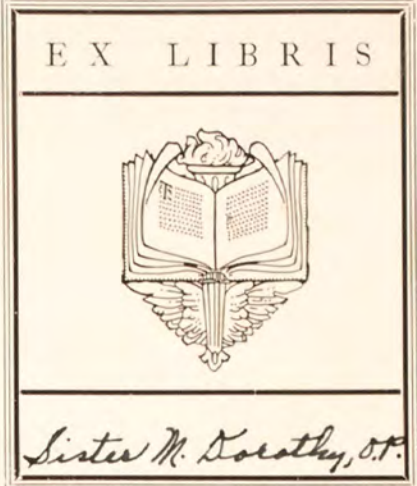




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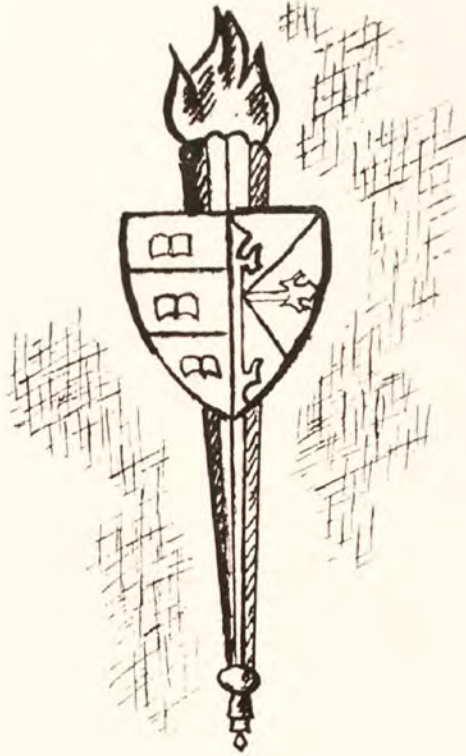
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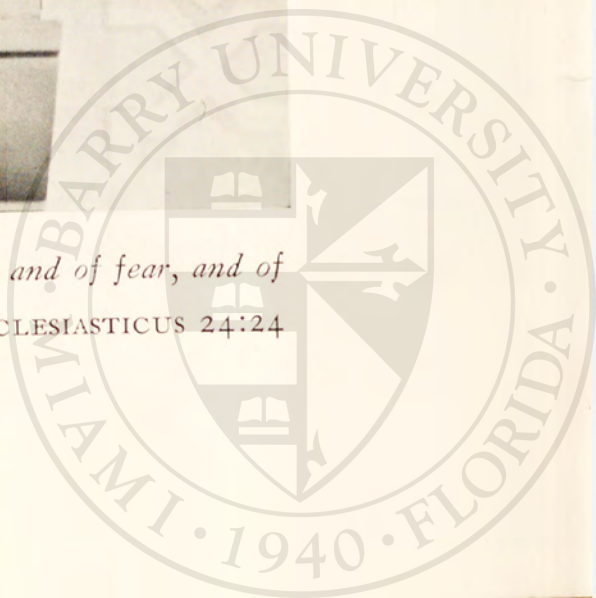


MIAMI, FLORIDA





... I am the mother of fair love, and of fear, and of knowledge, and of holy hope. ECCLESIASTICUS 24:24



Barry College
Miami, Florida
June, 1944

Dear Blessed Mother

We are students of the youngest Catholic women's college in the United States, and this is our first annual. We would like to have you know what we have been doing and to tell you something about our traditions and so we are dedicating this first TORCH AND SHIELD to you.

We who are students at Barry College have much for which to be grateful. We are being fitted to live in the postwar world in the only way which can hope to be successful — that way which teaches us to walk humbly and prayerfully in the fear of God.

We look forward with trust and we look backward with love and thankfulness upon our time at Barry College. We invite you to relive it with us in the pages of this TORCH AND SHIELD . . .





COR JESU CHAPEL

*... I have loved, O Lord, the beauty of thy house and
the place where thy glory dwelleth ... PSALMS 42:4*





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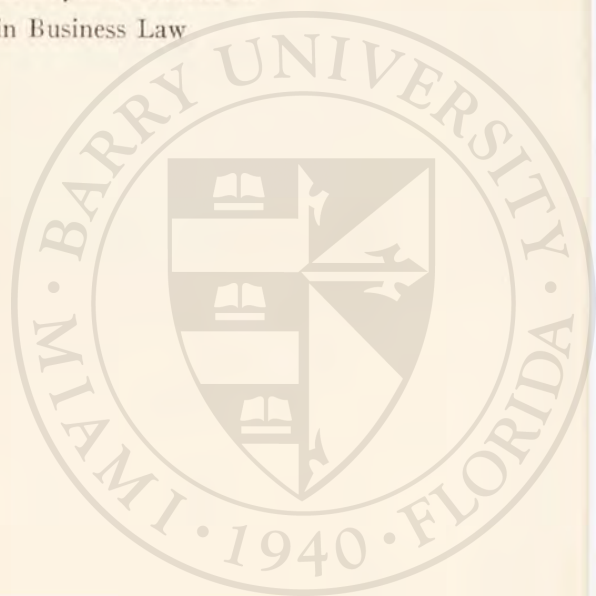
... To the wise guidance of our administration and faculty we owe much of the happiness of our college days. First in all of our hearts comes Mother Mary Gerald, O.P., President of Barry College. To Sister Mary Gonzaga, O.P., Vice-President and business manager, and to Sister Mary de Lellis, O.P., registrar and dean of students, none of us can express all the gratitude she feels. The college chaplain and professor of religion and philosophy is Father Cyril W. Burke, O.P., whose counsels have helped us all.

