

## Basketball Season Draws to a Close



Members of the team are, from left to right, (front row): William Newcomb, Goldy Tyler, Robert Lockerman, Fred Messick; (back row): Oris Horsey, William Blades, Edward Dougherty, and Willard Oakley.

DEBATE TO BE GIVEN  
BY BAGLEAN-CARNEANS

Three Intercollegiate Debates Scheduled

Four students, one senior and three freshmen, will open a debate session on Resolved: "That American Students Should Remain Neutral In Their Attitude Toward Present World Conflicts," before the Student Conference in the afternoon meeting at 2:30. This topic is in keeping with the theme of the Conference, "The Student in a Complex World."

Participants in the debate are members of the Baglean-Carnean Society, a debating club. On the affirmative team are Edwin Kircher and Jean Nock; on the negative team, Stewart Bennett and James Hyde.

## Other Debates Scheduled

The Baglean-Carnean Society is the result of the consolidation of two erstwhile rival organizations and has for the last few years been thriving as a debating club. Plans are in progress for a series of debates to be held with teams of other colleges. One of these series is to be with Washington College on March 15, and April 11. An encounter with Western Maryland College has been planned for April 16.

A suggestion has been made by Washington College that the two colleges have a freshman "match of wits"; no definite plans have been formulated.

## Dr. Current Convalescing

During Dr. Richard Current's illness Mrs. IdaBelle Wilson Thomas has accepted the responsibility of the sociology department. She taught many of the classes, but assisting her have been two senior students, William Champlin and Charles Elliott. Dr. Current is now recovering in University of Maryland Hospital in Baltimore, and is expected to resume his duties very soon.

BASKET BALL SCHEDULE  
FOR 1940 IS COMPLETED

S.T.C. Squad Entered Two Local Tournaments

Highlights of the season for S.T.C. basketballers have been the defeat of Goldey, the close game with Beacom, and the victories over Laurel A. C., Vienna C.C.C., and Oliphant Chevrolet. The club has had its ups and downs but all in all a very successful season has been experienced. The finals of the Cambridge American Legion Tournament were played with Salisbury State Teachers College and the Cambridge Collegians February 29.

The first game which S.T.C. won in the Cambridge Tournament was against the Vienna C.C.C. outfit which was completely outclassed. On that same night Cambridge Collegians defeated Puncoteague, Laurel defeated the Cambridge Green Raiders, and DeMolay of Cambridge defeated the strong Ocean City Sea Gulls. In the next round S.T.C. drew a bye. Oliphant, which drew a bye the first round, was soundly trounced by Laurel A. C., and Crisfield, which drew a bye also the first round, was defeated by DeMolay. The Cambridge Collegians won by default from Delmar Hornets. In the semi-final round the Cambridge Collegians were hard-pressed by the DeMolay team, which was minus its star player. The S.T.C. squad defeated the strong Laurel A. C. in the other semi-final game to gain a spot in the finals which were played February 29, at the Cambridge Armory.

The Southern Dairies Tournament foretold a different story for the State Teachers quintet. The Teachers were defeated in the first round by Oliphant after leading the first half. The Laurel A.C., defeated Crisfield and the Cambridge Collegians nosed out the Baptist team to gain the second round spots. The final game between Oliphant and Laurel was won by Laurel 38-27.

275 MEN AND WOMEN TO  
PARTICIPATE IN MASS  
ATHLETIC EXHIBITION

Drills, Dances, Mat Work And Contests To Comprise Greatly Varied Performance

In the college gymnasium, all the students enrolled in the college will participate in a mass athletic exhibition at the Fifth Annual Student Conference, Saturday night, March 16. This drill will include every physical education student, both men and women, and will afford an opportunity for each to display his ability.

One hundred sixty-seven women led by the senior group will march into the gym at 7:30. These seniors will execute a special performance as will each of the other class groups. Dances of foreign countries is the leading motif of the individual class activities. The seniors become Irish washer women in green skirts and aprons; the sophomores do a Russian Czardas; and the freshmen in costume do a Dutch Dance.

## Men To Perform

Between dances, the men will march in by classes to display their ability at calisthenics by performing on the high bar, the low bar or by doing the elephant jump. Then, there will be individual and group performances to lend some humor.

The men will also demonstrate talent in their feats on the parallel bars and the mats. The boxing demonstration promises to be lively. As the climax of the evening's performance, several men representing each class will try their skill in timed rope-climbing. The time record is kept from year to year and it is the duty of every participant to try to break the record for his class.

The women will resume their activities by forming various pyramids en masse, each class and section having a different basic structure.

Leland Dunn will accompany the marches and the drills on the piano. Miss Helen Jamart and Mr. Benn Maggs are co-chairmen of the gym exhibition.

CHORUS TO PERFORM  
BEFORE CONFERENCE

Among the organizations participating in the Annual Student Conference March 16, will be the College Chorus under the direction of Miss Margaret Black. The Chorus will be a feature of the afternoon program when they will sing: "All Through the Night," a Welsh folk song; "America, the Beautiful," by Katherine Lee Bates; "My Old Kentucky Home," by Stephen Foster; "Water Boy," a negro spiritual; some school songs; and the "Alma Mater" by Black.

Women members of the College Chorus include: sopranos — Helen Adkins, Catherine Appleton, Leona Beauchamp, Betty Breneman, Dorothy Brookhart, Celia Cooper, (Continued on Page Two)

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS TO CONVENE SATURDAY  
MARCH 16 IN FIFTH ANNUAL STUDENT CONFERENCE

A Lecture, Sectional Meetings, Conference Dinner And All-College Night Festivities Make Up Program

High School seniors from all over the shore will meet in the State Teachers College auditorium for the Fifth Annual Student Conference, at 1:00 P.M., Saturday afternoon, March 16. Robert Lockerman, president of the Student Council, will preside and introduce the principal speaker of the afternoon session Dr. Harold Benjamin, Dean of Education at University of Maryland, who will lecture on "Patterns of the Democratic Spirit."

