committee and Mr. J. M. Grainger, secretary.

This orchestra consists of sixty well trained musicians, and it plays a large repertoire of symphony music. The concerts at Farmville will enable the people of this vicinity to enjoy the product of the Federal Music Project, by which the Orchestra is financed, at only a nominal charge. It is hoped also that a Southside Philharmonic Society may be duct of a family well known in formed which will aid in making the Virginia Symphony Orchestra her as a teacher using the "direct a permanent feature of the cultural life of the State.

The idea was initiated by Mr. John Powell, the great Virginia movement is carried into all parts of Richmond, who is the State Director of the Federal Music Pro-



Left to right, front row: Gay Steiffen, Susan Lane, queen; Nan Seward. Back row: Elizabeth Butler, Charlotte Minton, Kitty Roberts, Frankie Bryan, Jennie Belle Gilliam and Elsie Dodd.

# **Tribute to Miss Estelle Smithey**

Praising Miss Estelle Smithey for her excellent ability as a veteran teach of language and as a warm, friendly Christian, Mr Grainger established her memory among alumnae at the business meeting Saturday morning by reading his tribute to her.

Because she traveled in foreign lands, because she kept her subject vividly alive she was able to bring a rare gift of culture and knowledge to the countless girls she taught. Mr. Grainger declared that she was the perfect proeducational centers. He spoke of method" of presenting subject matter.

Mr. Grainger ended his paper by saying "Miss Smithey is not pianist and composer, and the dead because she lives on by the sweetness and light of her soul of Virginia by Mr. Wilfred Pyle, that she impressed on girls she taught. Always gentle and kindly, ready with clever pleasantries, unassuming, self - effacing

Mr. Grainger Pays Brilliant Masquerade Dance Zimmer Harp Honors Susan Lane as Queen Trio Climaxes

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ored paper and balloons Susan Lane was crowned Queen of a Sara Keesee sang "Thanks for the fancy dress ball last night for the Memory", and Margaret Britton second successive time. Ed White- and Army Butterworth danced in head of Washington and Lee University placed the crown amid a clamor of shouts and applause.

The court was composed of Jennie Belle Gilliam with Gratten Lindsey from Hampden-Sydney: Frances Bryan with Kelly Davis from Hampden-Sydney; Elizabeth Butler with Joe Lawson from Hampden-Sydney; Nan Seward with Claude Whitley from Richmond: Gay Stieffen with Clinton Hadder from Newport News: Charlotte Minton with Robert Simpson from William and Mary; Kitty Roberts with Charles Nottingham from Hampden-Sydney;

and Elsie Dodd with Wesley Warren from Richmond.

Reed heralded the queen's ap- Pi Gamma Mu, the sponsor of

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their own inimitable way, winning the applause of the evening.

First prize for the prettiest costume went to Louise Morgan, who was dressed in a gay nineties costume as was Martha Anne Saunders, the winner of second prize. Brownie Johnson won first prize for the most original in a dress made of college penants. Ada Sanford representing any week's Rotunda was awarded second prize. Scotch Highlanders Johnnie Lybrook and Bob Buyers took honors for the most attractive couple on the floor.

Roland Leveque and his ordedicated their last song, "Good-Perrye Smith and Katherine night Sweetheart" to S. T. C. and

# **Day's Program**

To climax the events of Founders Day the Zimmer Harp Trio presented a program in the auditorium on March 4.

Miss Nellie Zimmer was solo harpist and Misses Louise Harris and Gladys Crockford made up the rest of the trio. Mr. Philip Dundon, baritone rendered several selections with harp accompaniment.

In the first part of the program the trio played Largo, Bou-Imporptu Caprice, ree, after which Miss Harris and Miss Crockford played Moorings, The Gartan Mothers Lullaby, A Traditional Pyrenean Song, Lettle Barteese, and Mr. Dundon sang.

