

## Freshman Election Completes Council Membership for Year

### Main Objective To Publish Complete Student Handbook

The results of the Student Council election show a membership of three old members and four new ones, the juniors and seniors retaining their former representatives, while the freshmen and sophomores offer new material. In a recent election, Ruth K. Harcum and Charles Lavery were chosen as the freshman representatives to the Council. Last spring's election resulted in the election of the following upper classmen: sophomores—Eleanor Goldsborough; juniors—Edna Williams and Robert Doenges; seniors—Jerome Fletcher and Lillian Hough. Miss Matthews has just been selected by the faculty as the new two year member.

The chief objective of the Council this year is to publish a Student Handbook which will include all regulations, school calendar, songs and yells and other customary material. The feeling that a student handbook would be quite valuable to new students as well as to upper classmen has been quite prevalent, and the members of the Council hope to present a worthwhile publication.

The primary purpose of the Student Council is to create a better spirit of cooperation between the faculty and student body and to foster a wholesome school spirit among the students. The members of the Student Council will cooperate in solving the problems of the College in the interests of the student body.

## Entries Show 200 Student Enrollment

The goal of an enrollment of 200 students at S.T.C. was again achieved with the enrollment of Miss Hannah Gibson, honor and graduate student of the Delmar, Maryland, High School.

This year there are 89 freshmen, 50 sophomores, 35 juniors, 23 seniors, and 3 graduate students. Those now enrolled in the freshman class are: Ann Catherine Appleton, Mark Atkinson, John Edward Austin, Olin Bedsworth, Richard Blackwell, Brady Bounds, Edward Bowen, Thelma Bowman, Sara Bradley, Louise Butler, Esther Cahall, Doris Caldwell, Audrey Christopher, Ruth Conway, Margaret Cooper, Mary Coughlin, Euell Crockett, Fred Crockett, William Cumming, Edward Vernon Davis, Edward Dougherty, James Doukas, Marshall Dounes, Annabelle Dulin, Hester Farlow, Dorothy Fogwell, Hamilton Fox, Hannah Gibson, Cora Madeline Godfrey, Sylvia Gordon, Ruth K. Harcum, Edward Hayman, Camilla Heins, Jervis Hickman, John Hoffecker, Lewis Horner, Ann Ingersoll, William Ingersoll, Ellsworth Jennings, Helen Johnson, Maxine Johnson, Carroll Jones, Catherine Kielholtz, William Kent, Thelma Kirk, Charles Lavery, Leroy Long, Richard McNeal, Eleanore Mackie, Alfred Morton, Roberta Morris, Merrill Elizabeth Murphy, Dorothy Newman, Martha Nock, Phoebe Nock, Lucille Parks, Georgia Pearson, Franklin Perdue, Martha Ann Peters, Paul Phillips, Vivien Poulson, Shirley Powell, Gene Price, Earl Roberts, Virgil Roberts, Theodore Robinson, Leonard Rubenstone, Robert Shockley, Arthurretta Grayson Smith, David Somervell, Mary Spencer, Peggy Stauffer, Henry Swann, Howard Stevenson, Harold Stewart, Eleanor Taylor, Kathleen Tilghman, Lila Todd, Goldy Tyler, Grace Valliant, Mary Evelyn Vincent, Fletcher Walls, Rosalind Welch, Roy Widgeon, Robert Wilkins, Dorothy Williams, Barbara Ann Willing, Marjorie Wright and Marie Wright.

## "May We Help You, Please?"—

### Staff Plans Clearance Sale Photos, Cuts, Stationery

Real bargains are being offered by the Publications Staff in a clearance sale of snaps, individual photos, cuts, and its special line of new stationery. Although preparations for this unique event have not been completed, a definite date will soon be announced.

The Staff in its clear-up sale, the first of its kind here, is offering many snapshots of individuals and scenes around the college all taken within the last two years. In addition there will be a lot of old cuts—really an antique display—but then one never knows what he may find among them.

The newest feature of the entire exhibition, however, will be a special display of stationery made up in a design that is unique and exclusive.

Prices are reasonable: 5c - 10c - 25c.

Keep your eyes and ears open for the date of this event and don't miss it.

## Cooperative Concert Association Begins Season Drive

### Committee Soon to Make Plans for Coming Performances

With a dinner at S.T.C. on October 11, the team captains and company workers of the Cooperative Concert Association will begin its drive for new membership for this season. This Concert Association made its debut on the Eastern Shore with its headquarters at Salisbury last year. In a series of concerts held at intervals of several weeks it featured such artists as: Carola Goya, the world's greatest Spanish dancer; Wilbur Evans, baritone; the Barrere Little Symphony, under the direction of George Barrere, the most famous flutist in the world today; Grace Panvini, soprano, and Conrad Mayo, bass-baritone.