Comprising the Sister members of the faculty we have:

Sister M. Agnes Cecile, O.P.	Assistant Professor of Classical Languages
Sister M. Cyril Edwin, O.P.	Instructor in Philosophy and English
Sister M. Denise, O.P.	Instructor in Music
Sister M. Eulalia, O.P.	Instructor in Home Economics and Art
Sister M. Francis Clare, O.P.	Instructor in Business Science
Sister Mary Jane, O.P.	Instructor in Science
Sister M. Michael James, O.P.	Librarian
Sister M. Loyola, O.P.	Professor of History
Sister Mary Paul, O.P.	Instructor in English
Sister Regina Marie, O.P.	Professor of Modern Languages
Sister M. Rita Cecile, O.P.	Instructor in Mathematics

Comprising the lay members of the faculty we have:

Mrs. Jeannette Gommo	Instructor in Business Science
Miss Frances Schafer	Instructor in Physical Education
Mr. John G. Thompson	Instructor in Business Law





MOTHER MARY GERALD, O.P.



SISTER MARY GONZAGA, O.P.



SISTER MARY DE LELLIS, O.P.



FATHER CYRIL W. BURKE, O.P.



... Here are our Seniors, dear Mother. We send them forth from the sheltering walls of Barry commended to your love and care. We pray that you who are the Seat of Wisdom will guide them through the bewilderment of the world, that you who are the Comforter of the Afflicted will uphold them in sorrow, and that you who are the Gate of Heaven will bring them finally home to you ...





ANGELICUS—ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

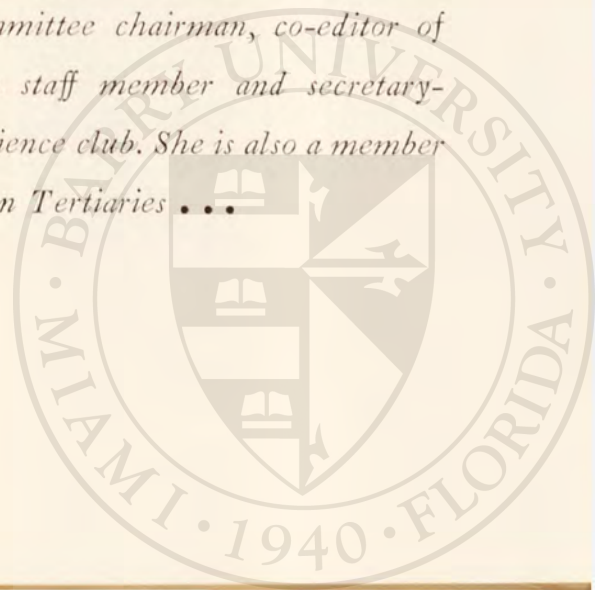
... *Wisdom hath built herself a house.* PROVERBS 9:1





CATHERINE FRANCES COLLIER
B.S.

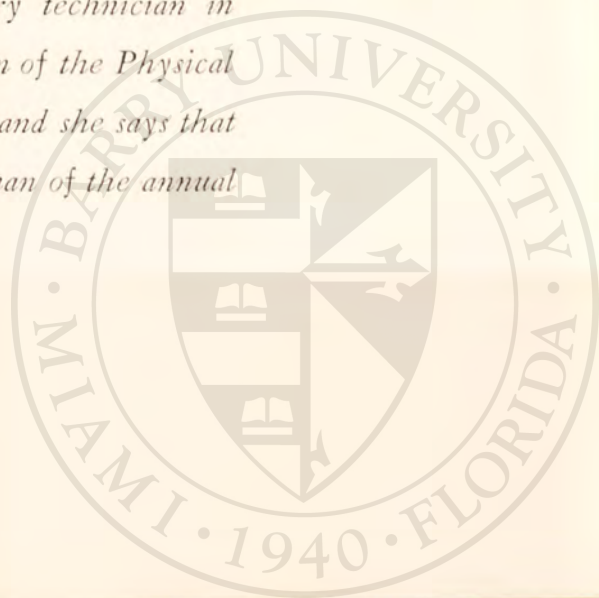
... She is Senior class president and came to Barry from St. Petersburg, Florida. She feels privileged to be the first student to complete a standard four year course at Barry, and she proudly exhibits photographs of herself standing on the campus when it was still mostly blueprints. Fran is majoring in science and plans to be a laboratory technician, but her extra-curricular activities show her to be far from one-sided. She was Sophomore class president and this year she was Eucharistic committee chairman, co-editor of TORCH AND SHIELD, ANGELICUS staff member and secretary-treasurer of the Albertus Magnus science club. She is also a member of the campus chapter of Dominican Tertiaries



MARJORIE
GERALDINE MOFFITT
B.S.