## To Address Conference



Dr. Harold Benjamin is to lecture on "Patterns of the Democratic Spirit" before the first session of the Fifth Annual Student Conference.

Guest seniors who attend the conference will be registered by Miss Lucy Gardner preceding the lecture, the Reverend J. Leas Green of the Bethesda Methodist Church will give the invocation, and the College Orchestra under conductor Benn Maggs will play. The College Chorus directed by Miss Margaret Black will sing four selections from their repertoire.

Sectional meetings will begin at 2:30 P.M. Guests may attend a panel discussion led by Mrs. G. R. Clements on "The Home in the Age of Confusion," or the debate, Resolved: "That American Students Should Remain Neutral in their Attitude Toward Present Day Conflicts" presented by four college students. At 4 P.M. tea will be served and a dance will be held in the main corridor.

## Evening Session

Miss Eleanor Bosse, president of the Christian Association, will be toast mistress of the Conference Dinner and present guests, faculty and presidents of student organizations. The Reverend Haskell R. Deal will give the invocation. Following the dinner at 7:00 P.M. the play "Shall We Join The Ladies" will be presented by the Sophanes Players. Results of the election of campus leaders will be announced by President Blackwell at 7:30. A mass athletic exhibition by women and men students of the college will follow in the gym. Festivities will be concluded by a dance.

Plans for this conference were formulated under chairmanship of Dr. Richard Current head of the steering committee. Other members of the steering committee are: Dr. T. J. Caruthers, co-chairman; Mrs. G. R. Clements; Miss Ruth Powell; Robert Lockerman; and Eleanor Bosse. Others assisting are: **hospitality** — Dr. Florence Simonds, Mrs. IdaBelle Wilson Thomas, Miss Grace Strickland, Helen Johnson, Nancy Jane Kline, Edward Hayman, Dorie Lee Elliott, Sara Bradley, Edward Farrell Bowen, Charles Elliott, Edward Dougherty, Ruth Whetzel, and Anna Brinsfield; **publicity** — Miss Anne Matthews, Miss Henrietta Purnell, Mrs. Margaret Hopkins, Dr. John B. May, Helen Adkins, Olie Horsman, Catherine Keilholtz, and Lawrence Powell; **dance** — J. L. Straughn, William Newcomb, William Champlin, Awdrey Christopher, Carroll Walsh, Thomas Price, Betsey Collison, and Shirley Powell.

CAMPUS LEADERS TO BE  
NAMED ALL-COLLEGE NIGHT

Ballots Voted Three Times To Bring Majorities

In the general assembly, Tuesday, February 27, the student body voted for seven campus leaders to be announced All College Night. The returns will be kept secret until 7:30 when the leaders will be presented by Dr. Blackwell. This election is entirely sponsored by the student body; it was initiated in the early years of the college by the Publications Staff. The first ballot of the 1940 election was cast Tuesday, February 20, after class nominations had taken place February 14.

Only one leader, the Best All Around Man, received a majority in this first ballot. Those nominated for this honor were Charles Elliott, Charles Lavery, Robert Lockerman, William Newcomb, Thomas Price, John Reed, Sam Seidel, and Goldy Tyler.

The final ballot placed before the students, February 27, was composed of candidates for the other six honors. They were as follows: Miss S.T.C.—Helen Adkins, Anna Brinsfield; Queen of May—Doris Lee Elliott, Jean Nock, Adelle Somers, Jeanette Stevenson; Queen's Escort—Awdrey Christopher, Charles Elliott, Tommy Price; Best Woman Athlete—Henrietta Bouchelle, Helen Davis; Best Man Athlete—Robert Lockerman, Goldy Tyler; Most Literary—Helen Adkins, William Champlin, Carroll Speck.





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TYPISTS

YOUTH FACES COMPLEX WORLD

"The Student In The Complex World" is the appropriate theme chosen for the Student Conference. No topic could be more fitting. At the present time, the life of Europe and the Far East is being strangled with the blood of fallen soldiers, and deafened by the near thunder of booming guns. Sixty years ago seniors could have stepped out of high school into a peaceful world and made a LIVING. Today, youth is lucky if they can support themselves when they reach thirty. Cut-throat speculation, highly industrialized specialization, war torn countries, conflicting governmental philosophies are jammed into a world that's baffling and bewildering to a person who is just graduating from high school and is seeking his first position in this complex world. This topic should meet with lively discussion.

PINEAPPLE BIDS WELCOME

We sincerely desire that all guests during the Student Conference will observe the pineapple that rests unassumingly above the main entrance. It is our candle in the window. The pineapple is symbolic of "Hospitality." Seniors, it greets each one of you as you enter the college. We hope that you will enjoy the activities that we have planned for you. Cordially, we welcome each and every one and hope, that you'll take away with you the spirit of the pineapple in your hearts.

"Dips In The Dorm"

February is not usually considered a month in spring but this year it seems to have brought this feeling with it. I am not speaking of the weather but of the hearts that have grown fonder. This time the taller persons seem to have been affected the most acutely. The first one to mention might be Horsey who thinks "Apples" by the "ton" are what he is most interested in at the present time. Then we notice that a blonde sophomore girl also rates; and she picked the king of the tall family. We were rather "Shocked" at our first glance but now we are getting used to it.

One of our juniors girl seems to be "Gone With the Wind." At least that's the way it started. Since then we have wondered about the numerous phone calls. Could they all have been from Easton, Marie? Are you just kidding us? It seems to be quite nice that brother and sister can arrange to attend the same college. It makes the Sundays seem "Les" dull especially when you dine at Thompson's. We do not doubt your word, Slemmer.

