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STATE GROUPS TO MEET HERE

May Date Considered By Student Leaders

Barry has been elected the site for the spring convention of the Florida Student Government Association and Florida Intercollegiate Press Association. This was decided at the fall convention held at the University of Miami Nov. 4-6. The joint meeting will take place in May. Joyce Nolan, junior class president, was elected general convention chairman, and Mary Jane Mills, senior class president, and Torch and Shield editor, was elected convention treasurer. Evelyn Howard, Student Council chairman, will be chairman of the government group, and Carol Lewis, Angelicus editor, will be chairman of the press group.

Christmas Tale Is Broadcast

The annual Christmas radio play, dramatized this year by members of the radio class, was broadcast during the sodality meeting, Dec. 9.

Entitled "In Clean Hay," the play was adapted for radio from the story by Eric P. Kelly. It tells how four children learned that the true Christmas spirit was realized through sacrifice.

Members of the radio class, studying since September the fundamentals of announcing, acting, writing, and sound effects, had an opportunity for practical experience through this broadcast.

Participating in the program were Betty Lou Kepler, Pat Patterson, Mary Jane Mills, Mary Lou Connelly, Pat Abernathy, Mary Jo Carey, Mary Alice Droze, Stella Grimaldi, Dorothy Walker, Claire Butterfield, Therese Bruscato, and Joan Fanciulli.

The play was under the direction of Sister Mary Trinita, O. P.

Santa Bicycles To Christmas Party

Because of the absence of snow, Santa was forced to ride his bicycle last night to the Junior party in Stella Matutina.

Following games played by Barry 'kiddies" and entertainment by juniors and youngsters of the McKinley Dance Studio, Santa distributed presents. Traditional carols were sung



Grouped under Our Lady's standard with prefect Evelyn Howard (first row, fifth from left) are the newly received Sodalists. They are (first row, left to right): Betty Thorp, Mary Kanaley, Constance Joyce, Louise Friedheim, Angela McCarthy, Barbara Bonjean, Paula Barry. Second row: Dorothy Hoff, Dorothy Marchner, Ernie Ricou, Kathleen O'Gorman, Stephanie Swiniuch, Maria Giordano, Florence Galardi, Kay Justin. Third row: Eileen Costello, Eleanor Williams, Carol Courtney, Angela Lowell, Mildred Donovan, Suzanne Howard, Patricia Genter.

ACTIVITIES FILL SODALITY CALENDAR Barryite Named Sodality Sponsors Sodalists Received **On Mary's Feast State Officer** 'Aid Europe' Drive

To aid the needy in Europe, the Sodality at Barry is sponsoring a series of varied relief drives.

The first of these drives is a campaign for clothing, which is being conducted at the present time. After the holidays all articles will be sent to the N.F.C.C.S. in New York. This organization will supervise the distribution to needy students in war devastated countries.

January 18 a carnival will be held in connection with this same relief drive. Each of the three sodality committees will sponsor a booth.

Caroline Lewis has been appointed chairman of the drive, and Mary Doherty Tafel, publicity chairman.

Announcement was made by the chairman that parents and friends would be welcome at the carnival.

Miss Colette Currier, vice prefect of the Barry sodality, was elected vice president of the St. Augustine Sodality Union at the annual state sodality convention held in Tampa, during the Thanksgiving holidays, November 25-28.

Eleven Barry delegates joined with sodality representatives throughout Florida to reorganize the state sodality organization, inactive during the war years.

At the preliminary meetings of the four deaneries held last month to select regional officers, Colette was also elected president of the Southeastern Deanery, Miami and vicinity. Patricia Young, chairman of Barry's Eucharistic committee, was chosen chairman of all Eucharistic committees in this deanery.

Headquarters for the 13th annual convention was the Hillsboro Hotel. General sessions were held there each morning and afternoon, with two individual meetings a day for the faculty moderators, sodality officers, and committee chairmen.

Twenty-three new members were received into the Sodality of Our Lady Dec. 8.

The candidates, dressed in white, marched in procession into Cor Jesu Chapel, where the Rev. Cyril W. Burke, O. P., conducted the ceremony.

The girls received went through a period of probation before their formal reception. During the probationary time they were instructed as to what is expected of a good sodalist.

"Immaculate Mary" was the processional hymn. During the reception the choir sang "Magnificat" by Ravanello and "Pie Pellicane" by Sister Florentine. They sang "Tantum Ergo" by Grazioli at Benediction.

Those received were: Connie Joyce, Mary Kanaley, Stephanie Swiniuch, Angela Lowell, Ernestine Ricou, Louise Friedheim, Marie Giordano, Kathleen O'Gorman, Betty Jean Thorp, Eileen Costello, Pat Genter, Suzanne Howard, Paula Barry, Kay Justin, Dorothy Marchner, Dorothy Hoff, Mildred Donovan, Barbara Bonjean, Angela McCarthy, Loretta Galardi, Florence Galardi, Carol Courtney, and Eleanor Williams.