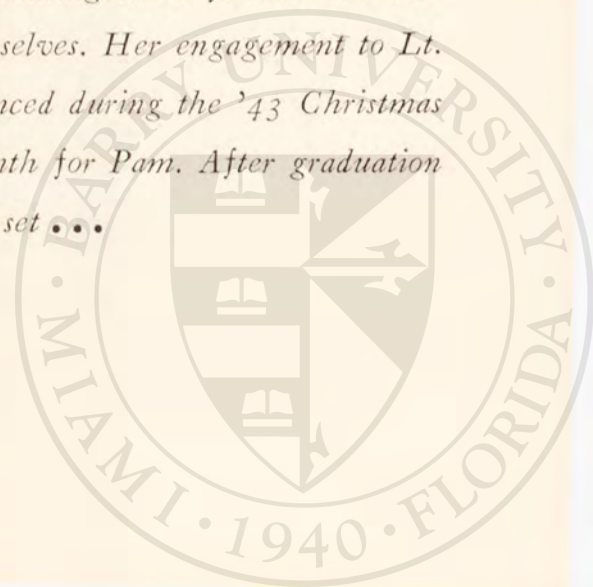
... *Scientist and sportswoman aptly describe this new Senior. This is Marge's first year at Barry, and she came to us from Trinity College, Washington, D.C. She will graduate from 1944 summer school. She is a native of Rockville Center, Long Island, New York, and she graduated from St. Agnes Academic High School there. With a B.S. degree in biology, Marge hopes to conquer one branch of that science by becoming a certified laboratory technician in another year. A sports enthusiast, she was chairman of the Physical Fitness committee of the Campus Defense council and she says that her favorite sport is swimming. Marge was chairman of the annual St. Thomas Aquinas symposium . . .*





ANGELA PALMISANO, PH.B.

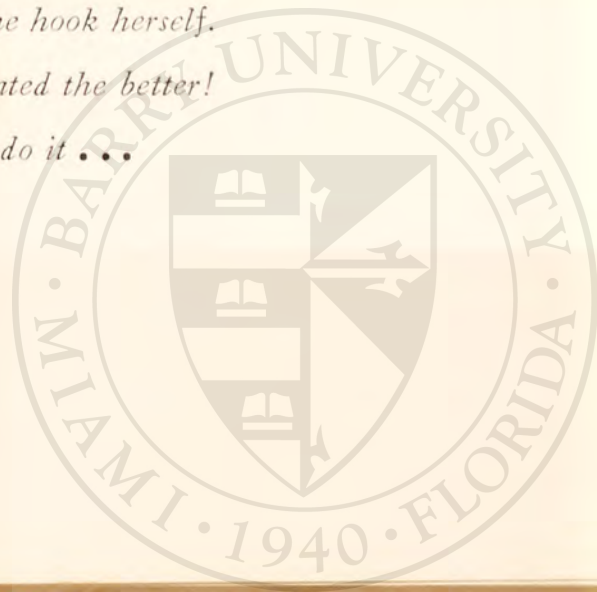
... Campus life at Barry began for Pam at the summer school session of '43. Like roommate Marge, Pam formerly attended Trinity College, Washington, D.C. A Floridian, she lives in Clearwater and she graduated from Clearwater high school. In her Senior year at Barry she was elected social chairman of her class. One look at Pam would tell you that she is majoring in Spanish—her black hair arranged in a becoming Latin fashion and her sparkling dark eyes speak for themselves. Her engagement to Lt. Paul F. Probst, U.S.A. was announced during the '43 Christmas holidays. June will be the big month for Pam. After graduation she plans to join the young married set ...





JOSEPHINE HELEN PFLUEGER
B.S.

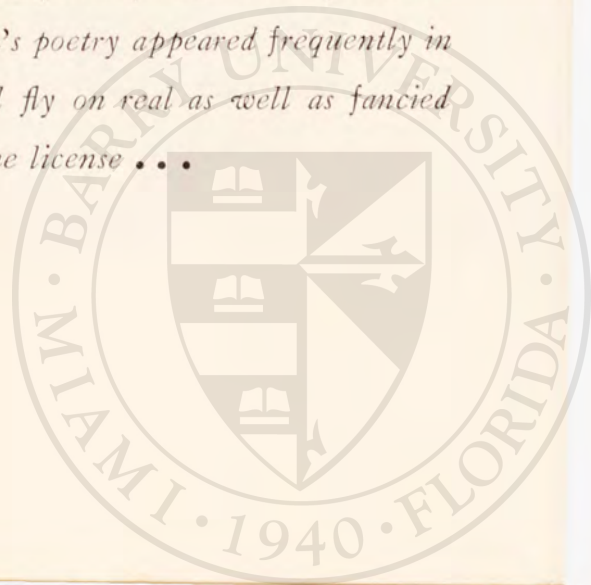
... Jo is our youngest Senior. By dint of summer schools and extra semester hours she has finished a four year science course in three years, and she is graduating at the age of nineteen. She plans to be a chemical assistant in a defense industry's laboratory. Jo's sense of humor is something definitely refreshing and it keeps her friends well entertained. She likes fishing, especially deep-sea, and she's that rare girl who's not afraid to put live bait on the hook herself. Her specialty at school is math—the more complicated the better! And she's a scientist who can sew and who loves to do it ...





RENEE COLLEEN BRESLIN
PH.B.
(Mrs. William R. Nutt)

... Another three year student was Colleen. Although she is now married and is traveling about the country she is graduating in absentia with the class of '44, as an English major. While at Barry, Colleen was editor of ANGELICUS and represented the student body at a convention of the Catholic Committee of the South in Richmond, Virginia. Her play, Bethlehem, 1942, was a 1942 presentation of the dramatic group. Colleen's poetry appeared frequently in ANGELICUS and this poetess could fly on real as well as fancied wings—for she held a private plane license ...



SISTERS GRADUATING IN JUNE, 1944

Sister Evangeline Marie, O.S.F., B.S.

Sister M. John Kevin, O.S.F., B.S.

Sister M. Louise, O.S.F., B.S.

Sister M. Lucilla, O.P., Ph.B.

Sister M. Una, O.P., Ph.B.

SUMMER SCHOOL GRADUATES OF 1944

Sister M Agnes Leo, O.P., Ph.B.

Sister M. Carol, O.S.F., B.S.