Application blanks to be filled out and returned between October 1 and October 11 will be sent all last year's members, there being 903 memberships available.

Miss Margaret H. Black, head of the Music department here, is a member of the committee which will meet October 16, to discuss possible artists and types of performances. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Frank Dryden are the other committee members: Mrs. William B. Tilghman, Miss Nellie Sheppard, Mrs. Francis H. Dryden, Miss Frances Hopkins, and Dr. George W. Jarman of Princess Anne.

All performances sponsored by the Cooperative Concert Association will be held at S.T.C. but its headquarters will probably be located in the lobby of the Wicomico Hotel.

## Mergence Literary Societies Proposed

At a joint meeting of the Bagleam and Carnean Literary Societies on September 16, suggestions were made that the two organizations be combined as the Bagleam-Carnean Literary Society.

The organization's work was planned with the objective of a collegiate debating team in view. A number of open forums and panel discussions are to be preliminaries to the main activity of the organization. Providing that a debating team is formed, it is expected that its representatives will compete in intercollegiate debates the coming season.

All members of the student body will be eligible for membership.



MISS LILLIAN PARKER

Mrs. Morris succeeds Miss Parker as teacher in the primary grades of the College Elementary School.



MRS. EMILY C. MORRIS



MRS. JOHN LANG

Both Mrs. Lang, the former Miss Helen Bradley, and Mrs. Fritz resigned their positions as College Registrar and Secretary, respectively.



MRS. NELSON FRITZ

## Installation New Club and Class Officers Gets Under Way

In order that the classes and various college organizations may begin their work for the year, the elections of the officers are now being held.

The elections to date are: Jeanne Holloway, senior class president; Betty Taylor, junior class president; Charles Elliott, sophomore class president; Hamilton Fox, Jr., freshman class president; Lillian Hough, Student Council president; Vivian Bounds, editor-in-chief of the Publications Staff; Dolly Waters, Bagleam-Carnean president; Rachel Mitchell, Dramatic Club president; Miriam Beachley, Glee Club president; Jerome Fletcher, Men's Chorus president; Evelyn Jordan, Athletic Association president; Wade Caruthers, Orchestra president and senior class treasurer; Carolyn Horsey, Girl's Day Students Association president; Lucille Testerman, Home Association president; Betsy Owens and David Perry assembly committee; Nan Cullen, senior class secretary; Frances Wallace, senior vice-president.

A time has been scheduled for the election for those offices which have not yet been filled.



"POP"

The old bus rattles up to college door. Student teachers carrying out, gay . . . excited. Ten years ago they would have been "country teaching" bound. Now it's to city for student teaching. But always though the years have brought changes, the man at the wheel has been—"Pop."

Building the throne for the Queen of May . . . decorating the "gym" for every dance . . . constructing stage properties for all plays . . . whittling the senior class batons . . . always plenty of work to do and to direct. And the man behind it all has always been—"Pop."

Surely here are years of duty faithfully rendered. Here a service enriched by human kindness.

"For it all—thanks 'Pop'—from the bottom of our hearts."

## Coming Sessions Find Increase In Faculty Set-Up

### Changes Made By Resignations and Need For Larger Force

Readjustments in the membership of the faculty for the 1937-38 sessions have been made following the resignation of three of its members and the addition of a new one: Miss Lillian M. Parker, Mrs. Nelson H. Fritz, and Mrs. John Lang, the former Miss Helen Bradley. They have been succeeded by Mrs. Emily Collins Morris, Miss Elinor Hartnell, and Mr. John W. Martin, respectively. Miss Grace Strickland succeeds Mrs. William Howard Bennett as Librarian, the latter having increased her classes in English instruction at the college.

Miss Parker has taught the first and second grades in the College Elementary department since 1928, having taught at Camden School prior to that. She has accepted the position of second grade teacher at the Pinehurst School. She attended Teachers College, Columbia University, obtaining her B.S. degree. Her successor, Mrs. Emily C. Morris, is a graduate of the State Teachers College, at Towson. After her graduation, she taught at Capitol Heights near Washington, at Phillips School, at Mt. Herman where she was critic teacher, and at Chestnut Street School. She has attended Summer School at the University of Maryland and last year took a full course at the Teachers College here.