YULETIDE JOY **REACHES BARRY** WITH ORATORIO

The Christmas Oratorio, composed by Sister Denise, O.P., was performed Monday, Dec. 13, by the Tara Singers, under the direction of Sister Rose Therese, O.P.

This outdoor presentation of the music and drama of Christmas, performed this year for the sixth time, has become a traditional part of Barry's Yuletide season.

Singing the role of the Blessed Mother was Jean Grafton, with Virginia Mitchell as the Angel Gabriel. Elizabeth was Allilian Starrett; the Angel of the Lord, Mary Jane Mills; the Shepherd soloist, Loma Rafferty; the soloist in the Last Gospel, Cilia Vellejo; and the Three Kings, Jane Sullivan, Virginia Johnson, and Litha Blanchette.

Tara Singers include: Isabel Aguilera, Mary Irene Barrett, Paula Barry, Litha Blanchette, Barbara Ann Braun, Patricia Brooks, Claire Butterfield, Angela Clark, Nancy Conine, Mary Lou Connelly, Mary Alice Droze, and Barbara Gavin.

Also, Jean Grafton, Patricia Higgins, Margene Johnson, Virginia Johnson, Betty Lou Kepler, Mary Jane Mills, Virginia Mitchell, Sally Mobley, Norma Nevares, Nancy Noyes, Joyce Pamentier, Jeanne Pettengill, Loma Rafferty and Margaret Schneider.

Others are Mary Stark, Allilian Starrett, Jane Sullivan, Celia Vallejo, Norma Van Scoyoc, Rita Wielatz, and Isabelle Williams.

Participating in the tableau were Emilia Arnoldson as St. Joseph; Lucia Vallejo, Angel of the Lord; and accompanying angels, Dorothy Mason, Betty Jane Donnelly, Patricia Patterson, Sandra Mitchell, Patricia Heldman, Alice Deppenbrock, Shirley Dettling.

Gloria Gagnon was the hovering angel in the crib scene. Shepherds included Lia Garcia, Colette Currier, Frances Hughes, Mary Clare Condon, Agnes Galban, Mary Barbara Baker, Alma Ramirez, Isabel Ruffolo, and Nancy Hanna.

The Three Kings were Mary Doherty Tafel, Eva Mitchell, and Vivian Decker. Their attendants were Evelyn Fedele, Ann Condon, and Evelyn Howard.

by all.

Velma Bodee, junior class social chairman, was in charge of the program.

Annual Posada **Begins Dec.** 7

Santa Rosa Hispanic American Club had its annual Posada Dec. 7-15. The Posada is an old Spanish custom in which persons representing Our Blessed Lady, St. Joseph, and angels, go from house to house for nine consecutive nights asking for lodging. The first eight nights they are refused, but on the ninth night they are received.

Alicia Cruz-Ayala, who was the Blessed Virgin; Nora Urquiola, St. Joseph; and Mary Jo Carey and Aileen Roig, angels, asked entrance at a different dormitory each night. The entire Santa Rosa Club followed the Holy Family, singing hymns.

The ninth night a party was given for the club.

Freshmen Elect Five Officers

Florida girls captured the majority of class offices during the recent freshman elections.

The freshmen followed their sophomore sisters, however, in the election of a president from the middle west, in the person of Barbara Gavin from Chicago. Barbara was graduated from Aquinas Dominican High School in Chicago.

Patty Higgins, the new treasurer, is also from Chicago, where she was graduated from St. Xavier's.

The Florida girls include Margaret Conlon, vice president, from St. Paul's, Jacksonville; Isabelle Williams, secretary, from Academy of the Holy Names, Tampa; and Evelyn Fedele, social chairman, from St. Paul's, Daytona Beach.

The convention closed Sunday morning when delegates attended the 8 o'clock Mass at Sacred Heart Church.

Barry delegates were Evelyn Howard, Colette Currier, Nancy Hanna, Patricia Young, Mary Alice Droze, Veronica Barry, Mary Jo Carey, Betty Kerby, Mollie Lorms, Donna Guilfoyle, and Marilyn Byrnes.

Also present were Sister Jean Marie, O.P. moderator of the Barry sodality, and Sister Mary Joannes, O.P., adviser to the Eucharistic committee.

The faculty and students wish to express their sympathy to Jean Hennessey on the death of her father.

DEAN CONDUCTS NCEA CONVENTION

Sister Marie Grace, O. P. and Sister Mary Dorothy, O. P. attended a convention of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Memphis, Tennessee Nov. 29-Dec. 2. Barry was accredited by this Association in December, 1947. Following this convention they attended a meeting of the Southern Region Unit College Department of the National Catholic Education Association Dec. 2-3. This meeting, also held in Memphis, was under the chairmanship of Sister Dorothy.

Dear Santa,

There's just one thing I want for Christmas this year-a very happy one for each and every Barry girl. Please have everything at home just the way she's planned and known it would be, and remind "Bill" to meet her.

