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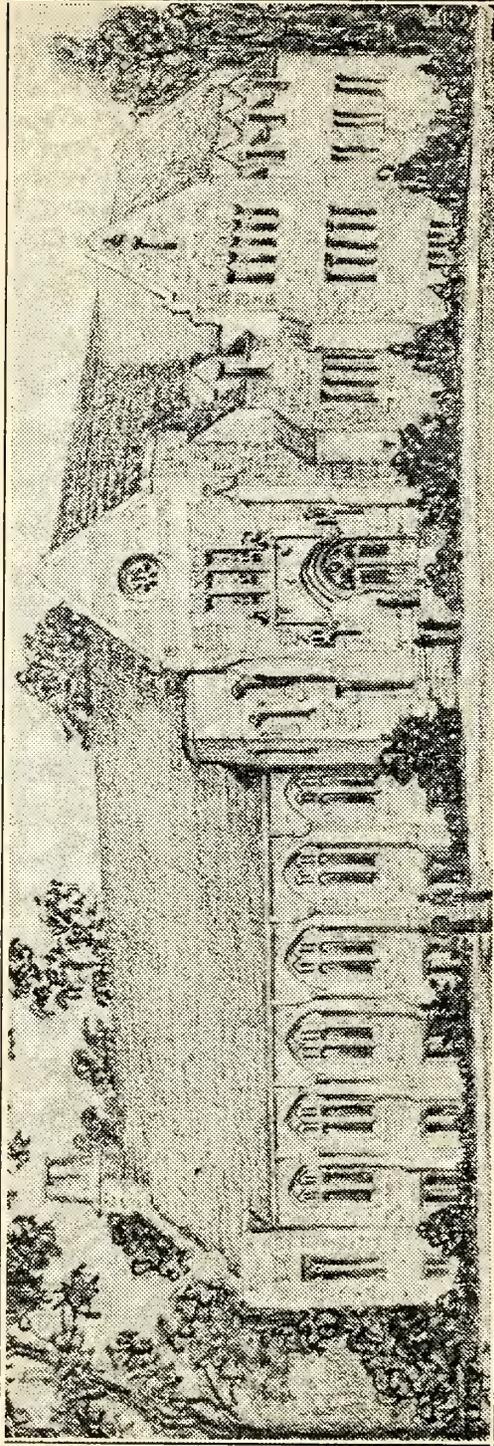
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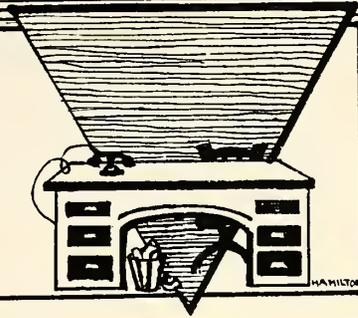


New Agnes Scott Library Now Under Construction



Pictured above is the architect's drawing of the new Agnes Scott College Library. Architects are Edwards and Sayward of Atlanta; construction contractors A. K. Adams and Company of Atlanta; stack contractors Snead and Company of Jersey City, New Jersey. Building was begun in early November, and, according to present plans, it will be ready for a dedicatory ceremony during Commencement next June and will be completed by the first of July. This building is located between Buttrick Hall and the Bucher Scott Gymnasium on the new road recently constructed from South Candler to South McDonough Street. It occupies the site formerly occupied by West Lawn and the athletic field. The most remarkable feature of the new library will be the reading room on the main floor, made most inviting by an informal arrangement of tables, chairs, floor lamps, end tables, hassocks, davenport. This follows the modern trend in library construction to create an air of informality and to get away from the conventional appearance now popularly associated with such buildings. The reading room in the basement, with a maximum capacity for one hundred and eighty readers, will use formal tables and chairs. The heating space for its book collection will be taken care of in the book stacks, six tiers in height, with carrels along the east and south sides of each tier of the stacks. An air-conditioning system will add further to the comfort of the building. The style is Gothic, with many features of Buttrick Hall copied.

THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE



SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE

PRESIDENT J. R. McCAIN

Agnes Scott holds membership in many associations or educational organizations. A problem that frequently arises is whether or not the College should be active in so many groups. There seems to be good reason for affiliation with most such organizations.

The Association of Georgia Colleges is of no great benefit to Agnes Scott, but it does give the College a chance to cooperate with its close neighbors and to influence helpfully standards of education in the State. Membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools has been important because it gives to the graduates of its member institutions prestige and standing in graduate and professional schools and with various State Boards of Education. Agnes Scott has always been particularly active in this Association.

The College belongs to the Presbyterian Educational Association of the South and also to the Conference of Church-Related Colleges. We do not qualify technically for the first organization since legally Agnes Scott is non-sectarian, but we have always had a sympathetic relationship with the Presbyterian Church, though it has never given us any money. The Association of American Colleges is worthwhile to us as it is the greatest defender in this country of the liberal arts college and as it makes valuable studies in the field of better teaching and better educational ideals. Agnes Scott has always been quite active in this association also. The College is on the approved list of the Association of American Universities, and this gives to its graduates recognition in foreign countries and standing in all parts of the educational world. Our membership in the American Association of University Women enables our graduates to belong to college groups and clubs throughout the country and to be eligible for any other privileges that belong to university women in general. Similarly, our membership in the American Council on Education keeps us in touch with nation-wide movements in the field of education, not merely in the realm of college and university affairs but also in matters that concern elementary and secondary education.

In view of all these and other contacts which Agnes Scott has, one might well question the wisdom of the organizing of any other association. However, just such action has been recently taken, and Agnes Scott is one of the charter members of the new group which is named *The Southern University Conference*.

In the South, for many years, the quality of college work has been measured by eighteen somewhat arithmetical and mechanical standards, such as the number of units for admission, the number of hours for graduation, the size of the faculty, the salaries paid, the teaching load, size of classes, and the like. Many of the institutions have been very far ahead of these minimum requirements for a number of years. Some have argued that the standards ought to be raised and more severe requirements exacted of *all* the

members in the Southern Association. Others of us have felt that this would not be fair to the weaker institutions, but that at the same time some stimulus should be given to better work and higher standards.

With this end in view, last April, representatives of thirty-three outstanding universities and colleges in the South met in Atlanta and agreed tentatively to organize *The Southern University Conference*. At a recent meeting in Louisville, Kentucky, the organization was completed, constitution and by-laws were adopted, and so a new educational association has been launched.

The Conference will admit to membership only on invitation. It is expected that the number of institutions belonging to it will be strictly limited and will be composed only of the best institutions. No standards will be provided for membership, but all who come into the Conference will be expected to follow a program much in advance of what the Southern Association has heretofore required.

Only institutions that emphasize the liberal arts college work are admitted to the new organization. No professional or technical schools will be invited. Special studies will be made of methods of teaching, of requirements for the Bachelor's degree, of the desirable program for the giving of the M.A. degree, and other such questions that concern the upper classes of undergraduate work or graduate study.

The first annual meeting of the Conference, which was held in Louisville, was regarded as very significant by all who attended. Chancellor J. H. Kirkland, of Vanderbilt, spoke on: "Some Lessons from the Past." President Isaiah Bowman, of Johns Hopkins University, discussed: "Next Steps in American Education." President Trevor Arnett, of the General Education Board, read a paper on: "Progress in Southern Education as I Have Seen It and Something of the Future." Chancellor H. W. Chase, of New York University, spoke on: "Problems and Prospects in Higher Education."

It is hoped that the participation of Agnes Scott in this Conference will be a real contribution to the cause of high standards in the South.



1936 MORTAR BOARD MEMBERS

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FOUNDER'S DAY AND OUR FIFTH ALUMNAE WEEK-END



CLARA (WHIPS) DUNN, '16

"Was the Alumnae Week-End, held on Founder's Day, really any fun last February?" inquired Mrs. Busy-but-Bored Old Grad, who hated all reunions and never went to one.

"Fun? Indeed, it was fun!" positively overflowed Mrs. Wide-Awake. "Why you should have seen the crowd! It was huge! Everybody we used to know was there and nobody was in a wild rush as we always are at Commencement. And educated? My dear, I felt positively stuffed with knowledge from all the grand lectures—each one so different and every one so splendid! And could I out-talk my husband on current topics when I got home? But he didn't mind. He seemed to like it so well, that he wanted me to plan to go again this year and offered to keep Bob, Jr. all day Saturday for me."

But right that minute young Bob had plenty to say himself, "Keep me on Saturday? Not on your life! Why, I go to the Alumnae Week-End, just as Mother does. Last year Miss Wilburn took us all to the Gym and we ran races and played basketball and went to the Biology Museum. Oh, boy! Was it fun? No, sir, he can't keep me! I want to go to Agnes Scott with Mother!"

"And, my dear, lots of the girls had never ridden the elevator in Buttrick Hall or seen the swimming pool in the gymnasium or any of the many, many new things on the campus. Only, of course, it's the things we remember that mean most to us—Miss Hopkins' friendly greeting and her taking time for a real chat, Main Building, lunch all together in the Alumnae Tea Room. And besides—," Mrs. Wide-Awake continued.

"Must hurry along. So glad to have seen you," murmured Mrs. Old Grad, moving away. Was it really fun, she wondered, as she rolled her car out of the parking lot absent-mindedly, dodging three children, a messenger boy, a truck and a stray pup? The program in her morning mail told of lectures on the problems of George Washington's day and our own, of the luncheon in the college dining room, of the exhibit of colonial relics, of the lectures on modern music and art, of the program for children, of the radio broadcast in celebration of Founder's Day, of the luncheon for mothers and children in the Tea Room, of the Founder's Day banquet for alumnae and their husbands or escorts.

She mused, holding out a hand and putting on the brake, "Maybe it would be fun." "Agnes Scott," she reflected as the green light came on, "in its workaday clothes without all the hustle and bustle of Commencement time!" Any way, it was worth a trial!

In the light of the above, the Curriculum Committee takes pleasure in announcing the program as planned for the Fifth Alumnae Week-End.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1936

PRESENT-DAY TRENDS IN MUSIC AND ART

10:00-10:45—*Present-Day Trends in Music*, Dr. Malcolm Dewey of Emory University.

10:45-11:30—*Present-Day Trends in Painting*, Mrs. Harold Bush-Brown of Atlanta.

11:30-12:15—*Present-Day Trends in Architecture*, Mr. Hal Hentz of Atlanta.

(This lecture series was arranged through Miss Catherine Torrance, chairman; Miss Louise Lewis; Martha Crowe, '27.)

12:30—Luncheon for Alumnae in Rebekah Scott Dining Room.

(Eloise (Gay) Brawley, '16, Chairman of Decorations.)

(Florence (Perkins) Ferry, '26, Chairman of Reservations.)

1:30—An Exhibit of Colonial Relics in Buttrick Hall.

(Helene (Norwood) Lammers, ex-'22, Chairman.)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1936

NATIONAL PROBLEMS OF WASHINGTON'S DAY AND OUR OWN

10:00-10:45—*Social and Economic Conditions*, Dr. Arthur Raper of Agnes Scott College.

10:45-11:30—*The Constitution*, Dr. Haywood J. Pearce, Jr., of Brenau College.

11:30-12:15—*Foreign Affairs*, Dr. Fletcher M. Green of Emory University.

(This lecture series was arranged through Miss Florence Smith, chairman; Carrie Scandrett, '24; Ellen Douglas Leyburn, '27.)

10:00-12:15—Program for Children of Alumnae, presented by Llewellyn Wilburn, '19.

12:30—Luncheon for Alumnae and Children in The Anna Young Alumnae House.

(Louise Girardeau, '28, General Chairman.)

(Hilda (McConnell) Adams, '23, Chairman of Reservations.)

(Martha Crowe, '27, Chairman of Decorations.)

(Sara (Carter) Masee, '29, Chairman of Program.)

1:30—Second Day Exhibit of Colonial Relics in Buttrick Hall.

Annual Broadcast of the Founder's Radio Program over WSB.

(Janef Preston, '21; Marian Vaughan, '34; Dorothy Hutton, '29, committee.)

Annual Founder's Day Dinner for Local Alumnae, Husbands and Escorts.

(Sarah Belle (Brodnax) Hansell, '23, President of the Atlanta Club, Chairman.)

(Helene (Norwood) Lammers, ex-'22, President of the Decatur Club, Co-Chairman.)

Registration is under the direction of Katherine (Woltz) Green, '33; Publicity under Nelle Chamlee, '34; Attendance under Frances (Craighead) Dwyer, '28.

THE MAXWELL CHORISTERS

AN AGNES SCOTT GIRL'S PAYMENT OF A DEBT

EDITH (WILLIAMS) MAXWELL

(A. S. I. 1897-1899)

It may be a far cry from a vocal scholarship that was awarded to an orphan girl by the officials of Agnes Scott College to participating in the picture "It Happened One Night," which received the highest award for 1935 from the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, but that is the history in a nut shell and has really happened.

Doubtless Miss Hopkins will recall the song recital I was required to give, after my three years of instruction at Agnes Scott College, to prove my ability. I was dressed in a frock that was given me by the traveling companion of the fake Lord Beresford. But, of course, Miss Hopkins did not know about that! What she did know was that after singing the first few measures of my song, I fainted dead away and was carried off the platform. At the close of the program I returned and sang my numbers and was vociferously applauded by the student body for daring to come back and try again.

There followed many years of singing and dramatic study. Then the War came, changing the plans and programs of most of us and I went into Social Welfare Service work, serving in a secretarial capacity with the American Red Cross, Salvation Army and lastly as contact representative for the United States Government, prosecuting claims of ex-service men. You will think, "What has all that got to do with the music school that you have established?" Just this, the privileges Agnes Scott College afforded me in scholarship I held as a trust. I have never been financially able to express my gratitude by means of a donation to the College, but I knew I could do something for someone else to lighten the load of living.

I witnessed much privation and sorrow through my social service work and was convinced that while multitudinous wrongs could not be righted, still much could be alleviated through the uplift of song. But I had almost forgotten how to sing! The misery and the degradation of continued heartache of all God's children had choked the song in my throat, but the mind and heart said, "Sing!"

My husband, who had received his musical education under the leading masters of Europe, and who had been organist and choirmaster for many years in several of the Eastern parishes, felt he had been hindered by the clergy, in that they wanted only the boys and young men of their respective parishes to receive training in traditional church music. Together we resolved: why not give to all, of any creed and no creed at all, the benefits of a musical education so that song could emanate from many throats and thereby the debt I owed to Agnes Scott and the debt my husband owed to his profession would be paid?

When I look back, I am aghast at our temerity, because here we were practically stranded ourselves and thinking of such a colossal undertaking! After several months we secured a sponsor to foster the school. However, when we drew up a sketch of the certificate of scholarship to be awarded to the boys and young men who had served a probationary period and incorporated the slogan "Each for the other and all for God," our sponsor ran a pen through it and said, "That's a lot of rubbish. I don't want anything like that on the certificate." From then on he revealed more and more that he had no interest in the school other than to further his own business ends. Suffice it to say that we soon discovered ourselves with a following of some sixty boys and men and no sponsor and no studio to house them in and no equipment of any sort. We managed to hold them together and they were taught in groups in our little telescopic apartment of parlor-bedroom-kitchen and bath.

I organized the mothers into an auxiliary and we formulated plans to carry on the school by promoting social affairs. We gave dances, bridge parties, theatricals—in fact, we cajoled the devil on all sides to part with a few shekels in order to "carry on." I

have told fortunes, posing as a gypsy queen at bazaars, and engineered frolics held in a hall over a mortuary. We managed to get enough money together to rent a store and fit it up as a studio. Then we purchased a library of music and commandeered all the sewing machines the mothers owned and set to work making church vestments and concert costumes for our young choristers, who by this time had earned for themselves considerable recognition.

There was one episode that is quite outstanding in our experiences. We were being pressed for the rent and while the choristers had responded to calls for their services, singing at dedications, hospitals and benefit programs, still no one seemed to think we needed bolstering. We had come down to our last dollar. There had been times, too, when we thought that we had lost and that the big idea we had been fostering was just a fantasy. We had tramped the streets looking for other work and we questioned if we should try to save our sore feet or spend the nickel for a can of pork and beans to save our stomachs. Well, this time it was a lone dollar and the last. I truly grappled for a blessing, just as Joseph and the angel of the Bible story did. I'm not ashamed to tell you I just put the whole proposition up to God. I told Him we had asked Him to consecrate the lives of these young people and that we had subscribed our work to His glory and that if He wanted the praises sung from their throats He was able to keep them. I asked Him to bless that dollar to our needs. Not thirty minutes from that time, we had our first call to MGM studios to take part in a scene with Norma Shearer and Frederick March in "Smilin' Thru." Can you imagine the significance of that title to us and all our efforts! That was three years ago, but we are going steadily forward and more and more is the standard of our work being recognized by all the major studios.

Boys and young men, as I have said before, of any creed and no creed at all, are accepted and given an opportunity for this musical education. The groups are taken in classes of three lesson periods a week and they receive instruction in voice placement, ear training, sight reading, theory and the art of singing, free of all cost to those who qualify for such instruction. They are especially trained for the microphone. A percentage of all the money earned from their programs and moving picture work goes back to the school for its maintenance. The most pretentious piece of work they have done so far is that in the title music of "David Copperfield," when they sang to an ensemble of eighty musicians from the Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra.

Sometimes I find it is not all music here at the studio. We have had to solicit clothing and shoes for some of our people. Many nights we have improvised beds on the floor of the studio, when one or two were evicted from their homes because of failure to pay rent.

We have had glorious days, too, with the people of the "make-believe" land. Once we spent two days in the famous Busch Gardens at Pasadena, where the filming of the wedding scene of "It Happened One Night" took place. There were over three hundred and fifty extras employed for that occasion, all dressed in fashionable evening clothes. In between "shots" you could find the men's high silk hats roosting anywhere in the branches of the trees and gorgeous fur coats of the ladies strewn around on the ground. Another time during the filming of the picture "Whom the Gods Destroy," one old veteran of stage and screen, gowned in the heavy velvet trappings of a cardinal, sweating and tired after hours under the terrific heat of the kleig lights, said to me, "I'm tired of being a pope." On another occasion, when the choristers sang a vesper service at a fashionable Episcopal Church, with the understanding that the silver offering was for the benefit of our school, the minister kept the silver and gave us a personal check—which was as good as nothing because all the banks were closed by order of the President!

I could recount many interesting and amusing incidents, but I have tried the patience of you readers too much already and close by saying for a' that and a' that we have come a long pilgrimage.

ONE WAY

CHARLOTTE NEWTON, '21

Probably the greatest cause of unhappiness for the unemployed librarian is that feeling of having been put out of the game. We have with effort prepared ourselves to be of service in a profession in which we have faith, and we want to be at work in that profession. Nothing else can satisfy us. We want to be in the game.

It was this feeling that led me last summer to undertake the operation of a library in a little mountain town in North Georgia. The idea was mine, but most of the library was my sister's, for I have a sister, a teacher of English, who buys books regardless of her financial health. We decided to offer our books for rent, and to carry also a small line of gifts for sale. Our summer home is at Mountain City, so our library had to be there too, although Clayton, only three miles below, is the resort town where most summer people stay. Indeed one commercial lending library declined to lend us any of their books regretting to inform us that the location we had selected did not seem favorable. Well, what of it? We would use our own, maybe buy some new ones. We would go ahead. It was a game for us, not a business.

Then there was the matter of a location. If we were not going to make any profit, we could not really afford to pay rent. But if we were going to have a library, it had to be where people could find it. We talked to the leading citizen, an apple grower and truck farmer. The railroad station had been abandoned and he had been granted the use of the building for his trucking business. But the room which had been the colored waiting room was not used. It had a separate outside entrance and was small enough for us to fill comfortably. He would lend it to us without charge. Good! If he had that much public spirit, we would be as gallant. We would see if we could borrow books from the state library commission for free circulation among the mountain people.

The Georgia Library Commission gave us splendid cooperation. They would lend us a hundred books for three months. We had only to take care of them and pay transportation.

Lumber for the shelves was donated, and the labor to put them up. Even a lock for the door. After a thorough scrubbing, our room was cozy with fresh curtains at the windows and our packing boxes made into comfortable seats by the use of a little cotton and gay chintz. Our three hundred books filled the shelves comfortably and our pottery and weaving and prints made the room look very inviting. A neighbor supplied us with flowers all summer long, so we had the most attractive place of business in town.

"Rabun Bookshelf" opened for business on July the first. Posters in the hotels and stores announced our advent into the world, and attractive souvenir blotters distributed far and wide advertised that we had "good reading for children and for grown-ups".

There is a definite social distinction between summer people and mountain people in this little town, but that distinction did not exist in our library. Our little room often presented a strange scene—daintily dressed women from the Clayton hotels, a man thumbing through Coulter's *College Life in the Old South*, a little girl trying very hard to decide between *English Fairy Tales* and *The Irish Twins*, a boy having to be sent outside to wash his hands, and a woman with a baby on one hip and a pail of huckleberries in her hand wanting to know if we had any books like *Freckles*.

One day the daughter of the leading citizen offered to bring us some books from her home which we might place on our shelves for others to enjoy. Of course we accepted. The idea was contagious, and others brought what they had. We adopted the policy of offering to lend any rent book free to anyone who brought in a book for free circulation. This must have caused a good deal of rummaging, for we acquired thirty-five volumes, some of them very musty and ragged, and some of them hardly acceptable to a conscientious librarian.

Of course there were discouragements. People were glad enough to have books, but some were unwilling to pay anything for them. We could only pity the stinginess of a few summer people who made deposits, read free books for three or four weeks, then asked to have their quarters returned when they were ready to go home. What a contrast to the mountain woman who rented eight books from us in two months and left her deposit in our cash box to help pay transportation on books from the library commission!

Many summer people were appreciative of our books and crafts. Although there were two lending libraries in Clayton where mystery stories and very recent fiction could be had, some people drove up from there to borrow from our library. We had not limited ourselves to fiction or to very recent books. We had magazines for our readers too—some that were not sold in the community.

We soon saw that to buy more books would be impossible, if we were to make expenses. We provided ourselves with free pamphlets and did what we could. It was a joy to be able to lend a Metropolitan Life Insurance Company pamphlet on pellagra to a woman who was suffering from the disease, and one on overweight to a woman who weighed over two hundred pounds.

We found many interesting people among our hundred and seventy odd borrowers, but the most interesting to us were the children. Every Thursday afternoon we had a story hour to which came summer boys and girls and mountain children alike. There is no better game than watching children make friends with books. We asked that the father or mother of each child under twelve come to the library to register for him before we loaned him a book. All of our readers of children's books were not children, however. One day two mountain women, both recently married, visited the library. We suggested two or three love stories and stories of home life. Then one of them asked, "Have you got any fairy stories?" And these two young brides went away each with a volume of fairy tales!

We had hoped that the mountain girl helping us would carry on the little library by securing another loan of books from the commission in the fall. But though she was more than willing to give her time to it she was not ready for this responsibility. Nor could any one else be found to assume it. The teachers in the local school refused. It was a great pity, too, for several of the women had said that if only they could have a library during the long winter, they would have time to read. July and August were busy months, what with gardening and berry-picking and canning.

Rabun Bookshelf was a good game for us. We played it with all the energy that was in us and won from it a renewed faith in the power of books to enrich human life. We had the fun of bringing a library into existence and of watching people make friends with books.

Of course from a serious-minded professional point of view what we had done was almost negligible. No permanent library of any sort resulted from it. Yet the library idea had been planted in that little mountain town. We unemployed librarians can find no better game than introducing boys and girls and men and women to books, each working out the details of his plan for himself. "I hold every man a debtor to his profession." A vast amount of professional energy lies dormant in unemployment. Is this the way in which we can pay our debt?

RANDOM READING

DOROTHY HUTTON, '29

As the title implies, these are facts about Agnes Scott alumnae and their relatives gleaned from our exchange magazines and other publications. They are offered with the explanation that they might have been more comprehensive had more leisure for reading presented itself or had our acquaintance with alumnae and their connections been broader. If your name has been overlooked, although it appears in a conspicuous place in some recent publication, please forgive the omission and call it to our attention for the next issue.

In the August *Alumni Journal of Davidson College* we found a picture of R. S. Abernethy, husband of Belle Ward (Stowe) Abernethy, '30, and brother of Sally Abernethy, '28. Mention was made of his appointment as secretary to the reorganized Independence Trust Company of Charlotte, North Carolina.

To the *American Alumni Council News* of July we are indebted for mention of the campus campaign conducted so successfully at Agnes Scott last spring.

The Emory Alumnus of September-October and the same publication of November-December read much as official Agnes Scott publications, when we considered the number of alumnae and alumni we can mutually claim. A perusal of the following items will lead many of us to believe that we have undertaken our plan of proposed cooperation seriously already.

The September-October issue carried the following items of interest to Agnes Scott readers: In a picture of three National Leaders in Chi Phi we spotted Hugh Dorsey, Jr., fiance of Laura Whitner, '35, and Charles T. Winship, husband of Juliet (Crenshaw) Winship, ex-'26. Recorded were the marriages of Catherine Coates, ex-'33, to Graham Wiley George; of Ruth Liggin, '26, to Henry Franklin Trotter; of Roberta Kilpatrick, '33, to Charles A. Stubblebine; of Clara Lundie Askew, ex-'29, to Robert Earle Vogel. Mentioned were the births of Henry Johnson Miller, Jr., son of Nancy (Kamper) Miller, '33, and Henry Johnson Miller; of T. V. Morrison, Jr., son of Helen (Sisson) Morrison, '29, and Ted Morrison. Attention was called to the reorganization of the law firm of Crenshaw, Hansell, and Gunby of Atlanta, of which Granger Hansell, husband of Sarah Belle (Brodnax) Hansell, '23, is a member. Under personal items we read that Laura Belle Wilder, ex-'35, is teaching at Elmodel, Georgia; that Mary Ray Dobyns, '28, is assistant librarian at the Pickwick Landing Dam Library in Tennessee; that Dr. T. E. McGeachy, husband of Frances (Fletcher) McGeachy, ex-'30, took a course in X-ray at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston in the early summer; that Dr. C. Dixon Fowler, husband of Mary (Prim) Fowler, '29, is interning at Henrietta Egleston Memorial Hospital.

The November-December issue commented under "Emory Doctors on Top," "Dr. Hamilton G. Ansley, ex-'24, (husband of Dessie (Kuhlke) Ansley, ex-'26; son of Roba (Goss) Ansley, Institute; brother of Mary (Ansley) Howland, ex-'29) Atlanta, has been named president of the Fifth District Medical Society for 1936." Recorded are the marriages of Amelia Wolf, '33, and Dr. Benjamin J. Bond; of Nell Warren, Institute, and Dr. W. S. Elkin; of Cornelia Ledbetter, ex-'27, and William Estill Heath; of Gussie Joe Mullis, ex-'35, and Dr. Clyde Walton Whitworth. Birth announcements included Penelope Hollinshead Barnett, daughter of Penelope (Brown) Barnett, '32, and Crawford Barnett; Katherine Fletcher McGeachy, daughter of Frances (Fletcher) McGeachy, ex-'30, and English McGeachy; Robert Lewis Ware, son of Mary (McCallie) Ware, '30, and Bob Ware. The death of Mrs. John S. Candler, step-mother of Allie (Candler) Guy, '13, was reported. We read of the appointment of Wallace Alston, husband of Madelaine (Dunseith) Alston, ex-'28, as director of young people's work for the Southern Presbyterian Assembly in Richmond, Virginia. Mention was made of Harllee Branch, Jr., husband of Kitty (Hunter) Branch, '29, as an associate in the law firm of Colquitt, MacDougald, Troutman and Arkwright of Atlanta. Library Notes included Floyd Sadd-

ler, '25, as cataloguing and classifying Highland Hospital Library; Louise Bansley, '27, as cataloguing the Walker County Library in Jasper, Alabama; Ada Page Foote, special student at Agnes Scott the past two sessions, as assisting in county work in the ERA program of the Mississippi Library Commission. Appointments noted were those of Dr. Robert L. Ware, husband of Mary (McCallie) Ware, '30, to the staff of the U. S. Naval Hospital in Philadelphia; Dr. T. W. Griffin, husband of Helen (Etheredge) Griffin, '33, to the staff of the State Hospital in Chattahoochee, Florida; Reverend Cecil G. Hefner, husband of Jane Bailey (Hall) Hefner, '30, to the pastorate and Bible faculty of Western Carolina Teachers College in Cullowhee, North Carolina.

