

SGA EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR 1958-'59 IS ELECTED

April 1 Is Scheduled For Easter Assembly

The annual Easter Assembly will be given on Tuesday, April 1, during the regular assembly period. The Christian Association will present the program assisted by the College Chorus.

Under the direction of Dr. Jessie Fleming the Chorus will sing "The Palms" and "Hallelujah Chorus." The Ladies Ensemble will sing "The Holy City."

Choral readings based on scriptures of the Easter story will be rendered. They will include: "The rendered. They will include: "The Triumphal Entry of Christ into Jerusalem"; "The Last Supper"; "Agony"; "The Garden of Gethsemane"; "Denial of Christ by Peter"; "The Trial"; "Jesus Carrying the Cross"; "The Crucifixion"; and "The Resurrection."

Dr. Richard Weigle Will Address Annual Honors Day Assembly

On April 8, at 1:45 P.M., the third annual Honors Day Assembly will be held honoring those students who have attained academic accomplishment. Those students being honored are Dean's List students for the past two semesters, Achievement Key winners, Most Scholarly Woman and Man, and Miss and Mr. STC.

Citations will be presented to the campus leaders and Achievement Key winners by the president of the college, Dr. Wilbur Devilbiss. Dean Earl Willis will bring citations to those on the Dean's List.

An address will be given by Dr. Richard Weigle, president of St.

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RICHARD MORRISON

Morrison Will Be at the Helm of the 1958-59 SGA

On Tuesday, March 11, William Livingston, Vice-President of the SGA, announced that Richard Morrison was the victor in the SGA election and will serve as President of that organization for the school year 1958-59.

Mr. Morrison, a day student, is living in Salisbury with his wife (Continued on Page 3)

Yearbook Scheduled To Arrive in May

Amid the last minute rush, the *Evergreen* met its March 1st deadline on time, Editor Barbara Caine announced recently. This completes the yearbook, which will be delivered around the latter part of May. A new staff will be chosen soon in order that work can be started on next year's annual as quickly as possible. The new positions will be published in the next issue of the *Holly Leaf*.

Results of SGA Executive Elections Are Announced

Last week an election was held for vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and Social Committee chairman of the Student Government Association. These officers and the newly-elected president, Richard Morrison make up the Executive Board of the SGA.

Serving as vice-president for 1958-59 will be Miss Helen Mae Ellis, a sophomore from Bishop, Maryland. Miss Ellis graduated from Stephen Decatur High School in Berlin in 1955 and attended the Maryland Institute of Art in Baltimore. Entering STC in 1956, she has been on the Dean's List every semester and has participated in publications, athletics and SGA. She is presently secretary of the SGA. Miss Ellis is studying under the elementary curriculum.

Filling the office of secretary of the Student Government Association for next year will be Miss Constance Mears, a member of the

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"Democratic Ideals" Core of Conference

The S.G.A.'s delegated group consisting of Delores Gardner, Louise Holbrook, Bill Livingston, Paul Butler, Jack Weise and their advisor, Dr. William Wroten, left the campus Friday afternoon of March 7 to attend the Twelfth Annual Inter-Collegiate Conference at Barnard College in New York City, N. Y.

The conference was opened with registration and an informal coffee hour at 8:15 A.M. on Saturday. Following this the group of delegates from 12 states heard a very inspiring and dynamic speech from Max Lerner, the noted columnist and author of "America as a Civilization." His speech was concerned with a re-evaluation of our American democratic society. Mr. Lerner stressed the danger of rigidity in our American institutions, attitudes and ways of doing things. It is Mr. Lerner's belief that the present weapons race is futile; in that after everyone has succeeded in getting rockets to the moon and in building intercontinental missiles, we would be right back where we started, still not having solved the problem of war and peace.

According to Mr. Lerner, our science race is the consequence of inner fright overtaking the American people, who are presently ignoring factors such as the need

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"Smile Awhile" Will Be Given April 11

A snack bar show will be held Friday evening, April 11 between 7-9 P.M. An informal dance will follow from 9 o'clock until 12.