Sister M. Joannes, O.P., Ph.B.

Mary Margaret Maher, B.S.



... The active and lively Juniors spent a busy year collectively and individually. Audrey Hull was class president, Dollyanna Webster, secretary, and Ruth Waters, treasurer. As a group, the class attended the circus and carried off honors in volleyball and basketball. They sponsored the annual Junior-Senior Banquet in Calaroga Hall. The Juniors have been outstanding this year for their quick co-operation with every campus project . . .



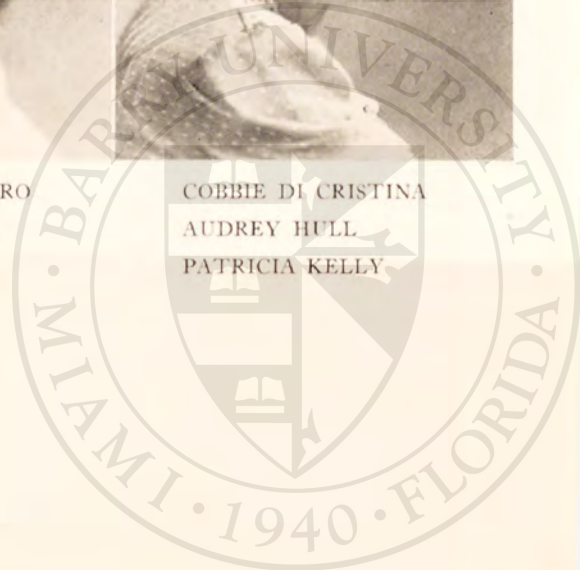
1945



ANA ARIAS
MARY BOHAN

JOSEFINA CABALLERO
PATRICIA DEVINE

COBBE DI CRISTINA
AUDREY HULL
PATRICIA KELLY

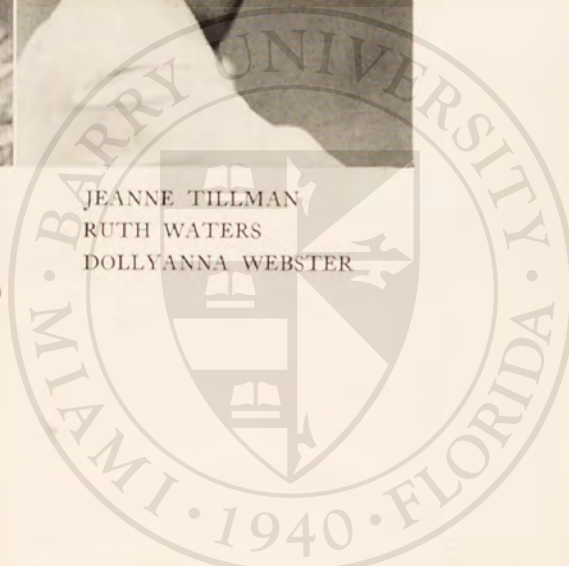




BETTY McBRIDE
FLORENCE McCARTHY
LORRAINE MILLER

PATRICIA PARKINSON
ELEANOR PERCOCO
JANE POLEMAN
EILEEN KURTZ (*not pictured*)

JEANNE TILLMAN
RUTH WATERS
DOLLYANNA WEBSTER



... The initial project of the Sophomore class is, traditionally, the Freshman initiation. This ritual was carried out with enthusiasm by the class of '46, but since the initiation was climaxed by a party, there were no hard feelings. Sophomores sponsored a pool party for Freshmen later in the year to welcome them further into campus life; and the class was responsible for the planning of a surprise shower for Beatrice Sevier, Sophomore. Margaret Adeeb was class president, Carlene Hoffman, treasurer, Geraldine Kunz, social chairman and Francis Munroe, secretary ...



1946



Margaret Adeeb



Ruth Anderson



Dorothy Bierkamp



Martha Bushong



Betty Condon



Patricia Daino



Patricia Downey



Bettie Dunn



Rita Glynn



Ann Grimshawe



Ann Hirth



Carlene Hoffman



Geraldine Kunz



Patricia MacGill

Mary Jeanne McCullen

Gertrude Miller



Joan Mitchell

Betty Motschall

Dorothy Motschall



Francis Munroe

Beatrice Sevier Oglesby

Patricia O'Keefe



Vivian O'Neil

Querube Solis

Joanne Tigie



Patricia Tillman

Mary Jane Ward

Elida Zubieta

Dorothy Mae Hein

(not pictured)



... With "Onward ever, backward never" as class motto and St. Therese as patron, the Freshmen had a busy year under the leadership of LaVerne Murphy, president, Rachael Warner, social chairman, Rose Marie Wilson, secretary, and Claire McCullough, treasurer. The year was highlighted for Freshmen by the reception of caps and gowns on October 26 and Tree Planting on February 15. Returning Sophomore hospitality, the Freshmen gave a splash party for the upperclassmen. Two more parties were held during the year to acquaint Freshmen with each other and to welcome new arrivals for the second semester of school ...