University Facts (September), publication of the University of North Carolina, printed in full a letter from George C. Worth, M.D., father of Ruth Worth, '29. Of Ruth, he wrote, "My daughter is an alumna of Agnes Scott and has her M.A. degree from the University of Virginia and has charge of my hospital laboratory." Ruth accompanied Dr. Worth to this country for a year's visit with relatives.

The frontispiece of the June *Duke Alumni Register* was entitled "They Will Be Duke Alumni in a Few Years." In the group were Ernest Ralph Paris, Jr., and Edythe Coleman Paris, son and daughter of Ralph and Edythe (Coleman) Paris, '26. Also featured was an article telling of Ralph's election to the presidency of the Atlanta Rotary Club.

Southern Telephone News for December carried two pictures of interest to Agnes Scott readers. In that of the new class at the Atlanta Business Office was Kathryn Maness, '34; and in one of the new class in the Miami Business Office was J. B. Kincaid, husband of Mary Gladys (Steffner) Kincaid, '29. Mention was made in this publication of the promotion of Martha Lou Overton, '27, from service representative to service observer in the Georgia manager's office.

Activities of the Georgia Branch of the American Association of University Women were reported in a November *News Bulletin*, with mention of many Agnes Scott alumnae participating. These included Peg (Debele) Maner, '26, Helen (Burkhalter) Quattlebaum, ex-'22, Grace Straus (former member of the Agnes Scott Mathematics Department) as representatives from Georgia at the national convention in Los Angeles in June. Miss Straus is Chairman of Program Steering for the state branch and President of the Augusta organization. Helen (Burkhalter) Quattlebaum, ex-'22, tendered an extensive report as Ex-president of the Georgia Branch. She serves this year as Chairman of the Educational Program for the state organization. Augusta (Skeen) Cooper, '17, is Vice-President and Chairman of Membership for the Atlanta Branch. In Augusta, Belle Walker, '25, is Treasurer and Lois Eve, '19, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. In Savannah, Ruth (Blue) Barnes, '14, is President; Sally Williams, '32, Vice-President and Chairman of Membership; Nell Brown, '33, is Publicity Chairman; Betty Peebles, '32, Chairman of Meetings; and Louise Falligant, Institute, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee. In Valdosta, Fredeva Ogletree, '23, is Secretary, and Margaret (Anderson) Scott, '15, Chairman of the Social Committee.



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"THEY STAND OUT"

DOROTHY HUTTON, '29

The World With A Fence is the provocative title of the second novel Marian (McCamy) Sims, '20, has written. It will be published early in February by Lippincott Publishers. *Morning Star*, Marian's first novel, received widespread favorable comment, and was finally syndicated as a serial for a newspaper publication. In the field of magazine writing, many delightful short stories have come to life under the author's facile pen. Particularly enjoyable was a story of several summers past, *Woman of Property*, in the *Saturday Evening Post*. *Liberty*, *The Pictorial Review*, *The Home*, and *McCall's* are other magazines which have accepted Marian's stories.

"For Xmas what could be more appropriate to give someone you care for (accompanied by some adroit remark!) than a book called '*Rather Personal*' (Stephen Daye Press) by Leonora Owsley Herman?" questions a clever advertisement of the second edition of this book of verse. Leonora (Owsley) Herman, Institute, has written delightfully on a number of subjects, reflecting her diversified interests and wide experiences, first as an artist and singer, and more recently as a writer of verse.

"Summary of Published Research Studies in the Field of Latin Teaching", appearing in the current November issue of *Education*, claims Lillian Thomas, '30, as its author. Lillian has studied in the graduate field at Emory University since her graduation and is at present teaching Civics and Latin in Fort Valley, Georgia. Many alumnae will remember "Vergil, the Immortal Bard", presented on May Day, 1930, and written by Lillian Thomas. We note with interest her persistent enthusiasm for the classics.

Associate Managing Editor of *Southwester*, described by itself as "A Journal for Writers, Artists, and Members of Study Groups", is the title claimed by Eleanor (Hyde) White, '23. The November, 1935, issue proved most entertaining reading. One feels throughout the publication the purpose of the magazine to be reflection of local color (Texas) and encouragement of amateurs in all fields of writing.

To Elaine Exton, ex-'31, goes credit for the compilation of "Youth, A Contemporary Bibliography". As Research Assistant in the Office of Education's Committee on Youth Problems of the United States Department of the Interior, Elaine has worked tirelessly on this publication and another, "Youth, How Can Communities Help?" The Alumnae Office at Agnes Scott is flattered and grateful that advance copies in mimeographed form were sent. The purpose of the last mentioned pamphlet is "to stimulate communities to become more active in the interest of young people who are out of school and out of work". We commend Elaine's efficient participation in this most worthwhile of movements.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Even at pain of proving boring through repetition, we feel constrained to state that the above is not an all-inclusive summary. It is merely an honest effort to commend alumnae achievement that has recently been called to the attention of the Alumnae Office.

IN MEMORIAM

Nettie Alline (Calhoun) Smith, Institute (1896-1899), died in November.

Clifford Hunter, Institute (1900-1904), died in November. Sympathy is extended to her sister, Eddie (Hunter) Pease, Institute (1906-1908).

Ella Louise Landress, ex-'24, died November 18. Sympathy is extended to her sister, Anna Marie (Landress) Cate, '21.

LaNelle (Moon) Bradford, ex-'15, died October 19, 1933.

Miss Ella Young, Principal of Agnes Scott Academy until 1913, died November 21.

ALUMNAE STUDY CLASS

DOROTHY CASSEL, '34

Since October 28th a study course in current history has been holding weekly meetings at the College every Monday night under the direction of Dr. Philip Davidson. This course is sponsored by the Atlanta Agnes Scott Business Girls' Club and the members are composed of alumnae who are interested in contemporary problems here and abroad.

Dr. Davidson has arranged a series of lectures that begin with a view of pre-war civilization—the characteristics and ideals of that era, and how they have effected and produced the problems of today. In connection with this unit of the study Dr. Arthur Raper presented a very interesting discussion on the sociological problems existing today and Dr. Florence Smith gave an instructive picture of the different governments of today and the basic problems underlying them. Both these addresses were very enlightening and prepared us for the big topic of The Solutions of the Major Problems of Today, which include Russian Communism, Italian Fascism, the New Capitalism in England, National Socialism in Germany, and the New Deal in the United States.

Upon completing the discussions of domestic problems we shall deal with foreign problems, which Dr. Davidson has divided into two sub-topics: International Organization and International Relations. The discussion of international organization will include the League of Nations, the World Court, and other agencies of international organization. With International Relations we shall begin with a survey of the international situation in 1920 and look into the Peace Movement of 1920-1929. Then the Economic Crisis in 1929 and the Flight from the League will be studied, which will bring us to the economic situations existing today in the governments throughout the world. Discussions on the rise of Japan, Austria and the problems of central Europe, foreign problems of the United States, and the Ethiopian Crisis will conclude the course.

It is a very enthusiastic group that gathers in the Y. W. C. A. room every Monday night to think over and discuss the problems of this great world. We don't try to solve any of them, but some of our members have very fine ideas that both inspire us and open to our minds new channels of thought.



INVESTITURE

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The Atlanta Agnes Scott Club co-sponsored a tea for the faculty with the Decatur Agnes Scott Club on the afternoon of November the nineteenth. Prior to the social hour a meeting was held in Buttrick Hall, with Miss Rachel Neely of Atlanta as guest speaker. Since the completion of the club project of sponsoring a series of lectures this fall, attention is now being turned to membership. Eloise (Gay) Brawley, '16, is chairman of this committee and hopes to build up a large active membership from the number of local alumnae eligible.

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The Atlanta Business Girls' Club continues its monthly dinner meetings with speakers at each. Guest speaker for the October meeting was Emma Wesley, '99, and for the November one Mrs. Alma Sydenstricker of the Bible faculty at Agnes Scott. The average attendance is around twenty-five, a consistent figure since the founding of the club in 1932.

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The Birmingham Agnes Scott Club reported a meeting on November the ninth. New officers include Lucile Woodbury, '33, as president; and Katherine Woodbury, ex-'29, as secretary.

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The Charlotte Agnes Scott Club has contributed eight dollars toward a lamp for the Alumnae House. Plans are being made now for their Founder's Day get-together. The club has been responsible for individual dues memberships and for a club subscription. The outstanding feature of the group is a remarkable attendance of out of town alumnae at their meetings. This phase of their club work is under the efficient direction of Charlotte Hunter, '29.

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The Chattanooga Agnes Scott Club sent out an informative letter this fall to prospective members, calling attention to the place of alumnae in a community and to possible contributions an organized club can make. This was accompanied by a two-page and very comprehensive questionnaire on the personal history of the alumnae and their possible participation in club ac-

tivities. The aims and purposes of the organization were specified as follows: 1. Acquaintance with and participation in the growth and development of Agnes Scott College. 2. Acquaintance with and discharge of responsibility to the College. 3. Acquaintance with and sharing of opportunities offered by Agnes Scott to the alumnae. 4. Acquaintance with others. The work under the direction of Rosemary May, '33, Anne McCallie, '31, and Marion Chapman, '30, is most commendable.

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The Decatur Agnes Scott Club is enjoying a varied program under the presidency of Helene (Norwood) Lammers, ex-'22. Other officers are: vice-president, Annie (Johnson) Sylvester, '25; secretary and treasurer, Olivia (Fewell) Taylor, Institute. The committees appointed are as follows: advisory, Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13; entertainment, Mrs. J. T. Gillespie; finance, Hallie (Smith) Walker, ex-'16, Margaret Phythian, '16; garden, Frances (Gilliland) Stukes, '24, and Mrs. R. B. Holt; publicity, Eva (Towers) Hendee, ex-'10, and Lucile Alexander, '11; telephone, Leone (Bowers) Hamilton, '26, and Gussie (O'Neal) Johnson, ex-'11. The executive board of this club meets the third Thursday in every month, followed by the regular club meeting on the last Monday. Three projects for raising money will be undertaken during the year, a luncheon, a book tea, and a benefit bridge party. In November the Decatur Club and the Atlanta Club were joint hostesses to the faculty at tea. A regular club meeting preceded the social hour, with Dr. George P. Hayes of the English Department as guest speaker.

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The Jacksonville Agnes Scott Club has registered a club membership with the Alumnae Office. A drive for membership was adopted as the most important immediate undertaking for the group. A tea for prospective students, the alumnae and the Field Alumnae Secretary is planned for April, Marjorie Simmons, ex-'35, as president, reported.



FROMINENT 1935 MEMBERS

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PERTINENT PARAGRAPHS

The Meaning of Investiture was the subject of the twenty-seventh Investiture service of Agnes Scott, held in the Chapel on November the second. Carrie Scandrett, '24, Assistant Dean and Assistant Registrar, and faculty adviser for the class of '36, spoke to the one hundred and two seniors and their families and friends. Repetition of this message over the weekly broadcast on November the sixth brought favorable comment and a request for a copy of the talk. Significant is the fact that this is the largest group in the history of the College to be invested.

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Extension of Social Privileges to students has necessitated longer hours for the Dean's Office. The staff now consists of Dean Nannette Hopkins, Assistant Dean Carrie Scandrett, '24, Secretaries to the Dean, Margaret Bell, '33, and Mary McDonald, '34.

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The Purchase of Property along the site of the South Decatur car line provides Agnes Scott with an additional five acres of land on which a lake and outdoor camp may possibly be developed. The land originally belonged to Colonel George Washington Scott who bought it at the time of the founding of the College to provide for the protection and expansion of Agnes Scott.

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Bryn Mawr and Rollins Colleges, celebrating their fiftieth anniversaries in November, requested the attendance of representatives from Agnes Scott. Nina Parke, '35, attended the former and Lucile (Smith) Bishop, '21, the latter.

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Open House for the College Community was observed by the Physical Education Department on November the first in celebration of the tenth anniversary of the building of Bucher Scott Gymnasium. A well-planned program illustrated the diversity of sports now offered by this department.

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Mobilization for Peace, adopted as a nation-wide faculty-student movement this session, has had its place on the Agnes Scott campus. Chapel on November the twelfth was set aside for this program which will be followed through in subsequent programs of the Student Government Association, the Y. W. C. A., the Current History Forum, Pi Alpha Phi and the Agonistic.

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The Silhouette for 1934-1935 was awarded first-class rating for colleges of five hundred students or less for the fourth

consecutive year by the National Scholastic Press Association. The editor was Caroline Long and the business manager Betty Lou Houck. In recognition of these successive honors, a cup was presented the Silhouette for its permanent possession.

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Dr. Charles A. Logan, father of Josephine (Logan) Hamilton, '23, Mary Nelson (Logan) Brown, '29, and Martha (Logan) Henderson, '32, former member of the Agnes Scott Bible Department, visited on the campus early in November and addressed the student body at that time.

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Two Additional Musical Compositions of Professor Christian Dieckmann (husband of Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13) have been accepted for publication. Benedictus es Domine is to be published by the H. W. Gray Company of New York. This may be used in the Episcopal service in place of the Te Deum. Blest Are the Pure in Heart, an anthem with a soprano solo, will be published by the Theodore Presser Company of Philadelphia.

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Mortar Board Recognition Service of November the sixteenth brought to the campus Elinor (Hamilton) Hightower, '34, of Thomasville, Georgia, former Field Alumnae Secretary. Her talk defined the Mortar Board interpretation of service and emphasized its fulfillment through the program of the Agnes Scott chapter.

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The Class of 1936 voted to wear caps and gowns to classes every Saturday. This academic regalia makes the seniors more conspicuous and therefore more easily identified by lower classmen.

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Martha Elliott, '34, will represent Agnes Scott College at the annual convention of the Federation d'Alliances Francaises aux Etats-Unis et au Canada—in New York City in April. Martha, as the former president of the Agnes Scott Cercle Francais, is the official representative of this campus group.

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Keen Interest in the proposed project of the development in Atlanta of an educational center was expressed by the General Education Board, the Carnegie Corporation, the Commonwealth Fund and Harkness officials in November when President J. R. McCain of Agnes Scott and President Harvey Cox of Emory presented their plan to them in New York.

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High School Seniors from North Avenue Presbyterian School, Washington Seminary and Druid Hills High School have been en-

tertained on the campus this fall, in an effort to interest them in Agnes Scott. The programs planned included some phase of student activity of peculiar interest to high school students.

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The Class of '35 Reunion Dinner at the Tavern Tea Room in Atlanta on November the thirtieth was attended by the following: Elizabeth Alexander, Frances Espy, Katherine Hertzka, Clara Morrison, Ida Lois McDaniel, Virginia Wood, Elizabeth Young, Mary Adams, Vella Marie Behm, Mary Green, Carol Griffin, Elizabeth Heaton, Caroline Long, Marguerite Morris, Martha Redwine, Marie Simpson, Elizabeth Thrasher, Amy (Underwood) Trowell, Hester Anne Withers, Alsine Shutze.

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President McCain and Registrar Stukes attended the fortieth annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the first annual meeting of the Southern University Conference in Louisville, Kentucky, in early December. Dr. McCain, as chairman of the committee investigating political control of the state educational institutions of Louisiana, made his report at the former meeting.

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The Granddaughters entertained escorts at a formal dinner on December the fifth in the Alumnae House. About thirty-six guests were present for the occasion.

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Day Students and Their Parents were honor guests at a tea given by the local chapter of Mortar Board on December the seventh in the reception rooms of Main. This social function is part of a program undertaken in recent years to make the day students feel more of a real part of the College.

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Class Secretaries are the backbone of any Alumnae Association. Their work is untiring and their pay poor, when you, gentle readers, take to heart the number of times you ignore their frantic appeals for news. On this subject Mr. John R. Burleigh of Dartmouth writes, "Dartmouth has discovered that class organization has more emotional appeal to alumni than a regional organization. The class secretary and class agent are considered the most important officers in the class after graduation. They must fire the imaginations of their classmates and make real to them the indubitable fact that the Dartmouth alumni are the living endowment of the College." For their cooperation and loyalty to the Agnes Scott Alumnae Association the editor feels

constrained to invoke the blessing of Tiny Tim, "God bless us every one!"

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A Fellowship for Women Graduates who show promise of usefulness in the public service was established in May of 1934 by the Women's Organization for National Prohibition Reform. \$1,300 is offered for a year of graduate study at an approved college or university in one or more of the related fields of History, Economics, Government, and Social Science. The award is made by the Faculty of Barnard College, not later than May the first. Qualifications are that a candidate must: be a citizen of the United States; have received the Bachelor's degree not earlier than June of 1930; have shown special ability in the field of political science; show promise of future usefulness in the public service; be of good moral character and have suitable personal qualities. For further details address the Alumnae Office at Agnes Scott or write to Professor Eugene H. Byrne of Barnard, chairman of this committee.

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The Lecture Association will bring to the campus on February the sixth the well-known author, Thornton Wilder. This is the second of the speakers appearing on the lecture program this session. Robert Frost, probably America's foremost poet today, lectured to the college audience on November the seventh and has more recently expressed a desire to return to Agnes Scott in March or April for individual conferences and talks with students.

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Former Agnes Scott Professor Joseph McLean has recently been honored by *Etude*, music magazine. A portrait of him and commendation of his fine work appeared in a recent issue.

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An Agnes Scott Reunion of Note was that which took place at the time of Belle Ward (Stowe) Abernethy's wedding in October. Those present were Callie Nash, '30, Virge Shaffner, '30, Lynn Moore, '30, Mary Cope, '30, Zou (Woolford) Raine, '30, Sara (Townsend) Pittman, '30, Rae Wilson, '30, and Sallie Peake, '30. The latter informed the editor, "I don't hesitate to say that a marvelous time was had by all."

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It's Not Always the Printer! The boner of reporting Martha Fite, '38, as the daughter of Cassie Verna (Hunter) Fite, Academy, was purely the Alumnae Secretary's. We are grateful to Lucy (Johnson) Ozmer, ex-'10, for calling this to our attention. The young lady is the daughter of Ethyl (Flemister) Fite, ex-'06, of Dalton, Georgia.

One Way by Charlotte Newton, '21, is printed here through the courtesy of *The Library Journal*. This is a brief of the original appearing in the January 1, 1935 issue of this publication. We regret that this could not be published in full, for many delightful incidents were omitted, and that it could not be published earlier. However, this story of achievement in the summer of 1934 has a wide appeal for all time, the editor feels. The author has been employed on the staff of the University of Georgia Library since September of 1934.

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The Outstanding Work of Edith (Williams) Maxwell and her husband in training boys and young men as choristers was recently called to the attention of the editor through Mrs. Maxwell's letter to Dean Nannette Hopkins. A request for a story for the *Quarterly* brought the thrilling account in this issue. A list of the motion pictures for which this group has provided the musical background includes the following: "Smilin' Thru," "Tess of the Storm Country," "The Power and the Glory," "It Happened One Night," "Whom the Gods Destroy," "Peck's Bad Boy," "The President Vanishes," "David Copperfield," "Sylvia Scarlet," "Kind Lady," "A Tale of Two Cities," "The Bishop Behaves," "Mutiny on the Bounty." A note to Mrs. Philip Maxwell, 244 North Western Avenue, Los Angeles, California, expressing the appreciation of *Quarterly* readers, would be most appropriate.

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Members of **Mortar Board** elected from the class of 1936 are from left to right: Ann Coffee, Frances James, Dean McKoin, Adelaide Stevens, Lulu Ames, Loice Richards, Sarah Spencer, Carrie Phinney Lattimer, Ruby Hutton, Shirley Christian. Not in the picture is Augusta King.

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Snapped Off Duty are Frances Steele, Mary Gillespie, Lucille Cairns (daughter of Lucile Colclough, Institute), and Eloisa Alexander (niece of Lucile Alexander, '11, and Ethel Alexander, '00, sister of Elizabeth Alexander, '35, and cousin of Eloise Gaines, '28). Mary Gillespie works in the administrative offices of the College, the other three in the Alumnae Office.

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Prominent 1935 Members are Caroline Long, whose marriage to Gaither Sanford is reported this issue; Mary Green, class secretary for 1935; Alberta Palmour (daughter of Mary Crenshaw, Institute), life president for 1935; and Betty Lou Houck with her new husband, Bealy Smith, whose wedding in November is recorded on page 38 of this *Quarterly*.

The Liberal Arts College, as exemplified by Agnes Scott, will be the unified theme of the weekly Agnes Scott College radio broadcasts (WSB each Wednesday from five to five-fifteen, Central Standard Time) for the next five months. The angle seen by the trustees will be discussed in January, that by the College authorities in February, by the faculty in March, by the alumnae in April, and by the students in May. Listen in!

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Wednesday Nights continue to be formal dinner occasions for the boarders. The matter was discussed at length in early December, when the majority vote was in favor of preservation of this custom which has been established within the last three years. Dinner is followed by after-dinner coffee in the Main Building, with campus organizations acting as hostesses for the occasion.

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Alberta Palmour, '35, Field Alumnae Secretary, wishes to take this opportunity to express to alumnae her appreciation of their wholehearted cooperation in helping make contact with high school students. Alberta, accompanied by Jacqueline Woolfolk, '35, traveled extensively through the months of November and December throughout the southwest, with Texas as their ultimate goal. Their visits with alumnae were reported as delightful occasions.

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An Award of \$25 will be made to the Agnes Scott College student who collects between now and May 1, 1936, the most discriminate selection of books. No collection of fewer than fifteen books will be considered; there are no restrictions as to the type. Each collection will be judged by the number and quality of books and by the owner's understanding of their contents. This award is known as the Richard du Bury Book Award and is made through a specially selected committee.

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One Method of determining the value of education is that of measuring the growth of tolerance. If, to any individual, education has meant merely the acquiring of evidence in support of his own biased ideas and the ignoring of all evidence that might disprove the idea, to that individual education has been of no value. Rather, it has been harmful . . . for his mind is completely cluttered with preconceived notions that have crystalized into unwarranted dogmas. We quote *The Minnesota Daily* as reported in the Ginn and Company publication, "What The Colleges Are Doing."



LET'S GO ABROAD THIS SUMMER

It's time to take that grand vacation which you have deferred, perhaps, for five lean years. Sail with us June 17 on the Berengaria for a two months tour of France, Italy, Switzerland, Germany, Belgium, Holland, England, and Scotland with a small group of congenial travelers under the direction of Leslie J. Gaylord and Carrie Scandett. Every detail of the trip has been planned to assure a maximum of comfort, pleasure, and profit at a minimum of expense. May we send you a descriptive itinerary and detailed information?

LESLIE J. GAYLORD
CARRIE SCANDRETT
Agnes Scott College
Decatur, Georgia.





ALUMNAE HOUSE AND GARDEN AS SEEN FROM INMAN

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MAY DAY
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"Peter Pan" with Laura Whitner
as Queen.

MAY DAY

ELOISA ALEXANDER, '37

During the past ten years the May Day Dell has been the spot to which many alumnae, students, and friends of Agnes Scott have come on the first Saturday afternoon in May. Many of us remember the time when a miscellaneous assortment of cushions scattered on the bank in front of Inman served as seats for the spectators, for during a period of many years May Day was held on the front campus. Often the music was drowned out, and the dancers thrown into confusion by the terrific noise of the afternoon train. Such interruptions are now a thing of the past; for, although the May Day Dell is very close to the buildings on the campus, it is a place of quiet and beauty.

In 1931 Mary Catherine Williamson's scenario transformed the dell into an "Auburn Dell." "Spring in Many Lands" written by Gilchrist Powell was presented the next year. Elaine Heckle and Gilchrist Powell wrote "The Dance of the Hours" to be presented the succeeding year. "La Fete du Mai" by Mary Boggs and Anna Humber followed in 1934. Many alumnae remember the charm with which Peter Pan, Wendy, Michael and John, and the Lost Boys danced last year in the adaptation of Barrie's "Peter Pan" made by Alice Chamlee and Jane Blick.

This year a cordial welcome awaits the alumnae on May second when "Down an English Lane" by Charline Fleece and Anne Thompson and directed by Eugenie Dozier, '27, will be presented. The dell will this year be transformed into a gypsy camp which has been set up in a quiet English lane on the outskirts of a charming Eighteenth Century village. Drawn by curiosity to the gypsy camp, come village girls carrying hats filled with flowers, and five young ladies desirous of having their fortunes told by the old gypsy crone. Perhaps more than curiosity has drawn a band of dashing red coats to the camp. Already rumors of a beautiful gypsy girl have slipped out. To tell you what devastating effects her charm wrought in the ranks of his majesty's army would be telling too much. Just come and see for yourself.

This year the queen and her court will enter first, and in their honor "Down an English Lane" will be presented. Naomi Cooper of Columbus, Ga., is to be the May Queen and Virginia Turner of Summerville, Ga., will be her maid-of-honor. The ladies of the court include Margaret Cooper of State Park, S. C., Rosa Miller of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Lavinia Scott of Milledgeville, Ga., Eloisa Alexander, Lucile Dennison, and Mary Malone of Atlanta, Nancy Moorer of Walterboro, S. C., Jean Barry Adams and Anne Purnell of Charlotte, N. C., Kay Ricks of Jackson, Miss., Aileen Shortley of Columbia, Tenn., and Kay Toole of Hegins, Pa.

Before them will dance Helen Ford as the gypsy girl, Charline Fleece as the gypsy boy, and Marie Stalker as the English boy. One of the loveliest dances is that of the Spirit of the Forest, who will be Lois Hart. Much interest centers about the Old Crone who will be Mary Frances Guthrie. Jane Blick, a jolly tinker, and Ad Stevens, his gawky apprentice, furnish an element of comedy. A group of small children who have appeared in past years as toad frogs and bunnies will be given new roles this year.

In talking to Dr. McCain about May Day he brought up the question of making some changes in the dell because of the sun which shines directly on the court and the dancers. He suggested as a possibility turning the dell partly around thereby making the south side the back of the dell. This arrangement would, of course, do away with the problem of the sun on the participants, and would effect only the few spectators who would occupy the extreme seats on the western end of the rows. There is, however, something to be said in favor of maintaining the dell as it is. Many people have commented on the beautiful effect which the late afternoon sun makes on the dancers. Seating the court at the side rather than at the back of the dell will take care of one part of the problem. Since none of the dancers is directly in the path of the sun for any length of time, it seems that the present exposure of the dell does not have as many drawbacks as would appear on the surface.

WITH OUR ALUMNAE WRITERS

DOROTHY HUTTON, '29

ARTHURIAN LEGEND IN THE SEVENTEENTH CENTURY, published by the Johns Hopkins Press, was written by Roberta Florence Brinkley, '14, Associate Professor of English at Goucher College. Its value is clearly expressed by the publisher: "The investigation of seventeenth century histories, many of which are somewhat rare or difficult to secure, makes this book of value to those interested in history as well as to those interested in literature. To scholars in the Arthurian field the account of these, as well as the discussion of out-of-the-way literary sources, should prove useful." In the Preface, the author expresses "appreciation of the Henry E. Johnston Scholarship in the Johns Hopkins University, 1929-1930, which made possible this study. I also acknowledge with thanks my indebtedness to the many friends in the John Hopkins University and elsewhere who have had a share in this investigation." In excellent taste, in keeping with its title, is the red jacket and coat of arms in gilt.