The title of the show is "Smile Awhile" and features such discriminating talent as Tom Parker, Juanita Gordy, Kay Cropper, Becky Forsythe, a "Barber-Shop Quartet" composed of members of the men's chorus, Bill Harding and his "Rock 'N Roll Band", the Western Coward — Jerry Pine, Jean George — soloist, the S.T.C.

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TOM WIMBROW



CONSTANCE MEARS



HELEN MAE ELLIS



GERALD PINE

Editorially Speaking

Good campus theatre should be a part of college life receiving equal billing with, if not star billing over, such things as athletics, music and publications. STC is definitely lacking in dramatic experience for its students either as participants or as observers.

On campus there is a dramatic organization with the expressed purpose of providing theatre experience for its members and campus theatre for the student body. Is this organization, the Sophanes Players, fulfilling its purpose? It is most evident that it is not.

Thus far this school year one venture has been completed by this group. During the Christmas season a reading, Dickens' *Christmas Carol*, was presented to the student body.

What is the reason for this existing situation. Is it lack of funds? . . . of interest? Is it lack of leadership? . . . of talent? If theatre is to become a part of STC college life these questions must be honestly answered.

One final question should be considered. Is the Sophanes Players organization contributing sufficiently to the STC student's life to warrant existence?

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Cheating . . .

March 6, 1958

Fellow Students:

I would like to bring into focus quite a touchy subject, but one that has been ignored heretofore by many of us — cheating. Many students have discussed it, complained about it, and gotten quite angry about it, but have done nothing about it. I am hoping, in this poor attempt at self-expression, to motivate fellow students to some critical thought and constructive action concerning this subject.

The word "respect" has many aspects. The word "self respect" applies these aspects to the individual. If each of us had a lot of self-respect, cheating would not exist, for self-respect is synonymous with democracy and democracy concerns fairness to each individual. Cheating is fair to no one. On the contrary, it is most unfair to the one who does the cheating, for in the end he finds that he has cheated only himself. But meanwhile, this fellow's classmates suffer because they may receive a lower grade than he, even though they studied honestly and hard. After all, grades received are a determining factor influencing the success or failure of a college student (the success being graduation). Grades are especially favorably influential to the cheat when based on a curve.

I realize that by discussing this touchy subject I may be "sticking my neck out." It is not my intention to offend students, faculty or administration.

On the whole, cheating at this college is at a minimum, but for the life of me, I cannot feel complete respect for my college nor my classmates while even this small minimum exists.

As each year has passed cheating in the classroom has become

more obvious to me. I have to admit that I have never once observed a person cheating. But, by sharing opinions and discussing school life with others it has come to my attention that it does exist. I have often wondered why nothing was ever said before. Perhaps we like to think that by ignoring cheating, it will go away.

I would like to throw out a few questions for the students here to answer. First, is it fair for a student to go to bed at 10 P.M., secure in the thought that his test the next day will be a snap—especially when he has tests from past years as a study guide—while others stay up all night never feeling as though they had studied enough?

Is it fair for some students to spend hours and hours studying for a test while others look over questions very similar to those on the exam for an hour and then go out for the evening?

I am not alone in asking these questions. Many feel, as I do, that something should be done. What? We are not sure. Perhaps an honor system is the answer. Perhaps elimination of the policy of handing back test papers, which some instructors have been doing, is a partial solution.

Whatever the answer, as a future graduate of STC, I would, along with others, like to think of my alma mater and classmates in the very highest of terms. I do hold this school and my classmates in high esteem, but everytime the word "cheat" is spoken in my presence, I not only feel disappointed and disillusioned, but downright angry!