Since we have no lost and found column I will use this space to say that a black hat is missing from a room on the third floor. It was lost two weeks ago. She was visiting a familiar spot—not on the

campus but quite a popular place. If found please return to Lady Godvia. We wish good luck in your search and hope this will teach you a lesson.

Another sophomore girl definitely got stopped when she was taking a Sunday ride down near a little town called Shad Point. Too bad you had to walk seven and half miles in that mud, Laura, because the "Day" might have been so interesting.

The Social Room seems to have plenty of competition on Sunday nights. That is, Room 113 seems to be quite popular with the freshmen. That's where one of them "Parks" anyway. On one occasion Clementine was the lucky guy. Don't feel badly about this because there were "More" there with you. No doubt you will have plenty of company until there is a disturbance.

One of our freshman girls seems to have gone traveling the other Sunday. We "Marvel" at her fondness for Ocean City in winter. Maybe if the boardwalk had been marked "Walk slowly" a slight misfortune might have been avoided.

The Goon twins were among those who went to the high school to see the movies this week. How long they stayed we do not know. They missed a good ride but they got back to school. We wonder how?

CHORUS TO PERFORM

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Doris Lee Elliott, Dorothy Fogwell, Hannah Gibson, Betty Handy, Elizabeth Hastings, Norma Hicks, Doris McVey, Anne Jones, Shirley Rowell, and Jeanette Stevenson; second sopranos — Marie Bounds, Thelma Bowman, Sara Bradley, Doris Gross, Augusta Heath, Helen Johnson, Maude Savage, and Billy Shugart; altos — Ruth Brandon, Betsey Anne Collison, Virginia Harcum, Dorothy Siddons, Florence Standiford, Ellen Taylor, Kathleen Tilghman, Barbara Willing, and Marjorie Wright.

Men of the Chorus are: first tenors — Stewart Bennett, Richard Williams; second tenors — Olin Bedsworth, Edward Bowen, Charles Dulin, Charles Elliott, Oris Horsey, James Hyde, William Kenschaw, Goldy Tyler; first bass — William Bailey, William Newcomb, William Slemmer, Thomas Price, Stokes Sharp, Calvin Ward; second bass — Leland Dunn.

Satire On War

It's your son and your son  
Oh, pile the bodies high  
We've this man and that man  
To raise the battle cry.

So it's your son and your son  
Why stand they in a mass?  
Why this man and that man?  
Oh, they are blind with gas!

What care we that they are blind?  
There are plenty more to see.  
What care we their lives are broke,  
If it for our honor be?

Oh, it was your son and your son  
A babe upon your breast.  
And your son and your son  
In Flanders Field now rest.

So it's your son and my son  
Pray God he strong will be.  
This is your land and my land  
Here! but not beyond the sea!  
—Evelyn Vincent.

Wee REED More

Did you know? Confucius Brother says, "Confucius say too much."

Make up to match your dress is the latest craze. For free demonstration see "Dame" Rosin.

Bob K. is often seen with a berry of belles. Flowers wants to know what that guy has that he seems to be lacking. The Greeks had a word for it Tommy.

Mrs. B.: Now I want you to tell me the number of the following nouns. Mr. Bennett you take the first, "trousers"?  
Snorky: (after deliberation) Singular at the top and plural lower down, madam.

Dear Easter Bunny:  
Please bring Rachel Mac. a new pink checked spring outfit. She simply won't be able to rest until she has one in her possession.

Have you seen a certain new Spring Hat? It's the last word in chick fashion. Just too-too ... birds and everything.

Sanford made a tremendous hit in speech class. His experiences on his trip around the world were simply thrilling. However, it is rumored he did not tell all.

Swive and Betty have decided a beautiful friendship is much better than a love affair. It seems, like many others, Betty has a home town sweetheart. Sensible children, don't you think?

Toddy: How many cigarettes do you smoke a day?  
Magnetta: Oh, any GIVEN number.

Clinard and Clemintine talk too much. At least "Doc" thinks so. Tut tut my children,—you are in college.

"Daisy Mae" Daisey says there are't any flies on him.

The "Goon Twins" are now starring in a new story called, "Ye Dragon Fly." What a story! What action.

Billy Blades wants to know how to care for elephant ears. We recommend soap and water.

Tasty, eh what? One of the "Butcher Boys" just loves Red Heart Dog Food. Bow-wow Ernie.