Mrs. Fritz for the past three years has held in turn the positions of Registrar and Secretary here. After attending Wilson College, Russell Sage College, and Katherine Gibbs Secretarial School, she was awarded her A.B. and B.S. degree. Miss Hartnell has assumed her duties.

Mrs. Lang, formerly Miss Helen M. Bradley, succeeded Mrs. Fritz as registrar in 1935. At that time she was also business manager and instructor of economics at the college. Last year she discontinued her instruction but continued as registrar-business manager. Her work has been taken by Mr. Martin.

Mr. J. B. Richardson, superintendent of buildings and grounds, and Mr. Gideon Farlow, day fireman since the early years of the college, are retiring.

## Guidance Program Planned For All Freshman Students

### Proposed Work To Be Dis- cussed At Parent-Student- Faculty Dinner

With the introduction of the new four-year curriculum, the first two years of which are academic and the last two years professional, has come an increased need for guidance. Approximately one-half of the present enrollment of more than 200 students, more than one-third of them young men, plan to transfer to one of the ten colleges now allowing full junior standing upon the satisfactory completion of the two-year academic course, while the remainder expect to enroll in our teacher training curriculum, completing the work for the B.S. degree in Elementary Education.

In order to provide an opportunity for parents and students to express their opinions as to what the college should do in guiding students in the solution of their educational problems as well as to give opportunity for getting acquainted, a Parent-Student-Faculty Dinner, to which the parents of all new students will be invited, will be held on October 8, 1937. A member of the faculty will also speak on the new guidance program which college authorities have this year introduced at the State Teachers College at Salisbury, the tentative outline of which follows:

1. Objectives of the different student organizations have already been set forth by the respective organization presidents, with Miss Lillian Hough, President of the Student Council in charge.
2. Distribution of copies of Student Council and Faculty regulations with explanations by Miss Hough and J. D. Blackwell.
3. The Budgeting of Time—Miss Anne Matthews.
4. Effective Study, The Nature of Learning, and the Administration of Standard Tests—Mr. T. J. Caruthers.
5. The Use of the Library—Miss Grace Strickland.
6. Entertainment and Special Programs—Miss Margaret Black.
7. Student Relationships—Miss Ruth Powell.
8. Personal Appearance of Students—Miss Helen Jamart.
9. Extra-curricular Activities—Mr. J. L. Straughn.
10. School Spirit—Mrs. IdaBelle Wilson Thomas.
11. One period each during the remainder of the first semester will be devoted, under the direction of J. D. Blackwell, to a study of the professions and occupations open to college students.

Each student will be required to read Bennett's "College and Life" published by McGraw-Hill, and Bird's "Effective Study Habits" published by the Century Company; also to prepare a 2000 word term paper on the topic, "My Aim in Life and How I Expect to Attain It." Approximately 100 recent references have been made available in the library, to students. A volunteer faculty adviser has been assigned each group of ten freshmen.

On April 8 and 9, a youth conference on "Careers" will be held at the college under the direction of the Student Council and the Christian Association. High school seniors especially will be invited to attend and participate in this conference.

Throughout the college year, freshman students especially will be given such guidance as will enable them to meet social and spiritual problems, as well as to choose intelligently a vocation adapted to their respective interests and abilities.





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**TO "HECKLE" OR HELP?**

A freshie—how much that name implies! It labels you as the person for the hard-hearted sophs (in your shoes this time last year) to "heckle" for these first weeks of school. What predicaments they place you in! Hippity-hopping down the halls in mismatched shoes and hose, paying them tribute with bows and salutes, letting the men in on all the beauty secrets of young womanhood. But who cares? The men are going through just as much torture as the women. At the time they would like to measure up to that "Robert Taylor-ishness," they are having to wear their pants above their knees as in those awful "early teen" days, reversing their suits so you can't tell whether they are "backing up or coming again," and having to recite all those dreadful words that have condemned them to such embarrassment to their elders, the sophs.

Why? Why? Why? You ask this eternal question. Do they really want to embarrass you? Do they look upon you as really "too green for words"? Do they want to make you a spectacle upon which the whole college can gaze with the light of amusement in its eyes? No! It is none of these things. They do it because it was done to them, because it is a tradition—that certain something that makes a world, a continent, a country, a state, a city, a home, a school the place you love.

One of the greatest traditions of any college is that of initiating the freshie into the college life. Not only does this simple rite familiarize you with the school and the upperclassmen but it also familiarizes the upperclassmen with you. Are you a good sport? Can you take it? That is what they are trying to find out. How you respond to all their treatment for your individual self affects their impressions and opinions of you during the rest of your life here at S.T.C.

