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G. S. C. W. Introduced to The Public

Class in Journalism Presents Facts about the Georgia State College for Women

One Hundred Forty-four Georgia Counties Represented in Student Body

More Than Twelve Hundred Students Enrolled

The student body of the Georgia State College for Women is statewide, coming from 144 of the 161 counties in Georgia, with a few from Florida, South Carolina, Michigan, and Cuba added for good measure—1221 girls make up the student body of the college.

The county, with the exception of Baldwin, in which the school is located, represented by the largest number, is Fulton with 59. The next three in order are Bibb with 40, Muscogee with 37, and Troup with 25. There are 33 out-of-state girls. Florida seems to be most popular, with South Carolina second. Other states represented are Alabama, Tennessee, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, and Michigan.

The college opened in 1890, and since that time, the growth has been steady, with probably a total of 20,000 students in attendance. The enrollment next year will likely be near the 1300 mark.

P. R.

SUMMER SCHOOL

The summer school at the Georgia State College for Women offers new courses, additional faculty members, and a large amount of freedom for recreation.

Opportunities are given students to work towards degrees, to renew certificates or to secure modern methods and academic courses.

In addition to the educational advantages, the recreational features are carefully planned by the Y. W. C. A. and members of the faculty. Pageants, lyceum numbers, plays, movies, and programs for special days are among the entertainments provided. Sports for all-tennis, basket ball, swimming and bowling.

A friendly atmosphere prevails and helpful acquaintances and friendships are formed that prove of lasting benefit. Real college spirit is maintained and it is the aim of the members of the faculty and others in authority to share the problems of every student.

J. S.

FAMILIES

Two families in Georgia prove their preference of the Georgia State College for Women by having three of their members enrolled as students. Thirty-two families have two representatives each.

The county with the largest number of students in the college is Baldwin with ninety-four students. Fulton county ranks second with forty-nine registered, while Bibb has forty.

A. C.

The Colonnade staff is glad to turn over the publication of this issue to the Feature Writing Class in Journalism that they may gain the actual newspaper practice and also that the public may have a summary of our college life.

The Colonnade staff wishes them all success.

COURSES

Students attending the Georgia State College for Women are offered a large variety of courses—four hundred in number. From these courses may be selected those that tend towards a general, well-rounded education; and others that aid in the preparation for special fields, such as teaching, science, music, journalism, welfare, dietetics, art and library.

A. C.

Well-trained Faculty Composed of Seventy-eight Members Is Widely Selected

ADMINISTRATION

Jasper Luther Beeson—President.
Edwin H. Scott—Dean of the Teachers College and Registrar.
William T. Wynn—Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.
Linton S. Fowler—Bursar.
O. A. Thaxton—Secretary of the Teachers Exchange.
Mrs. E. C. Beaman—Head Matron.

American and Foreign Institutions Represented

The faculty of the Georgia State College for Women is composed of seventy-eight members, seventy-five per cent of whom have attended two or more colleges. Sixteen have studied in foreign institutions. The faculty list includes 14 Doctors, 45 with Masters' degrees and 19 with Bachelors' degrees.

Ninety-nine colleges and universities of the United States and Europe are represented. The five American colleges having the largest number of representatives among the faculty are Columbia, Georgia State College for Women, Peabody, University of Chicago, and Cornell. Among the other American universities represented are the University of Missouri, University of Georgia, and University of Wisconsin, Emory, Harvard, University of Tennessee and Johns Hopkins.

P. R.

GEORGIA HISTORY MUSEUM

The Georgia History Museum, sponsored by the History Club, under the direction of Dr. Amanda Johnson, is one of the most valuable additions to the G. S. C. W. campus.

Each year a play is given to raise funds for the upkeep of the museum. Varied and valuable donations have been made by interested people throughout the state, one of the most valuable being pictures of prominent Georgians.

At present a special drive is being made to enlarge the picture gallery. Anyone having and willing to donate a picture of John A. Treutlin, Lyman Hall, John Houston, Edward Telfair, George Mathews, Jared Irwin, John Clark, George Troup, George Gilmer, Howell Cobb, or any of the governors from 1833 to 1933 will confer a great favor on the college.