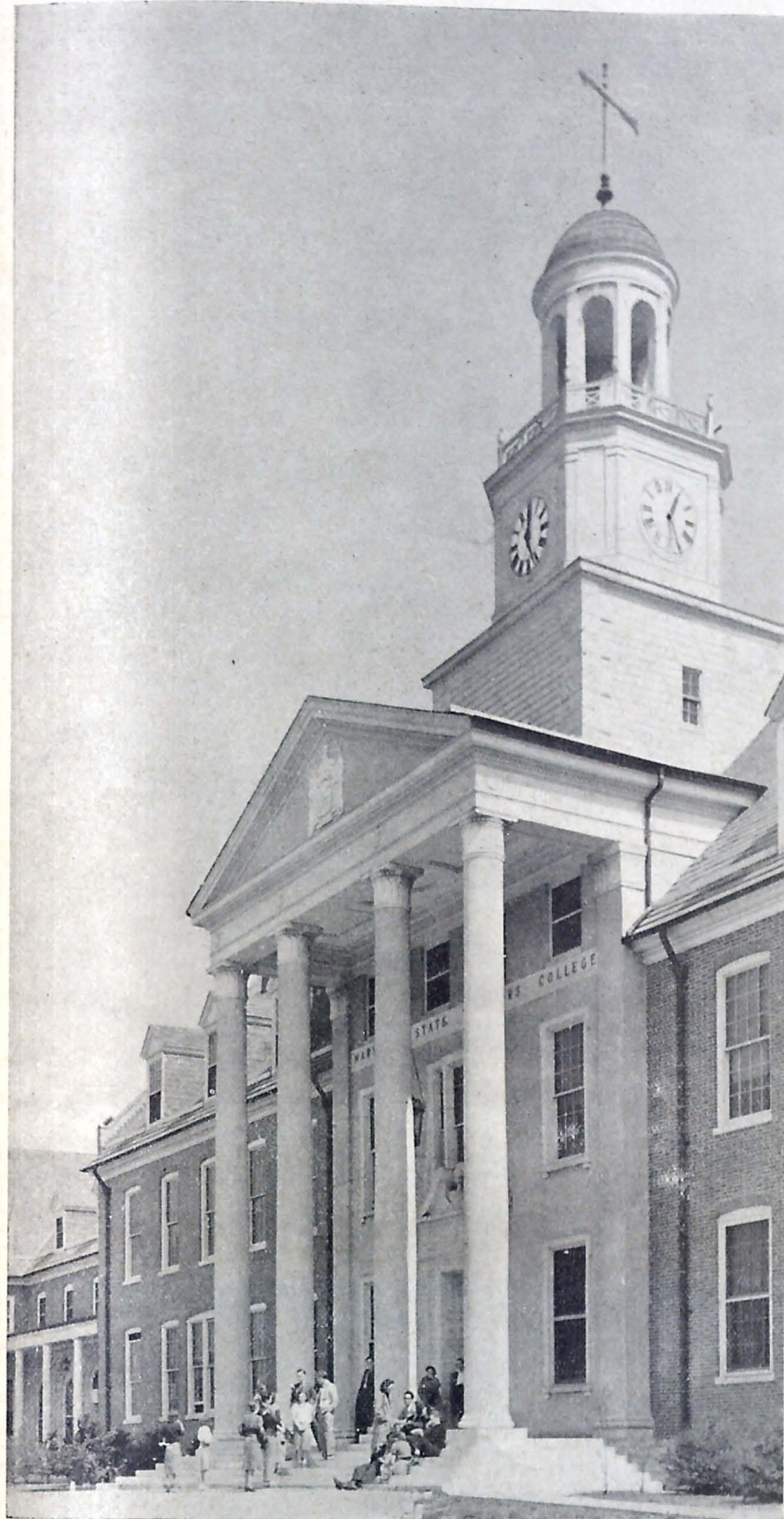
Laura celebrated her birthday with a bang. Birthday dinner with the Hollands. A dozen American Beauty Roses and a picture of Tommy, himself. My,—what an eventful day!

"Dot" Parker certinly goes for the new students. She didn't lose any time in taking Sanford under her wing. More power to you "Dot." I've often heard there is safety in numbers.

Gracious, how fat Jeanette is getting!  
Yes, that's because she daily doesn't.

Only 298 days till Christmas. Dear Santa: Please leave me some candy, nuts, oranges and an Alarm Clock.—Coach Maggs.

Stately Columns Bid Welcome



Entrance To Administration Unit

Dr. Richard Current

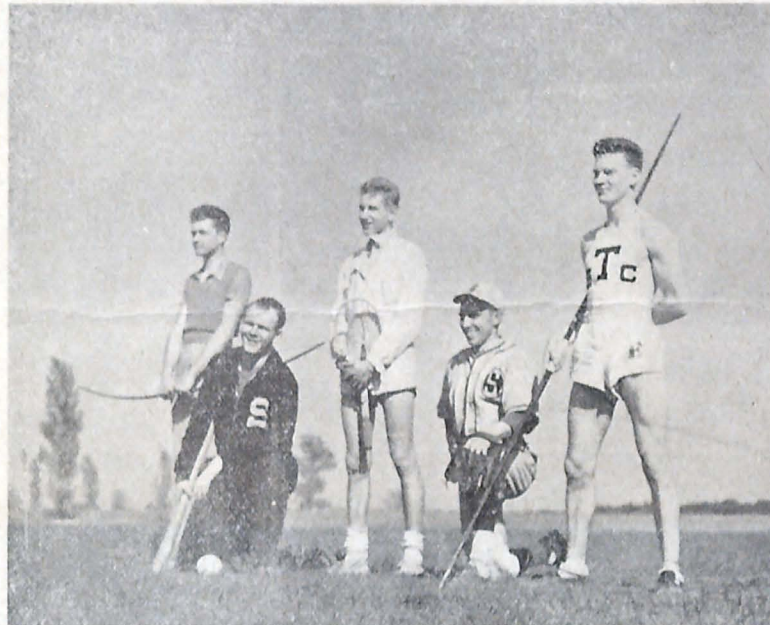


Dr. Current is chairman of steering committee that devised and executed plans for the activities of the Student Conference.

The Holly Leaf

STUDENT CONFERENCE  
ISSUE

Group Of Typical Men Athletes



All students of the college will participate in the mass athletic exhibition under the whistles of athletic instructors Helen Jamart and Benn Maggs.

Festivities To End With Dance



Music, with sway and swing will be provided in the gym for guest seniors in order that they may dance. This will bring to a close a happy day.



## Senior Students Study Conducting



For nine weeks the seniors study a course in conducting. Some students had an opportunity this year to display their skill at various meetings held at the college.