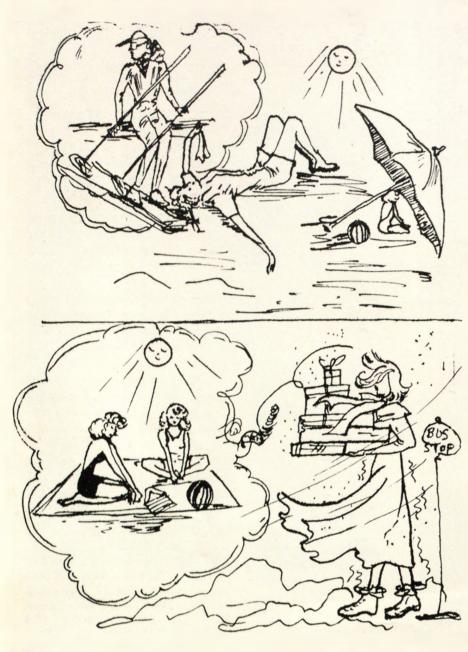
I know that every girl will do her share in filling all the Sisters' stockings with prayers.

Sister Dorothy would just love to have all the "little abuses" creep out over the vacation. And Santa, please don't forget Father Burke this Christmas. I think he'd appreciate a new hat, since all four of his others were mauled about on Senior Class Day. You don't think the girls will get

so involved in all the parties and gaiety that go with Christmas that they'll forget Whose Birthday they're celebrating, do you?

Please each and everyone of them, Santa; and I hope you have a merry Christmas, too!

Sincerely, Howie



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Prepare the Way

When I was a little girl, about this time every year Mother would start reminding my sister, my brother, and me that we should start to prepare for Christmas. By preparing she meant that we should settle our differences and avoid our usual arguments.

In order to motivate us into doing this she would tell us that every time we did something for our neighbor, we added straw to the Baby Jesus's manger and He was made warm. However, when we were angry, we took straw away from Him and Our Lord was cold.

This may sound childish, but the lesson applies to us here at Barry just as it did to my sister and brother and me when we were children. In our relations with our friends and teachers we take too much for granted; we do not often enough go out of our way to please them, nor to make life warmer and happier for them.

If someone moves our clothes in the launderette, for example, we give vent to our feelings by noisy complaining. Before we are satisfied, everyone in the hall knows about our colossal "troubles." We could make life much brighter for everyone, including ourselves, if we tried to solve our problems in a more silent manner.

AN Mike HA

By JOANNE OLLMAN

A black, curly haired boy trudged dejectedly through the bright, glassy snow. As he walked along, kicking the wet snow with his oversized boots, he reached deeper into his pockets and fingered hopefully for another nickel. But Mike had to face facts: the extent of his financial resources was clutched tightly in his frostbitten fist. That money was for church on Christmas day. His mother had told him that he must light a candle and place it before the Christ Child on Christmas morning.

Faint odors of warm, delicate smells interrupted his thoughts, as he found himself in front of the bakery. His little nose was cold pressed against the window pane, but Mike didn't even notice as he looked with longing eyes at the warm, round gingerbreadman smiling up at him from the inside. Mike smiled back and decided to go in and become acquainted.

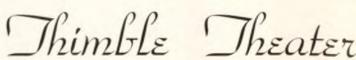
"May I help you, young man?" said the lady behind the counter. Mike said he would like to see the gingerbreadman. The woman brought him to the window and Mike saw up close the red hat made of frosting and the raisin buttons on his coat. "Would you like to buy him, Son?" Mike shook his head. Then he thought. "I'm certain the Baby Jesus couldn't eat a candle, and besides He'd never miss just one not being lit." He hesitated a moment longer, then shoved his grimy nickel at the woman and ran out of the store with his soft puffy gingerbreadman.

That evening, as Mike played about the house, his mother asked him if he would like to hear the story of Christmas. Mike crawled up on his mother's lap and she began the familiar story of long ago.

"Once upon a time, in the city of Bethlehem, a little Child was born. This little Boy was named Jesus, and He was the Son of God. The place where He was born was cold and icy. Only the cows and mules lived in this deserted stable. No one would take Him into their house or give Him food but Jesus didn't mind if they were thoughtless, for He loved them anyway. And because Jesus was such a good little Boy, and so very kind and considerate of His fellow men, God was pleased. And the stars shone brightly that night and the angels in the heavens sang praises to the Lord."

Later that night, when all the house was asleep, a quiet little figure crept slowly into the living room. Mike knelt before the crib and placed his gingerbreadman in the Child's arms. And the stars shone brightly that night and the angels in the heavens sang praises to the Lord, for a littel boy named Mike

had not denied the Christ Child.



MARY DOHERTY TAFEL

A new student at Barry College this year is a pretty, blonde senior, Mary Doher-

ty, although

a new student, has already contributed to several campus activities. She is president of the Southern Club, assistant business manager of the Torch and Shield and co-chairman of the Community Chest Drive. You may remember her as a member of the Harlem Jazz group in the Senior Day presentation. Doherty loves to ride, and to lie out in the sun and get a deep golden tan. This last is not unusual in itself, but the way the said tan looks on her, is.