BOOTSTRAPS FOR YOUTH, an article appearing in the January, 1936 issue of *School Life*, comes from the pen of Elaine Exton, ex-'31, Research Assistant in the Office of Education's Committee on Youth Problems. *Youth, How Communities Can Help*, has been issued in attractive form as Bulletin 18-1 by the Department of the Interior. It is recommended for people interested in recreational programs for unemployed boys and girls and should prove of value to those employed for the direction of such programs.

BRIDAL CHORUS, with Longmans, Green and Company as publishers, is a hilarious comedy of incidents in connection with a southern wedding. Its author, Roberta Winter, '27, displays here her experience as an amateur actor, as a director of dramatics and as a student of play-writing. The plot is well-knit and moves forward easily through the humorous dialogue which might at the hands of one less skilled prove a deterring rather than a complimenting factor. In the 1935 catalogue of Longmans, Green and Company *Bridal Chorus* had a number one position, not from alphabetical classification but from a standpoint of merit. Presented by Blackfriars on March the twenty-first, for the specific enjoyment of juniors and their escorts at Mortar Board's banquet for juniors, the play was most enthusiastically received.

CHAUCER has been the subject of a study made by Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13, and accepted by Johns Hopkins' publication, *Modern Language Notes*, the quarterly of the English Department of the University. This article developed from graduate study at Emory University with Dr. Steadman of the English faculty. It is recommended to students and alumnae because of the perennial appeal of the subject itself and the nice style of the writer.

CONGO CROSSES, is "A Study of Congo Womanhood," published by the Central Committee of the United Study of Foreign Missions, written by Julia Lake (Skinner) Kellersberger, '19, in collaboration with her husband, Dr. Eugene Kellersberger, medical missionary to Africa. "To the memory of Mrs. Thomas J. Comber, who died August 24, 1879, the first white woman to give her life for the women of Central Africa; and to the many other women pioneers who have followed in her train this mission study book about their Congo sisters is reverently dedicated." Its six chapters deal with the crosses of the Sky, Land, Back, Heart, Road and Calvary. The author's style is fresh, vigorous and colorful. With the eyes of the world focused on Africa and the black man's problems in the present crisis, the reader finds understanding of the race through much of concrete value in this book.

EXTRACTS FROM HOME LETTERS is an attractive pamphlet gotten out by Dr. Mary Ann McKinney, '25, medical missionary to India. These were written in the summer of 1934 during language study and vacation in Kashmir. Like *Congo Crosses*, it gives one the feeling of the many responsibilities and duties that fall to the lot of the missionary and an appreciation of the customs and superstitions of the country from which they are written.

SINGING MISSISSIPPI is the title given to a book of poems edited by Alice Mayes Virden, '23, Corresponding Secretary of the Mississippi Poetry Society. The illustrations are by two other members, and the publisher is also a member of this society. The book appeared late in December, 1935. It is quite attractive in its blue cover with silver lettering. Among the eighty-five contributors are eight of the college student group and six juniors, the ages of the latter ranging from four to fourteen years. It is of interest to Agnes Scott that the names of Sarah (Till) Davis, '22, Annie Peyton Stinson, ex-'24, and Alice Mayes Virden, '23, are listed, each contributing a poem to the collection. The poems might be grouped as follows: dialect, sonnets, lyrics, blank verse and "just poems" (an amateur arrangement, but rather inclusive!). "A Spiritual—Don't Want No Place for De Debil to Hide" is typical. "Invocation" by William Alexander Percy and "Early Spring" by Anne Mims Wright, late Vice-President of the Society and outstanding in genealogical work in the state, are exquisite sonnets. A poem of delicate beauty is entitled "Blue," written by Elizabeth Newman, who has been for many years a member of the faculty of Belhaven College, Jackson, Mississippi. Perhaps one of the most charming bits of verse is a poem by Archibald Roane Winter, four-year-old son of Anne Elise Roane Winter, President of the Society. Let's read it together:

LOOKING FORWARD

If I have some cunning babies,
I will be their father.
If I could, I would much rather
Be their mother;
But no other
Children have a man for mother.
I have noticed, all are ladies!

The book closes with the following poem by Anne Elise Roane Winter:

FINIS

Thus we have spun the stuff of our dreams in secret.
These are our heart's best; these have our fingers wrought
For we are those who spin and weave
Gossamer, gold and rose or gray;
Twisting the fibers of our hearts,
Dipped in delight or sad dismay
Into a pattern, drab or gay;
Fashioning threads that our souls have twirled
In a shawl of song for a weary world;
Weaving, from iris dreams of youth,
Bright heraldry to blazon truth.

Much credit is due Alice Mayes Virden, '23, for her initiative and persistence in collecting the material and in getting it published. (This review was submitted by Annie Tait Jenkins, '14.)

THE WORLD WITH A FENCE (J. B. Lippincott and Co., 1936), by Marian (McCamy) Sims, '20, was predicted in the January issue of the *Quarterly*. The reader finds here a more sophisticated treatment of character and plot than in the author's first novel, *Morning Star*. Of her publication the author says, "It's more ambitious than the first one and I am therefore awaiting the public verdict with a great deal of trepidation. So far the returns have been rather encouraging, but that may mean anything or nothing." On December twenty-second the Charlotte Observer printed the following: "This book was really written on a wager," the author confesses. "While in New York early in the year I told my publisher I wanted to write a story of a Georgia school teacher. "That sounds very dreary," he replied. "You'd be surprised," I answered. And he was. When I went back again and took several thousand words

to him he was not only surprised, but well pleased. I had convinced him that unusual and extraordinary characters could be found among the school teachers of little towns, where life is expected to be more or less dull—where a sameness exists day after day and little of interest ever happens. His only criticism was that he wished I had left her in the little Georgia town. (In the course of the story the heroine moves to Atlanta to work with an advertising agency.) And yet another critic thought the first half of the book trailed far behind the last half. This school teacher is not a real person, but is purely imaginary, although she may have characteristics of people I have known. Readers often think they recognize persons in books, particularly if they happen to know the author. I do not think writers ever closely follow real people, but the real and the fictitious are often so familiar, it is easy for one to believe he can recognize some especial person the author has in mind. The title of the book is based on the well-known expression.’”

UNTO THE LEAST OF THESE is the title of a story written for the screen by Edith (Williams) Maxwell, Institute, whose work with the Maxwell Choristers was recorded in the January issue of our publication and which has excited much favorable comment among our readers. The author writes, “Built around the Choristers, many of the incidents have been taken from actual experience. I believe this story will go over and the message which I have incorporated in the story, that it is the responsibility of us all to foster the God-reflection and expression in every child, will be accepted and our Choristers featured in a very unusual picture.”

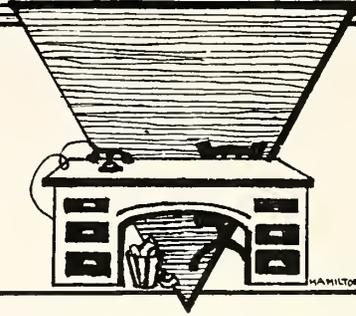
REUNION

HELEN (FRIEDMAN) BLACKSHEAR, '31

(Reprinted from the June, 1935 *Good Housekeeping*)

Go back? To what reunion would I go
 When I have with me all that I hold dear
 Of college days? The slow growth of each year
 Is part of me: the blue, soft glow
 Of lamps on misty nights, the rich, low
 Chords of benediction . . . they are near
 Me often. And my friends, I still can hear
 Their voices, feel their hands, and see them. Oh,
 How could you think to see them now would bring
 Them closer, or can ever bring again
 Those long, long talks, that trembling joy in spring,
 The bitter hurt, the tramping in the rain,
 World-saving visions? None of these remain.
 There's no reunion but remembering.

THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE



UNIVERSITY CENTER PROGRESS

PRESIDENT J. R. McCAIN

The plan to establish a high class university center in Atlanta has attracted widespread interest. Wherever educators gather in any part of the country, inquiries are almost sure to develop as to what we are intending to do and as to how much progress is being made. As the program will probably be worked out more nearly in fifty years than in five, and as plans may be changed from time to time, it is impossible to be specific about details. Enough has already been accomplished, however, to make us feel that the idea is fundamentally sound.

There are a few points which are basic and clearly understood. There is no thought of merging institutions. Each college or university cooperating will retain its distinct identity. There is to be no uniting of endowments or plants. Agnes Scott has no intention of adding graduate or professional work, but plans to continue as an undergraduate college. The best term for describing what we are trying to do is "cooperation" rather than "coordination."

In order to facilitate better cooperation, Agnes Scott and Emory have synchronized the calendars of the two schools as to opening, closing, examinations, vacation dates, and the like. Agnes Scott has also adopted the "quarter" system, to be effective next September. We would not have made any of these changes except for the fact that we believe a more effective educational program can be worked out in the community.

Emory has agreed in principle that it will gradually cease taking women for undergraduate work except such as may be registered at Agnes Scott. This policy is not to be immediately pressed, but is to be gradually arranged.

All summer school work will be done at Emory; but, as arranged last year, students from Agnes Scott are registered as Agnes Scott students and not Emory students. They do not have to pay the Emory matriculation fee, but simply the ordinary tuition. The grades are not entered on the Emory books, but are transmitted directly to our own registrar. In view of this cooperation, Agnes Scott does not require from Emory higher grades on summer work than during the regular session. This is our regular requirement for all other summer schools.

It is planned to have a joint catalogue of the Emory and Agnes Scott libraries so that there may be a great deal of flexibility in the use of books and in the purchases which are made by one institution or another. In the building of our new library building, due regard was taken to the plan that will provide for only undergraduate training, but that we will wish unusual facilities for card catalogues and for various types of undergraduate teaching and study.

Joint faculty committees for Emory and Agnes Scott have worked out numerous ways in which the different departments on the two campuses may cooperate for mutual advantage. After very careful consideration, indeed, both faculty groups and trustees are agreed that the most important thing just now is to make an effort for giving the

Ph.D. degree in the Emory Graduate School. Considering the joint resources of Agnes Scott and Emory, it is thought that four departments are very nearly ready for the beginning of this work for the doctorate. The departments which seem most nearly ready are English, history, biology, and chemistry.

It is tentatively agreed by the trustees that Emory should put on a campaign this year, which is its centennial year, for enough money to equip and endow these departments so as to begin the higher level of graduate work at as early a date as possible. Agnes Scott will endorse and encourage the campaign, but it will not participate in the funds that are raised at this time.

In order for the whole program to be worked out satisfactorily, Agnes Scott ought to increase definitely the quality of its under-graduate work and ought to have an additional building. It is quite necessary also that higher salaries be paid to our teachers. All of these matters must have attention in due time, but for the present we are not pressing our part of the program.

Numerous conferences with Georgia School of Technology and with the University of Georgia at Athens indicate that we may be able to work out for the state and for the South a much more impressive and helpful University Center than would be possible with only Agnes Scott and Emory. Here again, the progress must necessarily be slow; but there is a fine spirit of cooperation between all the leaders involved; and we believe that real progress is being made.

COMMENDABLE GRADUATE STUDENTS FROM 1935



MARY BOGGS
(See Page 21)



MARY VIRGINIA ALLEN
(See Page 22)

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION

Printed at the request of the Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws. Alumnae help is solicited in submitting suggestions for its revision before Commencement. Mail these to the Alumnae Office or to Patricia Collins, 2111 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

Section 1. Name: The name of this Association shall be the Alumnae Association of Agnes Scott College.

Section 2. Purpose: The purpose of the Association is to promote the welfare of the College and its alumnae by increasing the interest of its members in the College and in each other.

ARTICLE II. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Classes of Members: There shall be two classes of members,—active and associate.

Section 2. Active Members: Any one on whom Agnes Scott College has conferred a degree or who was graduated from Agnes Scott Institute may become an active member of the Association upon application to the Secretary and payment of the annual dues in advance as hereinafter provided. (Note: This clause does not apply to those admitted to active membership before May, 1920.)

Section 3. Associate Members: Any one who has been a student in Agnes Scott College, Institute or Academy may become an associate member of the Association upon application to the Secretary and payment of the annual dues in advance, as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. Powers of Members: Only active members of the Association who are graduates of not less than one year's standing shall hold office.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS AND STANDING COMMITTEES

Section 1. Officers: The officers shall consist of president, two vice-presidents, secretary and treasurer.

Section 2. Standing Committees: The standing committees shall consist of those hereinafter named in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE IV. ALUMNAE COUNCIL

Section 1. Council: There shall be an Alumnae Council composed of representatives of alumnae, college faculty, and student body, as hereinafter provided in the By-Laws.

ARTICLE V. LOCAL BRANCHES

Section 1. Branches: An Agnes Scott College club, with a purpose similar to that of this Association, may become a branch of the Association, by organizing according to rules hereinafter provided by the By-Laws, and by voting to become a branch and notifying the Secretary of the Association of said vote.

ARTICLE VI. AMENDMENT

Section 1. Amendment: Amendment to the constitution shall require two-thirds of the votes cast, and may be made at any meeting, (provided notice of each proposed amendment has been sent to each member of the Association.—This clause deleted May, 1935.) when the required quorum is present.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I. MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. Membership: An alumna is considered a member of the Association only when and so long as she pays her annual dues. Any member who fails to pay her dues shall receive the literature of the Association for one year thereafter, but she shall be entitled to vote and to the other privileges of the Association *only* for the current year for which she has paid dues. Any member may be restored to active membership in the Association upon payment of dues for the current year.

ARTICLE II. DUES

Section 1. Dues: Active and associate membership dues: The annual dues of active

and associate members shall be two dollars payable September the first of each year. The dues for each senior class for the year following graduation shall be one dollar and fifty cents, provided payment is made within six months after graduation.

Section 2. Life Memberships: Any member of the Association may become a member for life upon payment of fifty dollars.

ARTICLE III. MEETINGS

Section 1. Annual meeting: The annual meeting of the Association shall be held during Commencement week at such time and place as the Executive Committee shall appoint. Notice of said meeting shall be mailed to each member of the Association at her known address not less than one month in advance.

Section 2. Special meetings: Special meetings may be called by the Executive Committee or by written request, signed by ten members and filed with the Secretary of the Association. Notice of special meetings shall be mailed to each member of the Association not less than two weeks in advance.

Section 3. Quorum: The members present shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

Section 1. Term of Office: All officers and chairmen of standing committees shall be elected for a term of two years as hereinafter provided in Article V.

Section 2. Executive Committee: The Executive Committee shall consist of the officers of the Association, chairmen of the standing committees, the out-going president, and the presidents of the local clubs, to-wit: the presidents of the Atlanta Agnes Scott Club, the Decatur Agnes Scott Club, and the Atlanta Business Girls' Club.

Section 3. Standing committees: The following committees shall be standing committees, all of which shall present written reports at the annual meeting: (a) Finance, (b) Publicity, (c) Curriculum, (d) Entertainment, (e) Preparatory Schools, (f) Local Clubs, (g) House and Tea Room, (h) Beautifying Buildings and Grounds, (i) Student Loan, (j) Constitution and By-Laws, (k) House Decorations.

Section 4. Committee Members: All members of committees must be members of the Association. One member of the out-going committee, preferably its chairman, shall serve as a member of the new committee.

Section 5. Duties of Officers and Committees: The duties of the officers and committees shall be those commonly pertaining to their office.

a. *President:* The President shall be member ex-officio of all committees. She shall visit the College at least once a year and shall present the work and purpose of the Association to the senior class.

b. *Recording Secretary:* The Recording Secretary shall take all minutes of regular and called meetings of the Executive Committee, the Council, and the Association. These minutes shall be put in permanent form and kept on file in the Association's office.

c. *Treasurer:* The Treasurer shall receive funds of the Association and shall disburse same only upon order of the Executive Committee. She shall present a complete written report at the annual meeting. Her accounts shall be audited annually, by an auditor selected by the Executive Committee. The budget of the Association shall carry an appropriation for this expense.

d. *The Executive Committee:* The Executive Committee shall appoint a general secretary and a tea room manager. The salary of the General Secretary shall be fixed by the Executive Committee to whom she shall be responsible. The salary of the Tea Room Manager shall be determined as the Executive Committee shall authorize, depending upon the contract entered into between the tea room manager and the Association. It shall be the duty of this committee in the interim of the annual meetings to transact all business of the Association, not intrusted to the officers and standing committees, to fill vacancies, and make all arrangements for the annual meeting of the Association. The Executive Committee shall hold three meetings yearly, the first to take place as

soon after the opening of the College as possible and the second and third in the winter and spring.

e. The General Secretary: The General Secretary shall devote her entire working time to the duties of her office. She shall maintain an office as a business center for the work of the Association, where lists of alumnae, index files, and all records of the Association shall be kept. She shall attend all meetings of the Executive Committee and Alumnae Council and shall be ex-officio member of the Entertainment and House and Tea Room committees. She shall assist other committees in their work whenever called upon, and shall perform such other duties as the Executive Committee shall prescribe.

f. The Finance Committee: The Finance Committee shall consist of three members, the President, the Treasurer and one other member appointed by the President from the Executive Committee. This committee shall prepare an annual budget which, when approved by the Executive Committee, shall be submitted to the annual meeting of the Association for adoption.

g. The Publicity Committee: The Publicity Committee shall consist of three members and shall be responsible for presenting the Association and its work to the public in such a manner as is consistent with the purpose and character of the Association.

h. The Preparatory Schools Committee: The Preparatory Schools Committee shall consist of five members and shall present the advantages of Agnes Scott College to the students of accredited preparatory schools, by methods approved by the Executive Committee. (1) The Field Secretary appointed by the College shall be ex-officio chairman of this committee, this section to become void in the event of the discontinuance by the College of the practice of appointing a Field Alumnae Secretary. (2) The restriction set out in Article II., Section 4, of the Constitution shall have no application to this ex-officio member.

i. The Curriculum Committee: The Curriculum Committee shall consist of three members and shall keep informed as to the curriculum offered by the College and changes or advancement therein. This committee shall also keep informed as to the curriculum of other standard colleges and the progress of education for women. Whenever deemed advisable, this committee shall present to the Association recommendations regarding the curriculum of the College.

j. Local Clubs: The Committee on Local Clubs shall consist of five or more members and shall organize branches whenever they are desired, and confer with each branch regarding activities. A written report from each branch shall be incorporated in the annual report of this committee.

k. The Entertainment Committee: The Entertainment Committee shall consist of three or more members; the General Secretary and the Manager of the Tea Room shall be members ex-officio of this committee. It shall be the duty of this committee to prepare invitation lists, to plan and supervise all entertainments given by the Alumnae Association.

l. The House and Tea Room Committee: The House and Tea Room Committee shall have charge of maintaining and operating the Anna Young Alumnae House and the Silhouette Tea Room (*except in the matter of redecoration, which shall be the specific duty of the House Decorations Committee*), subject to the approval of the Executive Committee. This committee shall consist of three or more members with the General Secretary as ex-officio member. It shall be the duty of this committee to submit a list of the candidates for Manager of the Tea Room to the Executive Committee. The Committee shall meet at least once every six weeks, the Manager being invited by the chairman to attend at least two of these meetings. Minutes shall be kept of all meetings, and these together with a list of rules and regulations must be kept on file in the Secretary's office for reference. The President of Student Government shall be asked to appoint one student from the day students and one from the boarding students who, at the invitation of the chairman, shall confer with this committee at least twice a year.

m. The Committee on Beautifying Grounds and Buildings: The Committee on Beautifying Grounds and Buildings shall consist of three or more members and shall cooperate with the administration of the College in beautifying the grounds, in increasing the attractiveness of the buildings, and in every way cultivating an appreciation of the beautiful.

n. The Student Loan Committee: The Student Loan Committee shall consist of three or more members, and shall control the distribution and collection of all loans. This committee shall confer with the President of the College in regard to all applicants for loans. The notes for loans shall be signed by the borrower, and no interest is to be charged until the borrower is out of College three years, after which time the notes shall bear interest at the legal rate. No loans shall be made to any student below the junior class except upon the express recommendation of the President of the College.

o. The Committee on Constitution and By-Laws: The Committee on Constitution and By-Laws shall consist of three members. It shall be the duty of this committee to codify the existing constitution, by-laws and decisions of the Executive Committee, bringing the codex up to date before each annual meeting, and also keeping a copy on file in the Association's office at all times. They shall call the attention of the Executive Committee to any inconsistencies or contradictions in the Constitution and By-Laws. Any dispute as to the meaning of an existing rule shall be referred to them for a decision, and their interpretation shall stand unless over-ruled by a majority of the Executive Committee. Any amendment to the Constitution or By-Laws shall, before presentation to the Executive Committee or Alumnae Association, be referred for consideration to this committee.

p. The House Decorations Committee: The House Decorations Committee shall consist of five members, four of whom shall be old members and one of whom shall be a new member each term. This committee shall be self-sustaining and shall elect from its membership one member to represent the committee on the Executive Board. The specific duty of this committee shall be the selection of furnishings for the Anna Young Alumnae House, whenever funds shall be designated for this purpose.

ARTICLE V. ELECTIONS

Section 1. Nominations: One nominee for each office and for each chairmanship shall be made by a nominating committee, appointed by the Executive Committee not later than two months before the annual meeting. When the ballot is presented, additional nominations may be made from the floor.

Section 2. Ballots: Officers and committee chairmen shall be elected by written ballot.

Section 3. Notice to members: A list of the nominees shall be sent to each member of the Association not later than two weeks prior to the annual meeting.

Section 4. Voting: Any member of the Association unable to attend the annual meeting may send, in writing, her vote to the Secretary, provided it reaches the Secretary at least three hours before the meeting.

Section 5. Election: A majority of all votes cast shall constitute an election. A tie vote shall be decided by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI. LOCAL BRANCHES

Section 1. Organization: Local branches of the Association shall consist of five or more members and shall elect officers at their own discretion, notifying the Secretary of the Association of said election not later than one week thereafter.

Section 2. Branch Councillors: Branch representatives of the Alumnae Council shall be members of the Association.

Section 3. By-Laws: Branches of the Association may make by-laws for their own use, not inconsistent with this constitution.

ARTICLE VII. ALUMNAE COUNCIL

Section 1. Membership: The Alumnae Council shall be composed of the following members:

- a. The President of Agnes Scott College.
- b. The Dean of Agnes Scott College.
- c. The Executive Committee of the Alumnae Association.
- d. The General Secretary of the Alumnae Association.
- e. Alumnae Trustees of Agnes Scott (active and retired).
- f. One councillor for each local club, with one councillor for every additional twenty-five over the five required for a branch.
- g. Four Councillors-at-Large, appointed by the Executive Committee.
- h. The secretaries of the classes graduated from Agnes Scott.
- i. Three representatives from the Student Body, who shall be the President of the Day Students, the President of Student Government, and the President of Y. W. C. A.
- j. All retired presidents of the Alumnae Association.

Section 2. By-Laws: The Alumnae Council shall adopt a constitution and by-laws for its own use, not inconsistent with this constitution.

ARTICLE VIII. ALUMNAE TRUSTEES

Section 1. Election: There shall be two alumnae representatives on the Board of Trustees of the College. These two shall be nominated by the Board of Trustees and shall be referred to the Association for ratification. According to action taken by the Board of Trustees of the College in May, 1926, the retiring President of the Association shall be one of these.

ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENTS

Section 1. These by-laws may be amended at any meeting by a majority vote of the members present.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE ALUMNAE COUNCIL

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this organization shall be the Alumnae Council of Agnes Scott College.

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE

The purpose of this Council shall be to serve the College, particularly in the following respect:

- (a.) To serve as a clearing house for the interchange of ideas on the part of the administration, the alumnae, and the student body, concerning the policies of the College, by having frank and open discussions of all problems brought to its attention.
- (b.) To coordinate and direct all the alumnae activities which concern the College interests.
- (c.) To act as a medium for securing and disseminating accurate information concerning the College.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

The Council shall be composed of the following members:

- (a.) The President of Agnes Scott College.
- (b.) The Dean of Agnes Scott College.
- (c.) The Executive Committee of the Alumnae Association.
- (d.) The General Secretary of the Association.
- (e.) The Alumnae Trustees of Agnes Scott (active and retired).
- (f.) The branch councillors (One councillor for each local club, with one councillor for every additional twenty-five over the five required for a branch).
- (g.) Four councillors-at-large, appointed by the Executive Committee.
- (h.) The secretaries of the classes graduated from Agnes Scott College.
- (i.) Three representatives from the student body, who shall be the President of Student Government, the President of the Y. W. C. A., and the President of the Day Students.

ARTICLE IV. OFFICERS

Section 1. The officers of the Council shall be:

- (a.) A president.
- (b.) A first and a second vice-president.
- (c.) A secretary.
- (d.) A treasurer.

Section 2. The officers of the Alumnae Association shall be ex-officio the officers of the Council.

ARTICLE V. COMMITTEES

Section 1. The Executive Committee of the Alumnae Association shall be ex-officio the Executive Committee of the Council.

Section 2. The duties of the Executive Committee shall be to transact all routine business, to keep in touch with the work of all committees, to propose recommendations for action by the Council, and otherwise to plan for the meetings of the Council. It shall have the power to fill for the unexpired term any vacancy in committees that may occur in the interim of the meetings of the Council, and shall prepare a report of the work of the Council to be presented to the Alumnae Association in May.

Section 3. The Council shall create such committees as may from time to time be advisable, the chairman thereof to be appointed by the President. Duties of such committees shall be defined by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI. ELECTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS

Section 1. The officers of the Alumnae Association are ex-officio the officers of the Council, and thus their election is provided for in the By-Laws of the Alumnae Association.

Section 2. The President of Student Government, the President of the Y. W. C. A., and the President of the Day Students shall be ex-officio the representatives of the Student Body.

Section 3. One councillor shall be elected by each local club, with one councillor for every additional twenty-five members over the five required to form a branch. The number of councillors to which any club is entitled shall be based upon the *paid membership* at the end of the fiscal year previous to the election of councillors. Branch councillors must be members of the Alumnae Association. Local clubs shall notify the General Secretary immediately after the election of councillors.

Section 4. The councillors-at-large shall be appointed by the Executive Committee after its election, at its first meeting. Councillors-at-large shall serve for the term of two years, and must be members of the Alumnae Association.

Section 5. Class Secretaries shall be elected by their respective classes.

Section 6. Any branch councillor, councillor-at-large, or class secretary unable to attend a Council meeting shall provide an alternate.

ARTICLE VII. MEETINGS

Section 1. Regular meetings of the Council shall be held twice annually, the exact dates to be determined by the Executive Committee. Due notice of these meetings shall be sent to each member two weeks in advance.

Section 2. Special meetings of the Council shall be called by the President at the request of ten members.

Section 3. Meetings of the Executive Committee shall be subject to the call of the President.

Section 4. At all meetings of the Council the members present shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VIII. AMENDMENTS

These by-laws may be amended at any meeting by a majority vote of the Council, provided the proposed amendment has, before presentation to the Council, been referred for consideration to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws of the Alumnae Association.