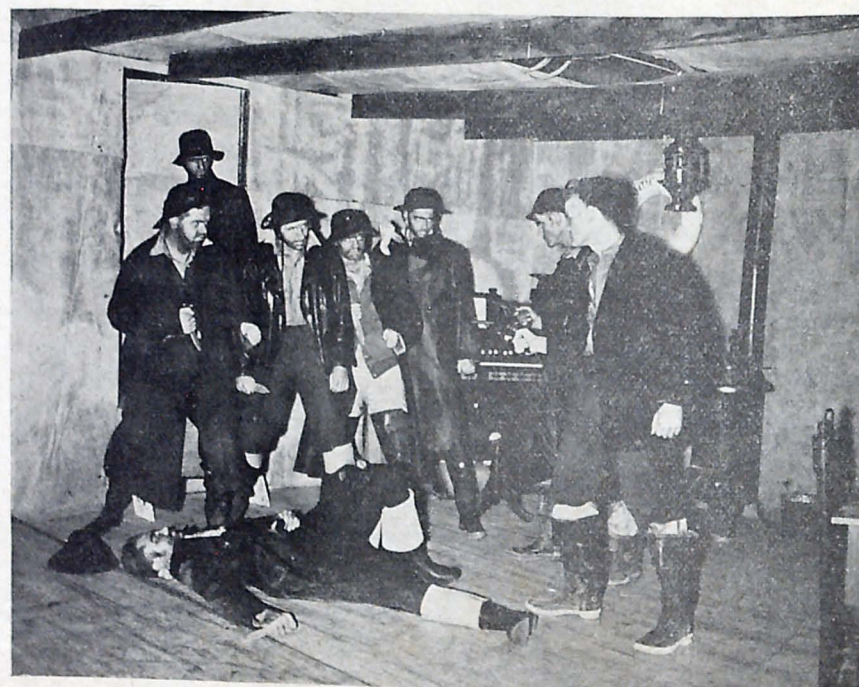


## PARTICIPATION

## Seventh Period Class Is Over



When the bell rings at the end of the day students pour into the corridors. This typical scene will occur Friday afternoon, March 15, when all students will be excused to participate in a rehearsal of the gym exhibits.

In Varied Activities—  
Work, Study, Play—  
Promotes Education At  
College

Players Enact O'Neill's "Ile"

## "Miss Ruth" Serves Social Room



Every Wednesday afternoon during the winter students the fireside in the picturesque social room.

## Faculty Caught Informally At Work



From the patient hands and minds of these faculty members comes help for many student inspirations.

## Students Transfer

Fifty students have since the school became a four-year Teachers College in 1935 completed satisfactorily one or two years of academic work and have been transferred to other colleges and universities to specialize in medicine, nursing, engineering, business, law, or secondary education. The colleges to which they have been transferred are:

Blue Ridge	2
Dickinson College	1
Drexel Institute	1
Frostburg S.T.C.	1
Gettysburg College	1
Haverford College	1
Madison College	2
S.T.C. Silver City, N. Mex.	2
Temple University	1
University of Maryland	18
University of Missouri	1
University of Richmond	1
University of Virginia	3
Washington College	5
Washington and Lee	1
Western Kentucky S.T.C.	2
Western Maryland College	6
William and Mary College	1

## Seniors Observe In Campus School



Observation is a part of the well rounded teacher training program.

## Curricula - Costs

The school at Salisbury ten years after its founding in 1925 became a four-year teachers college from which students may earn the degree of B.S. in education. However, both a two-year academic and a four-year professional curriculum are offered now. The college offers training at a minimum cost of \$331 per year to the student.

## Enrollment

At the present there are one hundred thirty-six freshmen, seventy-five sophomores, thirty-five juniors, twenty-seven seniors and two special students enrolled. Of the total of two-hundred seventy-five students, one hundred sixty-seven are women and one hundred eight young men. More than 600 students have been graduated from the college. All the members of the 1939 graduating class were placed in positions with the beginning salary of \$1,200.

## Hot Dogs Roasted On Campus



On the back campus are open fireplaces where students roast "weenies."



# Students Caught As They Appear In Daily College Life



A college education at S.T.C. means more than just study and discussion of text and reference books. The student also learns adaptation and forms habits that are practical for application to life's problems. The vital program of a complete college day includes proportional parts of class work, study and play. In the left panel you see the senior class with a group of elementary children, studying their habits and personalities as a part of their professional training. One group is on its way to the College Cash Market for a "coke" between classes, while another

studies in the library. The pictures, beginning at right center, show the student council discussing problems of the campus, Christian Association conducting Sunday worship service; Baglean-Carnean debate club planning an intercollegiate debate; a group of staff workers laying out a "Holly Leaf." In these organizations young men and women are afforded opportunities to get experience in leadership and cooperation. At the right you see more informals of students as they appear in the active daily college life.

## Seniors Battle Each Other; Dorm Girls Smash Day Girls 17-2

Senior girls opened the season of intramural basketball with a score of 28-6. These games are intended to stimulate athletic interest and create school spirit. Due to the small number of girls in the senior class, there were only two teams formed with Davis as captain of one and Brinsfield captain of the other. Members of the teams are as follows:

- |             |                 |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Team 1      | Team 2          |
| Davis, F    | Brookhart, F    |
| Cooper, F   | Hickman, F      |
| Whetzel, F  | Brinsfield, F   |
| Bradford, G | Gordy, G        |
| Nelson, G   | Elliott, G      |
| McMahon, G  | Adkins, G       |
|             | Graham, G (sub) |

Goldsborough, Kline, Hastings, and Bosse acted as official time and score-keepers.