Myrta Alvarez
Laura Arango
Janet Athy
Mary Aulson



Anita Bisbee
Elizabeth Blackwell
Hazel Boraiko
Mary Anne Brennan
Elsa Ann Burrows



Pauline Camara
Helen Charbonneau
Mary Theresa Crosson
Dorothy Cummings
Isabelle Dawson



Mary Alice Dedge
Joan Diesing
Frances Fick
Maria Terese Gallindo
Violeta Garcia



Doris Gleason
Gloria Goike
Phyllis Gray
Justine Grout
Florence Hammond



Doris Hart
Elizabeth Haughton-James
Florence Hodde
Mary Jumper
Betty Kelley



Mary Virginia Kelley
Joan Kelly
Anna Koliass
Frances Kreitzer
Rita Marye Lavan





Margaret Mann
Claire McCullough
Josephine McGill
Joan McGuiggan
Eileen Meyers



Lily Militello
Clare Mitchell
Frances Moses
LaVerne Murphy
Mary Alice Nelson



Joan Odem
Sally Pacheco
Anna Padelt
Mary Ann Pulakos
Shirley Rees



Camille Santini
Grace Schaefer
Janith Schaefer
Alice Jane Schafer
Patricia Schenewerk



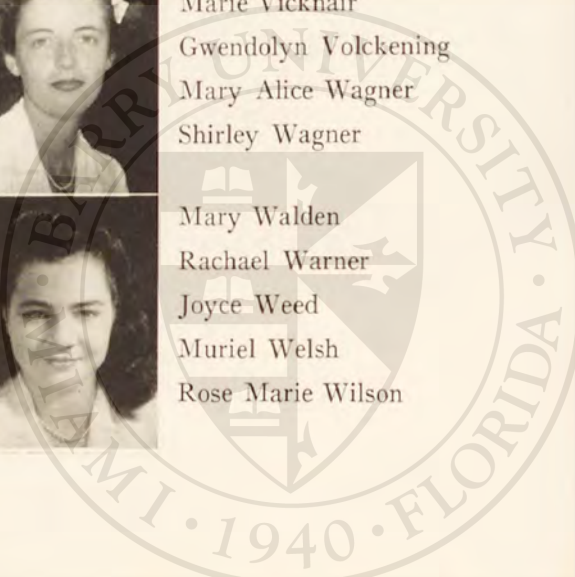
Rosemary Seibert
Eleanore Soulliere
Dora Strunz
Antoinette Thompson
Jean Travnikar



Nina Vellanti
Marie Vicknair
Gwendolyn Volckening
Mary Alice Wagner
Shirley Wagner



Mary Walden
Rachael Warner
Joyce Weed
Muriel Welsh
Rose Marie Wilson



... In the next few pages, dear Mother, we will tell you of some of our activities and clubs which filled 1943-44 with pleasant memories for us . . . Most important in our student life is your Sodality. It sponsors many of our traditional ceremonies; it operates by means of five committees, to one of which every Sodalist belongs.



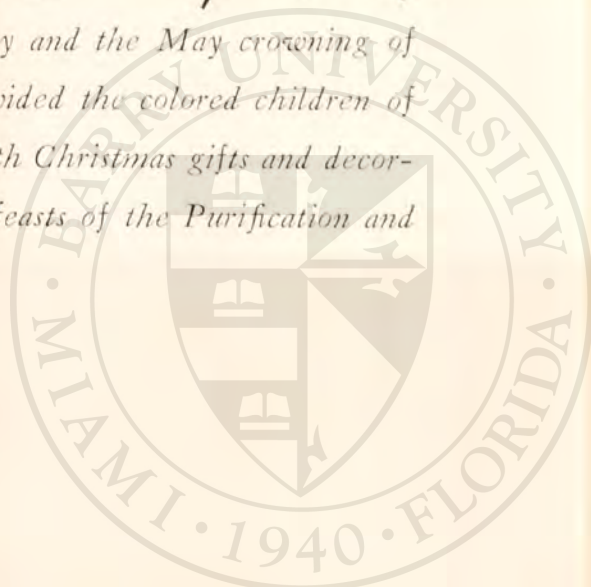
First comes the Eucharistic committee, which, during the year, sponsored several triduum and novenas, cared for a poor family, arranged for speakers and round table discussions and sold refreshments at parties. The chairman of the committee was Frances Collier.

Betty Motschall headed the Catholic Truth committee, which included among its year's activities a subscription drive for the QUEEN'S WORK, preparation of toys for hospitalized children, the formation of a study club and display of appropriate Lenten books in the campus library.



Your committee, Our Lady's, was headed by Dorothy Motschall. This year the group sponsored the

Living Rosary ceremony and the May crowning of your statue. It also provided the colored children of a Dominican mission with Christmas gifts and decorated your altar on the feasts of the Purification and the Annunciation.





The Publicity committee was headed by Lorraine Miller. Its year's activities included a display in public libraries during Catholic Book Week, weekly bulletin board displays, two raffles and the sponsorship of a series of bingo parties.

The Social Life committee, led by Jean Travnikar, planned the dances held at Barry during the year. These included two tea dances, a Valentine formal and the Senior prom.

Apart from Soality activities, a highlight of the year's events is the Freshman tree planting. The east lawn of Rosa Mystica is set aside for class trees. The Freshmen, in caps and gowns, marched solemnly to

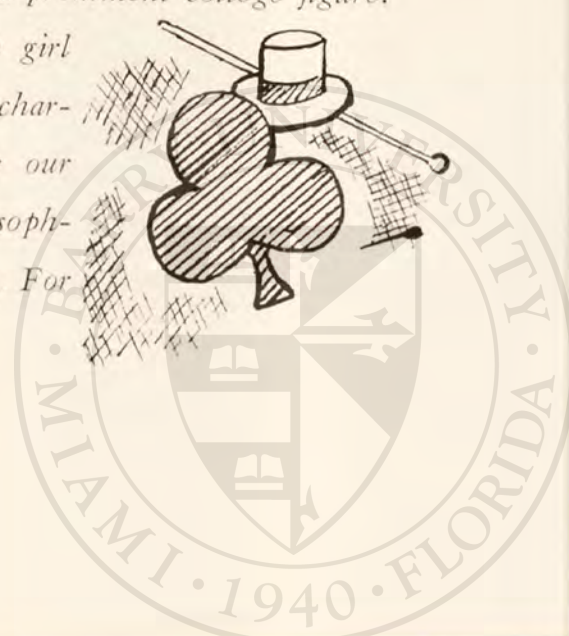
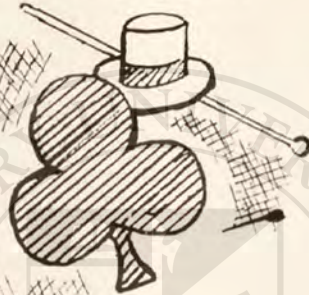


their tree, singing "Hymn to the God of Creation."