A RESUME OF FEBRUARY 21 AND 22

REGISTRATION AT FIFTH ALUMNAE WEEK-END

Alumnae

Page Ackerman, '33
Ethelyn (Allen) Warner, ex-'23
Margaret Belote, '33
Margaret (Bland) Sewell, '20
Mynelle (Blue) Grove, ex-'16
Leone (Bowers) Hamilton, '26
Margaret (Brenner) Awtrey, '23
Louise (Brown) Hastings, '23
Penelope (Brown) Barnett, '32
Vashti (Buchanan) McLain, Institute
Bettina (Bush) Carter, ex-'29
Mary Palmer (Caldwell) McFarland, '25
Elizabeth (Cheatham) Palmer, '25
Mary Clarke, '33
Lillian (Clement) Adams, '27
Grace (Coffin) Armstrong, '17
Edythe (Coleman) Paris, '26
Marguerite (Cousins) Holley, '21
Frances (Craighead) Dwyer, '28
Katherine (Crawford) Adams, '30
Katherine (DuBose) Davis, '17
Pearl (Estes) Cousins, Institute
Virginia Fisher, '34
Beth (Flake) Cole, '23
Frances (Freeborn) Pauley, '27
Sarah Fulton, '21
Eloise Gaines, '28
Eloise (Gay) Brawley, '16
Frances (Gilliland) Stukes, '24
Louise Girardeau, '28
Jean (Gould) Clarke, ex-'34
Sybil Grant, '34
Anne (Hart) Equen, '21
Louise Hollingsworth, '32
Betty Lou (Houck) Smith, '35
Mattie (Hunter) Marshall, '10
Irene (Ingram) Sage, Institute
Annie (Johnson) Sylvester, '25
Lucy (Johnson) Ozmer, ex-'10
Susie Johnson, Academy
Genie (Johnston) Griffin, '21
Martha (Johnston) Wilson, '27
Ellen Douglass Leyburn, '27
Margaret (Leyburn) Foster, '18
Lucile (Little) Morgan, '23
Helen (Lockhart) Watkins, '25
Isabel Lowrance, '34
Ruth (Mallory) Burch, '30
Kenneth Maner, '27
Mrs. Lawrence Mansfield, Special
Fannie G. (Mayson) Donaldson, '12
Hilda (McConnell) Adams, '23
Glady's (McDaniel) Hastings, '21
Elizabeth (Moore) Harris, '26
Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13
Helene (Norwood) Lammers, ex-'22
Alberta Palmour, '35
Florence (Perkins) Ferry, '26
Eva Poliakoff, '35
Lucy (Reagan) Redwine, '10
Cora Richardson, '24
Letitia Rockmore, '33
Lizzabel Saxon, '08

Susan (Shadburn) Watkins, '26
Marie Simpson, '35
Augusta (Skeen) Cooper, '17
Hallie (Smith) Walker, ex-'16
Julia Pratt (Smith) Slack, ex-'12
Julia (Thompson) Smith, '31
Elizabeth Thrasher, '35
Eva (Towers) Hendee, '10
Polly Vaughan, '34
Estelle (Webb) Shadburn, Institute
Clara (Whips) Dunn, '16
Margaret (Whittington) Davis, '26
Peggy (Whittemore) Flowers, ex-'26
Llewellyn Wilburn, '19
Evamaie (Willingham) Park, '18
Katherine (Woltz) Green, '33
Mary Ben (Wright) Erwin, '25

Visitors

Mrs. J. D. Brown
Mrs. W. F. Buchanan
Mrs. Edgar Craighead
Mrs. Philip Davidson
Mrs. Leldon Franklin
Mrs. J. T. Gillespie
Mrs. James Gurren
Mrs. Karl D. Hartzell
Mrs. Charles Hürt
Mrs. William Keller
Mrs. Clyde Langford
Mrs. J. G. Leonard
Marcia Mansfield
Mrs. Devereaux McClatchey
Mrs. Roy Mundorff
Mrs. H. C. Phipps
Mrs. Claude H. Pritchard
Mrs. Arthur Raper
Mrs. Henry Robinson
Mrs. T. W. Whitaker
Mrs. A. R. Woodall
Mrs. J. M. Wright

Children

Peggy Awtrey
Billy Broom
Virginia Brown
Bill Crowell
Page Davidson
Philip Davidson
Elizabeth Dunn
Robert Dunn
Martha Flowers
Ann Gardner
Mynelle Blue Grove
Mary Hamilton
Betty Harris
Harry Hastings
Judith Hastings
Betty Park
Anne Robinson
Henry Robinson
Joy Rutland
Julia Slack
Marjorie Stukes
Marian Warner
Toy Watkins

FOUNDER'S DAY MEETINGS

Atlanta and Decatur alumnae met for dinner at the Druid Hills Golf Club at six-thirty. After listening to the broadcast, the local club presidents expressed their appreciation of the occasion which brought together members of the Atlanta, Decatur, and Atlanta Business Girls' Clubs. The speaker of the evening was Miss Florence Smith of the Agnes Scott History Department, her subject being "The History of the University Movement."

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Charlotte alumnae met for dinner at the Mills Antique Shop at seven-thirty. The radio program was reported as having a perfect reception. Dr. George P. Hayes, head of the English Department at Agnes Scott, spoke on "The Changing Standards in Modern Literature." Those present included, from out of town: Charlotte Hunter, '29; Adele Arbuckle, '31; Mary Young, Institute; Florence (Brawley) Johnston, ex-'25; Corinne (Cotten) Hodges, Institute; from Charlotte: Clyde (McDaniel) Jackson, '10; Eloise (Erwin) McKoy, ex-'09; Midge (McAden) Cothran, Institute; Mabel (Ardrey) Stewart, Institute; Anne (Kyle) McLaughlin, '17; Maude (Shute) Squires, ex-'17; Ethel (Rea) Rone, '19; Ailsie Cross, ex-'17; Julia (Hagood) Cuthbertson, '20; Marian (McCamy) Sims, '20; Cama (Burgess) Clarkson, '22; Mary (Keesler) Dalton, '25; Maria Rose, '25; Margaret (Ladd) May, '25; Louisa Duls, '26; Mary Mackey Hough, '28; Irene Lowrance, '28; Marian (Hodges) Anthony, '29; Sally Cothran, '29; Sarah Southerland, '29; Belle Ward (Stowe) Abernethy, '30; Frances (Medlin) Walker, '30; Harriet (Howard) Wolf, special; Ruth (Reilly) Wilkes, ex-'11; Pernette (Adams) Carter, '29.

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Chattanooga alumnae were entertained at tea from four-thirty to six-thirty by Marion Chapman, '30. Special guests were the girls of the senior class of Girls' Preparatory, Central High, and Chattanooga High Schools.

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Chicago alumnae were guests of Blanche (Ryan) Brim, ex-'22, with Lillian (Beatty) Schuhman, Academy, assisting. Those present were: Marjorie Daniel, '31; Nell Esslinger, ex-'23; Margaret (Sienknecht) Lotz, ex-'10; Eloise Lower, Academy; Janet MacDonald, '28; Martha (Eakes) Matthews, '24; Reba Vinnedge, ex-'24; Charis (Hood) Barwick, '16.

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Memphis alumnae were tea guests of Elinore (Morgan) McComb, '29.

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Mississippi alumnae enjoyed a state-wide meeting in Jackson, with lunch at the

Mary Frances Tea Room. Morning Star, Singing Mississippi, and Congo Crosses were reviewed as alumnae publications of interest to the group. Shirley (Fairly) Hendricks, '19, had charge of the luncheon. Officers for the year are: president, Sarah (Till) Davis, '22; secretary-treasurer, Elizabeth (Watkins) Hulen, '19. A gift of ten dollars was sent to the Alumnae House. A Mississippi Founder's Day scrapbook was started. Jackson alumnae met later with Emily (Watkins) Cain, ex-'28, to hear the broadcast.

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Nashville alumnae meeting for tea in the social room of Scarritt College included: Roslyn (Moncrief) Jordan, ex-'29; Lureta (Campbell) Phelps, Institute; Olive Graves, '28; Ethel (Redding) Niblack, '26; Lavalette (Sloan) Tucker, '13; Amy (Walden) Harrell, Institute; Margaret (Leech) Cook, '19; Eleanor Whitson, ex-'38; Sarah (Flowers) Beasley, ex-'34; Eudora (Campbell) Haney, Academy; and Anna Marie (Landress) Cate, '21.

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New York City alumnae met on the twenty-third with their president, Sara (Townsend) Pittman, '30. Newly elected officers are: president, Elizabeth Hatchett, '29; vice president, Dorothy Chamberlain, '27; and secretary-treasurer, Grace Hardie, Institute. Those present at the meeting were: Betty Gash, '29; Mary Ramage, '28; Polly Gordon, '34; Jule Bethea, '33; Carrie Lena McMullen, '34; Louise Davidson, '09; Miriam Dean, ex-'20; Mary Hutchinson, ex-'29; Leila Anderson, '28; Willie White Smith, '27; Grace Hardie, Institute; Katherine (Wright) Kress, '32. Willie White Smith acted as co-hostess.

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Tampa alumnae organized a club on Founder's Day with eight present. Three alumnae attended from Plant City: Mary Louise Robinson, '33; Emily Capers Jones, '26; and Frances (Sledd) Blake, '19. Blanche (Copeland) Gifford, '19, was elected president and Margery (Moore) Macaulay, '20, secretary. A report of the reception of the broadcast is given elsewhere.

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Winston-Salem alumnae enjoyed the hospitality of Diana Dyer, '32. Those present were: Lila Ross Norfleet, '32; Elizabeth (Norfleet) Miller, '27; Lillian (McAlpine) Butner, '24; Mary Martha (Lybrook) Neal, ex-'27; Elizabeth (Eaton) Lienbach, ex-'30; Isabel Ferguson, '25; Callie Nash, '30; Ann Brown Nash, '33; Diana Dyer, '32. The radio program had a perfect reception, they reported.

MISSISSIPPI ALUMNAE REPORT FROM THEIR FOUNDER'S DAY MEETING

Fidesah Edwards, '35: "Three weeks ago my county's school closed. On April the first Mother and Dad will take me touring through the Rio Grande Valley to get acquainted with Texas at the prettiest time of the year. The whole time I'll look at wild flowers that'll be in full blossom then and in June I'll have put on enough weight to work on my M. A. at Texas University. Teaching here has been fascinating and work, too."

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Shirley (Fairly) Hendricks, '19: "No news of interest except a new home nearing completion. Still nobody but my husband and myself in the family and my days taken up with the usual routine of housekeeping."

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Mildred (Hall) Pearce, '17: "This has been the loveliest luncheon, meeting and talking about old times and the old girls! I date from so far back, that some of these young girls will hardly believe some of the tales we older girls tell. Of course, Annie Tait Jenkins is here and she dates a bit farther back than I do. Here's hoping I get back for a visit before so many more years."

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Annie Tait Jenkins, '14: "I'm one of thirteen present at the February twenty-second alumnae luncheon at the Mary Frances Tea Room in Jackson, Mississippi. I just spent the A. M. in a meeting of the Council of the Mississippi District of the Y. W. C. A., and speaking of that reminds me that this winter has been a really 'Constitutional' one for me. I've been chairman of the Constitution Committee of the Council; I've drafted a copy for our Mississippi A. S. C. Club, and I've worked on two others! It's fun, too. I'm too frequent a writer to our class secretary to write details here. I hope to go out for a little visit to A. S. C. in March."

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Burnett Maganos, '32: "My main occupation still seems to be horse-back riding and falling off flat on my face. They do tell me I draw a salary for teaching adults, but it's so small I wouldn't know. This is the first time I've ever attended an alumnae luncheon, and I do feel about as green as a freshman in a rat cap. But I have Elsie (McNair) Maddox, ex-'29, by my side and she's seeing me through."

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Elsie (McNair) Maddox, ex-'29: "What a grand time we are having! Not a one I have ever known before except through the Quarterly. They have been kidding me about the Quarterly because I keep quoting from it. Maybe we will drum up some new subscriptions, eh? I have no new news

except that I am enjoying my new location and will start to build our house soon. I am on my way home for a few days."

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Bessie (Standifer) Gammon, ex-'13: "Greetings to all the Agnes Scotters from this bunch of loyal alumnae! Well, here's a good Floridian transplanted to the fertile soil of Mississippi. To say I miss my association with the Jacksonville girls is a very feeble way to express it. But to add that my new friendships formed to-day are a delight and make me happier. My new address is 832 Pinehurst Street, Jackson."

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Sarah (Till) Davis, '22: "At the moment I am up in G. At my right sits our most important Mississippi member, the First Vice-President of the General Association, Annie Tait Jenkins, '14; at my left sits our baby guest, Fidesah Edwards, '35; all around me eddy, flow, bubble and crescendo Agnes Scott news, memories and gossip. After luncheon, we have a part of our program: a letter from Miss Hopkins, a letter from Miss McKinney, news from Dorothy Hutton, '29, and reviews of three recent books of three of our famous sisters, and the broadcast to look forward to. It has been fun to plan. It is fun! Personally, I am up in G., too. My jolly six-year old son (I wish he could go to Agnes Scott) has recovered from the measles. I have recovered from the flu and this year or next I hope again to 'go home again' to Agnes Scott! In matters not so personal, I have letters, many of them, to write as the least of the secretaries of Mississippi Synodical, a garden to uncover after the winter doldrums of this particular winter, exactly ten books to read (one of them *Time and the River*), and a play to memorize. I hope mumps will not follow the measles! Our Mississippi gift to the Alumnae House is a very modest beginning. We hope to do better later."

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Elizabeth (Watkins) Hulen, '19: "Home: 1209 Pinehurst Street, Jackson. However, rarely found there, so to get me try % Watkins and Eager, Standard Life Building. Children: Frances, twenty-two (step-daughter); Margaret, fourteen; Elizabeth, three; grandchild, one, two years of age. Am fairly busy, practicing law and keeping house, but manage to find time to ride horse-back regularly and work extensively in the Little Theatre. Still keep up my tennis in spite of advanced age."

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Emily (Watkins) Cain, ex-'28: "I entered Agnes Scott a freshman and left Agnes Scott a freshman, but quite a different

person. My education progressed more rapidly at Millsaps College and I received my B. A. from there but am an Agnes Scott alumna. I have enjoyed this last distinction because I have been associated as on these celebrations, with Agnes Scott and her more favored daughters. I have a beautiful three-year-old, red-headed, vivacious daughter. May she come to know Agnes Scott! She is named for Marguerite (Watkins) Goodman, '21, my sister, whose name must still resound in your halls. A ten months old boy closes another chapter in my life—children."

Marguerite (Watkins) Goodman, '21: "Greetings! Mississippi Agnes Scott girls are lunching together and 'reminiscing.' Sarah (Till) Davis seems to think that you

might be interested in the recent accomplishments of each of us, if any. Mine are both in school. So I've gone back, too. I'm in the English Department at Millsaps and I would have confessed it sooner, but hated to increase Miss McKinney's pulse."

Eloise (Watson) Herbert, Institute: "Does life really begin or end at forty? Naturally, I am most interested, as I feel as much enthusiasm for the coming years as those that have passed. If any more banks should fail, listen in and you'll hear me trying over Major Bowes' program."

Julia Dyer Watson, Institute: "Mississippi to begin with and Mississippian still. Read the history of the state. You will not find me there."

FOUNDER'S DAY TELEGRAMS AND MESSAGES

Staunton, Virginia

Greetings on Founder's Day. The twins and I will be listening to the broadcast.—Martha (Stackhouse) Grafton, '30.

Montgomery, Alabama

"Though far from the reach of thy sheltering arms," once more the Montgomery alumnae salute thee.

Jackson, Mississippi

Greetings from Mississippi Alumnae Association. Enthusiastic meeting. Eight towns represented.—Sarah (Till) Davis, '22, President.

Bay Minette, Alabama

Am looking forward to broadcast and eagerly awaiting your message.—Georgia Mae (Burns) Bristow, '27.

New Iberia, Louisiana

The Weeks Chapter of the Alumnae Association held a supper meeting in New Iberia in the Weeks home. Program came in perfectly. So glad to hear Miss Hopkins, Miss Torrance, and Dr. McCain. Looking forward to seeing you at Commencement. Greetings to everyone, especially to Lily.—The Weeks Family.

Charlotte, North Carolina

Thirty-three alumnae greatly enjoyed broadcast. All stood to sing Alma Mater both times. We especially liked innovation of dramatization. While we regretted Dr. Davidson's illness, were delighted with Dr. Hayes' address. Gene Caldwell's ('38), and Barton Jackson's ('37), mothers present at our banquet. Greetings to Gene, Barton, Catherine Hoffman, '38, Jean Barry Adams, '38, and Anne Purnelle, '39.—Charlotte Alumnae.

Staunton, Virginia

Program wonderful. Reception perfect. Congratulations.—Orra and Chertsey (Miss Hopkins' sisters).

West Point, Mississippi

Program was inspirational. Appreciate Agnes Scott more every day.—Alma Earle Ivy, '33.

Montgomery, Alabama

We enjoyed the splendid Founder's Day Program. Robert says, "Mother, why can't I go to Agnes Scott?" Best wishes.—Genevieve (White) McCreary (former librarian).

Augusta, Georgia

Hearing your voice (Miss Hopkins') is my annual thrill. Love to you and may Agnes Scott continue to grow.—Mildred Jennings, '27.

Nashville, Tennessee

Greetings from Nashville alumnae.—Roslyn (Moncrief) Jordan, ex-'29; Lois (Bolles) Knox, '26; Lureta (Campbell) Smith, Institute; Olive Graves, '28; Ethel (Redding) Niblack, '26; Lavelette (Sloan) Tucker, '13; Amy (Walden) Harrell, Institute; Margaret (Leech) Cook, '19; Eleanor Whitson, ex-'38; Sarah (Flowers) Beasley, ex-'24; Eudora (Campbell) Haney, Academy; Georgia (Weaver) Wigginton, ex-'22; Anna Marie (Landress) Cate, '21.

Dayton, Tennessee

We, the family and I, certainly enjoyed the Agnes Scott program yesterday, especially your part. Each day I value more and more my association with you (Miss Hopkins) and Dr. McCain and Miss Scandrett. We were interested too in the talks made by Dr. McCain and Miss Torrance.—Dee Robinson, '32.

Edisto Island, South Carolina

Words can't tell how thrilled I was over the Agnes Scott Founder's Day program Saturday night. Little thrills were chasing each other around my back and my eyes almost had tears in them as I heard your familiar voice in its greeting to

your "dear girls." To realize that I am one of those was a very happy and proud realization. Then, too, the flood of memories that came with the singing of the Alma Mater. Happy as I am here, I couldn't help but be a little homesick. Those were such happy days that I spent at Agnes Scott, and when you think they are all gone—well, you'd just rather not dwell on it. The dramatization of the college history was most interesting and I enjoyed having my memory refreshed on certain of the details. It is a history to be most proud of. Again let me tell you how much I enjoyed the program, and especially your message (Miss Hopkins'). It is with many loving and happy thoughts that I listened.—Marian (Calhoun) Murray, '35.

Knoxville, Tennessee

The Knoxville, Tennessee, Agnes Scott alumnae send greetings to you (Miss Hopkins), Dr. McCain, and all the other Agnes Scott girls wherever they may be. We are thankful to have a Founder's Day to celebrate.—Frances (Stuart) Key, ex-'23; Margaret (Briscoe) McCallie, ex-'11; Jean (Powel) McCroskey, ex-'09; Elizabeth (Grimm) Sisk, ex-'21; Addie (Boyd) Pattillo, Institute; Mildred (Holmes) Dickert, '14; Emilie (Ehrlich) Strausburger, '27.

Davidson, North Carolina

February 22nd has become to me a precious day and I always look forward to the broadcast with real joy. The highlight has always been hearing your dear voice (Miss Hopkins'). I was thrilled and touched Saturday night, for I lived over with you people those first days when Agnes Scott was in the making. It was so real to me. And when the honor you paid my husband was heard there was no sound from us, for to us it was a sacred moment. It was a lovely tribute and we thank you. Our hearts were filled with pride when Dr. McCain spoke of the great work that has been done and the wonderful things in store for the College. With all my heart, I say again that there will never be a spot that we love as much and friends that mean as much to us as you people. Our happiest days were spent among you. Dr. Arbuckle seems so well—has not missed a class this year and is proud of the fact that he is now teaching the classes of Dr. Howard, who was brought here to assist him, while he is sick with flu. Adele said that their dinner in Charlotte was a great success and all enjoyed Dr. Hayes' lecture. Give my love to my friends. Always a heartfelt of love for your dear self.—Ida Arbuckle (mother of Adele Arbuckle, '31).

Greenwood, South Carolina

I am listening now to the Founder's Day program from Agnes Scott and was so

thrilled to hear your voice as you (Miss Hopkins) spoke to us (your "dear girls") and I shall always be proud that I belong to that ever-growing list. The history of the College as given tonight was one of the most interesting parts of any of the programs given these ten years. It included the dates 1900-1903 when I was a student there and spoke of dear Miss Cook of sainted memory and Dr. Gaines. When I was in Charlotte in September, stopping with Anne (Kyle) McLaughlin, '17, (my niece) I had the pleasure of a short visit to Dr. and Mrs. Arbuckle, not having seen them for some years, and it was such a joy to see them again. While in Charlotte, I visited the library in order to see the Memorial Library left by Mr. Maclean—his music library. It was with peculiar emotion that I looked through the books with his familiar signature.—Annie E. Aunspaugh, Institute.

Dayton, Tennessee

Though Drewna has included the family in her little note regarding last night's program, I could not resist the impulse to tell you, myself, how much we enjoyed it, Miss Hopkins. We have been very much interested in the Founder's Day celebration for eight years and have heard all the programs. Mr. Robinson, Dee, and I listened last night and all agreed that it was the most distinctive and clearly depicted the history of Agnes Scott. It came in very clearly and Dee said she could almost see you as well as Miss Torrance, Dr. McCain, and Dotty Hutton. Those responsible for the program are to be congratulated upon its successful presentation.—Clark H. Robinson (Mother of Dee Robinson, '32, and Frances Robinson, '38).

Decatur, Georgia

The class of '33 shares the happiness and pride of Founder's Day and with fondest memories sends to Miss Hopkins and Agnes Scott College assurance of lasting loyalty and devotion.—Margaret Ridley, President, Class of 1933.

Miami, Florida

The program last Saturday night was perfectly splendid. We enjoyed every bit of it.—Jean (Lamont) Dickson, '29.

Savannah, Georgia

The Founder's Day program was interesting and impressive.—Dr. Samuel M. Glasgow, Pastor Independent Presbyterian Church.

Richmond, Virginia

I heard part of the broadcast yesterday evening and thrilled to Miss Hopkins' voice and the Alma Mater. It was not all clear, but I got the general drift.—Ditto Worth, '29.

Decatur, Georgia

Congratulations! The program was ex-

cellent. Miss Harn, Miss Omwake and I enjoyed it very much. Congratulations!—Martha Stansfield, '21.
Winter Park, Florida

Imagine my surprise when I was turning the dial and recognized your (Dorothy Hutton's) voice coming over WSB and now I am listening to Dr. McCain! We all seem to need money!—Katherine Lewis, Alumni Secretary, Rollins College, Miami, Florida

I listened to the broadcast and was thrilled to be mentioned "right out in meetin'", so to speak! I wasn't at all prepared for it; hadn't heard anything about it, so it was quite a surprise. It seems rather like a post—(shall I say mortem?) reward, but a pleasant reminder of a time when the old grey matter was still in operation!—Marion (Lindsay) Noble, '21 (Phi Beta Kappa Initiate).
Jeff, Alabama

I got only part of the Founder's Day program. How familiar the voices did sound and how interesting to my two little girls when I explained to them the significance of the program!—Eula (Russell) Kelly, '21.
Raphine, Virginia

Margaret (McLaughlin) Hogshead, '21, and I listened to the broadcast with our families getting a little education on the subject. It was most interesting. We all joined in on the Alma Mater, and were thrilled when the one-year-old daughter lifted her voice and tried to sing it, too!—Peg (Bell) Hanna, '21.
Lincolnton, North Carolina

I listened in at home to the broadcast. I had read Dr. Gaines' history and enjoyed the program immensely.—Susan Glenn, '32.
Tuscumbia, Alabama

Congratulations on the Founder's Day program! It was the best one ever. I liked the dramatization of the history of Agnes Scott; that was quite effective as well as interesting. As always it was good to hear Miss Hopkins and Dr. McCain. They seemed so natural and so very near, I felt as if I could put out my hand and touch them.—Mary Wallace Kirk, '11, Alumnae Trustee.
Crystal Springs, Mississippi

It has been in my mind for days to write you and congratulate you on the excellent broadcast on February the twenty-second. It was particularly fine, and especially here, as reception was the best we have ever had for this broadcast. Mother, a friend who was with us for the week-end, and I were delighted with the plan used for the broadcast.—Annie Tait Jenkins, '14.
Churchland, Virginia

The Founder's Day program was perfectly splendid. I was simply thrilled to

death. I think the dramatic skits were most interesting. The entire program was better than any I have ever heard and it came in fine. Last year Lynn Moore was here to hear the program with me and this year I got a Randolph Macon alumna to listen in and she was most enthusiastic, too.—Sallie Peake, '30.

Charlotte, North Carolina

The radio program came through perfectly, the best ever.—Irene Lowrance, '28.
Des Plaines, Illinois

I tuned in on WSB, but could get only an occasional word, until the Alma Mater, which came in quite well.—Charis (Hood) Barwick, '16.

Fayette, Mississippi

The broadcast on the twenty-second was so excellent and gave us so much pleasure, that I thought it deserved a message not mixed with the general and individual reports of the Mississippi Club luncheon. Emily (Watkins) Cain, ex-'28, invited us to meet in her home in Jackson to hear the broadcast over her new Philco. We heard every word. It was an intent, fascinated group. At intervals we beamed at each other proudly—as if we were responsible for that delightful program! Then we would forget each other and ourselves in our pleasure in hearing the voices from home. Of course, we stood when we heard the Alma Mater, and we felt like standing for "Ancient of Days." The brief dramatic moments in our college history were so well-chosen and so smoothly handled, and the remainder of the program was so well-balanced and informative, that the whole deserved nothing but praise. The Mississippi group wishes to congratulate all who had any part in it. We are sure that Polly (Stone) Buck, '24, had tears of pride running down her face this time, when she heard the dedication. And I think I saw a suspicious mistiness in certain other eyes.—Sarah (Till) Davis, '22.

Tampa, Florida

All were enthusiastic about the program. We particularly enjoyed Miss Hopkins' talk, as her voice sounded so familiar. It took us all back many, many years to such pleasant memories of our college days.—Blanche (Copeland) Gifford, '19.

Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Congratulations! The program was by far the best and most interesting. I was answering the door when the broadcast started, but from the "oh's" and "ah's" that came forth when they heard "Ancient of Days" played, I judged that freshman, sophomore, junior and senior shivers went up and down those ten spines. We certainly enjoyed the program with its familiar voices; the reception was fine.—Diana Dyer, '32.

OFFICE NOTES

Help Wanted on the following alumnae whose addresses are unknown at the Alumnae Office at the present: Kathleen Belcher (Mrs. John M. Gaines), ex-'22; Elizabeth Brady (Mrs. Milton W. Howard, Jr.), Academy; Ruby Marie Bussell (Mrs. James Adger Hayes, Jr.), ex-'32; Hester Craig (Mrs. Uriah Grey Flowers), Institute; Sarah Louise Dell (Mrs. Frank Marion Yoder), ex-'34; Agnes Elizabeth Dinwiddie, ex-'26; Cornelia Dunwoody (Mrs. James L. Cameron), ex-'15; Eleanor Enslow, Academy; Edith Joan Fish (now known as Joan White), ex-'33; Elizabeth Baldwin Harris (Mrs. John Mitchell Holmes), Academy; Louise Harvey (Mrs. Ralph Hamilton Hall), ex-'27; Bessie Claire Hefley (Mrs. George Walter), Institute; Sarah Vashti Hightower (Mrs. Robert Matthews Barnes), ex-'22; Agnes I. Houseal (Mrs. William F. Wright), ex-'14; Marjorie Sarah Hughes (Mrs. Weston Wardell Morrell), ex-'27; Elizabeth Kirk, ex-'25; Helen Eunice McCorkle (Mrs. C. J. Posey), ex-'28; Lavinia Agnes Wise, Academy; Mary Evelyn Wright (Mrs. James E. Atkinson), ex-'25.

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Mortar Board sponsored a campaign in January to raise funds for refurbishing the date parlors in the Main Building. The Administration agreed to match up to fifty dollars any sum raised on the campus. To date many attractive lamps, end tables and cushions have been added to the furnishings of these popular rooms.