Of unusual interest was the game between the dormitory and day students February 23. The teams were unevenly matched and the "dorm" girls won a smashing victory by a 17-2 score. The line-up was:

- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Dorm                   | Day   |
| Helen Davis, F         | Emily Clinard, F  |
| Betty Carey, F         | Phyllis Hahn, F   |
| Laura Harrison, F      | Betty Chapman, F  |
| Henrietta Bouchelle, G | Charlotte Hobbs, G  |
| Olie Horsman, G        | Esther Bradford, G  |
| Evelyn Vincent, G      | Marion Nichols, G   |
|                        | Bradley and Baugher served as substitutes for both teams. |

## 1940 WOMEN'S SQUAD WINS INITIAL GAME

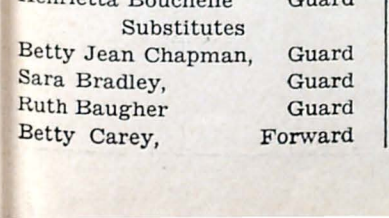
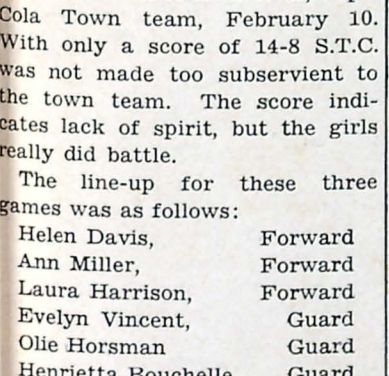
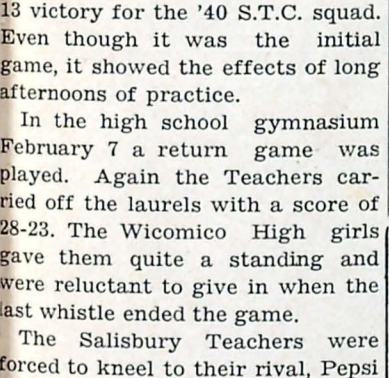
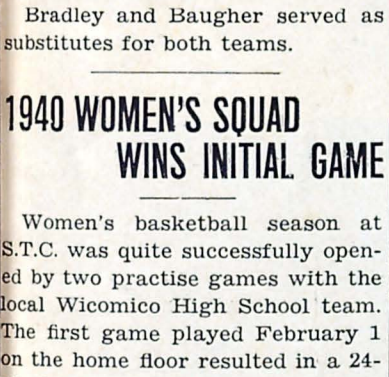
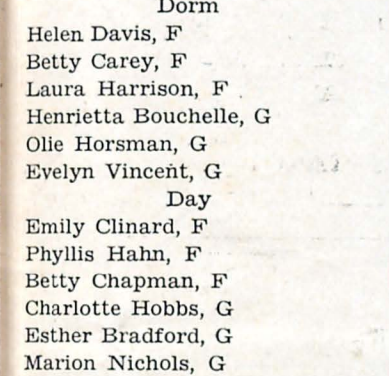
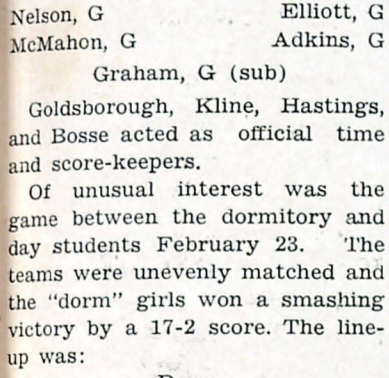
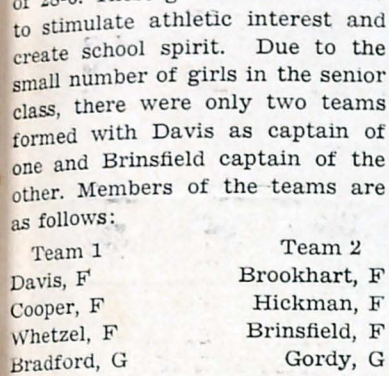
Women's basketball season at S.T.C. was quite successfully opened by two practise games with the local Wicomico High School team. The first game played February 1 on the home floor resulted in a 24-13 victory for the '40 S.T.C. squad. Even though it was the initial game, it showed the effects of long afternoons of practice.

In the high school gymnasium February 7 a return game was played. Again the Teachers carried off the laurels with a score of 28-23. The Wicomico High girls gave them quite a standing and were reluctant to give in when the last whistle ended the game.

The Salisbury Teachers were forced to kneel to their rival, Pepsi Cola Town team, February 10. With only a score of 14-8 S.T.C. was not made too subservient to the town team. The score indicates lack of spirit, but the girls really did battle.

The line-up for these three games was as follows:

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|----------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Helen Davis, Forward | Ann Miller, Forward | Laura Harrison, Forward | Evelyn Vincent, Guard | Olie Horsman, Guard | Henrietta Bouchelle, Guard | Betty Jean Chapman, Guard | Sara Bradley, Guard | Ruth Baugher, Guard | Betty Carey, Forward |
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# Men and Women Play Initial Games In Basket Ball Intramurals

## Team Work Is Evident As S.T.C. Basketeers Crust Big Laurel A.C.

Newcomb Tallied Six Points In Third Quarter

As a special gift to George Washington the S.T.C. basketball team turned on the heat on Feb. 22, and defeated the strong Laurel A. C. by the score of 30-23.

The college boys were passing and cutting like a big time college team. The only lacking point was their shooting ability. The S.T.C. boys appeared to be way off on their shots and missed numerous "ducks."

Cooper for Laurel, who is regarded as one of the best players on the Eastern Shore, was high man with 15 points. Messick with 9 points and Newcomb and Tyler with 8 points each led the S.T.C. scoring. If any individual glory should be given for the showing made by S.T.C., it should rightfully go to "Rooter" Newcomb who really kept the S.T.C. outfit rolling during the latter part of the third quarter sinking six straight points from many seemingly impossible angles. Excellent floor work was shown by Horsey, Dougherty, Blades and Oakley. The finals of the Cambridge Tournament were played Thursday, Feb. 29, at the Cambridge Armory between the State Teachers College team and the Cambridge Collegian team.

Here's hoping that in the future more games will be scheduled for the Junior Varsity in order to build up material for stopping the gaps in the varsity team which will be made by the graduation exercises this spring.