And what impressions you have made! Poor sports? Never! Can you take the rest of your college life with as good sportsmanship as you have your "course of initiation"? Time alone will tell—but, come on, we're betting on you!

**SERVICE TO ONE'S PROFESSION**

Resignations and retirements in any field of work always tend to accentuate a person's duty and faithfulness to his profession. The recent resignations in the college faculty and set-up are typical examples of service and loyalty to one's profession, one's work.

Miss Lillian Parker for twelve years was primary teacher in the College Elementary School. Prior to that time she taught in the old Camden Street School. There is no doubt whatever that she has given freely of herself to that art of instructing, guiding and inspiring those little ones who have entered school for the first time in their lives. Here is a noble and faithful service with vast, far-reaching effects upon a community, state, and fatherland.

And retirement! A service that has taken the better of one's life. Mr. James Richardson has been associated with the supervision and lay-out of grounds and buildings for normal schools for a good many years. He was with Towson Normal until 1925 when he came to Salisbury to accept the position of Superintendent of Grounds and Buildings here. He has worked from a land that is bare and sandy. The results of his efforts and long days of work are around us. Here is beauty that will live on forever!

Mr. Gideon Farlow has long been fireman in the machinery rooms. His was a service in the mechanical base of a structure. A mechanical service that requires accuracy and knowledge of machinery and tools.

### In and Around the Library Nooks

With ANNA ROSE SMITH

Noise and confusion may reign in the corridors of S. T. C. but inside the library there is peace and serenity—a perfect setting for work and study. Freshmen should learn immediately that it is a place of help, and that the librarians are always ready and willing to assist.

With a new librarian in charge, we find that there is a new system of arranging books. Upon entering the library, we find on our left: first, the sociology books, next the education and training books. Across the back are the references pertaining to English language. As we move around, our eyes rest on the little alcove. Here on the left are the children's books and on the right are the fiction books. Leaving the alcove and starting again from the entrance, we have on our right along the back the reference shelves. Next in line are the history books, and there are many kinds of them—some too heavy for carrying home many nights especially if one is inclined to be—shall we say—lazy?

On the next shelves are the books pertaining to drama and to literature. One section is devoted entirely to Shakespeare. On the next and last section of shelves are the individual biographies. And thus we have made the rounds of the library and we hope this bit of information may help you in your research work.

In your tour of the library do not overlook the beautiful statue Diana, for indeed she lends dignity and grace. It was with this purpose in mind that the class of 1931 dedicated this beautiful piece of statuary of our school.

No tour could be complete without noticing the exhibitions which appear on the bulletin boards. We notice that at the present time there are articles and beautiful pictures illustrating and explaining the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of our constitution. Various exhibitions will appear from time to time, so be on the alert for them.

### Traditions at S.T.C.

Tradition—what an important part it plays at S.T.C.

In order that the freshman class may become acquainted with some of these traditions the Staff offers you the following quiz. Even the upperclassmen may not know all answers. Go up to them sometime and say:

- Do you know—
1. The story connected with our historic spade?
  2. The story of the oldest of our historic pens?
  3. The area of our campus?
  4. What became of the original Pep?
  5. Who owned the first Mickey?
  6. Where the panelling in the dining room came from?
  7. The names of the hawthorn trees along the front walk?
  8. Which tree on the campus was planted by Dr. Bagley?
  9. Why the masonic order always has representatives to visit S.T.C. on Armistice Day?
  10. What governor delivered his commencement address in the rain?
  11. When the school was finally completed?
  12. When S.T.C. was started?
  13. Who drew the design of the school seal?
  14. Why the date "1932" was important in the history of the school?
  15. When the first degrees were granted? To how many?
  16. The history of the clock in the social room?
  17. When the first class was graduated?
  18. What favors were given to the ladies when the state Rotarians met here?
  19. Why the pineapple is over the front door?
  20. The history of the big Christmas candle?

**Answers:**

1. Our spade first came into existence when it was used by Dr. Holmway to lift the first shovelful of dirt when the cornerstone of the State Normal School was laid. It was later used by Senator Disharoon in the dedication of each unit of the school.
2. This pen made history because it was used by the late Governor Ritchie to sign the bill which authorized the construction of a State Normal

### On and Off The Campus

By C. HORSEY

What a practice! Miss Black had better watch; she'll make a bad impression on those freshies. Remember the other day during mixed chorus practice when she invited the boys to "watch the drink divine"? Hm—think we all had better join!

Wasn't it an honor to have Miss I. Jewell Simpson, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, in our midst on Tuesday, September 14?