The standards of any college are only as high as those of its students. I feel that it is our responsibility, as students, to strive always to better our standards. Cheating, in my eyes, is not only unfair and degrading, but, and

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FACULTY

HERE AND THERE

STUDENTS

By Janice Hubbard

Louise Holbrook, Delores Gardner, Jack Weise, Bill Livingston, and Paul Butler, accompanied by Dr. William Wroten, attended a conference on "American Civilization" at Barnard College, New York City, on March 8.

Dr. Wilbur Devillbiss served as chairman of an evaluation committee of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools March 10-13 at the Newark, Dealware High School.

Gloria Miller and Ann Kerns spent the weekend of March 1 at University of Maryland, College Park, and attended the Maryland-South Carolina basketball game.

Dr. Bell I. Wiley was a house guest of Dr. and Mrs. William Wroten while he was a recent visitor on campus.

On March 8 several students took part in the wedding of Miss Nancy Johnson of Delmar, former STC student, to Mr. Milton Hopkins of Cambridge. Barbara Brian was maid of honor, Pat Lloyd, Katie Gaskins, and Rosalie Gault, bridesmaids, and Jeanne Gladden, soloist.

Dr. Maurice Fleming, Mr. James Glenn, Mr. Alan Foutty, and Mr. Frank White attended a conference of the American Association for the Advancement of Science at the Burlington Hotel, Washington, D. C. March 7-8.

Misses Judy Graham and Susan Waller of Salisbury were weekend guests of Carolyn Pryor March 8.

On March 12 Dr. Wilbur Devillbiss addressed the Chesapeake City High School and that evening spoke at the Wicomico County College Night.

Sally Dawson, Junior College '57, was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schilling and visited on campus recently.

Dean Earl T. Willis attended the 13th National Conference on Higher Education sponsored by the Association for Higher Education in Chicago, Ill. March 2-5. The theme was "Higher Education: Strengthening Quality in the Satellite Age."

The staff of Prince George's County Board of Education was host at a tea held on Monday, March 10 in the Social Room at STC. Members of the faculty and senior students were invited.

Business Office Has New Staff Member

As of December, 1957, a new addition was made to the personnel of the college business staff. The position, that of Senior Account Clerk, has been filled by Mrs. Virginia Hudson.

Mrs. Hudson is a native of New York state and has now established residence in Salisbury with her husband, a Marketing Specialist for the University of Maryland. She is the mother of three children.

The Eastern Shore is fast claiming her loyalty. She and her family are especially intrigued by the historical aspects of the Shore.

E. Dale Adkins Leads Wesley Discussion

Mr. E. Dale Adkins, prominent Salisbury lawyer, discussed with the Wesley Foundation "The Legal and Political Aspects of the Trial of Jesus Christ" on March 6 at the college. Mr. Adkins was introduced by Mr. A. L. Fleming, faculty advisor to the Wesley Foundation.

The program was one of many that the Wesley Foundation has planned weekly throughout the semester; the student body and faculty are cordially invited to attend all meetings. The program for future meetings include discussion of such topics as "World Peace", "Integration", "Faith Healers", and "Mixed Marriages," with qualified discussion leaders. Mrs. Albert Bloodworth is director of the organization.

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FASHION WISE

By Connie Mears

"An insult to men's intelligence," says Bennett Cerf, the noted publisher of Random House and popular panelist on "What's My Line?"

In the words of some local male collegians: "It provides no excitement." . . .

"If women want something that looks like that, why not save their money and cut a few holes in a feed sack to make it wearable?" . . .

"Too old fashioned."

What is this "insult" that is arousing such negative and unpleasant comments to the apparent nonchalance of the fairer sex? Perhaps many guessed it upon reading the first phrase of the article. The sack, chemise, silhouette, or even the "Sputnik look" are a few of the titles that have been bestowed upon this latest style.