Another player of the upper level is Goldy, "Cannon Ball" Tyler. Goldy is a player of great renown and will take on all comers. Among the more gifted players is Billy "Red Sails in the Sunset" Blades. Billy is spectacular in the fact that he can return shots with his ears. In a class by himself is Carroll "Turk" Walsh, the Tighman's Island Terror. The Terrible Turk plays a fast and unmerciful game. In his own inimitable way like "Nosey" Messick plays a fast game. "Nosey" has a style that looks like a combination of jitterbug and a ballet dancer.

S.T.C.	G	F	T
Messick	3	3	9
Horsey	2	1	5
Newcomb	4	0	8
Tyler	2	4	8
Lockerman	0	0	0
Dougherty	0	0	0
Blades	0	0	0
Oakley	0	0	0
Totals	11	8	30
Laurel A. C.	G	F	T
Cooper	6	3	15
Ellis	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0
Lowe	2	0	4
Williams	0	1	1
Bailey	1	0	2
Elliott	0	1	1
Kern	0	0	0
Totals	9	5	23

## PING and PONG

Ping-pong tables in the men's locker room are the scene of many hard fought battles. Fortunes have been won and lost with varying emotions, and none can compare with this Flanders of Maryland. Among the outstanding players is Spuggs "Cheerful Charlie" Wharton, the worthless wanderer from Crisfield. Spuggs is one of the more permanent fixtures and a hard man to beat. Spuggs is out to get "Doc" Straughn and believes he will do it at their next meeting. This will be a great event and should not be missed. Also from Crisfield are Calvin "Man Mountain" Ward and "Bob, We was Robbed" Garrison. These two are formidable players and rather steady ping-pongers. From the far reaches of the north country comes Bob Roberts with a style of his own. Bob, paired up with Spuggs, gave Ward and Garrison a mighty beating at doubles.

## J.V. TEAM SELECTED BY VARSITY COACHES

This year Coach Benn Maggs has had enough available material to make possible a J. V. team.

While this team has played only one game, it has given valuable assistance to the varsity by practicing against them. The squad was chosen by the coaches of the various intramural basketball teams. The coaches were asked to select the best two men from their intramural team, and these men were voted on by the group of coaches in order to select the eight best fitted to serve as the junior varsity representatives. The men who were selected were Sam Seidel, Jack Kleger, John Reed, Charles Lavery, Jimmy Thompson, Ernest Thompson, and Gene Sterling.

The Junior Varsity team has played one game. In this they defeated the Ocean City High School team in a preliminary to the S. T. C. Beacom game. Coach Duncan, a former alumnus of S. T. C., did a good job of coaching the high school squad, and the Junior Varsity had to hustle in order to win.

Here's hoping that in the future more games will be scheduled for the Junior Varsity in order to build up material for stopping the gaps in the varsity team which will be made by the graduation exercises this spring.

Another player of the upper level is Goldy, "Cannon Ball" Tyler. Goldy is a player of great renown and will take on all comers. Among the more gifted players is Billy "Red Sails in the Sunset" Blades. Billy is spectacular in the fact that he can return shots with his ears. In a class by himself is Carroll "Turk" Walsh, the Tighman's Island Terror. The Terrible Turk plays a fast and unmerciful game. In his own inimitable way like "Nosey" Messick plays a fast game. "Nosey" has a style that looks like a combination of jitterbug and a ballet dancer.

From the simple to the sublime. It would do anyone's heart good to see the mighty intellects at play. The masters of the game as they flit about the table expounding their viewpoints on Dr. May's new forehead or Coach Maggs loss of Coco-Colas. The Faculty is well represented with "Doc" May, "Doc" Current, "Doc" Straughn, and Coach Maggs. There is a lot of ability in these four men and their rivalries are some of the greatest of battles.

Bob Roberts.

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## Defeat Overtakes Teachers' Quintet By Narrow Margin

Beacom Boys Rally In 4th Quarter In Time To Win

Beacom College of Wilmington was given a bad scare before finally overcoming the S.T.C. quintet in Salisbury's gym Feb. 9, 1940, by the score of 41-33. The game was fast and furious with neither side having a distinct advantage. At the end of the half the score stood at 19 all, and at the end of the third quarter it was 29-29. Toward the end of the 4th quarter, Beacom managed to build up enough lead that the efforts of the Teachers to catch up were futile.

High man for the high-flying Beacom team, which has lost but one game this year, was Crowell with 11 points. Mintuella and Lindsay were the chief instruments in the fine offensive work which was shown by the Beacom team.

Messick with 11 points was high-scorer for Salisbury. Horsey was close behind with 8 points.

S.T.C.	G	F	T
Messick	4	3	11
Newcomb	0	0	0
Horsey	4	0	8
Tyler	2	2	6
Lockerman	1	0	2
Oakley	1	0	2
Dougherty	1	0	2
Blades	0	0	0
Totals	13	5	31
Beacom	G	F	T
Mintuella	2	2	6
Short	1	0	2
Sarnecki	1	2	4
Gibbs	0	0	0
Lindsay	2	0	4
Crowell	5	1	11
J. Chadick	4	0	8
Clenfeller	0	0	0
G Chadick	0	0	0
Barlowe	2	2	6
Totals	17	7	41

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## Three Teams Tied For Lead As Men Enter Finals

That noise which sounds like the roof coming off the gym, is just the boys intramural basketball games which are played every Wednesday and Thursday afternoon. Varsity men who head the various teams are; Blades and Kirby, who coach the "Flatfoot Varmints"; Newcomb, who coaches the "Highland Goats"; Lockerman, coach of the "Hillbillies"; Messick, coach of the "Street-cleaners"; Oakley, coach of the "Luisettis"; and Tyler, coach of the "Jitterbugs".