Many of you students here have no idea how the faculty spent the summer; I'm going to let you in on a few of their secrets. Remember they can't keep any of those wild escapades from us.

It won't be long before we'll be having a few more "Doctors" around S.T.C. Both Miss Anne H. Matthews and Mr. T. J. Caruthers attended New York University to continue work for their degrees which we understand will be completed in a short time. Mr. Benn Maggs also attended New York University.

Gee, but it's great to have some of our alumni back with us for another year! Miss Roberta Butler, who is here working for her B.S. degree, visited on the week end of September 19, another of our alumni, Mrs. Mae Taylor, who graduated in the class of '36, and who is now teaching in Pocomoke City, Maryland.

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### Freshmen Assume Duties "Rat" Life

(As Observed)

According to observation during the last few weeks, this freshman class of 1937 needs no course in college orientation. They immediately became adjusted to the school and its peoples as soon as the "rat rules" went into effect.

If contrast has been the central word in fashion for the past season, then these girls are quite modernistic. For if their coiffure is made of three plaits one day, then they change their hair dress with full decorations of shiny tin curlers, or else they plaster it close to the head. To vary the head-dress is not sufficient. They believe in wearing the long-discarded thick white stockings, or anklet with a high heel slipper and a silk stocking with a tennis shoe. Likewise, they go one-sided in their cosmetics. However, in spite of all these most novel attractions, they still hold forth that "suth'n hospitality" for anyone superior to them. Upon meeting them any place, the hands go up to the mouths, and they fling out kisses.

This not being a one-sided affair, the men, too, entered into the restraint of privileges, all of which goes under the meaningful term "initiation." If the length of the restrictions have anything to do with it, the sophomores were quite gracious in the making of them, and they surely intend to "bring the freshmen up as they would have them to go." Although no mention was made of the mode of dress, they did not allow the girls to surpass them. Very good naturedly and nonchalantly they stroll through the corridors, classrooms, library and elsewhere with such conscious markings as trousers rolled above their knees, or ties wrapped around their heads, or coats put on backwards, or boats tied to their lower extremities.

In case the freshmen do not become thoroughly familiar or non-familiar with all during these weeks, it is more than probable that they will before that "big day of October 1" is ended. The rest is left for them to gain when the rules are lifted.

However, these 87 do not feel that they are being imposed upon, for they can just be optimistic and look forward to diverting these same measures plus those which have been omitted on the incoming class of next year.

### Tally Ho!

(The "ole fox", a newcomer into your midst, intends to bring to you a column in which he reveals the secret things he sees and hears in all corners as he snoops around. As he runs hither and yon, his ole foot will purposefully scratch up the dirt, so be most cautious that your name is not beneath it.)

I'd like to inform: that freshman who came to Salisbury with the expectations of finding her riding habit ready to step into and of finding lacrosse in full swing, etc., etc.—that S. T. C. is not Swarthmore—yet!

It seems that one of the freshman has the economic idea of getting her money's worth even though she enrolls in the college late. That must have been what was on the mind of that attractive brunette who was seen sitting in the auditorium after the last note of the recessional had been sounded. What more did she want for her money?—After all, there was no admission to assembly.

It's not always the freshmen who are "fresh". If that senior wishes to attain a professional air, she must divert her excess energy to reading pages of the "Blue Book" rather than tantalizing an innocent freshman in the library. It wasn't his fault that he was sitting there with his trousers above his knee, I'm still doubting if she meant to grab the "table leg" which she gave as her alibi.

The "ole snooper", finding only a few green acts, ventures to say that this freshman class must be "growing up". Or rather they are being left for the upper classmen. It must have required energy and—for that sophomore athlete to rush from the third floor to first to get her unknown class. Then what could it have required for her to burst in time to be seated and hear the teacher dismiss the class, only to discover later that she had sat through the end of the period previous to her class. Next time familiarize yourself with schedule and watch, and use the elevator.