The class president threw a shovelful of earth upon the roots of the tree. Father Burke then sprinkled the tree with holy water and blessed it. It symbolized the fruitful and evergrowing loyalty of the new students to their Alma Mater.



The Campus Queen is a prominent college figure. She represents the all-around student and is a girl outstanding for a deep sense of spiritual values, character, scholarship and leadership. This year our Campus Queen was Mary Jeanne McCullen, sophomore, who also headed the Dean's honor list. For



next year, Patricia Kelly was chosen and she will be crowned in the fall.

St. Patrick's day is always important to the loyal daughters of the college of Bishop Patrick Barry, and the campus blossomed in green on March 17. A

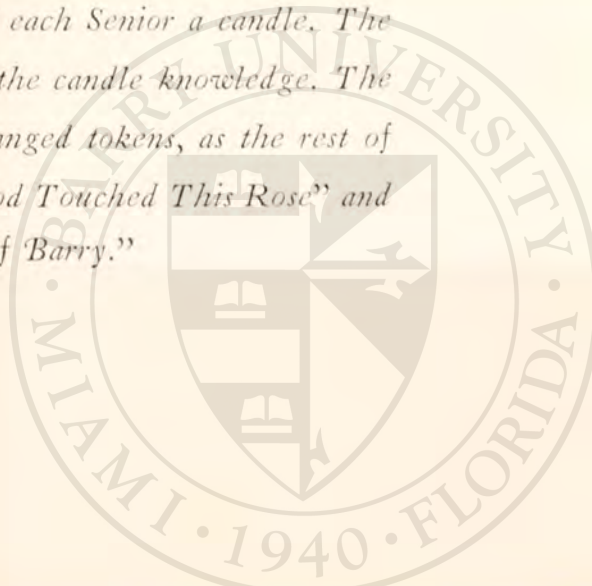
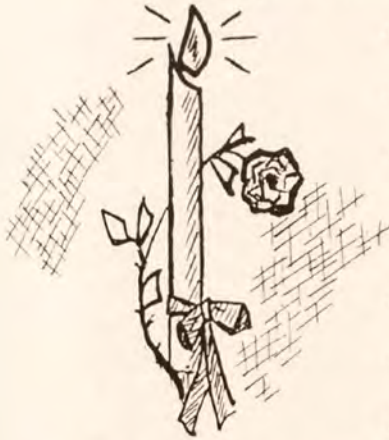
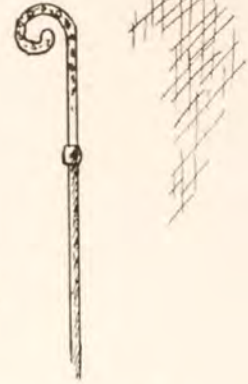
musical show which was presented upon three different occasions formed this year's celebration. Fifty students participated.

Audrey Hull was student chairman of Founder's day activities this year. High Mass was attended by students in caps and gowns and was followed by a formal breakfast at which the main speakers were

John G. Thompson, Mayor of Miami Shores and the Right Reverend Monsignor William Barry, rector of St. Patrick's church, Miami Beach.

One of the most touching and beautiful campus traditions was the Candle and Rose ceremony. Juniors and Seniors in caps and gowns marched out upon the lawn of Calaroga, followed by the rest of the students,

wearing formals and carrying hoops of flowers. Each Junior carried a rose and each Senior a candle. The rose signified friendship, the candle knowledge. The Juniors and Seniors exchanged tokens, as the rest of the student body sang "God Touched This Rose" and "Fare ye well, O Halls of Barry."



An event eagerly anticipated by everyone is Mother Gerald's annual visit. This year it was made on April 21, and the student body presented a program in Mother's honor.

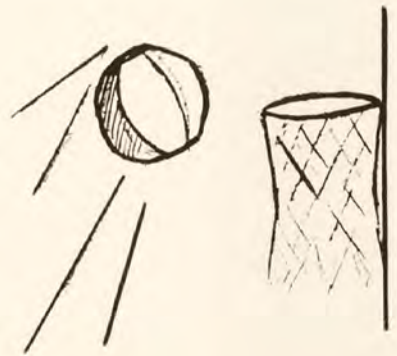


Our bi-monthly publication is ANGELICUS. Under the editorship of Lorraine Miller and Ruth Waters

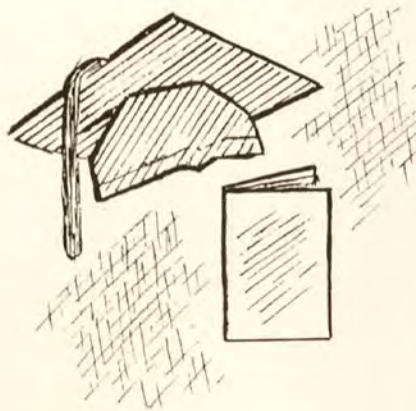
it has had a very successful year, during which it turned to an editorial policy of featurizing news, and became a member of the Associated Collegiate Press.