PATRICIA HIGGINS

That cute, blonde girl with the mile-deep dimples in the freshman



hung down almost to her waist, but the "new look" bug got her, so now it is as short as it was long. Since she was editor of her high school newspaper, Patty found a place right away on the staff of the Angelicus as reporter and page editor. She's a St. Xavier graduate, (Chicago, that is!) and a real Catholic woman; she wants no less than ten children when she get's married, five boys and five girls. Patty's friends are a little worried about her in her new office, that of class treasurer. "She loses things," they moan.

VIRGINIA MITCHELL Everyone knows pretty, blonde Virginia Mitchell. She came to Barry

ty Tafel. More commonly known as just Doherty, she is a transfer student from Rosemount College in Rosemount,, Pa. An energetic lass from Louisville, Doher-

last year

from Berea, Ohio, a suburb of Cleveland, and took the school by storm. She has a lovely singing voice which she used in the role of Gabriel in the Christmas

Oratorio, just as she did last year. "Ginny" say that she is like "Awful Natural" -she likes to take her shoes off, especially when singing. She likes to swim, although she can't swim; she likes to lie in the sun, although she burns to a tomato red. Frankie Lane and "Captain from Castile" rate high with her. Right now the Baldwin-Wallace football team has a particular fascination.

JOYCE TAYLOR

A description of Joyce Taylor would probably involve several ad-

class is Patricia Higgins, better known as Patty. She is treasurer of her class and undoubtedly one of the most popular freshies on the campus. When she first arrived here



jectives, but the most apt would be attractive, brunette, and sophisticated. A native of Washington, D. C., Joyce is in her third year at Barry. Lately she was chosen as a representative from this

college to the C.C.D convention in Jacksonville. Joyce has a very unusual ambition. She wants to graduate and then go into some sort of secret service work. It seems her father, as president of an insurance firm, has worked with the F.B.l. several times, and Joyce found it so interesting that she would like to find a place for herself on the F B.I. staff. She loves to dance and does so very well. Her younger brother is the spitting image of her and the "apple of her eye." Joyce spends a lot of time figuring out clothes that will bring out her green eyes, but it is time well spent.

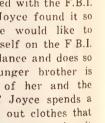
9. Beg Your Pardon

Dashing to the telephone, I called a downtown hotel.

Imagine! I was to interview the well-known and renowned actress,

Half an hour passed; I jotted down a few leading questions for my interview

An hour passed; I went out for a cup of coffee.



Higgins, Sara Jo Newton, Mary Lou Connelly, Betty Lou Kepler, Barbara Dunn, Claire Ann Klein, Mary Jo Carey, Elsie Hansen, Lya Garcia, Joanne Ollman, Elaine Heilos.

If we really try to be more thoughtful just during the Christmas season, our efforts will be so well repaid that we will make kindness to others our least-broken New Year resolution.

Don't forget the Christmas novena which begins December 16!

Hail and blessed be the hour and moment in which the Son of God was born of the most pure Virgin Mary at midnight, in Bethlehem, in the piercing cold. In that hour, vouchsafe, O my God, to hear my prayer and grant my petition through the merits of the same Jesus Christ and His Blessed Mother. Amen.

May We Suggest

The Loved One	Evelyn	Waugh
Tumbleweed	Eddie	Doherty
Martin	Eddie	Doherty
The Deer Cry	W. G. S	chofield
Journalistic Vocation	5	Charles
		Rogers
The Consent Comment		Dahant

The Concert Companion Robert

Bagar Music and Reason Charles Smith Let's Celebrate Christmas Horace J. Gardner

Edith Rickert Chaucer's World Successful Home Furnishings Thelma Burrows

Art Education for Daily Living. William Whitford Young Mr. Newman Maisie Ward The Old Beauty and Others Willa Cather

We Need Not Fail __ Sumner Welles You Can Change the World _ James Keller

Mary Louise Hickey-my first big assignment.

The operator at the desk said that undoubtedly Miss Hickey was registered under an assumed name, Mrs. J. Hicks in room 808.

That was sufficient explanation, but to my dismay, the occupant of that room was not in.

Thanking the operator, I said I would call later. I did-six times. I didn't mind, though; perseverence is the first law of journalism.

After six hours passed I decided to take a chance on seeing Miss Hickey without an appointment and I hurried to the Hotel Everglades.

The desk clerk said that Mrs. Hicks (as they called her) was a very busy woman and warned me that my wait would be quite a long

Knowing that patience has to be acquired, I settled in, what I considered, the most comfortable looking chair in the lobby.

At the end of an hour and a half, my nervousness was extremely evident. I checked my appearance in a near-by mirror; my stocking seams were straight and my hair still in place. Notebook ... pencil ... yes, I felt that I was really ready for the interview, if only my subject would come.

Suddenly realizing that I was being paged, I quickly made my way to the information desk to be introduced to "Mrs. J. Hicks."

Strange, I thought, but she didn't look like the Mary Louise Hickey who performed the night before at Barry. I didn't have my glasses on during the show, so I reconciled myself, blaming faulty vision,

The woman who stood before me smiling was seemingly ideal for such a story. Her friendly attitude charmed me and we sat down for the interview.