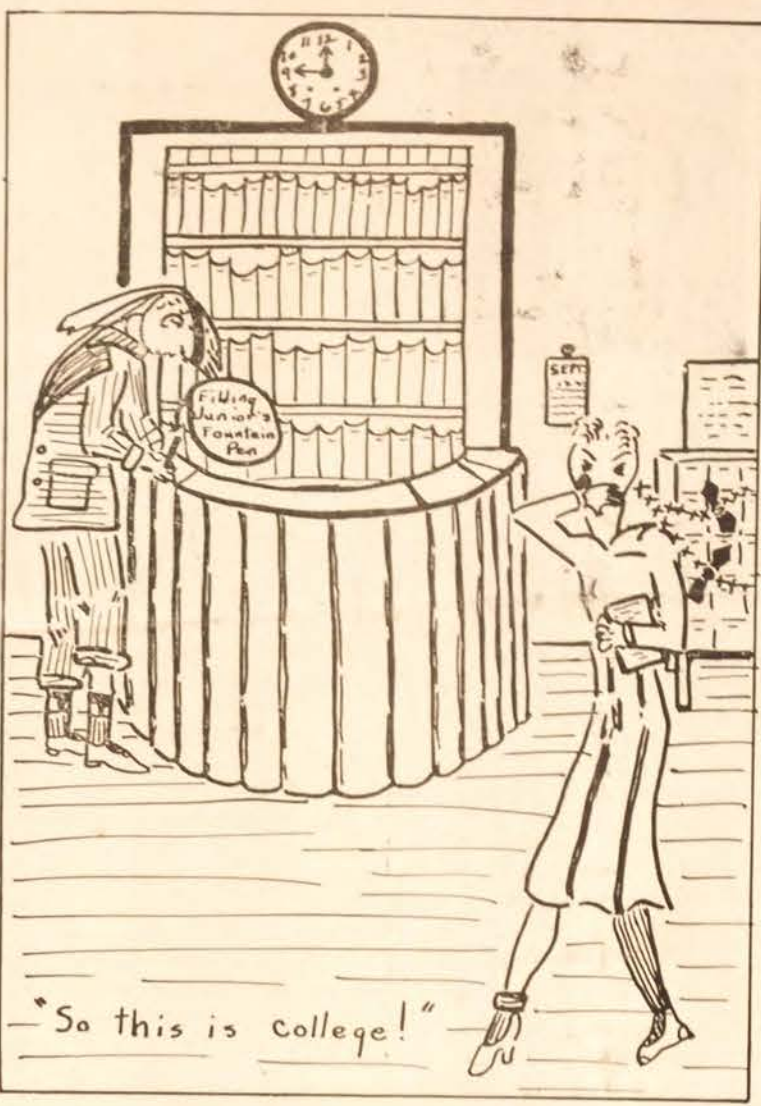
If that little southern senior coed "wants to make some money", I suggest that she adhere to the fine art of teaching rather than lending her ear to that "foreign lingo". She'll conclude that teaching can offer white collars and cuffs as well as the laundry. This professional advice is offered for the benefit of those other girls who are taking too serious an interest in such vocations as produce buying and strawberry production.

To whom it may concern: I wish to report that the lost and found department of the college is not functioning properly. If it had been, it would not have sent that poor stray kitten to the office of the dietician. It has to be admitted though that it doesn't take long for a new member around here to catch on to the idea of "shirking duty" when possible.

It's not news when a member of the faculty advises a student not to skip class, but when a freshman girl goes to all the trouble of trucking down to the office to remind a professor that it is the hour for his class—that's news! Could this have been just a freshie's break or could it have been a conservativist with the idea that "I'm passing this way only once and I want my money's worth".

The "ole fox" wishes to apologize to those two sophisticated seniors who monopolize the front row for accusing them of attempting to pull A's. Now he sees, however, that certain sections of the classroom not only make favorable impressions, but if used correctly, may serve as an ideal place for getting up back sleep. He suggests one of three things: that the teachers enrich their plans with the child's interests, or that the modern trend of education go so far as to sweep into the classroom and change it into a lounge, or that these ladies be put under Miss Ruth's care with a limited number of nights out.

(It is the hope of the "ole fox" that he will be able to spice his column with some romance for the next issues, so he is just waiting around until the "rat rules" are off. Until then, TALLY HO!)



### A Junior Diary

Dear Diary: It has been every bit of two weeks since I have told you a word. I just know you think I've forgotten you; but it's far worse than that; my program in Teaching has been graciously taking my leisure off my hands. What have I been doing?—You mean you really want to know? Well, the first three days of school we spent entirely in the elementary department to become oriented to that branch of education of which we are planning to become a vital part. After that our class was divided into groups which were assigned to the four class rooms. Now we are doing assistant teaching under the various training teachers. We've already made a very unusual impression upon the first grade; the other day one of its tiny members referred to us as "stooges." Really, dear Diary, one sees and hears some of the most amusing things down there. Why, can you imagine Robert Doenges going on a trip with Dickie Booth on one arm and George Bane on the other? And he—one of our most stoical Juniors!!!