Miss Zimmer's solos were comprised of: Garden in the Rain, chestra furnished the music and Music Box and March Triomphale and the trio rendered Petite Suite. The last two parts included numbers by the trio and Mr. Dundon and one selection, Allegro

# **Miss Mary Gives Reception After** Lyceum Program

#### **Receiving Line Greets** Guests

Miss Mary White Cox enterained the alumnae with a reception last Saturday night. The reception took place immediately after Lyceum.

In the receiving line were Miss Mary, Mrs. John Lancaster, presdent of local chapter of Farmville alumnae; Miss Mary Nichols, president of the Alumnae Association; Elizabeth Morris, president of the student body; Nan Se-ward, Y. W. C. A. president; Madeline McGlothlin, senior class president; and Jane Powell, sophomore class president.

Senior and junior members of the Granddaughters club and members of the student council assisted with the serving. Mary Harrison Vaughan, Elizabeth Harris. Elizabeth Burke and Charlotte Minton presided at the punch bowls.

Miss Maud K. Taliaferro, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Shelton and Mrs. Blackwell assisted Miss Mary in looking after guests. Faculty members, the administration, and home department were invited to the reception.

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ject. At present there are representatives of the Committee from Farmville. Hampden - Sydney, Arvonia, Appomattox, Keysville, and Charlotte; and others will be added.

Since the purpose is educational as well as artistic, one of the concerts here will be for children and will be given in school hours, at 11 o'clock. The children will be transported to and from the concert in school busses. The musicians will show them the various instruments of the orchestra and th especial contribution of each to the music.

#### **Farmville Chapter Entertains for** All Old Girls

Farmville Alumnae Chapter was hostess at a tea for the alumnae who returned for Founder's Dav event was held in the recreation hall from four-thirty to six o'clock.

Senior members of the home economics department did the serving as well as most of the planning for the tea. They were assisted in the preparation of the food by underclassmen.

Violets and jonquils placed on the plates gave a very spring-like touch to the setting. Jonquils and other kinds of bright flowers were used in the general decorations.

brought her ends to pass by her own faith in the good in peopleby her quiet devotion to goodness. truth and spiritual beauty."

## Longwood Luncheon Is Given For School Guests

The Alumnae luncheon was served at Longwood on Founders' Day, March 5. Many of the former S. T. C. girls attended this midday feature in the home-coming program.

The house at Longwood was brightened by decorations of spring flowers, including red bud, pussy willows and jonguils. Guests were served as they sat in informal groups in the parlor, the music room, and the sun porch. Students from the college assisted in the serving. The menu

consisted of a gelantine mold with celebration. This afternoon social fruit and almonds, sliced ham, plain potato with cream sauce, hot rolls, and coffee. On each dessert plate there was a jonguil adding to the colorful scheme made by ice cream covered with fresh strawberries, angel cake, yellow and white mints, and salted nuts.

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# **Miss Wheeler Picks Characters To Play Parts** In "First Lady"

#### Virginia Agee, Jim Johnston Have Leads

"First Lady", the first spring play to be given jointly by the Dramatic Club and Hampden-Sydney's "Jongleurs" will be presented on Friday, April 30, it is believed.

Miss Wheeler, director, has announced the characters. Virginia Agee wil play the part of "First Lady"-Mrs. Lucy Chase Wayne, with Jim Johnston playing her husband, Stephen Wayne, Secretary of State. The others of the cast are:

Sophy Prescott, Mary Mahone; Charles, the butler, William Chewning; Emmy Paige, Martha Wel-Belle Hardwick, Alpha Lee chel: Garnett; Mrs. Ives, Marion Worsham; Ann Forrester, Virginia Howell; A Congressman's Wife, Frances Alvis; The Baroness, Lula Windham: Mrs. Creevry, Elizabeth Carroll.

Congressman's The Wife's Friend, Evelyn Thorington; Mrs. Davenport, Elizabeth Garret; The General, Charles Joyce; Senator Keance, Bob Engle, Tom Hardwick, Marshall Suther; Irene Hibbard, Chlotilde Jarman; Carter Hibbard, Fred Reid; George Mason, James Price; Elsworth T. Ganning, Lawrence Wood; Jason Flemming, Charles Joyce; Ortega, Lawrence Wood.