Naturally I started at the beginning. Born? Augusta, Georgia. Married? Yes.

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Upstage---Downstage

A new column deserves an introduction, and this column is no exeption. Distinction: it is an excepion. It's an exception because it aims to acquaint you not with methods, of study, books, or anything else to ex the intellect; but rather with enertainment for your enjoyment. Hore specifically, it will be devoted to acquainting you with worthwhile live" dramatic productions here in Wjami.

This sunny city, though many of its high spots of entertainment cry to tourist trade, can boast of a few entertainment groups which look to the patronage of the home folks, and offer something concrete for the price spent.

Thus each month this column will give you a peek into the backstage doings of some of these organizations about town. It seems fitting this month, judging from the enthusiastic response to "Song of Bernadette" to begin with a little information about the two groups involved.

Joint Production of Bernadette

To review for those who might have been so foolish as to miss "Bernadette," the play was co-produced and co-directed by Barry College Playhouse and the Gesu Guild. Sister M. Trinita, O. P., and Fred La France, respective directors.

It seems strange that at the same time, just a little more than two years ago, plans were hatching in the minds of two inspired groups of educators—the Dominicans at Barry and the Jesuits at Gesu—to bring to this city two outstanding drama people; Sister Trinita from Catholic Unirersity of America drama department in Washington, D. C., and Mr. La France from the Royal Academy in London, with European tours of "Dear Ruth" and other plays to his credit.

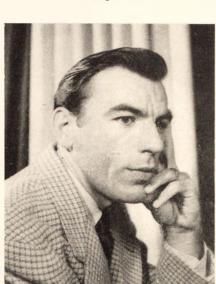
But before they met, each director had the job of building from scratch her and his particular drama group.

Directors Organize Groups

In September, 1946, Sister Trinita arrived on the Barry Campus. Sister set to work, building the small group which first enrolled for Speech 41 into a Playhouse of some capacity. The drama courses led to lab work on children's plays, as the Playhouse was to present fairy tale dramas for the children of Miami Shores vicinity.

The result? A Saturday afternoon performance of "Rumplestiltskin" drew 100 local children in 1946; in 1948, "Rumple" played to 1,200 at the Andrew Jackson School. In two short years "Barry" and "children's plays that are fun" have become synonymouse.

Also in September, 1946, a tall dark-haired man whom one would take for a professional uarterback rather than a drama coach entered the portals of Gesu School. That man was Fred La France. Drama classes in the high school suited his fancy; but his position as director of a community theater to be organized pleased him more:



Fred La France

York" or "Her First False Step." The precedent set by the "Mikado" influenced the choice of "The Gondoliers" as the second Gilbert and Sullivan musical.

This is the '48-'49 season. In two short years the Guild has been so built by the efforts of many civic minded individuals that it can boast a season membership (members with tickets for all five productions the Guild will give, and reserved seats, too!) of over 300 members. This number has increased since "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay" October 12 and 13, and since "Bernadette" December 7, 8 and 9.

Groups Come Together

Now, this year, after two years of hard work by director and people of each organization, Barry and Gesu drama groups came together. Each alone does fine work; together they are tops.

Heartily recommended are: Barry Playhouse—

"Many Moons," February 12. Gesu Drama Guild—

"No Room for Peter Pan" (An adult drama), January 25 and 26.

"Ten Little Indians" (Psychological mystery), February 22 and 23.

House Council Compiles Booklet

House Council members are busy compiling the annual **Who's Where**, a booklet published around the Christmas holidays for the convenience of students.

The booklet contains the names and addresses, phone numbers and birthdays of all Barry College students.

Plans are being made for a series narties to be held f "get together" in the various residence halls. The parties will be under the direction of the Sister in charge of each wing and the wing chairmen. Residence hall problems were discussed at the last House Council meeting in Angelicus, Dec. 2. Members offered suggestions for improvements in the use of residence utilities. Sister Mary Paul, O.P., house council advisor, addressed the group and offered suggestions for the successful operation of house committees.

Shores Drug Store Has Friendly Spirit Attend

The Whelan Drug Store in the Shores is a spot where you are guaranteed to meet a Barry gal. If she's not shopping for a present for the folks at home or for shampoo for her roommate, she is probably just having a coke. That naturally is why your reporter picked Whelan's for the third column of "The Village". A person whom we always see at the prescription counter is Mr. M. W. Applegate. He is the pleasant faced, light haired gentleman who cashes our checks while exclaiming, "No bother at all, girls."

This summer the Bishop of Brazil, His Excellency Clement Geiger stayed at the Applegate home. The family are members of Saint Rose of Lima parish and come to Mass at Barry each Sunday.

I balanced the notebook between some Noxzema and some Dr. Scholl's foot pads and Mr. Applegate continued. "I know many of the Sisters by sight, but not by name. I've been here for a little over a year. We came from Dayton, Obio; had a business there for 21 years. However to me Miami is the best spot on earth."