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Named for the Beck Scholarship as candidates were Agnes Scott were Ethelyn Johnson and Augusta King, both of Atlanta and the class of 1936. For the first time since the award was offered two years ago the majority of the nominations (made by the faculty) were in favor of members of the senior class instead of alumnae. Virginia Heard, '33, won this award when it was first offered in 1934, and has been since that time studying at the University of Michigan.

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Ice Storms in late December and early January broke from 200 to 470 trees on the Agnes Scott Campus. By the use of cables which held it stationary, the giant oak in front of Rebekah Scott, was saved. This red oak is the largest tree in Decatur and is over 100 years old, with a top spread of one hundred and fifty-five feet and a diameter of five feet.

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Thornton Wilder spoke to a delighted audience in the Chapel on February the sixth. Following his talk on "The Motion Pictures and Literature," the author very graciously answered questions put to him by the audience.

Phi Beta Kappa brought to the campus on February the eighth Dr. Walter Miller, noted classical scholar, who spoke in Chapel on "The Scholar in American Life." Following Dr. Miller's address, Professor Catherine Torrance, of the Greek Department, announced the alumnae and seniors selected to membership. These are: Anna Marie (Landress) Cate, '21; Frances Charlotte (Markley) Roberts, '21; Marion (Lindsay) Noble, '21; Sarah Fulton, '21; Janef Preston, '21; Martha Stansfield, '21; Philippa Gilchrist, '23; Elizabeth Forman, '36 (daughter of Mary (Dortch) Forman), Institute; Lita Goss, '36; Edith Merlin, '36; Shirley Christian, '36; Mary Snow, '36; Ethelyn Johnson, '36; Sarah Nichols, '36.

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Mary Boggs, '35, after spending a successful term at Radcliffe this year, has applied to the Institute of International Education for a fellowship to Germany. At Agnes Scott she was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Mortar Board, editor of the Agonistic, and winner of the Quenelle Harold Fellowship. A copy of the letter of recommendation for the German fellowship, written by Assistant Professor Walter Silz of the German Department of Harvard, was sent to Dr. McCain. The following is an excerpt from his letter: "Mary Boggs is my best student at Radcliffe this semester and one of the best I have ever had at either Harvard or Radcliffe. She has shown unusual power of appreciative and critical analysis of literature, and unusual ability to express herself clearly and elegantly in English. She is well read, and thinks independently. I might add that Professor Karl Vietor who has now returned to the University of Griesen, considered Miss Boggs his best student in the seminar for graduates which he gave here this semester."

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President of the Association of American Colleges is our own Dr. J. R. McCain. The Association had representatives from 497 outstanding American colleges and universities at the annual convention held in New York on January 16 and 17. Only once before in the twenty-three years of the Association's existence has the South been represented in that office. Last year Dr. McCain was vice-president and year before last he was a member of the Executive Committee. The Association is the largest of the many college associations in America.

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A photograph of Eugenia Symms, a senior at Agnes Scott College, has been selected to represent "Education" in a forthcoming edition of the publication of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. This pub-

lication, the hand-book of the Every Member Canvass, attempts to show the benevolent work of the denomination. It is published annually by the stewardship of the Presbyterian Church. The picture of Eugenia was made for the *Silhouette* in her academic robe. It was considered the one most nearly typifying modern education. The Presbyterian magazine in which her picture will appear is being circulated throughout the South the early part of February. The choice was made from unsubmitted photographs of hundreds of college men and women. Eugenia is from Augusta, Georgia.

Blackfriars at the Junior Banquet March 21 presented **Bridal Chorus**, play of Roberta Winter, '27. This delightful drama of amusing incidents in connection with a southern wedding has aroused a great deal of interest on the campus, both on the basis of its own merit and the author's being an alumna.

District III of the American Alumni Council met in Rock Hill, South Carolina on February 14 and 15. Agnes Scott was represented by Dorothy Hutton, '29, General Executive Secretary, and Alberta Palmour, '35, Field Secretary. Winthrop College was the official host. The keynote address was made by Dr. Shelton Phelps, President of Winthrop, and father of Mary An (Phelps) Bridges, ex-'30.

Dr. Samuel Gordon of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, spent the week of February the tenth through the sixteenth on the campus, conducting religious week services under the sponsoring of the Agnes Scott Y. W. C. A. Dr. Gordon is the author of "Quiet Talks," a group of short works on the personal Christian life and world currents.

Winner of the Quenelle Harrold Fellowship for 1936-1937 is Lita Goss, '36. Mary Virginia Allen, '35, who is doing graduate work in French in the University of Virginia, is named as alternate. The award is made on the basis of qualifications for research and promise of leadership. The recipient does research and graduate study in some institution approved by the Academic Council (composed of Miss Hopkins, Dr. McCain and the heads of the departments at Agnes Scott). Lita plans to take graduate work in English at Radcliffe in Cambridge, Massachusetts. She is editor of the *Aurora*, member of Phi Beta Kappa, Eta Sigma Phi, the Poetry Club, and of B. O. Z., and has made the honor roll for the past three years.

Alberta Palmour, '35, has been very ac-

tive in and out of town in her work with high school students interested in coming to Agnes Scott. Groups from the individual local high schools have been entertained during the winter and early spring.

Sir Arthur Willert, noted lecturer and publicist, spoke as the third and last lecturer on the program of the Agnes Scott Public Lecture Association, on March the third. His subject was "Europe in 1936."

Carol Griffin, '35, assistant instructor in biology at Agnes Scott, was awarded an honorary key for work done in 1935 by the local chapter of Chi Beta Phi Sigma, national scientific sorority, in Chapel on February 21. Gail Nelson, '33, charter member of the Agnes Scott chapter, was the speaker of the morning, her subject being the contributions of women to the field of science. Eligibility to Chi Beta Phi Sigma is based on meriting twenty hours of science and mathematics, meriting two-thirds of all work, being a science or mathematics major, and having a deep interest in science.

Julia Lake (Skinner) Kellersberger, '19, spoke in Chapel on February the twenty-eighth. Her audience was captivated by her accounts of her and Dr. Kellersberger's work in the mission field of Africa.

Wanted in the Office these copies of the *Alumnae Quarterly*: November, 1929; January, 1930; November, 1933; January, 1934; April, 1934; July, 1934; April, 1935; January, 1936.

Polly (Stone) Buck, '24, has requested the insertion of this ad: "Polly (Stone) Buck and her husband will be in Los Angeles for two months this summer, while Professor Buck teaches economics in the University summer session. Would any A. S. C. alumna like to rent either of their houses while they are away? They are both cool houses and in the country—the Clintonville one only six miles from Yale and Long Island Sound in a sweet bit of Connecticut country, the Vermont house a lovely old gray stone farm house, not at all a rough-and-ready summer place, but with all conveniences and complete even to a grand piano and a strawberry bed. Caroline, their young daughter, is to be left at a baby farm, so the person who takes the house doesn't have to take the baby, too, but the owners would like to throw in two nice cats!" Mail your reply to Mrs. Norman Sydney Buck, Middletown Turnpike, Clintonville, Connecticut.

REUNIONS

Reunions will be scheduled, according to the Dix Plan, for the following classes of Agnes Scott College: '93, '94, '95, '11, '12, '13, '14, '30, '31, '32, '33; and, according to our own plan, for '35. We have a possible 436 graduates coming to Commencement. The number will be determined by your loyalty as an individual. Literature will be mailed to you from the Office, your Class Secretary, and your Class President.

Please note the plans we are making for your enjoyment and come back to the campus for these dates:

*May 29, 30, 31, and
June 1 and 2*

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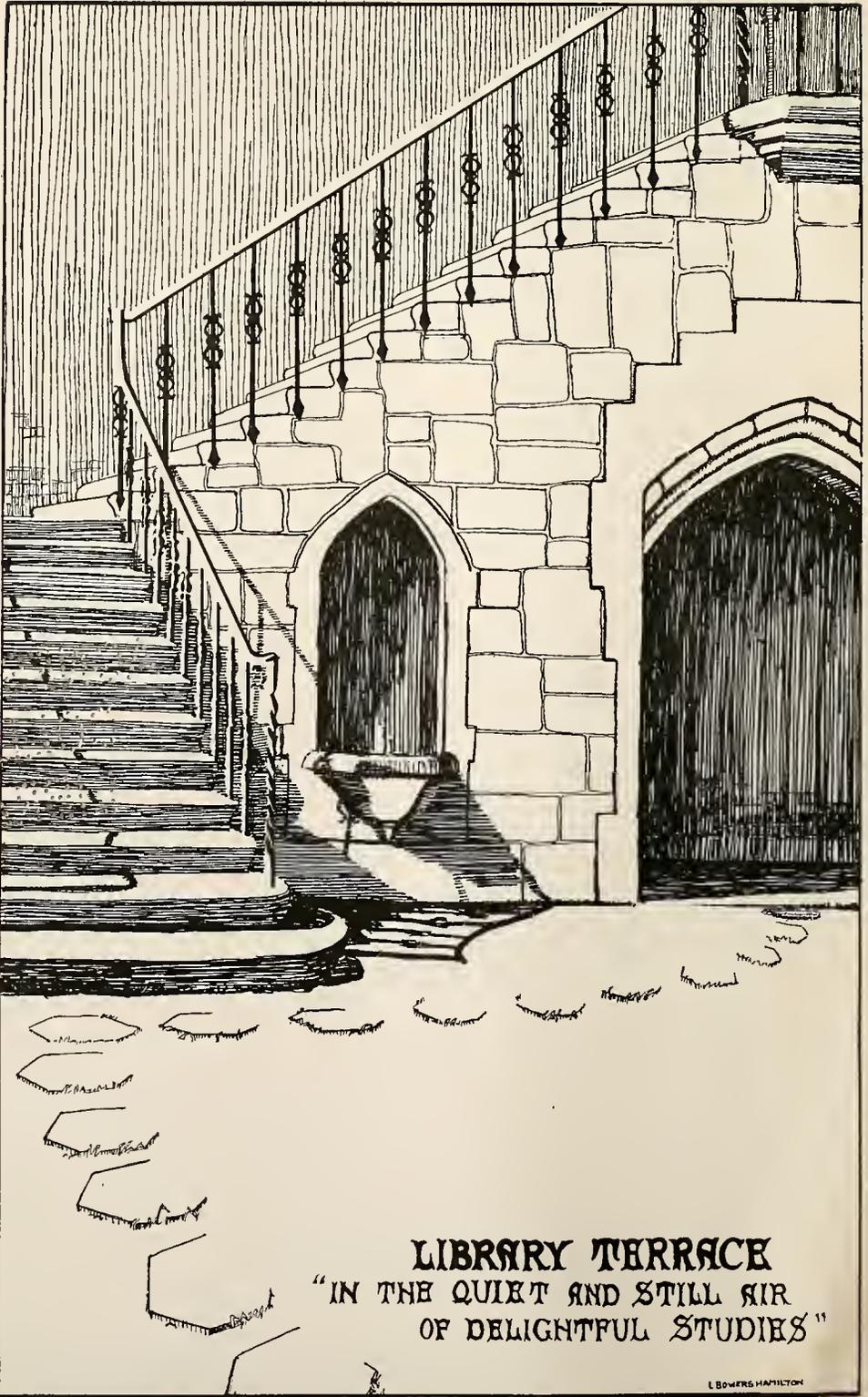
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LIBRARY TERRACE
"IN THE QUIET AND STILL AIR
OF DELIGHTFUL STUDIES"

L BOWERS HAMILTON

Our Library

The greatest achievement of Agnes Scott for the session 1935-1936 has been the erection and equipping of a new library building. We have long needed this. Our old building was adequate for many years and is still a very attractive feature of our campus. We have long outgrown it, however, and the work of the College would have been handicapped without the erection of the new structure.

While it is not the most costly college library building that has been erected, the total cost being about \$230,000, it is one of the most nearly perfect buildings for the purpose that has yet been erected on any campus. Miss Edna Hanley, our Librarian, wrote her dissertation for the Master's degree on library buildings and made a careful study of all existing buildings that have been regarded as outstanding in any features.

In making plans for our own building, we not only had the advantage of her careful study and good judgment, but we have had expert advice and suggestions from leading architects and librarians throughout the country.

Our building will be named in honor of Andrew Carnegie in recognition of his generosity in giving the first library building for the College and further recognition of the many gifts made by the Carnegie Corporation to Agnes Scott.

Lack of space will not permit the enumeration of all the interesting features of our new building. It is fireproof, sound-proof, and air-conditioned according to the latest engineering ideas in these various fields. It is large enough so that we may be able to accommodate with comfortable seats *at one time* all the faculty and students of the College.

The main reading room will be equipped with davenports and easy chairs upholstered in bright red and blue colors, with floor lamps, occasional tables, a fireplace, and other features to invite comfortable and pleasant reading. Books and magazines will be in evidence everywhere.

On the first floor there is a reading room of equal size which will be equipped with orthodox table and chairs for study, note taking, and other serious pursuits.

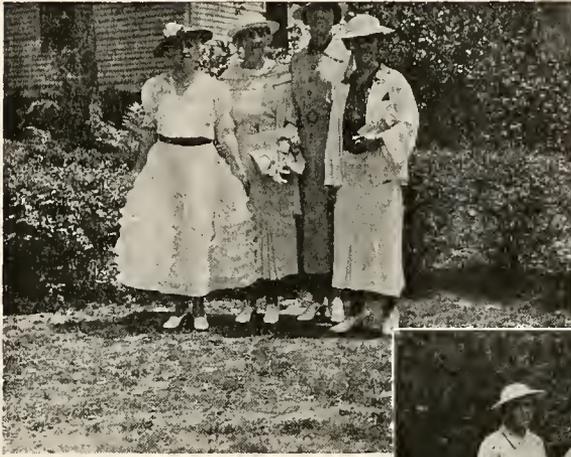
An outdoor reading terrace, facing the southeast, will provide for a large number of readers who will be accommodated with outdoor furniture, umbrellas, awnings, and other devices to make outdoor reading or study quite satisfactory.

There are six stories of stacks, but only three are being equipped at this time. In these stacks there are quite a number of carrels where faculty or students may gather books for special study or research without having to take them out of the building and without being disturbed in the regular reading room. Also on the third floor there will be conference rooms where groups can get together for the discussion of matters of common interest. A lecture room, a moving picture room, another where students or faculty may bring their typewriters for use in the building, a staff or reception room, and an excellent museum room for art exhibits or for other similar purposes, are included in the building. It is a satisfaction to us that the building is fully paid for, and that it is so designed that it may be almost indefinitely enlarged if there should be need for such in the future.

We hope that every alumna will visit the College and will help us to enjoy the new building.

J. R. MCCAIN, President.

Alumnae Groups Taken in the Alumnae Garden in May



1912 rallying 'round.



1913 resting in a shady nook during festivities.



1914 had the distinction of bringing the mother of one alumna and two daughters of alumnae members to its luncheon.



May Time and Reunions

Now with zippy breezes and crisp fall sunshine, it may seem a far cry back to May, 1936, but whenever memories of good times can be evoked, alumnae count neither the season nor the manner, so this furnishes only the outline for every alumnae to hang thereupon her own particular memories of those happy spring days when all the world was young again and duties of the outside world rolled off our shoulders like so much water!

When the Friday of commencement week-end dawned, alumnae began to appear from the four corners and you, who have been back, remember the shrieks and wild dashes, the exclamation marks that dot the conversations of alumnae all over the campus: "Just the same old Jane!" "How's the new job?" "Did you bring the picture of that daughter or son?" "It's the same old Aggie, isn't it?" We wouldn't have to say any more for you to know that you were right back in the midst of reunions and alumnae.

The alumnae program was the usual full one, with the children's party, given for alumnae children,—and one of the prettiest sights imaginable—by the Decatur Agnes Scott Club, with a marionette show which thrilled the youngsters with Jack and the Bean Stalk, opening festivities. Saturday was one mad whirl from the time when all met to have that late breakfast in the Tea House to the Trustees' luncheon, to the meeting of the General Alumnae Association following, to Phi Beta banquet that night, followed by Blackfriars' performance. Of course, Sunday was baccalaureate, with Dr. Frank Morgan as the speaker, later Seniors vespers, then Open House given by the Alumnae Association to alumnae, seniors, their visitors, and faculty, which under the able management of Augusta (Skeen) Cooper and her committee was a lovely occasion, taking place in the Alumnae Garden just as the shadows of the late summer sun were falling over Inman. Monday was the time especially reserved for the reunion classes, when the Institute girls, with Miss Hopkins and Miss McKinney as their guests, the girls of the classes of '11, '12, '13 and '14 held their luncheons in the Tea House, and the grads of '30, '31, '32, '33, and '35 held their dinners in the evening. So much talk and so much laughter filled the house that even as we try to write about it, we stop to enjoy the pleasure of it again ourselves. Class day and a concert closed that day, and before alumnae could catch their breath, it was Tuesday and time to snatch breakfast and dash over to see the processional, to hear "Ancient of Days" pealing forth from the auditorium, to revel in the colorful robes and caps of our august faculty, to live again our own day in the black-robed girls who filed a little triumphantly and tremulously into the hall between lines of sophomores and under the loving eyes of parents and friends. Then, it was over! With many a promise to write and to come again next reunion, alumnae followed students in the exodus and those of us left behind collapsed in chairs and talked it all over.

For lack of space, the list of returning alumnae printed below is limited to those who were in the Alumnae House for their reunion luncheons and dinners, but there were many, many other "daughters" back for Trustees' luncheon and other special events whom Agnes Scott welcomed with open arms and to whom she always says:

"Come in the evening! Come in the morning!
Come when called! Come without warning!
"Come!"

ALUMNAE PRESENT AT REUNION LUNCHEONS AND DINNERS

Institute	
Mary (Crenshaw) Palmour, '97, College Park, Ga.	Allie (Watlington) Barnett, '95, Atlanta.
Anna (Hannah) Booth, '99, Atlanta.	Alice (Brumby) Stickney, '94, Atlanta.
Estele (Brown) Gardner, '95, Atlanta.	Louise (Reese) Inman, '96, Atlanta.
Mamie (Mayson) Smith, '95, Decatur.	Margaret Louise (Cannon) Howell, '97, Atlanta.
Helen (Meade) Caffey, '93, Atlanta.	Mary (McPherson) Alston, ex-'94, Atlanta.
Nanna May Baker, '95, Atlanta.	Katie (Steele) Vickers, '97, Atlanta.
Claude (Candler) McKinney, '96, Decatur.	Grace Hannah Booth, '99, Atlanta.
	Bessie (Harwell) Dennis, '95, Atlanta.

- Bessie (Young) Brown, '98, Atlanta.
 Annie (Emery) Flinn, '97, Atlanta.
 Florence (McCormick) Waller, '95, Besse-
 mer, Ala.
 Estelle (Pattillo) Boynton, ex-'98, Atlanta.
 Ruth (Hollyman) Pattillo, ex-'94, Atlanta.
 Lula B. (Wright) Sturgeon, ex-'95, At-
 lanta.
 Mary (Neel) Kendrick, '94, Atlanta.
 Lucy (Durham) Goss, ex-'95, Decatur.
 Roba (Goss) Ansley, ex-1900, Decatur.
 '11, '12, '13, '14 Classes
 Mary Wallace Kirk, '11, Tuscumbia, Ala.
 Carol (Stearns) Wey, '12, Atlanta.
 Martha (Rogers) Noble, '14, Atlanta.
 Lott (Blair) Lawton, '14, Washington,
 D. C.
 Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13, De-
 catur.
 Essie (Roberts) Dupre, '14, Atlanta.
 Mrs. W. T. DuPre, mother of Essie (Rob-
 erts) Dupre, Atlanta.
 Anne Dupre, daughter of Essie (Roberts)
 Dupre, Atlanta.
 Theodosia (Willingham) Anderson, '11,
 Atlanta.
 Hazel (Murphy) Elder, '22, Marietta, Ga.
 Adelaide Cunningham, '11, Atlanta
 Julia Pratt (Smith) Slack, '12, Decatur.
 Allie (Candler) Guy, '13, Atlanta.
 Eleanor (Pinkston) Stokes, '13, Greenville.
 Jamie W. McGaughey, '13, Atlanta.
 Cornelia Cooper, '12, Atlanta.
 Marie (MacIntyre) Alexander, '12, At-
 lanta.
 Fannie G. (Mayson) Donaldson, '12, At-
 lanta.
 Mary Noble, daughter of Martha (Rogers)
 Noble, Atlanta.
 '30, '31, '32, '33, '35 Classes
 Lois (Combs) Kropa, '30, Montclair, N. J.
 Charley Will Candle, '30, Stone Mountain,
 Ga.
 Frances Messer, '30, Atlanta.
 Crystal Hope (Wellborn) Gregg, '30, Mc-
 Clellanville, S. C.
 Catherine (Crawford) Adams, '30, Atlanta.
 Anne McCallie, '31, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Cornelia (Taylor) Stubbs, '31, Atlanta.
 Louise (Ware) Venable, '31, Atlanta.
 Elizabeth Simpson, '31, Atlanta.
 Margaret G. Week, '31, New Iberia, La.
 Shirley (McPhaul) Whitfield, '31, Atlanta.
 Margaret Maness, '32, Atlanta.
 Miriam Thompson, '32, Atlanta.
 Mildred Hall, '31, Decatur.
 Sara (Berry) West, '32, Atlanta.
 Rosemary (Honiker) Rickman, '32, Paris,
 Ky.
 Catherine (Baker) Matthews, '32, Atlanta.
 Sara Lane Smith, '32, Decatur.
 Louise Stakely, '32, Atlanta.
 Olive Weeks, '32, Atlanta.
 Penelope (Brown) Barnett, '32, Atlanta.
 Mary (Miller) Brown, '32, Atlanta.
 Mimi O'Beirne, '32.
 Sara Wilson, '33, Anniston, Ala.
 Jewell Coxwell, '33, Decatur.
 Marie Moss, '33, Decatur.
 Grace (Fincher) Trimble, '33, Atlanta.
 Jura Taffar, '33, Decatur.
 Ora Craig, '33, Decatur.
 Katherine (Woltz) Green, '33, Atlanta.
 Margaret (Belote) Morse, '33, Atlanta.
 Margaret Bell, '33, Shelbyville, Ky.
 Gail Nelson, '33, Atlanta.
 Louella (Dearing) Hunter, '33, Atlanta.
 Helen (Etheredge) Griffin, '33, Quincy,
 Fla.
 Mary Clarke, '33, Atlanta.
 Eugenia Norris, '33, Atlanta.
 Kathleen (Hope) Fling, '33, Atlanta.
 Evelyn Campbell, '33, Atlanta.
 Margaret Ridley, '33, Decatur.
 Bobbie Kilpatrick, '33, Atlanta.
 Willie Florence Eubanks, '35, Atlanta.
 Clara Morrison, '35, Atlanta.
 Katherine Hertzka, '35, Atlanta.
 Ida Lois McDaniel, '35, Atlanta.
 Carol Griffin, '35, East Granby, Conn.
 Mary Summers, '35, Atlanta.
 Virginia Byers, '35, Atlanta.
 Helen Derrick, '35, Augusta, Ga.
 Betty Lou (Houck) Smith, '35, Atlanta.
 Elizabeth Alexander, '35, Atlanta.
 Caroline Dickson, '35, Anderson, S. C.
 Mary Green, '35, Decatur.
 Elizabeth Thrasher, '35, Decatur.
 Marie (Simpson) Rutland, '35, Decatur.
 Vella Marie Behm, '35, Decatur.
 Anne Scott Harman, '35, Atlanta.
 Dorothea Blackshear, '35, Atlanta.
 Jule McClatchey, '35, Atlanta.
 Virginia Wood, '35, Atlanta.
 Frances (Cassels) Stevens, ex-'35, New
 York City.

ETCHING

Each day seems to be an etching,
 That Time, creator bent,
 Worked on with an artist's patience
 And to some client sent
 To hang in the golden chapel
 'Neath the arch of memory.

ELENA GREENFIELD, '32.



WE THINK

LEWIS
HARRISON

(It is the hope of the Quarterly editors that this column may continue in each issue of this year with contributions from our alumnae on interesting and important questions of the day. If you have something to contribute for the next Quarterly, please send it into the Alumnae Office by December 1st. We are very grateful to Dell (Bernhardt) Wilson, '24, for allowing us to publish the following article as our opening discussion. It would be interesting to have some "for and against" answers to the questions she raises!)

"Wisdom was never learned at any knee," says Edwin Arlington Robinson in "Tristram" and, indeed, if I announce that I am about to preach the evils of wasted opportunity, it is probable I shall lose the attention of most readers immediately. Ears become dulled to this repetitious theme long before they are out of high school.

But perhaps I shall regain the interest of a few alumnae if I state that what I shall have to say is concerned with the problems of children and education and money—problems close, I know, to most of us who, as wives or sisters or aunts, are now receiving and endeavoring to disburse salaries to the best interests of family economic units. It has been only since I have been faced with this necessity of disbursing wisely—my twelve years since I left college—that I have acquired anything like a sense of values; and it is also during this twelve-year period that there has been growing on me the conviction that I did not get value received out of the rather sizeable sum spent for my college education.

Twelve years is not a long time for one of my equable temperament and habits of thought to reach a conclusion. This summer, however, I came to the point of voicing my skepticism to one of the few professors with whom I still maintain contact. Her sympathetic interest provided the final stimulus necessary to cause me to offer these reflections to the Quarterly. Though I realize the unfairness of drawing conclusions from a college experience like mine, which was neither regular nor typical, I am going to set them down in the hope that others who have the education of a future generation to consider may be stimulated by my specific and horrid example to think on these things.

I would like at the outset to absolve the college, in the sense of its personnel and curriculum, from any blame for my failure to become educated. The more I reflect upon it, the more certain I become that the proper scholastic ideals and opportunities were there for my improvement, and my regret becomes more poignant, my groveling more abject, as my appreciation of the college's standard increases. I have, on occasion, paid out my money to hear a symphony and had, after it was over, the same sense of wasted privilege. The performance was there, technically and aesthetically perfect, for me to hear, but due to certain inadequacies within me and certain distractions without, most of the music was lost somewhere between the rostrum and my ear. Perhaps my college education—and that of students more and less like me—failed to take full effect for the same reasons: first, because of my immaturities and second, because of outside distractions. Without unduly absolving myself, I feel I must say that these two factors are not entirely the fault of nor in the control of the undergraduate. They should be the concern first, of parents, and second, of the college.

I shall not take up here the question of parental responsibility. One notes gladly, however, that modern educational facilities are producing more and more college-bred parents who comprehend college problems and are sending to their alma maters surprisingly well-poised offspring. Such was not entirely the case even in my day.

To what extent is the immaturity of the college student recognized by the college? I am too far removed at present to say. I know Agnes Scott's standing, and I know that, besides the entrance requirements, certain other factors are taken into consideration in the selection of candidates so

that a high type of student may be assured. I recall a statement of Dr. McCain's on this subject which seemed rather strange to me at the time but which has clarified itself in my mind since. "We want girls," he said, "whose parents can just barely afford to keep them here." I understand now the qualities of character likely to be formed by a home environment not too luxurious or indulgent. Undoubtedly a selection of girls who had by necessity been forced to live close to reality would make for a mature student body.

Perhaps the real gauge of the maturity of an incoming class is not to be found on their entrance cards. I have seen it accurately measured in the eyes of the faculty committees who, tongue in cheek, receive those cards: "How young they are! how lovely! how young!" And we have seen it in each other's eyes, have we not, O returning sisters—seen it with shame and a sense of the years: "Was I ever as young as that? How young they are! how lovely! how young!"

How is this immaturity, less or more, met by the college? I can recall only imperfectly, but my impression is that it is loftily ignored. From the outset, save for certain shadowy guardians mentioned as faculty advisors and upperclass sisters, the incoming student is thrown on her own. She is treated not merely as a college but as a university "woman." Early in the year she is, or used to be, assigned Newman's "Idea of a University" to read and follow. I believe in all this. It has been my observation in my small family that high example and inspiration are the best of good discipline. But they call for a degree of perception and maturity in the discipline.