Under the direction of Miss Frances Schafer, physical education instructor, we carried on our 1943-44 sports program. Doris Hart, national girls' tennis champion, was head of tennis and pingpong events, and as a result of the tournaments played, Audrey Hull was named campus tennis champion and Mary Anne Brennan pingpong champion.

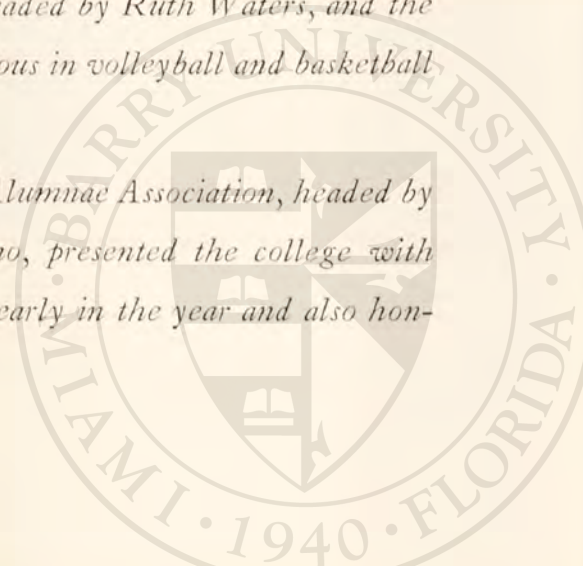


Highlighting water events of the year was a water ballet presented by collegiennes for the annual high school play day. Riding activities arranged by Patricia Kelly included a moonlight ride and a supper ride.



Team sports were headed by Ruth Waters, and the Junior class was victorious in volleyball and basketball tournaments.

The Barry College Alumnae Association, headed by Mrs. Jeannette Gommo, presented the college with a new American Flag early in the year and also hon-





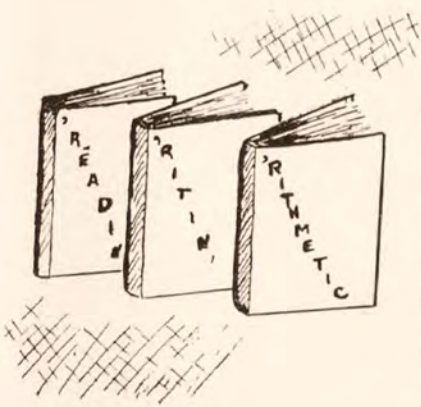
ored Juniors and Seniors at a reception. A periodical news letter was sent to alumnae members.

The Barry College Classical Club, also known as Beta Kappa Kappa, was headed by Lorraiane Miller and Florence McCarthy, serving as co-consuls. Activities of the group included the presentation of papers throughout the year dealing with the general themes of "The relation of Latin to Greek, English, French and Spanish," and "Religion among the Romans, Greeks and Americans." Members participated in an authentic Roman banquet on April 20. Earlier in the semester the group received gold Greek-letter club pins.



With Josefina Caballero as president, the activities

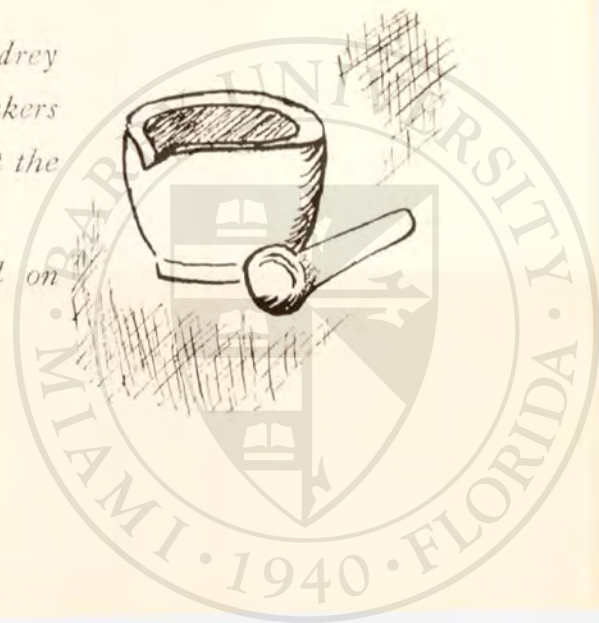
of the Spanish club included several programs presented to the entire student body, and community sings of Spanish songs. The group also cared for a poor Spanish family at Christmas.



The Barry College Teachers' club, headed by Lorraine Miller, emphasized educational discussions of the problems confronting the beginning teacher in its year's program.

The Albertus Magnus science club, with Audrey Hull as president, presented three outside speakers to the student body and held a tea for members at the end of the school year.

Students of the dramatic group concentrated on





presenting and producing their own plays. Ann Grimshaw's play, *Joan of Arc Speaks Again* was staged in this way. Other productions included *Little Women* and several skits and sketches.

Under the direction of Sister Denise, the student body sang the Oratorio of Mary in the chapel at Christmas time. Other musical highlights included the publication of *Campus Songs* and the singing of Sister's new "Regina Coeli" at Pan-American day Mass.

The feast of St. Pius V was a red-letter day for private Dominican Tertiaries on campus, for a Tertiary chapter was founded, a novice was professed and three other students celebrated their first anniversary as professed Tertiaries.