The play will be given as a Lyceum number, which entitles each school girl to a ticket.

"First Lady" was written by Katherine Dayton and George S. Kaufman and was produced at the Music Box Theatre in New York by Sam H. Harris on November 26, 1935 with Jane Cowl as "First Lady". It has recently been produced in movies with Kay Francis and Anita Louise.

Comments from New York papers prove its worth in the world of dramatics. Walter Winchell says it is "Public Entertainment No. One". Brooks Atkinson of New York "Times" says: "A bril-. George S. liant comedy" Kaufman, the Moliere of Broad-way ..... "First Lady" is one of the best comedies stamped with the Kaufman hallmark . . gay mischievous and capitally written." Robert Garland of the New York "World Telegram" says of "First Lady": "A Juvenalian satire on governmental Washington

, stirs up a hornets nest of hilarity . . . A rich and riotous razzberry; 'First Lady' is more goofy than the government, more satiric than a senator, more comic than

# **Business Managers**

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Florence Bress, of Norfolk, Virginia, who was recently elected business manager of the Eotunda for 1938-39.

Nancy Gray of Roanoke,

Virginia, who will serve The

Virginian staff as business

manager next year.

Johnnie Lybrook, of Fincastle, Virginia, who was reclected business manager of Farmville Quarterly Review.

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**Eleven Old Girls** 

Death has taken eleven S. T. C.

college alumnae within the past

year, according to reports received

who have died since last Founders

Helen Muse Brown, Dec. 1937;

Mrs. Jack Dawson (Estelle Jones)

1937; Margaret De Shazo, 1937;

Mrs. J. K. Dickinson (Lizzie

James) 1937; Verena Madelene

E. Smith) Oct. 1937; Ella Louise

Hiner, Nov. 1937; Nellie Putney

April, 1937-missionary to China

Mrs. C. H. Ranson (Lou Dabney Redd) 1937-graduate of the Col-

lege for Young Women at Farm-

ville before 1884; Mrs. Samuel

Scott (Mary G. Boyd) Nov. 1937

Margaret L. Watkins, Aug. 1937

J. E. Walmsley, professor of his-

tory at Farmville, died December

Mrs. J. E. Waimsley, wife of Dr

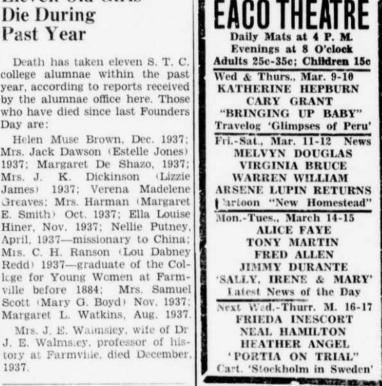
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### Alumnae Daughters Attract Attention

Mary Schofield Watkins' daughter, Virginia, graduated in Landscape Architecture at Penn-State College in 1937.

Alice Johnson Eagles ('24) of Erie, Pennsylvania, whose mother was Emma Mayhew Higgins of the class of 1924, writes that her daughter Anne Mayhew Eagles, born in April 1937, is already enrolled in S. T. C.

Edith Estep Gray's small daughter of Gloucester County was a guest of the college for Founder's Day. She and her sister are pledged to Farmville.

#### Elections

that the union belonged to Tex-Virginia, however, won out as." and next year's convention will be held at William and Mary.

Kitty summed it all up with "From Friday noon to Saturday night in the wee hours after the dance-well, I just had such a wonderful time!

## Interview

Continued from Page 1 These girls will take over the three publications shortly. The spring issue of the magazine will be edited by the new editor. Le-Noir and Florence will take over "The Rotunda" the first of April. The annual meetings will begin being presided over by Miriam sometime around the first of May.

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