Distractions as I knew them were of two kinds—the purely social ones occurring mostly outside the campus; and those within the walls, the extra-curricular activities of the student body. Of the two, the former were probably less harmful as they were purely pleasurable and did not involve the back-breaking work often attendant upon those instigated by the students themselves.

It happened, unfortunately for me, that I had a smattering of small abilities—I cannot call them talents—which found ready expression in extra-curricular activities. I recall it was customary to give the Freshman class cards on which they might list their outside interests and their aptitudes, if any. I was delighted with this, and checked everything, later modestly erasing one aptitude lest I appear too boastful. Had I read as I ran, I would have heard Newman warn "Recreations are not education; accomplishments are not education." But pleasanter vistas than

English I were being opened to me, fascinating occupations invented by student ingenuity or bequeathed by college tradition. Few indeed became the classes to which I gave undivided attention. I managed not to flunk—much—but my grades were always poor, and as for the digestion of what I learned, the discussion and contemplation urged by Newman as the means by which knowledge is converted to culture—well, that was something out of a book.

It is my observation that boarding students fall loosely into three groups: first, the campus leaders, holders of the best student offices, exceptional girls and therefore fair students; second, the "bones," the bookworms, universally despised; third is the group of the merely average, the genial and the willing. The first group is protected from too great dissipation of energies by its own maturity and by the point system; the second is ignored; but it is the third that bears the trivial burdens of campus life. Theirs not to reason why, theirs but to make posters, serve on committees, decorate the chapel and be the audience. I know, for it was to this group I belonged and for them I make my plea.

The arguments for extra-curricular activities are perfectly familiar to me. They formed my creed during four years of college life. Even Newman avers that there is much to be said for such. Only, when one speaks of extra-curricular activities, how much does the term have to cover? how much per girl? and which girls? It seems to me that when I left college, campus activities were becoming pretty much like my Christmas lists of today: many items are added, but no names are ever dropped.

Perhaps, as I say, it is unwise of me, out of my own imperfect experience, to generalize or offer advice. I have given the matter a good deal of thought, however, and though it is too late to do much about me, I have certain definite aims in regard to my offspring which I will offer for what they are worth.

The more I see of the strain and competition of modern life, the more I believe in the idea of training for living, as well as for making a living. This is the old traditional, liberal arts, Agnes Scott idea. If such privileges are financially possible, I shall wish to send my children to such a college, but I realize that I shall have to have them well-prepared and mature before they are ready to comprehend the university spirit. I would like to choose a school where learning is made to seem important, attractive and inspiring. I believe one way of doing this would be to make much of the professor-pupil relationship, "an alma mater, knowing her children one

by one." I would not object to a little oversight and discipline, individually adjusted, if this is not presupposing a positively celestial faculty. I still think with delight of the Lecture Association at Agnes Scott, and hope that it has been continued. The inspirational value of personal contact with great people is inestimable, and I want my children to remember their college years as being full of good talk, good music and good art. And, by the way, I shall insist that they never sell a text book. They may not always have access to a good library, and more

things may be wrought by an old syllabus than Sophomores dream of.

Campus interests they should have, certainly; I should like them to know a sensible neglect of books. But I want their outside activities to be relaxing, healthy and pleasurable rather than in the nature of more work. And how much better those less arduous sports like tennis, golf and swimming, which may be carried over into later life, than hockey and basket-ball.

Mine are boys, of course—husky ones, and already I am getting my anti-football data in hand.

Dell (Bernhardt) Wilson, '24.

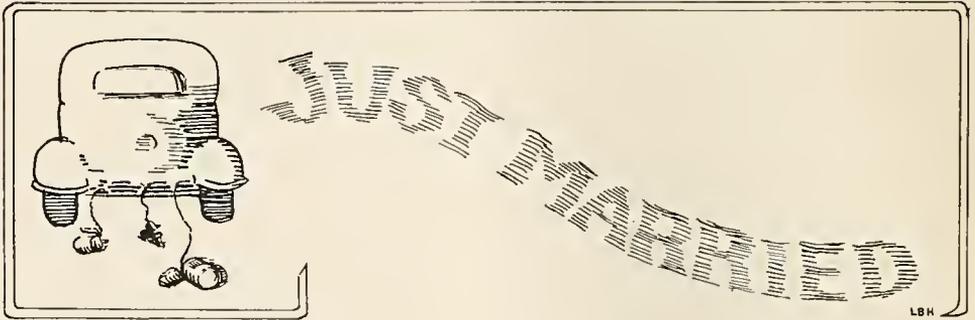
Daughters of the Institute Back for Reunion in May



At the reunion luncheon of the reunion classes of the Institute days of Agnes Scott held in the Alumnae House, twenty-four former students were present, Miss Louise McKinney, loved teacher from Institute days, and "Principal" Nannette Hopkins being delighted guests of these girls. Lucy (Durham) Goss was in charge of reunion plans for these years and such a job as she did! In fact such a job that every one said the reunion was to be an annual one and phooley to any Alumnae Association which said such things can't be!

So many were the tales told of midnight boxes, of feasts after lights, of serenades by Decatur boys out on the dummy tracks on moonlight nights, of candy lifted up by means of sheets from the serenaders, that the students of today may well cogitate as to whether so much freedom hasn't taken a little something of the zest out of college!

It was a grand party, that reunion luncheon. And if you who weren't there want to know who was, look under the article headed "May Time and Reunions" and you will find them listed. And at the next one in May, they are planning to have the boys! Boys? Yes, there were six that first year Agnes Scott opened, Dr. Lewis Gaines and Mr. Don Donaldson being the present local alumni. None of them came back for the second year but according to Lucy (Durham) Goss they are all proud of their Alma Mater and will be among those present another year.



ALEXANDER-PARKER: Mary Charles Alexander, '33, to Benjamin Funderburk Parker in June.

AUSTIN-MANN: Gladys Ruth Austin, '29, to William Ellis Mann, in June.

BARRON-LEITCH: Aloe Risse Barron, '34, to James John Leitch, in July.

BELOTE-MORSE: Margaret Alice Belote, '33, to Frank Regan Morse, on August 11.

BRIGGS-BELLAMY: Leonora Briggs, '29, to Lester Bellamy, in June.

BROWN-LOGAN: Laura Brown, '32, to Dr. Charles Logan, on May 31.

BROWN-HAMRICK: Janice Brown, ex-'35, to James Nathaniel Hamrick, on July 14.

CANNON-PERRY: Gwynne Cannon, '24, to John McDonald Perry.

CASSEL-FRAZER: Dorothy Cassel, '34, to Dr. Havelock Frank Frazer, on June 3.

COMBS-KROPA: Lois Combs, '30, to Edward Lewis Kropa, on July 11.

COX-HOUSE: Mary Elizabeth Cox, ex-'39, to Oscar Carl House on August 4.

CUNNINGHAM-CAYCE: Mary Elizabeth Cunningham, ex-'28, to Eldred Cayce, on September 12.

DAVIS - WALTERS: Ellen Cornelia Davis, '36, to James Durham Walters, on August 1.

DAVIS-GARY: Elsie Bischoff Davis, '28, to Paul Turner Gary, on May 2.

DONNELLY-MEEHAM: Mary E. Donnelly, ex-'10, to Lieut. Col. John William Meeham, U. S. A., on September 16.

EVANS - LEICHPFIELD: Mary Jane Evans, '35, to James Leichfield, in June.

GAINES - WILBURN: Mary Eloise Gaines, '28, to Clifton Benjamin Wilburn, on September 29.

GERATY - SNOWDEN: Mary Adelia Geraty, ex-'33, to Barnard Elliott Baker Snowden, in the fall.

GLASS - WOMELDORF: Margaret Downton Glass, '33, to John Andrew Womeldorf, in June.

GOODRICH-GREEN: Mary Jane Goodrich, '30, to Wilson Payne Green, on August 8.

GRIER-EDMUNDS: Elizabeth Grier, '28, to Leland Edmunds, on August 26.

HARRIS-SASNETT: Mrs. Ruth B. Harris, ex-'30, to William Burke Sasnett, on June 26.

HENDERSON-VAN DE ERVE: Julia Dowd Henderson, ex-'35, to Mark Robert Van de Erve, on September 12.

HILLHOUSE - BALDWIN: Nell Hillhouse, '28, to John Charles Baldwin, on September 5.

HOKE-McGEHEE: Laura Hoke, ex-'33, to Charles Burman McGehee, on May 16.

HUDSON - DANKINS: Anne Chapin Hudson, '32, to Frank Dankins, on May 23.

HUMBER - LITTLE: Anna Stallings Humber, '35, to Winston Woodward Little, in August.

HUTTON-MOUNT: Dorothy Winifred Hutton, '29, to James Edward Mount, on June 10.

HUTCHINSON-JACKSON: Mary Elizabeth Hutchinson, '35, to James Gibson Jackson, on April 2.

JOHNSON-THOMPSON: Elizabeth Johnson, '34, to Leonard Marbrey Thompson, on July 7.

KUMP-ROBERTS: Margaret Kump, '34, to Donald Russell Roberts, on September 9.

LEWIS-CHANDLER: Jane Elizabeth Lewis, '36, to John Lidelle Chandler, on July 29.

MATHIS-HOLT: Betty Mathis, ex-'38, to Thad G. Holt, on October 5.

MATHIS-HOLLAND: Hettie Mathis, '32, to Marvin Holland, on September 1.

McCAIN-BOYCE: Louise Irene McCain, '34, to Eugene Maxwell Boyce, on August 14.

McMURRY-ROLLESTON: Hester McMurry, '16, to Moreton S. Rolleston, Sr.

McWHORTER-JORDAN: Adelaide McWhorter, '30, to Richard Lawton Jordan, on June 20.

MERRIT-CAVENAUGH: Marian Johnson Merritt, '24, to Harold Rupert Cavanaugh, on June 13.

MORRIS-MITCHELL: Mildred Morris, '30, to Lane Mitchell, in June.

PARKS-ACTON: Nevelyn Parks, ex-'36, to Herbert R. Acton, Jr., on July 16.

PAYNE-BAUGH: Carolyn Payne, ex-'30, to James Franklin Berry Baugh, on June 10.

ROBERTSON-JARMAN: Evelyn Robertson, '36, to Martin Jarman, on June 24.

SKEEN-DAWSEY: Mary Elizabeth Skeen, '32, to Thomas Wiley Dawsey, in July.

SPIVEY - MASSEY: Laura Jarman Spivey, '33, to William Kenney Massie, Jr., on September 6.

SYDNOR-McCORMICK: Louise Leyburn Sydnor, '28, to Hugh Holmes McCormick, Jr., on June 6.

THRASHER-BALDWIN: Elizabeth Thrasher, '35, to Asbury Quillian Baldwin, in October.

TUCKER-STURTEVANT: Norma Tucker, '26, to Julian Flad Sturtevant, on September 11.

VINES-WRIGHT: Mary Henderson Vines, '36, to Charles Corley Wright, on October 1.

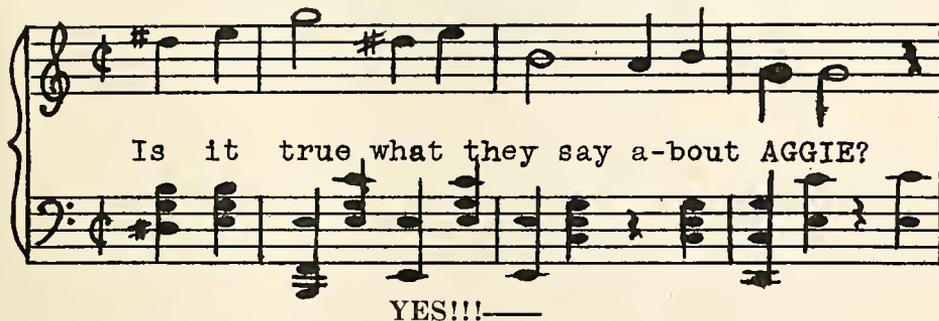
WAID-TAYLOR: Frances Thurber Waid, special '35, to George Otis Taylor, Jr., on September 14.

WALKER-WELLS: Jane Walker, ex-'20, to John Edward Wells, on August 29.

WESLEY - ROBINSON: Louise Elizabeth Wesley, '33, to Nelson Robinson, on May 9.

WILLIAMS-LESLEY: Kathryn Williams, ex-'36, to H. G. Lesley, on June 16.

YOUNG-BELL: Martha Hall Young, ex-'36, to Reginald Bell, on June 26.



THE NEW LIBRARY does have a terrace with tables and striped umbrellas that smack of Paris and Palm Beach!

BOYD, the ex-private domain of the quiet-loving faculty, has been changed to regular bedlam since the Freshmen and Giddy were turned loose in it. A few stray cats that had to move from Science Hall add to the social life of the place. The cats and a fine bull frog in the Alumnae Garden lily pool broadcast nightly over ASC.

REBEKAH LOBBY does have gorgeous new furniture, and gold draperies to boot, and it is now *the* place on the campus for dates!

THE LIBRARY STAFF has a cute little kitchenette, completely equipped with a GE refrigerator and electric stove, hidden away up in the west corner in their lounge, and when they get fed up on the students and too many books, they seek nourishment of a different order in the seclusion of their private domain. (Note: The profit on imported tea has increased by leaps and bounds in this region due to the tremendous demands from the Agnes Scott library staff.)

THE SILHOUETTE TEA ROOM, under the management of Mrs. Kerrison, is open all day long, and the ten-to-ten-thirty hour is especially dedicated to the freshmen. A radio has been placed in the tea room and dancing before bedtime is allowed and even encouraged!

THE AGNES SCOTT RADIO PROGRAM has been radically changed and will present a series of episodes in the lives of three college girls over the weekly broadcast. The prom-trotter, the bookworm, and the tom-boy athlete compose the cast. The first installments are plenty good!

THE RED LEATHER COUCHES in the library are the last word in sumptuousness. They turn one's thought to cozy fires and *the person* instead of to Freud and the latest dirt on the chromosomes! If they would put those couches in the date parlors, me thinks the sixty-six per cent would increase by leaps and bounds.

The Four Weeks That Don't Make a Month!



Left to right: Violet, '29, Margaret, '31, Olive, '32, and Lilly Weeks, '36, four sisters who have graduated from Agnes Scott College.

“There is a Little Wisdom to be Won...”

There is a little wisdom to be won
 From Time, the ruthless runner in the dark,
 Who takes our treasured days beneath the sun
 And leaves us nothing but a cryptic mark
 To ponder on the ground. His giant word
 The pigmy mind must battle to construe,
 And though it never can be plainly said,
 Its meaning splits the narrow heart in two.
 Love, if it be love, will wake from sleep,
 As winter trees, untroubled yet by spring,
 Have for uncounted Aprils felt the deep
 Compulsion of the earth's awakening.
 Love, if it be love, is like the earth,
 That comes unnumbered seasons to re-birth.

JANEF NEWMAN PRESTON, '21.

Annual Reports

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL ALUMNAE MEETING

The Agnes Scott Alumnae Association met on Saturday, May 30, at 3:30 o'clock in Mr. Johnson's studio. The change in time and place for the meeting proved very satisfactory as many alumnae remained after the Trustees' luncheon for the meeting.

Mrs. Frances (Craighead) Dwyer presided over the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the treasurer was accepted.

The message from the president brought the splendid news of a gift of \$400.00 voted the Association by the Trustees.

Report of the former general secretary, Dorothy Hutton, was read.

Mrs. Crawford Barnett, chairman of the nominating committee, gave the following report:

President: Daisy Frances Smith, '24.

First vice-president: Janice Stewart Brown, '24.

Second vice-president: Nannie Campbell, '23.

Secretary: Helene (Norwood) Lambers, '22.

Treasurer: Margaret Ridley, '33.

Committee chairmen are:

Radio Publicity: Ruth Moore, '34.

Newspaper Publicity: Letitia (Rockmore) Lange, '33.

Curriculum: Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13.

Tea Room: Martha Stansfield, '21.

Local Clubs: Sara Slaughter, '26.

Grounds: Eloise (Gay) Brawley, '16.

Entertainment: Betty Lou (Houck) Smith, '35.

Student Loan: Kenneth Maner, '27.

Constitution and By-Laws: Mary (Crenshaw) Palmour, Institute.

Reports of the following standing committees were given: entertainment, preparatory schools, local clubs, house and tea room, house decorations, publicity, student loan. The constitution was presented for revision as recommended by Patricia Collins, chairman of Committee on By-Laws and Constitution. The revision was accepted.

Announcement was made that Frances (Craighead) Dwyer, retiring president of the Association, was appointed Alumnae Trustee.

The meeting was adjourned, there being no other business.

Respectfully submitted,

Louise (Brown) Hastings,

Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE AGNES SCOTT ALUMNAE COUNCIL MEETING

The Agnes Scott Alumnae Council met in the Anna Young Alumnae House on May 28, 1936, at 4 o'clock. Twenty-five members of the Council were present. Frances (Craighead) Dwyer presided.

The meeting was opened with the reading of the minutes.

Mrs. Dwyer discussed the obligations of alumnae to the college, and Miss Nanette Hopkins talked on the advancements and improvements in the relations between the students and the college. More liberal social privileges have brought about contentment and happiness, and noticeably pleasant relationships exist between the faculty and students. The new library gives an opportunity for more quiet study and concentration.

The largest senior class in the history of Agnes Scott was graduated this year, with 107 degrees awarded.

Adelaide Stevens, president of Student Government reported:

1. Check on executive, judiciary, and legislative branch of administration.

2. Parliamentary class conducted by Miss Florence Smith.

3. Suggestion that a member of Mortar Board be placed on Council.

4. Mortar Board wishes a committee of three appointed to decorate the day student rooms.

Sarah Spencer, president of Y. W. C. A., reported:

1. Theme of programs for the year was "Realizing Christ."

2. The Y. W. C. A. had sponsored a series of vocational guidance courses.

3. The Social Service Group worked with the Syrian Mission in Atlanta.

Mary Snow, President of Day Students, reported:

1. Mortar Board built mail boxes in day student room in basement of Main Building.

2. Requests for tea room sandwiches at price of drug store ones.

Dr. J. R. McCain reported:

1. Extensive new pavements as part of elaborate building plan.

2. New library.

3. Plans for Faculty House.

4. Improvement of May Day grounds.

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Louise (Brown) Hastings.

SECRETARY'S REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The Executive Committee of the Agnes Scott Alumnae Association met at the Alumnae House, May 11, at 2 o'clock, the president, Frances (Craighead) Dwyer, presiding.

Following the new policy of this body, no regular reports, except that of the General Secretary, Dorothy Hutton, were read. The committees presented only the problems and situations which had developed during their year's work, or suggestions for next year's work.

The committee unanimously and heartily voted that a wedding present be sent to Dorothy Hutton, it being the sense of the meeting that any such present would only be a small representation of the affection in which she is held by the alumnae.

Following the report of the treasurer and the presentation of the proposed budget, Sarah Belle (Brodnax) Hansell offered the suggestion of an endowment plan for insuring the future of the Alumnae House, which plan was enthusiastically referred to the attention of the incoming Board.

A change in the personnel of the tea room management was presented by Dick Scandrett, chairman of the Tea Room Committee. Eight applicants had been interviewed with no satisfactory results and many problems had been considered by this committee. There was a discussion of a return to the former policy of alumnae management of the tea room with a paid tea room manager. After much consideration, the matter was left for final decision in the hands of a special committee appointed by the president, consisting of these people: Dick Scandrett, Cora Frazer (Morton) Durrett, Fannie G. (Maysen) Donaldson.

Alberta Palmour, field alumnae secretary, expressed the need for closer contact with alumnae office in her work, feeling that much more could be accomplished if preparatory correspondence were carried on by the alumnae office.

Helene (Norwood) Lammers, vice chairman of the House Decorations Committee, told of the plans and hopes for the re-decoration of the Alumnae House, following the plan of Mary Miller, a local decorator.

The president suggested a plan for another year: that the Seniors be guests of honor at the Open House during commencement week-end and that the regular Senior party of the Alumnae program be changed to one in honor of the Junior class, thus giving the Alumnae Associa-

tion an early contact with the student body.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Louise (Brown) Hastings, '23,
Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

A special meeting of the Executive Board was called at the Alumnae House on May 28 at 3 o'clock.

Recommendations from the former secretary were submitted, asking that the office of the Alumnae Association be moved to Buttrick Hall, and explanatory reasons were presented.

Angusta (Skeen) Cooper moved that this recommendation not be considered since it would destroy the tie between the student body and the Alumnae House.

Frances (Craighead) Dwyer presented a revised Constitution, recommended by Patricia Collins, chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee of the Executive Board. This revision was accepted.

The meeting adjourned as there was no further business.

Respectfully submitted,
Louise (Brown) Hastings.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

Advancement was hardly the keynote of the Alumnae Association's activities for 1935-36. We have been able, however, to carry on the usual routine, the maintaining of the Alumnae House and office, the publication of three creditable quarterlies and the upkeep of the files.

The secretary's salary was reinstated; this was one of our objectives for the year. The other objective was to increase substantially the number of alumnae memberships; this we did not achieve.

The administration has recommended that we have two alumnae secretaries, one to carry on the office work; the other to represent the Association at local club meetings and to make an effort to interest additional alumnae in Association work. Through the co-operation of the college this has been made possible for next year; Mrs. D. B. Donaldson will direct the work of the Association and Miss Nell Chamlee will be in charge of the office work.

This administration also realized that the work of the Association is handicapped by its present budget and that we are not able to do all for the college that we could accomplish with an increased budget. This situation was outlined to the Board of Trustees on May 29, 1936; they

voted to give the Association \$1,200.00 for 1936 which is an increase of \$400.00 over the previous gift.

Committees and individuals have cooperated with the Executive Committee to carry on the Association's work this year and in completing my two-year office, let me thank all of you for your support. Let me express my enjoyment in serving as our president; it was a position of honor and I sincerely appreciate your having chosen me for this office.

Respectfully submitted,
Frances (Craighead) Dwyer,
President.

REPORT OF THE GENERAL SECRETARY

With the help of seven students now in College on student loan, the Alumnae Secretary has carried on the routine work incidental to the Alumnae Office and Alumnae House.

With the hope that an Alumnae Directory might be published this spring, particular attention was given throughout the session to file correction. A request was mailed early in the year to class secretaries and to local club presidents, asking them to bring the information submitted up to date. With the additional help of the Field Alumnae Secretary, in her extensive contacts with alumnae, as well as high school students, many further corrections were made possible for the files. Frequent inquiries from local branches of the A. A. U. W. for a list of those eligible to membership in that locale led to our recording on the geographic file, the additional information of the class of each alumna. As an experiment this session, one dues-notice took the form of an appeal which was accompanied by a sample sheet—or sheets—from the Quarterly with news of the class of the particular alumna who had dropped membership with the Association. So gratifying was the response to this, that the present Secretary is passing on to her successor the suggestion that this type of appeal be used in the fall for the entire list of former alumnae members. The information of classification had also to be added to these cards. These details, while dry, will account for many hours of tedious work.

The Alumnae Quarterly has been published three times. The fourth issue was eliminated because of next year's set-up and its requirement of \$100 more for salaries. It is hoped that an increased membership and sound financial program next session will make possible a full schedule of this publication. In looking ahead, the Secretary hopes that the Agnes Scott Alumnae Quarterly can adopt the

advertising used by similar publications, thereby increasing the revenue for its publication.

Regular monthly contacts have been maintained with the Atlanta Club, the Decatur Club, the Atlanta Business Girls' Club, and the local branch of the A. A. U. W. In February the Alumnae Secretary, accompanied by the Field Alumnae Secretary, made a trip to Rock Hill, S. C., to attend the regional conference of District Three of the American Alumni Council. The Secretary gave a paper on "Training the Undergraduate for Alumnae-hood."

In January the Secretary made a trip to Columbus, Ga., and to Birmingham, Ala., with the Field Alumnae Secretary. In this way she met with two out-of-town alumnae groups.

Three informal meetings of the Granddaughters have been arranged and attended by the Secretary. Many expressions of the appreciation of this group have come to the office.

At the suggestion of the Secretary, local high school students were entertained during this session at parties for their individual schools. The Association should be very grateful to Alberta Palmour for the original and capable way in which she has taken charge of this project. The Secretary helped with only two of these during her absence from the campus.

In November a reunion of the class of '35 was promoted. Reunions this spring have been covered by form letters from the Secretary to those in the classes of '93, '94, '95, '11, '12, '13, '14, '30, '31, '32, '33, and '35.

In connection with radio publicity, the office worked with a committee in preparing the Founder's Day program. Its success should be attributed to Polly Vaughan, Mary Ben (Wright) Erwin, Margaret Belote, Betty Lou (Houck) Smith, and Janef Preston and to the performers themselves—Miss Hopkins, Dr. McCain, Miss Torrance, Mary Evelyn Wall, Mr. Julius Scott, and Mr. Luther Carroll. The Secretary tried to send to alumnae, through the daily correspondence, up-to-date information of the radio programs to be sponsored each Wednesday, and to follow through by having some one local alumna listen in each week and pass on some comment to the chairman and the participants.

Never before has the Alumnae House had such regular boarders. The session has brought many guests to us for a longer than usual period of time and while their presence in the House created additional expenses, the income has been remarkably good and has warranted our exceeding the budget allotment for maintenance and upkeep and furnishing. The addition of

furniture to the living room by the Atlanta Club has evoked many compliments. On the exterior, we feel that the House has been greatly improved by the walk and shrubs which have been made possible by the college and the Grounds Committee.

Taking our cue from other up-and-coming associations, it seems advisable to anticipate that day when our office will be with the others in the Administration Building. Many valuable personal contacts with students and faculty are being lost through the many present necessary trips across the campus. In the office itself, the filing of old annual cuts in a systematic and practical way in Buttrick Hall, in space formerly utilized by the Library, should be worked toward, as should the practice of keeping for each alumna an individual folder in which will be filed all correspondence with her and a complete record of her activities as a student and as an alumna. I have the very definite feeling, too, that the office in the future when sufficient personnel will warrant it, should beg the privilege of handling placement, as this will give the alumnae a sense of gratitude for this service and a closer tie to the association.

Perhaps my successors in office will look back over the years 1932-1936 as barren of outstanding achievement. Such is the feeling of the Secretary from the present outlook. So high a standard for our Association was set by my predecessor, that it has been all we could do to carry on the work outlined by her and her committees. It is with a sense of gratitude that the office is turned back over to her, and with a feeling of assurance that through her capable hands we will be guided into broader channels than those achieved by her successor and predecessor.

The friendships made among many alumnae and the diversified experiences of Alumnae Secretary are keenly appreciated. The one regret of the out-going secretary is that the privilege of such a position cannot be extended to all of our alumnae, some seven thousand to date!

Respectfully submitted,
Dorothy Hutton,
Alumnae Secretary.

REPORT OF THE HOUSE AND TEA ROOM COMMITTEE

Since the arrangement for the Tea Room management is on a commercial basis and since part of the former responsibility of the Committee has been taken over by the House Decorations Committee, the activities of the Tea Room Committee for this year have not been extensive, its primary function necessarily having been to put the Tea Room and its services before its

possible patrons, and to make suggestions to the manager.

There was one meeting of the committee in the Fall. At this time the Faculty representative and the student representatives made definite suggestions to be presented to the Tea Room manager, as to needed improvements in service and menu, etc. The manager received the suggestions and complied with some of them.