On September 17, the assistant teachers in the first and second grade room accompanied those grades on a tour to the Homestead Dairy to view all the various processes in dairy

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### PUCK

(Holly Leaf Columnist Who Knows All and Sees All.)

We've started off on our College Year at last and the place is fairly teeming with activity. There are new faces everywhere and I believe almost as many new ones as there were last year. In fact, there are changes every way you turn. Imagine my surprise, when I went to put my things in the Freshman Day Students Room, to find that all the old familiar furnishings had disappeared, and the room had been made into a classroom. After scouting around I found that the Day Student Girls were all in one room this year, and that there were cubby-holes in which to put our books. You were lucky, too, if you were tall like I am to find a place that you did not have to go down on your knees to reach.

There are faculty changes, too Miss Strickland has come to reign over the Library. It is pretty hard not to be able to talk much in there anymore, but I guess it is better after all. Dr. Blackwell has a new secretary. Miss Hartnell, is not very tall, but she's a worker nevertheless. And Girls!!! have you seen the new Registrar. A man, believe it or not. I just have to go by the office ever so often, to see if he's really there. Have you ever seen him blush? Well!! He has a temper, too, I'll bet. If you don't believe it, ask PUCK

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For the College Girl

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### Retail Merchants Association

### Offices Now Open For New Staff Members

Entries Must Be Made On or Before Oct. 10

Hear ye! Hear ye! The Staff is sending out an S.O.S. Why? Not because we be in distress, but because we want new talent and enthusiasm and interest in the publications work. If you will now direct your eyes to the masthead you will notice in parenthesis (offices to be filled).

Are you an artist? Are you a typist? Do you have a nose for news? Are you a good salesman? Are you a good athlete?

If you are any of these persons, or if you want to be, write either a feature article, a humor column, a news story (conforming to all the requirements of a good one) or give us a sample of your typing or art work. Submit them to some member of the staff, giving your full name, your class, and the position you would be interested in holding on the staff. One requirement—it is necessary that you do this on or before October 1.

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## Seniors Begin 18 Week Period Assistant Teaching

### Favorable Schedule Permits Afternoon Teaching Under Direction Critics, Supervisors

The student teachers of the senior class have now been grouped and assigned to their specific practice teaching positions for the first semester of this year. The groupings are as follows: At Pinehurst, teaching, under Mrs. Berkley James, grades 2A and 2B, will be Betsy Owens, Carolyn Horsey, and Evelyn Jordan. Miriam Beachley, Nan Polk Cullen, Frances Parsons and Ruth Wilkins will be trained under Mrs. Louise Francis, teacher of the third grade at Pinehurst. Mrs. Mae Torrey, instructor of 4A and 4B, will direct the student teachers, Jeanne Holloway, Frances Wallace, Rachel Mitchell, and Irma Brittingham. In Chestnut Street school Miss Gertrude Killiam, teacher of grades 4A and 4B, will train Lucille Testerman, Willard Stevens, Josephine Warren, and Mrs. Elizabeth Mitchell. Jerome Fletcher, Arthur Somervell, Gwynette Thompson, and Lillian Hough will go to Chestnut Street school to teach 7A and 7B which is taught by Miss Molly Parker. The group which goes to Wicomico High to teach under Miss Emma Marks, grades 7A and 7B, are Dolly Waters, Wade Caruthers, Vivian Bounds and Robert L. Vincent.

The teachers are arranged in groups of two, those in the first groupings teaching and observing from one o'clock until two and those in the second groupings teaching and observing from the recess period until the close of the schools. Transportation to and from the schools will be by bus.

After eighteen weeks of teaching at these particular centers, the class will conclude its program in practice work by observing for two weeks all day long in the town schools at which time senior courses here in the college will be discontinued.

## Juniors Accompany Laboratory School

The third and fourth grades have become greatly interested in the work of the United States postal service employees. After discussing many questions which arose during class recitations some child suggested visiting the newly completed post office to find out more information concerning several problems which confronted them, such as: What ways are used to detect a dishonest employee in a post office? What happens if the post office burns? How are the vaults made robber-proof, etc.

Arrangements were made for transportation, so the children of both grades accompanied by their teacher and nine student teachers, of the Junior class enjoyed a most educational and interesting visit.

The next day it was suggested in class to write a letter of thanks to the postmaster. So the following letter was composed by the group:

College Elementary School  
Salisbury, Maryland  
Sept. 21, 1937

My dear Mrs. Tolson:

We thank you for the very interesting visit to the post office. We gained much information that will be helpful in our discussion of the post office. We want to thank Mr. Leonard, too, for explaining very clearly many things and answering our questions. More people should know how hard the postal service employees work for them.