A rather quick-tempered lady planted herself in front of me and demanded a prescription to be filled while she shopped. Your reporter picked herself up off the floor, Mr. Applegate laughed and we continued.

"Father Burke stopped in one evening not so long ago. Nice fellow! Father Genovar and Father McKeever are swell, too. By the way, have you seen the Christmas sales we are having around the store? Gifts for everyone."

I asked if he met many of the business people of the Shores. He answered, "This is one of the nicest neighborhoods to work in. All the business men stop in to get everything that's needed."

The next sentence was stated in the typical manner of the proud papa. "My daughter is a senior this year at St. Mary's. We are planning to send her to Barry next year. She's the secretary of the southeastern deanery. She went to the convention during Thanksgiving at Tampa."

The line of people in back of me looked rather menacing; hence, I nearly knocked down the Johnson & Johnson display plus the Pepsodent toothpaste ad backing away. Mr. Applegate smiled politely at the young moron who was demolishing his store, then cheerfully waved good-bye.

"Good afternoon, sir. Can I help you?"

The Staff of Anyelicus Wishes the Faculty

Science Enthusiasts Kampus Kapers Attend Convention Betty Bolton, Danny Mason, and Bot Muran had a winter from Party

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Florida Academy of Sciences was held November 19-20, at the University of Miami.

Faculty members attending were Rev. Cyril W. Burke, O.P., Sister Mary Elaine, O.P., Sister Thomas Mary, O.P., Sister Ann Charles, O.P., and Sister Marie, O.P. Barry students majoring in social sciences, biology and chemistry also attended the meeting.

Father Burke was designated chairman of the social sciences and presided over lectures in that department.

The meeting was held to acquaint the public with the work being done in the various fields.

Speeches were given by faculty members of the University of Florida, University of Miami, Florida Southern College, and Florida State University. The lectures covered biology, physical science and social science.

A. A. ELECTS 'MISS ARROW'

Elena Hernandez was the winner of the "Miss Arrow of '48" contest sponsored by the Athletic Association.

The contest began Nov. 29 and closed at the A. A. assembly Dec. 4. It was for the purpose of finding the Barry girl with the best posture.

Ballots for Miss Arrow were cast for anyone by anyone in the school. At the assembly the top ranking girls, Jacqueline Quinn, Catherine Crowe, Rosemary Carpenter, Alice Depenbrock, and Elena were presented to the student body. The winner was chosen by the applause of the audience.

Betty Bolton, Danny Mason, and Pat Murray had a visitor from Providence, R. I. unexpectedly a couple of weeks ago. He was Father Kelly, chaplain at the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Elmhurst. He thought the campus beautiful ... a great contrast to the ivy covered building in which he teaches ... Nora Urquiola, our "merry muchacha" from South America received a telephone call from Bill Hadden from St. Petersburg over Thanksgiving. His parents asked her to visit. Nora is now planning a tour of Florida soon, by way of St. Pete, of course . . . Lynn Gentch has an alarm clock as every one in her wing in S. M. can testify. It goes off every morn not at six or seven but at five o'clock. Felicia Cobo, her roommate, says, "We love you Mar-ra-leen, but ... !"

What faculty member calls the girls on her hall, her lambs and black sheep? . . . Rosa Mystica, the most party-giving place on campus, did it again. In charge of their "Christmas party" were Carmen, Joyce Brown and Mary Dority . . . FLASH - - important news for all you Greek and Latin scholars! November 5, 1948. Julius Caesar sent flowers and a photo to pert and petite Bertha Lauredo! This is an absolute fact but we neglected to add that his last name is Canals and that he and his family live in Havana; also that he isn't even one-fourth of a century old. Julio and Bertha met this summer and the reason for the flowersher birthday. Her mom sent a bouquet and her Dad sent a \$100 check. Birthdays are wonder-ful!

Have you heard the newest freshman name for a chapel veil which has suffered much from bobby pins and rain?... "Fingertip veil of disillusion," of course!

CLUB CORNER

B. K. K.

In an outdoor candlelight ceremony December 7, twenty-seven new members were received into Beta Kappa Kappa. The pledges, in cap and gown, recited the club promise as they touched their candles to the one representing the Torch of Classical Knowledge.

The new members were then the honored guests at a Christmas party, highlighted by the singing of French, German, and Latin Christmas carols.

Beta Kappa Kappa's first open meeting was held recently in the Rotunda. First Consul Mary Alice Droze welcomed the new members and read the history of the organization.

Nancy Cassin, Censor, gave a summary of the French authors to be studied during the year.

Joan Weed noted some similarities between Homer's Greek epics and the

Missions

A weekend in Fort Pierce visiting their pet project, the Blessed Martin de Porres school, was the reward for 13 members of the Mission Council who sold over 20 books of chances during the annual charity raffle.

Agnes Galban, club president, presented \$50 to Sister Rita Claire, O.P., for the purchase of textbooks and other school supplies.

Clothes, toys, footballs, baseballs, and bats were also donated by club members.