At the suggestion of the House Decorations Committee a letter, in the name of the Tea Room Committee, was sent from the office to each of the local Agnes Scott Clubs asking that if convenient and agreeable they have as part of their April meeting a linen shower to help meet the needs of the Alumnae House. The response to this letter is given in the House Decorations Committee report. \$10.95 was turned over to the Tea Room Committee by the Alumnae Secretary. This has been used to replace the broken pieces of china in the set of eight used in the private dining room. The order has been placed with Mr. Harry Dobbs and the china will be available for use next session.

The chairman of the committee has been working in cooperation with the Alumnae Secretary in trying to make the best arrangements for the Tea Room for the coming year. The present manager has resigned. In view of the present financial status it has been thought wise to continue the management of the Tea Room on the present basis, at least for the coming session. A contract has been offered to Mrs. Ethel Kerrison for the session 1936-1937.

Respectfully submitted,
Carrie Scandrett,
Chairman.

REPORT OF LOCAL CLUBS COMMITTEE

In making the report for the Local Clubs Committee for 1935-1936, the chairman wishes to emphasize the fact that, as the burden of the work is necessarily carried by the General Secretary and the Field Secretary, to them should go the credit for the achievements listed below.

A club bulletin has been sent from time to time to the Local Clubs from the General Secretary, and the committee chairman has endeavored to keep in touch with all the groups by correspondence throughout the year.

The following clubs have entertained a visitor from the Campus during the year: The Atlanta, Atlanta Business Girls', and the Decatur Clubs have been regularly visited by the General Secretary and by the Field Secretary when in town. The Birmingham Club entertained seniors in high schools there in January and was visited

by the General Secretary and the Field Secretary. The Charlotte Club was visited by the Field Secretary and the President in October and had an additional campus contact with the visit of Dr. G. P. Hayes on Founder's Day. The Columbia Club was reorganized in February and visited by the Field Secretary at that time. The Columbus Club was visited by the General Secretary and the Field Secretary in January. The Jacksonville Club and the Tampa Club were visited in April by Carrie Scandrett, '24, Assistant Dean and Assistant Registrar, and by the Field Secretary.

The Tampa Club was formed on Founder's Day, largely due to the efforts of the President, who visited Tampa in January.

A list of other clubs reporting Founder's Day meetings follows: Atlanta, Atlanta Business Girls', Decatur, Charlotte, Chattanooga, Chicago, Memphis, Mississippi, Nashville, New York City, and Winston-Salem.

The following clubs in addition have been visited by the Field Secretary: New Orleans, in November; Little Rock and Memphis, in December; Savannah in March, and Augusta in April. Meetings were also held in Austin, Texas, and Lake Charles, La., during the Field Secretary's stay in these cities.

The following local clubs have sent gifts: from the Mississippi Club, \$10.00 to replace the broken pieces of the private dining room china; from the Charlotte Club, \$8.00 for linens; from the Atlanta Club, linens, two consoles, and a love seat for the living room; from the Atlanta Business Girls' Club, linen to the house; from the Decatur Club, linens and this group will make a gift of money or furniture to the house by commencement; from the Knoxville Club, linen dish towels for the kitchen; from the New Orleans Club, linen cloths and napkins for the Tea Room; from the Tampa Club, linens.

Respectfully submitted,
 Mary Waller Shepherd,
 Chairman.

Committee:
 Dorothy Hutton,
 Elinor (Hamilton) Hightower,
 Alberta Palmour,
 Emily (Spivey) Simmons,
 Mary N. Barton.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE OPEN ACCOUNT

Receipts June 1, 1935-May 30, 1936	Actual		Proposed Budget	
	Actual	Estimated	Total	1936-37
Tea Room Rent	\$350.00	\$50.00	\$400.00	\$400.00
Room Rent	251.51	25.00	276.51	150.00
Dues (less ex. \$1.60)	812.50	20.00	832.50	900.00

Rent from Caps,			
Gowns and Hoods	149.00	149.00	135.00
Gift from College	800.00	800.00	800.00
Miscellaneous	53.48	63.48	
Interest on			
Sav. Acct.	\$26.99	25.99	23.85
Sale of Quarterlies	3.00		
Phone Tolls	26.49		

Totals -----\$2417.49 95.00 2512.49 2415.85
 Balance, June 1, 1935 217.68

Total	2635.17		
Less disbursements	2518.56		
(Itemized Below)			
Deposited June 2, 1935	88.25		
Disbursed June 2, 1936	1.00		
Bal. on Acct.,			
June 2, 1936	\$203.86		
Disbursements June 1, 1935-May 30, 1936			
Secretary	\$900.00	\$900.00	1000.00
Dues	32.50	32.50	32.50
Office Supplies, Printing and Postage	936.83	936.83	800.00
Alumnae House			
Operating Expense	151.93	12.00	163.93
Furnish. & Upkeep	147.33		147.33
Maid	108.00		108.00
Insurance			76.50
Alumnae Garden	35.00		35.00
Entertainment	65.00		65.00
Traveling Expense	31.09		31.09
Miscellaneous	110.88		110.88
Photographs	\$ 1.50		
Alumnae			
Week-End	37.99		
Wedding Gift	25.00		
Telegrams	2.29		
N.S.F.A. Tea	.50		
Audit of Books	5.00		
Refund on			
Senior Gown	1.00		
Agonistic Ad.	.75		
Petty Cash	12.00		
Phone Tolls	24.85		

Totals -----\$2518.56 12.00 2530.56 2415.86

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Balance, June 1, 1935	\$1538.22
Interest, June 30, 1935	14.35
Interest, December 31, 1935	11.64
Partial Repayment on Pergola Loan	2.00
One Life Membership	60.00

Total -----\$1616.21
 Less Interest Credited to Open Account 25.99

Balance, May 30, 1936	1590.22
Balance Due on Garden Loan	53.02
Deposited June 2, 1936 (On Garden Loan)	10.00
Balance on Account June 2, 1936	1600.22
Balance Due on Garden Loan	43.02

Respectfully submitted,
 Philippa Gilchrist, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PREPARATORY SCHOOLS

As ex-officio chairman of the Committee on Preparatory Schools, the Field Secretary of the Agnes Scott College Alumnae Association wishes to make the fol-

lowing report of the work for the year 1935-36. From October 13 through April 24, 8 trips ranging from 2 days to six weeks were made—in the fall in Dr. McCain's Chrysler, after Christmas in the new college Plymouth—at a total cost of \$432.66. 116 cities in 10 states were visited; talks made in 107 schools; principals contacted in 34 others; and movies of the college shown in 91. Teas for prospective students were had in three cities. Through group meetings, visits, or telephone calls, approximately 237 alumnae were contacted, outside of Atlanta and Decatur.

The Field Secretary wishes to thank the following people for acting as traveling companions and for helping so materially with the work: Mrs. Francis Dwyer, '28, on the Charlotte trip; Dorothy Hutton, '29, Columbus and Birmingham; Miss Carrie Scandrett, '24, Florida; Jacqueline Woolfolk, '35, Texas; Alice McCallie, '36, Chattanooga; Eugenia Symms, Mary Hull, Catherine Bishop, Katherine Liepold, and Carolyn White, '36, Augusta. Meriel Bull, '36, represented the college at the college day exercises at both Winston-Salem and Greensboro, N. C.

An innovation in the field work this year was a trip to Texas in the fall, including the cities of Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, and San Antonio. Observations made on this trip are: (1) That the college is very slightly known so far west; (2) that although Texas schools are splendidly equipped and offer excellent courses, in few instances do students from these schools have sufficient units in Latin to enter Agnes Scott; (3) That the scarcity of alumnae in Texas, and the attendant increase in expenses, make it doubtful whether this trip will be undertaken again within the next several years. A trip to the East contacting private schools was not made this year as it is thought that such a trip every other year will keep the college in touch with the eastern preparatory schools.

At the suggestion of Dorothy Hutton a new plan of entertainment for the local high school girls has been tried this year. Eight separate parties have been had for the individual schools, throughout the year. The entertainment has consisted of hockey games, swimming meets, a dance recital, wiener roast, a Blackfriar play, dinners in the dining room, and after-dinner coffees. It is hoped that because of more individual attention, local girls will become more interested in Agnes Scott.

Other duties while on the campus have been: (1) Sending out notices about competitive examination, as a result of which 130 girls took the examination in March; (2) Planning future trips and following up those already made; (3) Writing per-

sonal letters to prospects with which correspondence Mortar Board helped; (4) Assisting Mr. Stukes in taking new movies; (5) Entertaining on the campus prospective students from out of the city.

Next year it is hoped that the work of the alumnae office and that of the field secretary may be more closely connected, delegating more and more to the alumnae office the writing of letters to the alumnae in regard to the Field Secretary's visiting the various localities.

As Field Secretary, I wish to express my deep appreciation to all the alumnae who have so graciously entertained me in their homes and who have so ably assisted me in assembling groups of alumnae and in making arrangements at the high schools.

Respectfully submitted,
Alberta Palmour.

REPORT OF THE CURRICULUM COMMITTEE

Since the project of the Curriculum Committee—the sponsoring of the Alumnae Week-End—involves many details, its purpose seems best accomplished by small sub-committees working independently and submitting plans to the general committee for ratification. The following are the committee chairmen with their committees who planned and carried out the program for the Alumnae Week-End in 1936: Program for Feb. 21, Catherine Torrance, Louise Lewis, Martha Crowe; Program for Feb. 22, Florence Smith, Carrie Scandrett, Ellen Douglas Leyburn; Luncheon for Alumnae, Eloise (Gay) Brawley, Florence (Perkins) Ferry; Exhibit of Colonial Relics, Helene (Norwood) Lammers; Luncheon for Alumnae and Children, Louise Girardeau, Hilda (McConnell) Adams, Sarah (Carter) Masee, Kenneth Maner; Children's Program, Llewellyn Wilburn; Radio Program for Founder's Day, Janef Preston, Polly Vaughn; Local Club's Dinner, Sarah Belle (Brodnax) Hansell, Frances (Craighead) Dwyer; Registration, Kitty (Woltz) Green, Nelle Chamlee; Publicity, Dorothy Hutton, Frances (Craighead) Dwyer, Nelle Chamlee.

The theme for the lectures of the first day was: Present Day Trends in Music and Art. Miss Martha Galt spoke on Music; Mrs. Harold Bush-Brown on Painting and Sculpture, and Mr. Hal Hentz on Architecture.

In carrying out the theme of the second morning, "National Affairs in George Washington's Day and Our Own," Dr. Arthur Raper of Agnes Scott discussed social and economic conditions in the two periods; Dr. Haywood J. Pearce, Jr., of Brenau, made a comparison of ideas concerning the Constitution; and Dr. Fletcher M. Green of Emory discussed foreign af-

fairs. All the lectures were well attended and enthusiastically received.

A unique and most enjoyable feature of the week-end was the exhibit of Early American Relics as arranged by Mrs. Lambers.

Miss Wilburn of the Physical Education Department of Agnes Scott delighted the young sons and daughters of the Alumnae with a morning of recreation in the gymnasium on Saturday. The Saturday luncheon was held in the Silhouette Tea Room and featured a Washington's Birthday program under the direction of Polly Vaughn.

Grateful acknowledgement is made to all who worked on the committees and to Dorothy Hutton, Alumnae Secretary.

While many details can and will, I am sure, be improved from year to year, your chairman feels that the Alumnae Week-End for 1936 has gone far toward accomplishing its two-fold purpose: a strengthening of the ties between alumnae and college, and a giving to the alumnae a brief opportunity for "college after college."

Respectfully submitted,
Clara (Whips) Dunn, '16.

REPORT OF THE ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

The Entertainment Committee of the Alumnae Association of Agnes Scott College for the term 1934-1936 wishes to make the following report of its activities for the year 1935-1936.

At the suggestion of the president, Mrs. Dwyer, and of the general secretary, Miss Hutton, the committee has planned and given, up to the time of this writing, three large parties in the name of the Alumnae Association. They are, in order, a tea for all new students (two hundred and sixty invited guests) on Friday, October 4, at 4:30 P. M. in the Alumnae House; a series of three teas for the group of students on the campus known as sponsors (seventy guests), taking place in the Alumnae House on October 21, 22, and 23; a tea for the Seniors at the home of Mrs. J. Sam Guy on April 14 (125 invited).

In addition to these, the Alumnae Association has provided refreshment for the meetings of the Granddaughters' Club throughout the year. The Association will also be "at home" in the Alumnae Garden on Sunday afternoon, May 31, to alumnae, faculty, Seniors, and any other friends of the college who happen to drift in. You are reminded that it is the duty and pleasure of the Entertainment Committee also to plan, provide, and arrange flowers on the tables in the dining room on the occasion of the trustees' luncheon, given this year on Saturday, May 30.

The Finance Committee of the Association in making its allotments for the current year designated the amount of \$65.00 for the expenses of this committee. Because of the feeling on the part of the last administration that the phase of the alumnae program which needed most strengthening had been its limited entertainment facilities, and because it was the sincere desire of this Committee that everything in its power be done to assist in making the present administration a definite success, strenuous efforts have been made to remedy this condition. For such an accomplishment it has been absolutely essential that the committee exceed the \$65.00 in its expenditures. While the plans for each "party" have been simple and carried out as economically as possible, the amount spent has been brought up to a total of \$141.24 for the year.

Since it is only fair to the incoming committee that some explanation be made as to the source of the extra money spent, it should be stated that your chairman and your past president, Mrs. Durrett, have felt it their special privilege to make such donations from time to time as they thought were needed. No other alumna has been asked or allowed to contribute anything in the form of funds or materials. One exception will occur on Sunday when twelve alumnae at large (not on the committee or on the executive board), Mrs. Dwyer, and Mrs. Donaldson, will each bring, upon the committee's request, three dozen cookies to the Alumnae House and when Mrs. George Erwin will make a voluntary donation of 500 cheese wafers.

The committee wishes to express publicly its appreciation to Mrs. Donald Hastings for her generous and frequent gifts of flowers throughout the two years of its existence—these have most helpfully supplemented those purchased by the committee.

As anyone knows, the real outcome of the work that naturally falls within the sphere of the duties of the entertainment committee of any organization is not limited to the money at its command but depends for the most important part upon the interest and untiring efforts of each person asked to participate in its functioning. There is little exaggeration in the statement that a finer spirit of cooperation could not be conceived than has existed among the members of the committee, the executive board, and every other alumna who has given her time, her gasoline for transportation, her hours at the telephone, her enthusiastic and encouraging compliments for everything that the committee has tried to do for the association, etc. Though the committee alone has entirely shouldered the responsibility of

these affairs and has made no demands on the alumnae, it has made a definite attempt to have present on each occasion a great number of the members who were not directly connected with the association as officer or committeeman. The committee has felt it necessary that the alumnae be given every opportunity of making more contacts with the students, faculty and each other.

It is always well for an out-going committee as it turns over its tasks to another group, to recommend changes or additions relative to its undertakings, to outline some system of escape from previous mistakes, and to mention some goal that it would like to reach if it were to stay intact and function for a longer time. Much thought has been given to this matter by your retiring Entertainment Committee. It has recommended that the executive board take action to have stricken from the constitution the requirement that the manager of the Tea Room be considered a member of the committee. Such a request is simply a step toward making binding a custom which has been followed for some time without constitutional sanction. Other than this, the Entertainment Committee has nothing further to suggest—the factors of personnel and personality, of available money, of immediate needs have too great and too varied an influence on the scope of its field. Each two years will have to work out its own salvation.

In conclusion, your chairman desires to add that she has found that any position on the Entertainment Committee which an alumna is fortunate enough to be asked to hold is one of the best means of learning of the alumnae organization, of recognizing its many fine points, and of contributing of one's substance and strength to her alma mater. She is deeply grateful, personally and as representative of the association, to every member of the committee for long hours of service, for never-failing help and understanding, for constructive ideas, for the suppression of unfavorable criticism, and, finally, for the stronger bonds of friendship which have resulted from her cherished experience as chairman.

Itemized account of expenditures:

Tea for new students -----	\$36.93
Tea for sponsors -----	23.40
Granddaughters' meetings -----	7.00
Tea for Seniors -----	22.56
Flowers for Trustees luncheon ----	22.95
Tea on Commencement Sunday ----	28.40

Total expenditures -----\$141.24

Respectfully submitted,

Augusta (Skeen) Cooper,

Chairman.

REPORT OF THE HOUSE DECORATIONS COMMITTEE

The following report for the year 1935-36 is submitted to the General Alumnae Association by the House Decorations Committee.

In view of the scarcity of funds and the many crying needs in the Anna Young Alumnae House, the House Decorations Committee has been at a great disadvantage in carrying out the plans submitted by Mrs. Mary Miller, decorator, who has been chosen, because of her experience, reputation as a most tasteful, far-sighted and well considered person. The comprehensive and pleasing plans submitted by her for the house are to be carried out from time to time, transforming the Alumnae House into a home of which we can be justly proud. A beautiful white marble lamp of exquisite lines and design was Mrs. Miller's gift to the Alumnae House.

Early in the fall the worn rugs in the upper and lower halls were removed, with the anticipation of replacing them as soon as possible.

Mrs. Asa Warren Candler's group of the Atlanta Alumnae Club gave money for the two lovely consoles placed beneath the side windows in the Alumnae House parlor. Flower containers will be given by the same group to be placed upon them.

Money received in gifts from the Charlotte Alumnae Club, from Dr. Mary Sweet and Miss Louise McKinney of the faculty and from Helon Brown Williams, '39, was used in the purchase of linens (especial prices being secured), delivered to the house March 15, as follows: 1 dozen sheets, at \$11.75; 2 dozen pillow cases, at \$2.75; 1 dozen bath towels, at \$3.50; 1 dozen hand towels, at \$1.75; totaling \$22.50, less discount, \$22.05. The amount remaining, \$10.95 was turned over to the Tea Room Committee to replace the broken china in the private dining room.

April showers of linen for the house came in from the Charlotte, Atlanta, Decatur, Tampa and Jacksonville Clubs.

At the February meeting of the board, Mrs. Frances Craighead Dwyer, president, asked Helene Norwood Lammers to call a meeting of the House Decorations Committee to replace the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Allie Candler Guy, as member and chairman of the committee, and to consider, with view to recommendations, the constitution, in so far as the House Decorations committee was concerned.

At this meeting, held in March, Mrs. Fannie Mayson Donaldson was made chairman and Mrs. Helene Norwood Lammers co-chairman. It was recommended that the committee be composed of seven

members instead of five, the new members to represent a wider field of alumnae, i. e., one from Atlanta, one from Decatur and one from the faculty.

The next consideration of the House Decorations committee will be the addition of seating space in the living room of the Alumnae House, which is far from adequate, the addition of color and the improving of the dining room. The gift of the lovely and comfortable love seat, recently by the Atlanta club in part fills this need. The Decatur Alumnae Club has made a gift of \$25.00 which will be used by the committee during the summer months to make some needed additions.

Respectfully submitted,
Helene Norwood Lammers,
Acting Chairman.

REPORT OF PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

The chairman of the Publicity Committee carried on the radio publicity from May, 1935, to January, 1936. During this time the weekly programs were planned and arranged for by the chairman; they were announced during the summer months by Miss Margaret Belote and during the fall and winter months by Miss Polly Vaughan. These regular broadcasts were varied in theme, and were presented by alumnae, members of the faculty, and students of the college.

The chairman of the publicity committee for 1934-1936 regretted very much that she was compelled to resign before the expiration of her term of office.

Janef Preston.

Your present chairman of publicity has continued the work since Miss Preston's resignation in January. With the agreement of the executive board the work was divided into newspaper and radio. Miss Nelle Chamlee was appointed to carry on the newspaper work and I have directed the radio activities. The following report from Miss Chamlee covers her work.

"For the Founder's Day week-end there were nine articles about the alumnae program in the three Sunday papers, two in the DeKalb New Era, and seven during the week of the program in the daily editions. That means we started with stories three Sundays before the date of the week-end. The only other publicity that I have been asked to handle was that regarding the tea given by the association, for the Seniors, at the home of Mrs. Sam Guy. There were four stories about that, one in each of the Atlanta papers, and one in the DeKalb New Era.

"Respectfully submitted,
"Nelle Chamlee."

In the sphere of radio we varied our procedure a little. A program carefully

planned to present in continuity form a specific theme was carried on from January through May. The theme was: "The Place of the Liberal Arts College in the World of Today." Dividing the college organization into the five groups which compose our working body we presented four members from the Board of Trustees, in January; three members of the administration and one local minister, in February; four members of the faculty in March, five representatives of the Alumnae Association in April, and in May four student speakers representing each of the four classes. The program as planned was carried through with one single exception. One of our trustees was unable to speak and Miss Laney, of the English Department, kindly substituted in this emergency with a discussion of Thornton Wilder, who was appearing at the college that week under the auspices of the Lecture Association. Appended to this report is a copy of the program with subjects and speakers named. On each program we presented beside this seven-minute speech, seven minutes of music. I wish to express here my gratitude for the cooperation given this committee by Mr. Dieckmann and Mr. Johnson, and by the girls who so graciously gave their time and talent.

We would like to suggest to the Association that the work of this committee might be greatly encouraged and stimulated by their expressed response to the Agnes Scott radio program. A card, or a phone call to WSB might be of real value to the college and the association in our contact with the studio, and would certainly help the chairman.

Sincerely,
Polly Vaughan.

GROUNDS COMMITTEE

The Garden Committee humbly begs that when you look at the Alumnae Garden this spring you think of the weather for this past year, and let your judgment be with compassion. There was a dry, burning fall, then torrents of rain, freezes, and ice storm, sleet, floods of rain again, and then no rain! We would certainly be super-gardeners who could produce a "thing of beauty" under such conditions.

Our most important addition this year has been three dozen flame colored azaleas—small, of course, with our limited budget, but they bloomed valiantly in March. We are taking great care of them and expect them to be twice their present size by next spring. We also put in four dozen perennial candytuft plants and when these were blooming along with the azaleas, the blue phlox, and the pansies, the garden was a picture which brought forth much admiring comment from the college community.

We are greatly indebted to Mrs. Scott Candler, and to Mr. Rivers, for gifts of new water lilies for the lily pool. We also have the promise of several shrubs from Louise Brown Hastings. Because of the dry weather the placing of these has been postponed until fall.

Your committee has attempted to improve the grounds in front of the Alumnae House this year. We asked the college to lay a brick walk from the front around the south side of the house to the back, which was done very promptly. We bordered the front and side walks with boxwood—which of course we rooted ourselves—and on each side set three large azaleas, the gift of Augusta Skeen Cooper.

To make a detailed report of the disbursing of the \$35 allowed the committee by the budget would be too tedious for this report, but you may rest assured that every penny was spent painstakingly.

Respectfully submitted,
 Frances (Gilliland) Stukes,
 Eloise (Gay) Brawley,
 Esther (Davis) Holt.

REPORT OF THE STUDENT LOAN COMMITTEE

Balance Jan. 1, 1936	\$ 14.35
Loans returned, Feb., 1936	8.00
Loans returned, Feb., 1936	10.00
Loans returned, Feb., 1936	30.00
Interest	.03
Loans returned, April, 1936	30.00
Loans returned, April, 1936	7.00
Loans returned, May, 1936	10.00

Amount in bank account May 23, 1936 \$109.38

Loans made in 1935 and amount collected on same in 1935-36:

Date of loan	Amount of loan	Repaid
Jan. 7, 1935	\$ 30.00	\$ 10.00
Sept. 12, 1935	100.00	10.00
Sept. 17, 1935	75.00	40.00*
Dec. 1, 1935	30.00	30.00
	\$235.00	\$ 90.00

*\$10 in 1935, \$30 in 1936.

Amount collected on old loans in 1936:

Date	Amt. of collection
February, 1936	\$ 8.00
April, 1936	7.00
	\$15.00

Respectfully submitted,
 Ladie Sue (Wallace) Nolan.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

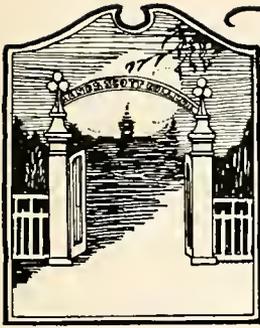
At the outset, your committee on Constitution and By-Laws wishes to thank the membership of the Association for their generous response to the request for suggestions for revision. Countless letters were received and each one was carefully studied. The authors of some of these letters will recognize their ideas in many of the proposed changes. Every suggestion was tabulated and discussed by the committee and by Dorothy Hutton, whose assistance has been invaluable, and a copy of the conclusions on each suggestion is on file in the Alumnae office. Where a proposed change was not acted upon, it was felt that the best interests were served for all concerned by maintaining the present status at least for the present. Our Constitution and By-Laws are not perfect as yet, but they may be changed with facility when occasion demands.

(This committee's report of necessary changes in the Constitution and By-laws of the Association was accepted at the General Meeting in May and since it involves so many changes that it would be impossible to understand without the publishing of the Constitution itself, the approved and revised Constitution is being filed in the Alumnae Office and with the kind approval of this committee, the actual report of this committee will not be published due to lack of space in this issue. It is the hope of the Quarterly that the revised Constitution may be published in a later issue).

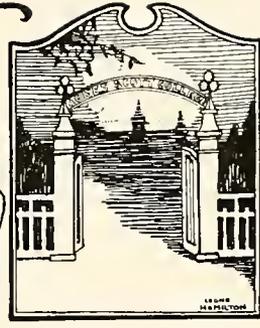
To the incoming committee it is suggested that the Constitution and By-Laws and the Constitution of the Council be revised in accordance with the changes adopted at the regular meeting of this year, so that all loose ends may be properly codified in a complete and useful document.

This committee has enjoyed its four years of service and a debt to the Alumnae office for complete cooperation is here acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,
 Patricia H. Collins,
 Chairman.



Through The Open Gates



"When June days come to Georgia
I see my daughters leave,
And through the three long summer
months
My lonely towers grieve.
But soon the great oaks scatter
Their scarlet leaves o'er Main,—
The gates are wide, when autumn comes,
To welcome you again."

So Daisy Frances Smith closed her very impressive talk as one of the speakers on that first morning of the new term, September 23rd, and as we looked out over the chapel packed with new students and old, with parents and friends, with alumnae, we felt once again the thrill of being one of those "daughters" among the ever increasing numbers of new daughters. Almost as much as for commencement, we wish we could have many alumnae back for that glimpse of opening day. You remember the welcomes from many interested friends to the new students; you remember that Mr. J. K. Orr always is one of the speakers on this occasion. You can almost hear the first strains of music that roll through the chapel for this new year. But what you would love, even as we do, is the chance to see that sea of girls,—girls such as all the generations behind them, eager, fresh, full of first college day plans; so much talking, so much laughing, and when the music begins, so much singing, that even the oldest "old girl" is lifted 'way out of ordinary living and thankful to have this chance to share in a second-hand way the newest Agnes Scotter's day!

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Six of the one hundred eighty-nine new students at school this year are from foreign countries, two from France, one from England, one from Japan, and two from China. Renee Gerard, of Mexico City, but formerly of Paris, France, is a sister of Marguerite Gerard, '32, first exchange student to come to Agnes Scott, and winner of the Hopkins Jewel Award her senior year here. Renee is registered as a regular freshman. Suzanne Andrain, also of Paris, is a graduate of the Sorbonne, and came to America for graduate work. She is

taking German, Spanish, and English and American history. Suzanne has also attended school in England. Tamiko Okamura, of Tokio, is the first Japanese student to attend this college. She graduated from the Presbyterian Mission College at Kin Jo, and was awarded an exchange scholarship by the faculty of Kin Jo. She is studying Bible, English literature and English. Margaret Eberhardt, of Bedford, England, is a niece of Adelaide Eberhardt, prominent Decatur artist, and Adelaide Cunningham, '11, and although born in America, has been educated entirely in England and Switzerland. She is taking a regular freshman course. Sophie Montgomery, of Hwaiian, China, is entering Agnes Scott as a freshman, having been educated in a Korean Mission School and in China. Martha Moffett, of Kiangyin, enters as a freshman also, and is from the Shanghai American School.