The odd part of the situation is that many similar comments have come from the female population as well. But after seeing more and varied styles of the same, a rapidly increasing number of women are following suit despite the male opposition. Some plan to use belts with the chemise if it goes out of style. Of course with the new emphasis on the "bowed" back and the attached band or "half-belt" between the waist and hip lines, belting may prove impossible appearance-wise. Another new in fashions parallel with the chemise is the shorter 16 inch skirt length.

At any rate, a number of these chemises are quite appealing in the eyes of some. And the new spring colors accompanying them are equally attractive. Foremost on the list of hues this season are the citrus shades—particularly orange, green and yellow. Other spring colors, psychologically appealing to the ear as well as the eye, are burning lilac, molten gold and pink ember.

So, fellows, face it. You may call it disgusting, insulting or . . . But maybe the girls just don't plan their wardrobes solely for the pleasure of their masculine critics these days. Could it be that the only solution is to roll out your granddad's derby and get into the swing of things?

MORRISON

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and two children. He is a graduate of Baltimore Polytechnic Institute and has served in the United States Air Force. Mr. Morrison is enrolled under the junior high school curriculum and is interested mainly in math and science.

The election was close and the campaign was well organized on both sides. Both candidates are to be commended for their fairness.

Stunt Night Set for Friday, April 18

At the beginning of each year there may be heard students expound on the need of the creation of more school spirit. The Social Committee, in appreciation of the fact that school spirit can best be built through having the student body understand what our college has to offer, is starting a tradition — a Stunt Night.

All clubs and organizations of STC are to participate by putting on skits that, though entertaining, will illustrate the nature of the organization. The skits will be judged for such things as originality and clarity. A ceramic statue of the STC Gull will be awarded the skit judged as best. In following years, the gull will be successively passed on to the organization with the best skit.

The Stunt Night, which will be held on April 18, will serve several purposes: to furnish a better understanding of the clubs; to boost for membership in the various organizations; to build school spirit; and to furnish entertainment for the student body.

"When the Swallows Come Back to Capistrano"

By Jack Weise

In a little Italian town at the local Franciscan Monastery great celebrations are going on. Today is the day that the swallows come back to Capistrano — just as the famous love ballad tells us. With only one exception in the 200 years history of the monastery the birds have come back on the Feast of St. Joseph, foster father of Jesus.

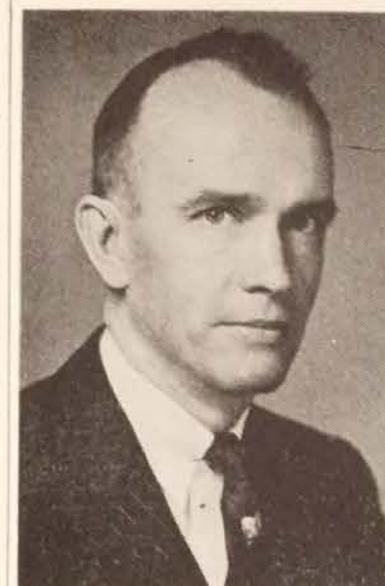
Early this morning people crowded the churches to light tapers at his shrine to grant their wish that the swallows return today. The sky is scanned and at the first approach of the swallows the Monastery Chapel bell peals forth the news of these harbingers of spring. It is a sign of a good season and of prosperity to the area.

Intramural Volleyball Team Is Organized

At the Women's Intramural Volleyball practice one team was organized. They are known as the Satellites. The members of this team will play each of the varsity teams — Skyrockets, Tornados, and Comets.

The Satellite team includes Mike Shortall, Ann Bozman, Joan Cowan, Nancy Townsend, Barbara Disharoon, Helen Layman, Mae Crandall, and June Magee. June Magee is manager for the intramural volleyball program.

On Tuesday, February 15, the Satellites played the Torpedoes and lost.



DR. RICHARD WEIGLE, president of St. John's College in Annapolis, will address the student body at the annual Honors Day Assembly on April 8.