Individual packages of candy were presented to each of the 80 students, all in the elementary grades.

The mission school was adopted last year during the spring raffle when enough money was raised to equip the school with desks.

The quota-breaking salesmen who visited Fort Pierce included: Hilda Marin, Donna Guilfoyle, Marilyn Byrnes, Marina Sikes, Alicia Cruz-Ayala, Marta Yglesias, Mary Angela Clark, Agnes Galban, Elaine Heilos, Rolande Gonthier, Pat Aulson, Stephanie Swiniuch, and Hersilia Mendez.

Father MacAtee's Dream

"A real community organization is what we want," claimed the Rev. J. H. MacAtee, S. J., whose dream of a theater devoted to the presentation of good, wholesome entertainment for the people of Miami was about to be realized by its founder.

The first year with the infant group Mr. La France worked against much opposition, but succeeded in shaping together a highly entertaining production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Mikado." Notices were good, and the Gesu Drama Guild was put on the Miami map.

The '47-'48 season began with a polished production of "Dear Ruth." It was followed by the melodrama to end all melodramas—"Adrift in New

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Home Ec Classes Hold Open House

Sister Eulalia's Home Economics classes' big event was their Open House Thursday, Nov. 18. The cooking class served refreshments and the weaving class displayed their articles and gifts.

Saint Joseph Sisters and Franciscan Sisters from Corpus Christi attended. The whole faculty and student body of Barry were invited.

At present the clothing class is working on costumes for "Bernadette." The foods class is preparing fruit cakes which they will wrap and trim to take home with them for Christmas. later German epics.

Sister Agnes Cecile, O.P., club adviser, then proved the modern reading appeal of the classics by the fact that a local newspaper has been publishing a series of articles on the "Odyssey."

Following the business meeting, Litha Blanchette sang "Les Filles des Cadiz."

New members of Beta Kappa are: Mary Ellen De Dominicis, Irene Raywood, Shirley Jean Wright, Norma Van Scoyoc, Sylvia Soler, Nancy Conine, Margaret Schneider, Ludwina Eman.

Also, Marta Yglesias, Rolande Gonthier, Betty Ann Rice, Pat Genter, Margaret Castrogiovanni, Shirley Friske, Anne Condon, Dorothy Hoff, Norma Nevares, Madeline DeChiaro, Virginia Johnson, Elva Thacker, Hilda Marin.

Others are Jeane Jacob, Emilia Arnoldson, Agnes Galban, Rita Weilatz, Joyce Pamentier, and Mary O'Malley. Also visiting the school were Sister Marie, O.P., club adviser, and Sister Elaine, O.P.

Florida

A full house was the aim of the Florida Club whose members campaigned vigorously for the play "Song of Bernadette." The club has taken charge of the business end of the play. A scavenger hunt and "cotton hop" are a few of the many social activities planned for after hristmas.

Spanish

Three girls from Barry represented Latin America in a fashion show at the Robert Clay Hotel November 28. The girls were: Yolanda Arcila, Blanquita Lanuza, and Felisa Cobo. After the fashion show they attended the dinner and dance given by the Spanish group. PAGE FOUR

six happy couples!

Alumnae Report

blossoms and gathered illusion.

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James Clifford Schrader.

of Adrian Perez, Sept. 5.

tial vows on Nov. 27.

wishes to you both!

nician at Jackson.

quite busy.

in Tennessee.

Helen Hackmeyer and Mr. Dominic

Word has been received of the

Fran Collier is back in Miami and

Anthony Martina Jr. exchanged nup-

engagement of Rosemary Naef to

Bill Dexter. Congratulations and best

very happy in her work as lab. tech-

nician at Jackson Memorial Hospital.

She is working with Dr. Resig. Joaan

Kelly is also working as lab. tech-

toward her M.A. at New York Uni-

versity keeps Margaret Dunsmore

the new George Washington Univer-

Leitheiser, for not only is she at-

tending Georgia Tech, but she is also

doing research chemistry in the

Georgia State Dept. of Agriculture.

very happy with her daughters, Beth

(age 4), Susan (age 2), and Cynthia

having returned from her honeymoon

tending weddings in Jamaica, but

promises to visit us in Miami soon.

for three doctors in New York as

"lab. technician, medical secretary,

Georgia Cain Gussow is working

who is just a few monthsj old.

Colleen Breslin Nutt is busy and

Jean Pastor Juett is now at home,

Betty Haughton-James is busy at-

sity Hospital in Washington, D. C.

Gerry Kuntz is staff dietician at

Georgia has claimed Margaret Ann

Teaching in Albany and working

Crooke.

ington, D. C.

The Tatler

Joan Weed, Sally Jo Newton, and Nancy Conine came home the other weekend hoarse and bedraggled, but the fun they had was worth it. They were up to Florida University for the homecoming game between Miami's Hurricanes and Florida's 'Gators, Joan, Sally, and Nancy all had a wonderful time.