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New additions to the faculty for this year include: Dr. Ernest Runyan, Mrs. Runyan and their three children. Dr. Runyan will serve as assistant professor of botany. Miss Linda Vardell, who was head of the biology department at Flora McDonald College, will teach biology. Miss Frances McCalla, '35, is assistant in this department. Miss Narka Nelson, formerly of Smith College, is teaching Greek and Latin. Miss Helen Carlson, who is taking her Ph.D. at Columbia, replaces Miss Margaret Phythian in the French department. Miss Lucy Goss, '34, is an instructor in the chemistry department. Miss Carrie Phinney Latimer, '35, is assistant in the Spoken English department. Miss Josephine Nunally of William and Mary College will serve as assistant librarian.

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The Murphey Candler Student Activities Building is dedicated to the memory of Mr. Murphey Candler, whose death on August 7, 1935, removed from the Board of Trustees one of its oldest and most valuable members. Mr. Candler was a member of the original Board of Trustees, and was a member of the committee appointed to draft the charter and by-laws of the school in 1889. He drafted every change

made in the charter for the forty-six years between his election to the Board and the time of his death. Mr. Candler served as chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee for over fifteen years, and during his years of service over \$1,500,000 was spent in improvements. He was responsible for the award of scholarships to the students and was very active in the school campaigns for funds, having served as treasurer for the 1909 campaign.

The Murphey Candler Building will house the following student organizations: K. U. E., Poetry Club, Lecture Association, French Club, German Club, Spanish Club, Phi Alpha Pi, Current History Forum, Silhouette, Aurora, B. O. Z., Granddaughters' Club, Freshmen Y. W. C. A. Cabinet, Pen and Brush Club, Mission Interest Group, and Bible Club. The lower floor of the building is being used for a game room, with ping pong and shuffleboard equipment. The main lounge is for after-dinner coffees and group meetings and will also be used for the Cotillion Club dances.

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The Belgian Memorial Library Commission is studying the plans of the new Agnes Scott library for the memorial library to be erected by the Belgian people as a tribute to the late King Albert. In making plans for their building, a committee of Belgians wrote the Carnegie Foundation in New York asking for plans and details of what they considered the most modern and up-to-date library in this country and the plans of the Agnes Scott library were the first selected to send to them. Their reaction is not yet known, but it is thought that some of the features of Agnes Scott college library will be directly traceable in their building.

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The Hopkins Jewel Award was awarded to Alice McCallie, '35, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, at Commencement. Alice was especially prominent in her work with Student Government. The idea of recognizing the student who most nearly meets Miss Hopkins' ideals for an Agnes Scott girl was conceived by the Class of 1922, during the 1928-29 session. Alice is the eighth Agnes Scott girl to be awarded this honor, the others being: Helon (Brown) Williams, '29; Elizabeth (Flinn) Eckert, '30; Marguerite Gerard, '31; Andrewena Robinson, '32; Margaret Ridley, '33; Nelle Chamlee, '34; and Frances Espy, '35.

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The Quenelle Harrold Fellowship for this session was awarded to Lita Goss, '36, of Atlanta, with Mary Virginia Allen, '35, as alternate. Lita was planning to study at Radcliffe in Cambridge, but was un-

able to go this year, so Mary Virginia is using the fellowship. Mary Virginia left for the University of Toulouse, at Toulouse, France, the middle of September, and will do graduate work there for a year. Mary Virginia was prominent in French Club, and on the staff of the Aurora. She spent last year at the University of Virginia working on her Masters.

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Phi Beta Kappa elections for the 1935-36 session included: Shirley Christian, of Chattanooga; Elizabeth Forman, of Birmingham; Lita Goss, Ethelyn Johnson, Edith Merlin, Sarah Nichols, Mary Snow, of Atlanta, elected in February, and Lena Armstrong, of Montreat; Janet Gray, of Winston-Salem, Augusta King, Agnes McKoy, Marie Townsend, and Mary Walker of Atlanta, elected in May. Among the alumnae elected were Janef Preston, '21, Martha Stansfield, '21, and Phillipa Gilchrist, '23, of the Agnes Scott faculty; Sarah Fulton, '21, of Atlanta Girls' High School faculty; Frances (Markley) Roberts, '21, of Shanghai; Marion (Lindsay) Noble, '21, of Miami; Anna (Landress) Cate, '21, of Nashville.

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Three alumnae of the college are studying in France this winter. In addition to Mary Virginia Allen, who is studying at the University of Toulouse, are Margaret Phythian, '16, and Janet Gray, '36. Margaret is on leave of absence for two years, provided the foreign situations don't get too exciting, and will study at the University of Grenoble under the famous geographer, M. Raul Blanchard. She is working on her Ph.D. Janet Gray, of Winston-Salem, is teaching English Conversation at the Ecole Normale d'Institutrices at La Rochelle, France, and is working on her Masters at the same time. Janet sailed for France September 17, and spent two weeks just seeing Paris before going to La Rochelle.

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FACULTY NEWS

Dr. J. R. McCain attended the Harvard tercentennial in Boston the middle of September.

Miss Nanette Hopkins spent her vacation with relatives in Staunton and Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stukes, and Marjorie, spent much of their vacation driving to the mountains. Mrs. Stukes and Marjorie spent part of the summer at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Miss Carrie Scandrett, Miss Leslie Gaylord, and Miss Blanche Miller spent two months in Europe. They visited England, Scotland, France, Italy, Switzerland in company with a party from Agnes Scott College. Miss Scandrett delivered the com-

mencement address at the Girls' Preparatory School in Chattanooga in June.

Miss Melissa Cilley taught comparative literatures in the University of Coimbra, the national university of Portugal, from July 20 to August 30. She was accompanied by her mother, with whom she traveled through Gibraltar, Algiers, Sicily, Naples, Athens, Turkey, Syria, Palestine, and Cairo.

Miss Mary Stuart MacDougall spent June and July at the biological laboratory at Mountain Lake, Virginia, and August at the laboratory at Wood's Hole, Massachusetts. She also attended the Harvard tercentennial.

Miss Emma May Laney, Miss Florence Smith, and Mr. George P. Hayes were on the faculty of Hunter College, New York.

Miss Louise Hale and Mrs. Hale visited in New York.

Miss Martha Crowe and Mrs. Crowe motored up the east coast to New York and the New England States.

Miss Elizabeth F. Jackson spent the summer at her home in Massachusetts and visiting in New York and Virginia.

Mr. Lewis Johnson carried a party of Agnes Scott Glee Club girls to Chataqua, New York, to see a performance of the Gilbert and Sullivan opera, "The Gondoliers," which the Glee Club will present at the college this year. Mrs. Johnson spent several weeks in New York City.

Mr. Phillip Davidson was a member of the faculty of University of North Carolina during the summer session.

Miss Lillian Smith visited relatives in Syracuse, New York, and then spent the rest of the summer at the beach.

Miss Harriette Haynes spent part of the summer visiting in Marietta.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whittaker visited in Winchester, Va., before going to San Diego, Cal., where Mr. Whittaker will be a professor at the University of California.

Miss Helen Mar Miller was married to Donald Paul Costello on June 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson, and Anne and Henry, Jr., spent the summer at Hendersonville, N. C., at their summer home.

Miss Margaret Phythian left August 6 for her year of study at the University of Grenoble. Before going to Grenoble, Miss Phythian spent some time in the Alps.

Miss Lucille Alexander spent the summer with her family in Asheville, N. C.

Dr. Mary Sweet and Miss Louise McKinney spent their vacation in the mountains of North Carolina.

Mr. J. C. Tart was in New York City making a study of business investments during the month of August. Mrs. Tart spent the summer visiting relatives in South Georgia.

Miss Llewellyn Wilburn was counselor at Rock Brook Camp, Brevard, North Carolina.

Miss Elizabeth Mitchell was also counselor at Nakanawa, at Maryland, Tenn.

Miss Alberta Palmour attended the University of Virginia Summer School, and drove through Virginia with her mother and sister.

Miss Martha Stansfield spent the summer in Tampa, Florida, with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Holt went to High Hampton, N. C., in August.

Miss Margaret Bell visited in Washington, D. C., during July.

Miss Laura Colvin toured Europe during the summer, and returned on the Queen Mary.

Miss Annie M. Christie spent part of the summer in Miami.

Miss Linda Vardell spent the summer at the biological laboratory at Mountain Lake, Va., where she worked with Miss MacDougall.

Mrs. Alma Sydenstricker had as her guests this summer her son and daughter, Professor and Mrs. Vivian Sydenstricker.

Miss Philippa Gilchrist spent the summer studying at the University of Michigan. She and Miss Edna Hanley motored through Ohio and Illinois on their way to the University. Miss Hanley spent most of the summer visiting relatives in Ohio.

Miss Katherine Omwake worked in Washington, D. C., for several months.

Miss Janef Preston spent the month of August in Little Switzerland N. C.

Office Notes

To Every Alumna, Greeting:

The responsibility you put on my shoulders when you made me President is one I feel very deeply. Your confidence in me I appreciate, but your active, earnest help is necessary if anything worthwhile is to be accomplished.



The Association needs you in many ways. Without your \$2.00 annual membership dues there would be no Alumnae office with its gathering of information about our girls, no quarterly or other means of knowing about the college, no Alumnae House or Garden to be enjoyed by local as well as distant alumnae, none of the countless services which many of us have come to take for granted.

Without your ideas we cannot make the progress we should. Can you suggest ways of increasing the attractiveness of the quarterly? Of finding and interesting alumnae who have lost contact with us? Of getting more people to tune in on our radio program and enjoy it (WSB, Wednesdays, 5:00)? Of persuading more alumnae to become, in fact and in spirit, members of their Association?

Without your spirited interest and renewed loyalties, we cannot have the vision and the courage to move forward. I am counting on every Agnes Scotter.

Yours, always, for our Alma Mater.

DAISY FRANCES SMITH, '24.

The Alumnae Office Personnel has been changed by matrimony. When Dorothy Hutton, the popular and efficient secretary of the Association since 1932, decided to become Mrs. Edward Mount and move her residence to New York City, it was decided to enlarge the force in the office, giving to the general secretary the actual planning and supervision of the whole program of the Association, with the long cher-



Nell Chamlee

ished hope that, relieved of so much of the actual office detail work, she may have time and enthusiasm to catch a "long look" at the alumnae work, try out new ideas which may interest alumnae; in other words that she may have time to have ideas and not be afraid to suggest them to the Association for fear of the overwhelming work piled on top of what is more than one person can keep up with already. Fannie G. (Mayson) Donaldson, '12, is serving as General Secretary; she was in the alumnae office for several winters a few years ago and is enjoying every

minute of renewed contact with old friends of those years, and in making acquaintances among the alumnae of the last four years.

Nelle Chamlee, '34, is the assistant secretary and will have charge of office files, office routine matters, much of the correspondence, and is also living in the Alumnae House and overseeing the comfort of alumnae guests. The Association is exceedingly fortunate in having Nelle in this capacity; she was the winner of the Hopkins Jewel Award in her senior year and last year was in the Book Shop on the campus. She brings to this new position office ability, and a very deep and loyal love for Agnes Scott.

The office is indebted to the alumnae scattered over the globe for their continual support, many kind letters of encouragement, and for all the services which they render the Association and the college, year in and year out. In this new year, we ask again your interest and your loyalty that together we may make this 1936-'37 a banner year of alumnae achievement and of real enjoyment for all concerned.

ATLANTA CLUB

The raison d'être of the Atlanta Agnes Scott Club for the past year might be visualized as a four-pointed star, (if there is such a thing?) because the four phases of the year's activity seem of equal importance: social (the pleasure of each other's company during the tea hour which is a part of every meeting); intellectual, (also for ourselves, and provided religiously each month in the form of programs); financial (achieved by means of special money-raising projects, and spent on the Alumnae House); cooperative, (sponsoring projects of our own college and those of other colleges who ask our help, such as Glee Club Concerts of Agnes Scott and Davidson.)

By means of a series of lectures by outstanding specialists on architecture, interior decoration, old silver and porcelains, the club cleared well over one hundred dollars which went into a new love seat and lamp for the living room of the Alumnae House. In addition, a linen shower during April brought a flock of necessities for the same purpose.

The officers for the past year were: Sarah Belle (Broadnax) Hansell, '23, president; Katherine (DuBois) Davis, ex-'17, vice-president; Mary (Warren) Read, '29, vice-president; Maybeth (Carnes) Robinson, ex-'23, vice-president; Ruth (McMillan) Jones, '27, secretary; Susan (Young) Eagan, Institute, corresponding secretary; Katherine (Woltz) Green, '33, treasurer.

The treasurer's statement for the year showed a total of \$340.64.

The prospects for the coming year are very bright indeed with Penelope (Brown) Barnett, '32, as president, and Mary (Crenshaw) McCullough, '28, Maybeth (Carnes) Robinson, ex-'23, Grace (Fincher) Trimble, '32, Lutie (Powell) Burkhardt, ex-'10, Minelle (Blue) Grove, ex-'17, as the new corps of officers.

Sara Belle (Broadnax) Hansell, '23,
President.

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DECATUR CLUB

The officers, executive board, and members of the Decatur Club send their greetings to the other clubs throughout the country. We, as the home club, feel we have a very enviable position because of our nearness to the campus and our ability to follow closely the activities and growth of the college, which, with the hand of Dr. McCain at the helm, is ever being steered to her destiny. It is our privilege to meet each month in the Alumnae House, and to have with us our secretary, Mrs. Donaldson, her assistant, Nelle Chamlee, and the field secretary, Alberta Palmour.

In February the Decatur Club sponsored the exhibit of Colonial Relics in Buttrick Hall, which was a part of the program for the Alumnae Week-End. Over 375 objects were entered in the exhibit, the gun which fired the first shot in the American Revolution being one of them. In April the club contributed a linen shower to the house.

Several small projects were carried out by the Finance Committee during the year to raise funds. In April a benefit bridge was given at the Southern Dairies Club Rooms, and bulbs were given for prizes. Mrs. Fred Walker was chairman of arrangements. Our annual party for the children of alumnae opened the commencement program on Friday afternoon, May 29. Mrs. James Gillespie, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, arranged a marionette show which enchanted all beholders, young and old. About 70 children were present.

Our gift to the Alumnae House this year was the money to help with the dyeing of the living room and dining room rugs. The rugs have now been transformed from a drab taupe to a luscious wine, transforming the entire appearance of the rooms.

This year opened with Dr. McCain as speaker at our first meeting, and a most enjoyable trip through the new library. Tea was served on the library terrace after the meeting.

The new officers of the Decatur Club are: Helene (Norwood) Lammers, president; Annie (Johnston) Sylvester, vice-president; Olivia (Ferell) Taylor, secretary-treasurer. The executive board includes: Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, Advisory; Mrs. James T. Gillespie, Entertainment; Hallie (Smith) Walker, Finance; Mrs. Robert B. Holt, and Frances (Gilliland) Stukes, Garden; Eva (Towers) Hendee, Publicity; Leone (Bowers) Hamilton, Telephone; Gussie (O'Neal) Johnson, and Mary Olive (Gunn) Howard, Hostesses; Annie (Johnson) Sylvester, and Gladys (McDaniel) Hastings, Program.

Helene (Norwood) Lammers, ex-'22.

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BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB

The first fall meeting of this club was held in September at the Daffodil Tea Room, in Atlanta. A large number of Decatur and Atlanta alumnae who are members of the business group heard Miss Dick Scandrett tell of the many changes and improvements on the campus. and Fannie G. (Mayson) Donaldson speak from the alumnae office viewpoint of news. Plans were made for a new series of lectures to be given this group and Clyde Passmore was named as chairman of this project. It is hoped that the membership

of this club can be greatly enlarged this year, as there is a vast field to draw from.
Lillian (Clement) Adams. '27.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., CLUB

This club had a dinner meeting on April 27th, with ten alumnae present and, as a result, the Alumnae office received a very correct list of alumnae and their addresses—a valuable service. The new officers are Virginia McLaughlin, president; Willie Wellborn, vice president, and Frances Welch, secretary. According to a letter received by the office, "we expect to have fewer and better meetings this year!"

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CHARLOTTE, N. C., CLUB

The Charlotte Alumnae, under Irene Lowrance as president, opened their new fall program with a wonderful meeting held in honor of Dick Scandrett and Alberta Palmour, field alumnae secretary, on October 29th, when these two were in Charlotte presenting Agnes Scott to the schools there. Louisa Duls gave invaluable aid in planning for the school program.

This club has a membership of seventy-four alumnae, divided into groups of ten or twelve, with a "key" person responsible for each group. The interesting accomplishment of last year was the bringing of thirteen high school girls to the college for the week-end of May Day, accompanied by seven alumnae—a service which cannot be measured. It is hoped that this can be repeated during the coming year.

In addition to Irene Lowrance, president, the officers are Cama (Burgess) Clarkon, vice president, and Sarah (Dunlap) Bobbitt, secretary and treasurer.

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CHATTANOOGA, TENN., CLUB

This club also served its college by bringing to May Day two prospective students, one, the daughter of Frances (Thatcher) Moses, who is a freshman at A. S. C. this fall. Two alumnae came with the girls.

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LYNCHBURG, VA., CLUB

Courtney Wilkinson has been elected president of this organization.

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NEW ORLEANS, LA., CLUB

The members of this club, under the leadership of Grace (Carr) Clark, made a much appreciated gift to the Alumnae House of six luncheon sets. This group is small in number, but great in accomplishments and enthusiasm.

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WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., CLUB

The alumnae, under the able leadership of Diana Dyer, had the pleasure of having at the first fall meeting as guest

speakers, Dick Scandrett and Alberta Palmour, who were speaking at the schools in this city on October 30th.

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JACKSONVILLE, FLA., CLUB

Marjorie Simmons, as president of this club, aided the office immensely when she presented its call for linens in such a manner that a wonderful donation was made by the Jacksonville alumnae and arrived just in time to save the day in the Alumnae House at reunion time in May. This club had a visit from Dick Scandrett and Alberta Palmour last spring and is planning for another one this year.

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TAMPA, FLA., CLUB

Blanche (Copeland) Gifford reported in person for this group when she was a visitor at the Alumnae House and promised that the members in Tampa would do something about the rapidly disappearing linens in the Alumnae linen closets!

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Thanksgiving Reunion is the especial privilege of the last year's seniors, the six months old alumnae of the class of 1936! The whole week-end is yours, to do all the visiting and talking you want to, and the only planned feature of that time will be the reunion dinner in the Alumnae House, details of which will soon be sent to you in a letter. All we ask now is for every 1936-er to put a ring around that whole week-end and be here for all events on the campus. More anon!

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Your hotel—the Alumnae House. Why not plan to spend the next shopping trip visit at the Alumnae House? Your welcome is heartier here than it could possibly be elsewhere; the accommodations are fine; prices are low. They are: for one night for alumnae, seventy-five cents; for other guests or for alumnae not on the paid list, \$1.25. The rate by the week is \$5.00 and for the month, \$15.00 for alumnae and \$20.00 for other guests. Come for the day, the week, the month or the year!

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A real surprise gift for the Alumnae Association! Many lovely kindnesses are always being done by thoughtful alumnae but the Association very deeply and gratefully accepts the gift of a year's membership in the A. A. U. W. Atlanta Branch given by Augusta (Skeen) Cooper for the use of the General Alumnae Secretary.

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Libraries of the South, by Tommie Dora Barker, one of the outstanding librarians of the country, is now the possession of the Alumnae Association and has been placed with our other alumnae volumes.

Tommie Dora, now serving as dean of the Emory University Library School, and formerly head librarian of the Atlanta Public Library, was chosen by the Carnegie Corporation of New York to make a five year study of library conditions throughout the south, and this very interesting book is the result of her surveys made during those years.

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Radio Time—every Wednesday afternoon from 5:00 to 5:15 o'clock.

Station WSB, Atlanta, Ga. Program—a brand new one under the direction of Ruth Moore, '34, called "Three Girls in a Room," and intended to make a more general appeal to the radio public by presenting a light, entertaining skit picturing the daily occurrences in the lives of girls in a dormitory at a modern college. It is not staged at Agnes Scott. Ruth Moore has written and directed the program, and the alumnae who are giving their time and voices to the performance are: Betty Lou (Houck) Smith, Carrie Phinney Latimer, Mary (Sayward) Rogers, Frances James, Mary (Freeman) Curtis, and Ida Lois McDaniel.

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Your Cap and Gown, Please! Speaking of services, here comes a request. As you know, the Alumnae Association rents twenty-four gowns and about three dozen caps to seniors each year at one dollar each. It adds a not-to-be-sneezed-at sum to the treasury and also is a great service to the seniors, many of whom find it difficult to add the purchase of a cap and gown to the expenses of senior year. If you could have seen the mad rush over to the Alumnae Office when the notice of this rental went up on the Senior Bulletin Board, you would rejoice over your gift (if you have already given us your cap and gown); and granting you are not saving that cap and gown for the daughter or some friend, we are sure you will hasten to shake out the moth balls and wrap it up to send it along to the Alumnae Office. Then when you come back at Commencement time, you can watch your cap and gown go by—once more on parade at A. S. C.!

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Mrs. Ethel Kerrison is the new manager of the tea room in the Alumnae House; Mrs. Kerrison has had valuable experience in managing coffee shops and dining rooms in Boston and Atlanta and is well trained for her work. She was private secretary at the Adams House in Boston when the late President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge stayed there during his term as

governor of Massachusetts. The tea room is open all day and until 10:30 at night and the campus community is making it headquarters. Mrs. Kerrison is particularly anxious to have the alumnae, both local and visiting, enjoy the tea room. Special luncheons, dinners and teas are yours for the asking. Just drop in any time.

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Daisy Frances Smith, '24, newly elected president of the Alumnae Association, and Fannie G. (Mayson) Donaldson, executive secretary, entertained the members of the Executive Board of the Association at tea on September 23. Among the members attending were Helene (Norwood) Lambers, '22; Margaret Ridley, '33; Emma Pope (Moss) Dieckmann, '13; Martha Stansfield, '21; Sarah Slaughter, '26; Eloise (Gay) Brawley, '16; Kenneth Maner, '27; Mary (Crenshaw) Palmour, Institute; Penelope (Brown) Barnett, '32; Nelle Chamlee, '34, Alberta Palmour, '35.

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Among the students working in the Alumnae office this year are Eloisa Alexander, niece of Miss Lucille Alexander, of the Agnes Scott Faculty; Mildred Davis, '38, winner of the Rich prize for excellent work her freshman year, and of the collegiate scholarship for the best record in the Freshman, Sophomore and Junior classes during the 1935-36 session; Charlotte French, '39; Jessie Williams, '37; and Ora Muse, '37, daughter of Eliza (McDonald) Muse, academy, and Barbara Holland, '40.

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Leone (Bowers) Hamilton, '26, has been so kind to the Alumnae Office that grateful acknowledgement is here made of her beautiful frontispiece in this issue of the Quarterly and also of her many clever headings for the various columns in this issue.

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Alumnae artists are to have a garret room of their own! The college has very generously agreed to allow the use of some space on the top floor of Buttrick to the many alumnae interested in continuing their work in art. The studio has a north exposure and will be an ideal place for our artists to work. Any alumnae interested should make application to Dr. McCain and for further details please call the Alumnae Office or Leone Bowers (Mrs. C. W. Hamilton), 133 Ponce de Leon Court, Decatur, Ga., as she is the efficient chairman of this new project which is sponsored by the Decatur Club.

WHAT EXCHANGE STUDENTS THINK OF US

Two letters are published below which are of great interest to any Agnes Scotter. The first one is from Lucie Hess, the German exchange student of last year, and the second from Lillian Grimson of South America.

Huttgart, O. Haudhausste 88
July 5, 1936

Dear Dr. McCain:

A month ago I left Agnes Scott College in such a rush that I did not even get to see you. Yet I feel now in a better position to thank you very heartily for what you have done toward helping me obtain the scholarship which I owe to your generosity.

It has been a wonderful year and a very rich experience. I am grateful to whatever fates have guided me that I was sent to Agnes Scott.

I am grateful to each one of the professors with whom I was privileged to work. The academic training at Agnes Scott College is excellent. I did not only get a great deal out of the courses, but I also enjoyed them thoroughly.

Yet the most wonderful experience this year was to meet and to know all these fine people. On coming over to America we Europeans are full of prejudices against the new world of which we have very vague conceptions, confining themselves to sky-scrapers, kidnapers, gangsters and cowboys. As soon as we are in the states we do away with our superiority complex, and gradually we realize how much we can learn of Americans. You know more about the art of living than we do, because you know more about what is essential in life. Somehow or other you live closer to God—and I think that is why we cannot help taking so deep a liking for you and your country. Perhaps America is really "God's own country," not only because of its wealth and the richness of its natural resources, not only because of the beauty of its landscape, but in a deeper sense—because of its people. To live a whole year in a thoroughly spiritual atmosphere—I do not think that you can ever perceive how much this means to a German of these times. There are so few real Christians in Germany. We do not see them and so many ceased to believe that there is anything like real Christianity on earth. But you and so many others vouched for it. That's why I am so deeply grateful to you. I believe I am going to study theology in order to do church work in later years.

In a few days I am leaving home to do my labor service for four months. I know that very often while putting up hay, or harvesting, or milking cows, my thoughts will slip away and fly over the ocean—and then I shall walk again over the well-

known places, I shall hear the bell, and perhaps the organ playing, and I shall snuff in the air to breathe in the sweet odor of the pine trees . . . Yes, there is not a day that I do not think of Agnes Scott College and of you, Dr. McCain, and there is always a little longing mixed up with the passing thought.

Yet I know that I can be a good Agnes Scotter and loyal to the beloved Alma Mater even when in another country and very "far from the reach of her sheltering arms."

I am, very devotedly yours,

Lucie Hess.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 4, 1936.

Dear Dr. McCain:

I was very sorry to leave Decatur without having the opportunity of saying goodbye to you. I wanted to have a chance to tell you how much those two years at Agnes Scott meant to me. It was a real education in every way, and I shall be always grateful for the wonderful privilege of living on that campus for two years. I know that I did not do as much as I should have to prove this, and that the profit is all on my side.

It was wonderful to live among American girls and learn from them many things that life among my own people would never have taught me. American students know how to enjoy their work and be happy while they go about their duties. The girls at Agnes Scott are very good comrades and know how to make life pleasant for the foreign students who are lucky enough to have a place in their midst.

I am also grateful to the faculty for their willingness to guide and help all along and for making it possible for me to feel perfectly at home on the Agnes Scott campus.

Above everything else, Dr. McCain, I want to thank you for making it possible for me to stay a second year and obtain my degree. I will always count the past two years among the happiest of my life, and will try to apply what I have learned there in my life at home. I am not thinking particularly about the knowledge of class rooms and books, but of those other lessons which are taken in every day life, by way of contacts with individuals, and the example of those who are more experienced than ourselves.

Sincerely,

Lillian Grimson, '36.

R. S. U. P. Before Your Invitation

Alumnae Week-End is coming again this year, a little later in the spring,—the dates, March 5 and 6,—and of course you are coming too, on the same dates. The next Quarterly will discuss all the plans fully and carry your real invitation. At present the Alumnae Office and the Curriculum Committee are busy gathering suggestions and we need your R. S. V. P. right away. What would you like most to hear about, think about, see, or do, on this next program? We don't mind telling you that we have two or three ideas that we think are grand,—if they just work out right. But what are yours?

We should like to have the alumnae of Agnes Scott always feel that Alumnae Week-End is a special time planned for their interest and enjoyment, as they come back to a beloved and familiar atmosphere for a bit of inspiration. A card bearing a suggestion, sent to the Alumnae Office or to Emma Pope Dieckmann, chairman of the committee, will be of the greatest assistance. There are seven thousand alumnae. We should have at least six thousand suggestions to aid us in our planning. Thank you.

EMMA POPE (MOSS) DIECKMANN, '13.