DR. WEIGLE

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John's College in Annapolis, Maryland. Music will be rendered by the College Chorus. Three of its members will have the honor of directing the chorus. Miss Doris Stonesifer will direct "Jubilate Deo"; Miss Nancy Atkinson will direct "Land of Hope and Glory"; and Omar Matthews will direct "You'll Never Walk Alone."

With his doctorate from Yale, he began his teaching career at Yale (Yale-in-China) in Changsha, Hunan Province. Later he taught history, economics, and international relations at Carleton College in Minnesota. While a Captain in the Air Force, he was attached to the Chinese Army in India and later to the General's Staff of the Chinese Combat Command, Kunning. With this experience and his knowledge of the Chinese language, he entered the State Department in 1945, serving first with the Far Eastern Commission, and subsequently as Executive Officer in the Office of Far Eastern Affairs before coming to St. John's.

Since 1949, the further establishment of St. John's as a pilot college with the Great Books curriculum has been his objective, and under his alert attention the college has prospered. Material success is not, however, an adequate measure of a man. His primary concern has been to strengthen the philosophy of his college as a place that extends to its community a cordial invitation to learning and to bring this venerable little college closer than any other toward achieving those learning conditions with the framework in which the mind can best develop.

"Minds," says Dr. Weigle, "are not fragile instruments to be preserved in *crania* and protected

Campus School Auditorium Will Seat 250 Persons

The newest addition to the campus, the Campus School Auditorium, will be completed for use in September, 1958. The new building, adjacent to the cafeteria and the main foyer, will face the library. The addition will have a seating capacity for 250 and will cover an area of 80' by 44'.

It will feature an acoustical ceiling, a sloping floor with permanent seats, a proscenium arch 30', an outside rear entrance, a projection booth and a walk-in storage space for visual aid and music supplies. Under the stage, which will have a depth of 25', dressing and costume rooms will be provided with entrances from the side corridor.

Roland Dashiell and Sons of Salisbury are doing the construction of the new auditorium; Edwin Wilson Booth, the architect, is also of Salisbury.

Committee Reports to The SGA Board

On Tuesday, March 18, the committee set up to make recommendations concerning the election of campus leaders reported to the Student Government Association. Members of this committee are Norma Culver, Barbara Caine and Omar Matthews.

The committee suggested that a basis be set up for the eligibility of persons for the honors of Best Woman Athlete and Best Man Athlete. It was thought that a minimum number of points should be required of those women put on the ballot for Best Woman Athlete and that the Men's Athletic Association make clear its method of nominations for Best Man Athlete.

Concerning the honors of Most Scholarly Woman and Most Scholarly Man, it was suggested that their names come from the office of the registrar. It was further recommended that each be a member of the senior class completing at least five semesters at STC. Only grades received at this college should be considered in the choice.

A final suggestion from the committee was that a person be eligible to receive any one award only once.

from possible use."

The Honors Day Assembly is being presented as a formal convocation for which the faculty will robe in academic attire, preceded by the classes seated in descending order. The Reverend Mr. Harold Spedden will pronounce the invocation and the benediction.



THE WHITE HATS AND THE CLOWNS are in there fighting for the ball in a recent intramural game.

Twenty-six Sign Up For Tennis; Practice To Begin in April

A new facet in the athletic life of STC has been opened just recently. It is that of tennis. Twenty-six students have signed up for the sport to date; nineteen women and seven men. Mr. James DiVirgilio is the sponsor of the sport.

Regular practice is to begin in April with practice games to be scheduled with neighboring high schools. It is also hoped to place some teams in competition with other colleges. New members are welcome to sign up.

Those people participating in tennis at present are: Mary Alice Dyer, Joyce Bennett, Joan Cowan, Jerry Blazek, Helen Mae Ellis, Joyce Flowers, Connie Hillman, Carole Kirkwood, Lou Lambden, Rose Lewis, Pat Lloyd, Connie Mears, Sue Metz, Adrienne Nock, Jo Patterson, Carolyn Pryor, Barbara Street, Lovey Ann Truitt, and Mary Wright, George Mills, Ronald Allen, Jim Davis, Ed Nock, Allen Fitzhugh, Howard Mitchell, and James Little.