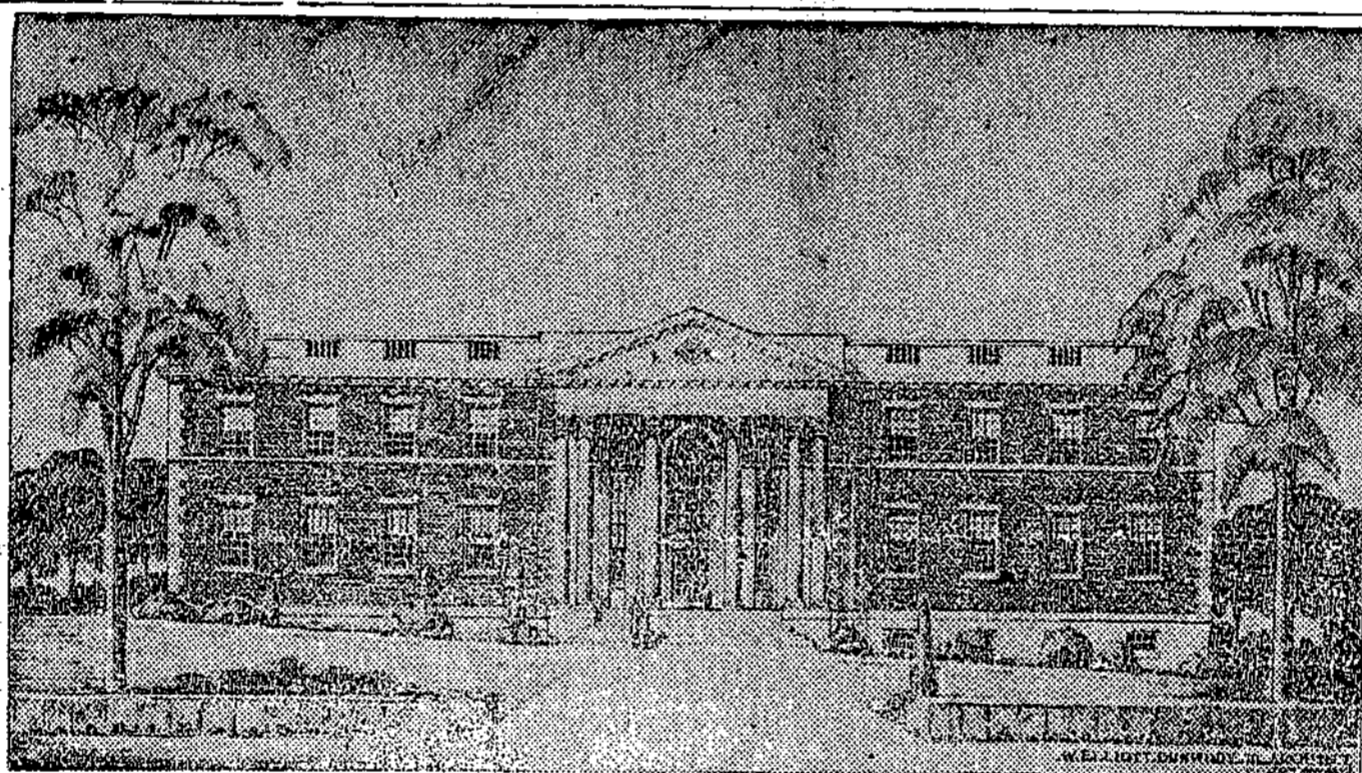
With the co-operation and assistance of interested Georgians the museum can have the most valuable collection of its kind in the state.

The museum is now located on second floor, Parks Hall, but upon completion of the Ina Dillard Russell library it will be given a permanent location there.

M. S. J.

books will be added for the Fall Term. No more drudgery in reading references for G. S. C. W. students after September. New rooms, new books, and a new school year promise many happy hours!

J. S.



Architect's Drawing of G. S. C. W. Library

FIRSTS

The Georgia State College for Women has been a pioneer in many forms of education which are now becoming more popular, and are promising to be of vast service to the state. Some of these "firsts" are enumerated below:

1. "First" college for women supported by State of Georgia.
2. "First" school to offer professional training for teachers.
3. "First" college in Georgia to teach Home Economics.
4. "First" institution in the South to place Home Economics on a par with other departments and to offer diplomas for specialization in the home sciences and arts.
5. Among "first" institutions of country to place great emphasis upon Health Education, and to maintain a fully organized department for the study of that subject.
6. "First" normal school in the state to rise to a standard college and to confer baccalaureate degrees.

L. L.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

For unconditional admission to the freshman class, a candidate must have graduated from an approved senior year high school with a minimum of fifteen units. Young ladies who are under fifteen years of age are not eligible for admission to the college.

V. H.

PRESIDENTS

Since the founding of the Georgia State College for Women, 1889, only three men have served as its executive head.

The first president was J. Harris Chappell, A. M., Ph. D., who served from 1890-1905.