The three teams now in the lead and anyone of which appears to have a good chance of copping the top honors are the "Highland Goats", the "Street-cleaners" and the "Flatfoot Varmints." The Jitterbugs and the "Redhots" are within striking distance.

The individual high scorers of the tournament so far are Sterling, of the "Jitterbugs, 16 points; Roberts of the "Rugbeaters" 15 points, and J. Thompson of the "Hillbillies" 11 points.

Each team plays each of the other teams once in the tournament. Two points are received for winning, 1 point for tying and 0 points for losing. Following is a summary of the tournament up to date:

	W	L	T	Total
Street Cleaners	2	1	0	4
Flatfoots	2	1	0	4
Highland Goats	2	1	0	4
Jitterbugs	1	1	1	3
Red Hots	1	1	1	3
Rug Beaters	1	2	0	2
Luisettis	1	2	0	2
Hillbillies	1	2	0	2

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# NEWS OF THE ALUMNI

Miss Margaret Laws has matriculated for her master of arts degree in Teachers College Columbia University. Miss Laws completed her work for the bachelor of science degree at S.T.C. in June, 1939.

Dear Miss Ruth:

... Tell Miss Matthews and Dr. Caruthers to please impress upon all the teachers the value of discipline, and collecting material.

I hope you will excuse all mistakes as I have just finished twelve lesson plans and my head is really in a whirl.

Sincerely,  
"Spec"

Jerome Fletcher, class of '38, is attending the Teachers College in Silver City, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Lesae J. Rinner are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born December 24, at the Peninsula General Hospital. Mrs. Rinner is the former Miss Ethelyn Hopkins, of class 1928.

## MURDER PLAY BY BARRY SELECTED BY PLAYERS

Audience To Be Thrilled By  
Trick Ending

James Barrie's play, "Shall We Join the Ladies?" will be presented to the student body and visitors at the Student Conference, March 16, at 7:00 in the auditorium.

Fifteen college students will participate in this production. The cast is as follows: Host (Sam Smith), William Fox; Lady Jane, Marjorie Wright; Sir Joseph, Fred Messick; Mrs. Preen, Catherine Appleton; Mr. Vaile, Olin Bedsworth; Mr. Gourlay, Carroll Walsh; Miss 'sit, Helen Johnson; Mr. Preen, Charles Elliott; Miss Vaile, Dona Hoyt; Mrs. Bland, Marie Steffens; Captain Jennings, Awdrey Christopher; Lady Wrathies, Jean Nock; Mrs. Castio, Betty Moore; the butler, William Champlin; and the maid, Evelyn Vincent.

### Mystery Plot

The setting of "Shall We Join the Ladies?" is a country house where Sam Smith has been entertaining twelve friends at a house party. As the curtain opens we see the entire company gathered about a long table at the head of which, facing the audience, sits the host, Sam Smith. The atmosphere is filled with geniality and good will as the guests have just finished their evening repast.

Lady Jane is the first to speak for she has just counted the guests and found that there are just thirteen. A feeling of uncertainty and foreboding creeps in as other of the guests count to ascertain this undesirable number. However there is an attempt to throw off this mood as they include Dolphin, the butler, by drinking his health. Still in this festive mood the guests drink to their host.

Calmly Sam Smith arises, "Ladies and gentlemen, you are very kind, and I don't pretend that it isn't pleasant to be praised. Tell me, have you ever wondered why I invited you here?"

From this time on, minds will be baffled by the most curious mystery imaginable. A trick ending in a fitting climax to this exciting play.

The fifteenth annual reunion and banquet of the State Teachers Alumni Association is being planned for Saturday, June 1, at the College. Mrs. Flora Hankins Wiley is president of the Association.

Miss Betty Culver has moved into a new school at Chase, Maryland.

Alumni keep the date of March 3, 1940, in mind and make this your day to pay a visit to your Alma Mater. This is the date of the Regional Teachers meeting.

Miss Eleanor Bailey, class of '39, is teaching at Upper Marlboro, Maryland.

Miss Alice May Coulbourne, Mrs. Isabel McDowell Hampton (Mrs. James Hampton) and Miss Emma Marks attended the conference of the off-campus training teachers Wednesday, January 17. We are glad to know that Miss Emma Marks, of class '29 and Miss Alice May Coulbourne and Mrs. Isabel McDowell Hampton, of class 1928 have made this advancement in the teaching field.

Mr. Samuel Carey, of class 1937, is an announcer over WSAL, Salisbury. He attended a Radio School in Missouri during the week of January 7th.

Gladys Brohawn Lloyd (Mrs. El-dredge Lloyd) finds no time to teach in the public schools, since she spends most of her time teaching her five month old daughter, Patricia Ann.



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## GRANGE WINS PRIZE OF TEN DOLLARS WITH PLAY

"The Trysting Place" presented by the Salisbury Student Grange at their 67th annual meeting won them fourth place in a one-act play contest and a prize of ten dollars which they received Feb. 20. They also won a prize for having the largest representation for the size of their grange in attendance at the annual meeting. The three-day program of addresses, discussion of current topics, and varied entertainments was held at the University of Maryland, December 12 to 14. Sessions were attended by approximately 250 delegates from granges throughout the State. The speakers included Senator Millard E. Tydings, Ezra B. Whitman, Chairman of State Roads Commission, and Voris J. Taber, Master of the National Grange.

"Trysting Place," by Booth Tarkington was a farce on the confused loves of a sister, brother, and their mother. The cast included Genevieve Gibson, Ernest Thompson, William Newcomb, Awdrey Christopher, Jeanette Stevenson, Muriel Lewis, and Edward Dougherty. Jack Custis and Goldy Tyler also took part in a spelling contest.

A more recent meeting was held at the State Teachers College when the Princess Anne group as guests, brought refreshments, and provided entertainment. Muriel Lewis was chairman of the Salisbury entertainment committee.

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