The cast of "Rumplestiltskin" had a delightful surprise after a trying performance in Coral Gables Elementary School. Jeanette Watters's mother had fixed a dinner for the whole cast at the Watters's home. The cast appreciated it, Jeanette, Thank you.

It looks as if the Juniors planned quite a party at Betty Braun's house, Joan Coleman, Jane Sullivan, Micky McKelvey, Joyce Taylor, Johnny Johnson, Jean Rathford, and Irene Graham were there adding to the fun.

Florence Galardi participated in Miami University's "Skip Day." A party was given Loretta Galardi by some of her friends in the freshman class after she recovered from her appendectomy.

If you saw a sailboat bliding along the Bay or perhaps in the ocean, you probably saw it was Carol Courtney 'Histin' up the mains'l."

Many Barry girls had Thanksgiving dinner at their Florida friends' homes. Among them were Margaret Schneider who gave thanks at Nancy Conine's table. Mary Alice Droze and Nancy Cassin were invited to Iris Manning's home in Tampa. Mary Kanaley was the guest of Louise Friedheim in Bel Glade, Florida. Jacque Quinn was invited to Jackie Koop's home.

Rosemary Carpenter attended the freshman game between Florida and Miami Universities last week. She attended the Sigma Alpha Epsilon dance afterwards.



to please her love



Accepting their responsibilities with a smile are the new freshman class officers (left to right, sitting): Patty Higgins, secretary; Margaret Conlon, vice president; Barbara Gavin, president. Standing, Isabelle Williams, secretary; and Evelyn Fedele, social chairman.

Seniors Keep Societies Hold First Place Joint Meeting

This is your A.A. reporter on the job again. Congratulations to the mighty Seniors!! "Ha-ha, hee-hee, we're still on top, you see; and there we'll stay, 'til the skies are gray and the sophomores say-"we beat the seniors." Our thanks go to the sophomores who really had us worried 'til the last seconds of the final game. Here's hoping we have many more like that one.

"Miss Arrow of '48" was the mystery girl around campus until Thursday Dec. 4 at the A.A. assembly. She is the girl who always attains the posture of a lady. Our congratulations to you, Miss Arrow!

The A.A. Board would like to get together a team to swim against University of Miami. We know there are a lot of good swimmers, so let's get together.

In the name of the Athletic Association Board I extend to you all best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Have a wonderful vacation and remember when you see "A.A." it

Kappa Gamma Phi and Delta Epsilom Signa, the two national Catholie honor societies represented at Barry, conducted a joint meeting Nov. 21.

Members determined to do something positive in the way of ridding the community of bad literature, that is, to supply the new Shores Library with Catholic books and periodicals. Members are, furthermore, endeavoring to keep the Legion of Decency more up to date with current lists. In another project, they are encouraging the making of a new movie of the "Life of Christ."

These two societies urged young Catholic women to join political and civic womens' clubs, so that their influence may be felt in present day society.

MUSIC BOX

The Tara Singers' Christmas gift to you, complete with trimmings, was their presentation of the Christmas Oratorio. Prima donnas were: Jean Grafton, Allilian Starrett, Virginia Mitchell, Mary Jane Mills, Jane Sullivan, Virginia Johnson, Litha Blanchette, Cilia Vallejo, and Loma Rafferty. Congratulations, girls, and our best wishes for your continued success.

ENSEMBLE

Strange things can happen when an ensemble class rehearses. In anewer to a certain freshman's question as to who was making all that noise, we have this to say: "Large oaks from little acorns grow," and what is now noise may someday evolve into a Barry orchestra. To date, we have for the violin, Yolanda Marin and Joyce Pamentier; clarinet, Margaret Considine; cello, Elizabeth Donnelly; and bass, Shirley Friske. Accompanist is Isabelle Williams.

This is strictly "off the record" and out of this department, but we would like you to know about our versatile junior, Sally Lee McLaury. For good radio listening, tune on her new show, "The Tourist Guide," heard daily at 5:30 p.m. over Station WINZ.

Thus, the curtain descends on Santa Cecilia's 1948 performance. We will be back when the Chapel bell chimes "Happy New Year," so be around to lend an ear, won't you?

9. Beg Your Pardon ... (Continued from Page 2)

These preliminary questions continued. Then I inquired when she first aspired to be an actress. "An actress!" she said. "I'm Mrs. J. Hicks, a housewife. You must have me mixed up with someone else."

happen to me. But it did! I had interviewed the wrong person.

At first we were both surprised and rather astonished; then we burst into laughter. I couldn't say, though, which of us was more embarrassed.

Later we checked with the room clerk to learn that our beloved actress had signed out two days prior. Shades of Mumbles! The headaches

of a journalist. But that's the way the ball bounces.

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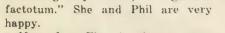
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No, I said to myself. This couldn't



Mary Lou Finn is "happy as a lark" with her teaching and is doing grad work during the summer at Cornell and making a good record. She saw Connie Gillig and her husband during the summer and tells us that they are a very charming couple.

Muriel Welsh is also working as lab. technician with Dr. Stannus in the du Pont Building, Miami.

-Eileen Meyers

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