"SMILE AWHILE"

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Trio — Bob Davis, Tom Fallin, and Fred Baker with their comedy numbers, and Sid (Saxmo) Fields.

The Master of Ceremonies' job is once again bestowed upon our one and only Bill Livingston. Mr. Livingston has just returned from an extensive tour of New York and promises varied and sundry performances.

As this article goes to press, the cast is being enlarged. All members of the STC family are invited.

The show will be sponsored by the Social Committee. Mr. Livingston states that the name of the

producing company is "Miracle Productions" — the motto being, "If it's good, it's a miracle."

RESULTS OF SGA

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junior class. A resident of Salisbury, she is a day student enrolled in the junior high curriculum. Miss Mears is co-captain of the cheerleading squad and was this year voted Soccer Sweetheart. As vice-president of the Women's Day Association, she has represented that organization in SGA this year. Upon graduation she plans to teach English and social studies in the junior high school.

Mr. Tom Wimbrow has been elected as the SGA treasurer for the next school year. Mr. Wimbrow is a member of the freshman class and served as president of his class this year. He is from Berlin, Maryland and is enrolled in the transfer program.

Social Committee chairman for 1958-59 is Mr. Gerald Pine, a sophomore from Denton, Maryland. Mr. Pine transferred from the University of Maryland to STC in the fall of 1957 and is interested in teaching junior high English. He was named to the Dean's List last semester.

"DEMOCRATIC IDEALS"

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for teachers and leaders, which is just as important to the future as science. He likewise advocates that the future of our democratic society lies within each one of us as individuals. These are but a few of the points with which Mr. Lerner impressed and stimulated his audience.

Following this address was a discussion period in which the topic, "What are our American Democratic Ideals?", was examined. In this discussion, the group representing STC was quick to

tackle the feeling of superiority and classification which the so-called intellectuals of the group implied.

After a luncheon the delegates split up into five categorized groups to discuss "The Influence and Effect of American Democratic Ideals on Contemporary American Life" in politics and government; education; economics; religion; and the arts. A variety of opinions was expressed in these groups on various aspects of the particular subject.

To complete the day, the STC representatives took in Eugene O'Neill's play on Broadway entitled, "A Long Day's Journey Into Night."

Though the day itself was ended, the inspired and animated thoughts provoked by this session will undoubtedly live long in the minds of the individuals who participated.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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what is more important, it is a reflection on us, the students. I certainly do not like to think that it reflects me as an individual. How about you? Just what does everyone think about it? I would surely appreciate some thoughts on the matter. Perhaps I have unjustly accused us and misplaced the responsibility to boot. If I have, I owe us an apology. If not, it is up to us to do something about it.

Delores Gardner

Women's Intramurals Program Is Launched

Women's intramural basketball has started under the direction of managers Miss Delores Cooling and Mrs. Norma Culver. Four teams are entered in the tournament and each one is coached by a varsity squad member. Varsity ballplayers are also acting as scorekeepers, referees and timekeepers. A schedule whereby each team will play every other team twice has been set up.

The four teams are, Women in Black, coached by Joyce Bennett; The Highlanders, coached by Ruth Nielson; The Inmates, coached by Pat Lloyd; and Shortall's Short Shorts, coached by Mike Shortall.

The first game of the intramural season was played by the Highlanders and the Women in Black with the latter coming out on top of a 22-15 score. Lovey Ann Truitt and Barbara Disharoon were high scorers of the tangle with ten points each.

STC Lassies Take Game Over St. Mary's

The Women's Varsity Basketball squad claimed a victory over St. Mary's Seminary on Saturday, March 8 in a home game. Final score of the game was 58-45. Mike Shortall, with nine field goals and two free shots to her credit, was high woman in the scoring division.

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