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## "Eastern Shore's O.K."—Say New Faculty Members

(As Interviewed by Staff Writer)  
Shy, efficient, and willing to help are the characteristics which most adequately describe our new faculty members. Very little do we see of Miss Ellnor Hartnell unless we are in the office to seek information or to see Dr. Blackwell. As this is her first time to live on the Eastern Shore, we were interested in her comment that the country was a little too flat. Miss Hartnell comes to us well qualified. She was graduated from Lynchburg College and then went to Upper Marlboro, Maryland, where she taught for six months. At this time she made a decided change, shifting to the First National Bank where she was employed for two years. Her next change we are proud and happy to say was to good old S.T.C.


To all those students who use the library frequently we suggest that you continue the good habit; but to those who never visit, we urge that you do so. Really you have no idea what a versatile personality you all are missing. For to talk to our new librarian one cannot help but benefit and learn. Miss Grace Strickland is a native of our Eastern Shore—coming from Worcester County. She, however, has been away most of her time, returning only for vacations. No doubt it seems odd to her to be spending her time on the Shore once more. Miss Strickland is a graduate of Washington College, she has attended Beacom's Business College, and the Drexel Library School. At the present time she is working for her M.A. degree at Columbia University. She has been especially impressed by the friendliness and hospitality of the faculty and students. We hope she may never have any cause to change this impression.

Hurray! and with this exclamation the masculine members of the faculty welcome a new member to their ranks. He hails from Kentucky, but we haven't noticed whether or not he has a drawl. In his moments of relaxation he plays tennis and we understand he sings well, too. He has a very serious side, too, and his qualifications are "top notch." Mr. Martin received his degree from Wilmington College of Commerce, which he attended for three years; and he attended Western Kentucky State Teachers College for one year. His chief aim now is to acquire his M.A. Asked what he thought of the Eastern Shore, he smiled and replied, "Oh, it's all right!"


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## COLLEGE SESQUI-CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE



MRS. IDABELLE W. THOMAS  
Chairman of the Committee and Head  
of the History department



M. E. BRUCE THOMPSON  
Instructor of Sociology

## Members of Sesquicentennial Committee

### Proposed Plan For Pageant On Maryland Day

In view of the fact that a celebration of the birth of the U. S. Constitution is being planned by S.T.C., three members of the faculty have been appointed to serve on the U. S. Constitution Sesqui-Centennial Committee. Mrs. Idabelle Wilson Thomas, head of the history department here, will act as chairman of the committee with the assistance of Miss Anne H. Matthews, head of the English department, and Mr. Bruce E. Thompson, instructor of Sociology.

The committee have as yet made no definite plans regarding the type of celebration the college will have. Suggestions have been made that it be in the form of a pageant to be held on Maryland Day, March 25. Those who remember the Bicentennial Pageant given by the college in 1932 and the Maryland Tercentenary Pageant given in 1934 can attest the success of the school in putting on a production of this sort.

Mrs. Thomas stated that she expected the cooperation of the entire faculty and student body in carrying on the intensive research and work that will be necessary for a worthwhile presentation. All publicity will be taken care of by the college staff while the art and music departments will attend to the stage arrangements and fanfare.

## Alumni Plan Annual Homecoming

When? Where? What?  
Why, haven't you heard! Homecoming will be at the State Teachers College Saturday, October 16th, 1937. We are planning our annual "get-together" then.

The alumni will again be guests of the College for dinner. A special program of music and speaking has been planned.

We are looking forward with great anticipation to welcoming all alumni back to their beloved Alma Mater.  
Alice Mae Coulbourn, Pres.

## Graduate Placements Of Former Students

S.T.C. made another record this year by placing one hundred per cent of its graduates and former students in teaching positions. Helen Smith obtained a position teaching at Catonsville, Baltimore County; Samuel Carey, Sparks School, Baltimore County; Carolyn Riley, Dundalk, Baltimore County; Raymond Jump, Tilghman, Maryland; Dorothy Pruitt, Berlin; Mrs. Ralph Parsons, Pinehurst, Salisbury; Mrs. Louise Adkins, Riverdale; Mrs. Agnes B. Rew, Glen Burnie, Md.; Frances Robinson, Taylor's Island; and Louise Parker, Baltimore County. Samuel Sherwell is at Flaxcala, Colonia Roma, Mexico.

At present all indications point toward a great many available teaching positions for future graduates of the Teachers Colleges in the State of Maryland.

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