And there, dear Mother, is the story of our year of work and play at Barry. We must express our gratitude to Sister Mary Paul and to the other faculty members who advised and helped us with this book and to the students who assisted us in securing advertisers. Like the writers of ancient times we close our book with a prayer, thanking God for His graces, and begging Him, through you, for their continuance.

Your loving children,

Frances Collier, '44

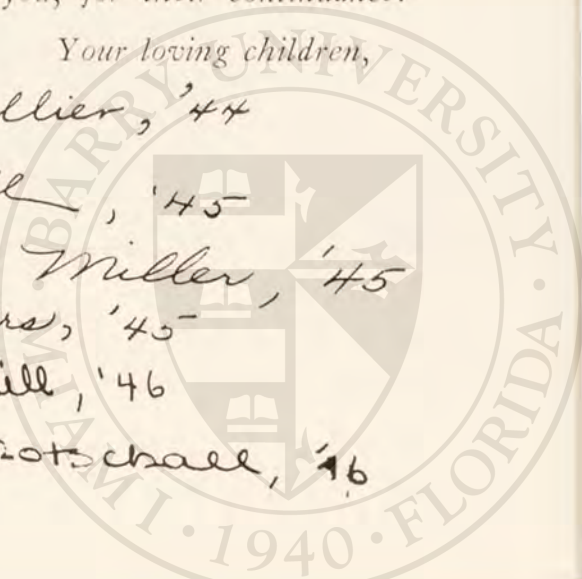
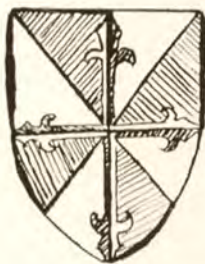
Audrey Hull, '45

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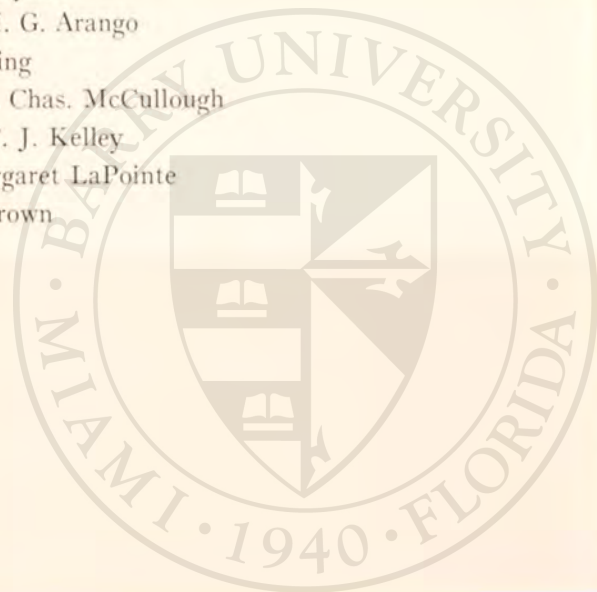
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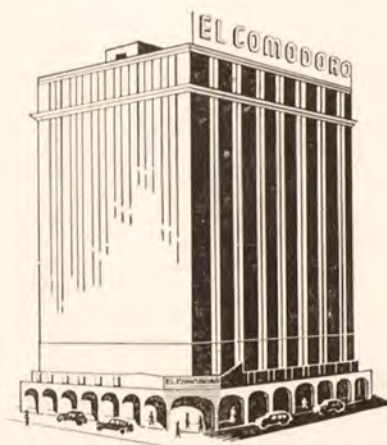
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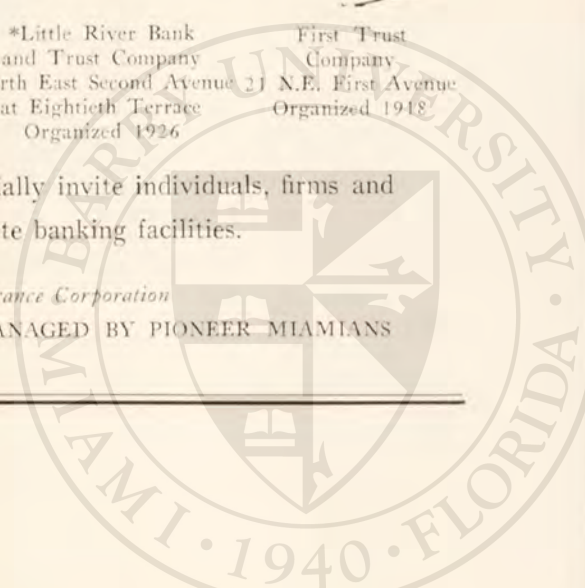
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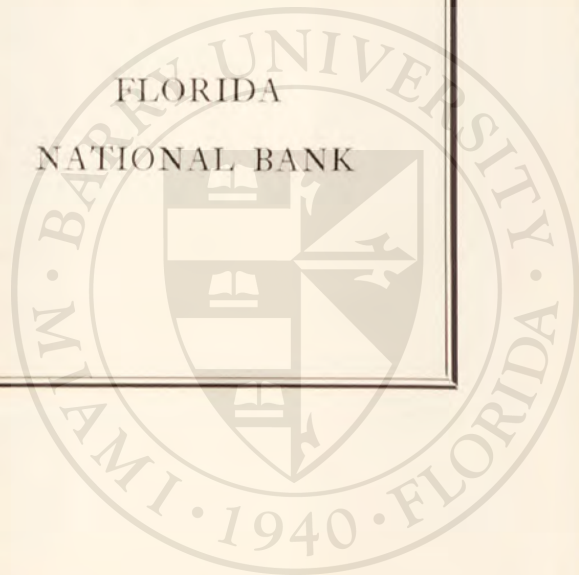
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