Dr. Chappell was succeeded by Marvin McTyeire Parks, A. B., LL.D., who remained president of the institution until his death, December, 1926.

Since the death of Dr. Parks, Jasper Luther Beeson, A. B., A. M., Ph. D., LL.D., has guided the destinies of the college.

For forty-two years the college has ministered to the needs of the young women of Georgia; three great men have directed her affairs.

M. S. J.

WHAT THE COLLEGE EMBRACES

1. Four year course leading to A. B. Degree.
2. Four year course leading to B. S. Degree in General Science.
3. Four year course leading to B. S. Degree in Vocational Home Economics.
5. Four year course leading to B. S. Degree in Education.
6. Two year course leading to Normal Diplomas.
7. One year course leading to Certificates.

V. T.

THE NEW LIBRARY

New, cheery, roomy, with an abundance of fresh air and light—that is the architect's picture of G. S. C. W.'s new library, which will be completed and ready for use by September. The sum of \$50,000, with which this building is being erected, has been accumulated as savings from the dormitories through economical management of the college for the past several years.

The name for this structure, Ina Dillard Russell, in honor of the wife of Chief Justice Richard B. Russell, was chosen by the Board of Regents. Constructed of red brick with cast stone trimmings, this building will be in keeping with the other buildings on the campus. Corinthian columns will complete the conformity in style, matching the architectural plan of the college.

This library will contain two stories and a basement. A fireproof stackroom, capable of holding 100,000 volumes, will be one of the main features. Three other rooms will be on the first floor—two reading rooms and the librarian's office. On the second floor a large lecture room will be placed in one end, and a science room, a Georgia museum room, and a general room will occupy the remaining space.

As is the custom at the beginning of every semester a new supply of

DORMITORY ACCOMMODATIONS

The dormitory accommodations at G. S. C. W. compare very favorably with those of any college in the state. The rooms are well furnished and equipped with the best ventilation, heating, and lighting fixtures. Each room contains a built-in closet. Over six hundred girls have rooms with connecting baths.

Each of the dormitories has a large veranda. Last year, the front of Atkinson Hall was remodeled so that the girls might have this advantage, which many dormitories of other colleges do not afford.

The students may keep informed concerning local, national, and international affairs by reading the daily newspapers without expense, in each of the dormitories—the Macon Telegraph, Atlanta Journal, Union-Recorder, Milledgeville Times, and other papers. Each issue of the Literary Digest and Current History is received, and every dormitory has a Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia.

D. M.

THE LUNCHROOM

The college lunchroom has seldom failed to be the proverbial "haven for the hungry and weary." It is the "substance" of one of the most interesting and practical courses at G. S. C. W.

The lunchroom, located in Chapel Hall, is open every week day from twelve-thirty to one-thirty. Its equipment consists of an electric toaster, General Electric refrigerator, electric percolator, and efficient stoves for cooking; yet the food is the main feature!

Perhaps the most interesting sight of the lunchroom is the fact that such astonishingly low prices are charged for the quantity and quality of the food served.

L. L.

THE TALKIES

G. N. and I. C., now G. S. C. W., was the first college in Georgia to provide movies for its students. At first only silent pictures were shown. These were continued until the summer of 1930, when a "talkie" was installed.

Mr. O. A. Thaxton states that he always tries to find those pictures labeled "Good" by the critics—"We seek variety also in selection," says Mr. Thaxton—"and to furnish the best at the least possible cost."

H. C.

PUBLICATIONS

Three different publications are issued from the Georgia State College for Women by editors selected from the student body.

The oldest campus edition is the college annual, now called the Spectrum. It is a mirror of college life and activities.

The Colonnade, the weekly chronicle of college events, had its origin in 1925. This paper was formerly the Y. W. C. A. bulletin called the Triangle.

The Corinthian, a quarterly had its beginning in February, 1927. It is a literary magazine sponsored by the Literary Guild for the purpose of encouraging creative writing.

Besides these publications the college issues monthly bulletins including a general catalogue.

A. C.

BUILDINGS

On the campus are seventeen magnificent buildings most of which are constructed on the same architectural style with Corinthian columns.

Six of these buildings are used for classrooms; nine serve as dormitories; the handsome commodious auditorium and the Mansion (formerly the home of Georgia's governors) complete the beautifully arranged group. The "Mansion" is now used as the residence of President J. L. Beeson.

V. Y.

PIANOS AT G. S. C. W.

Good pianos play a prominent part in developing the musical ability of people in all walks of life. College students are not exceptions to the rule.

Fifty pianos, the majority of which are Steffs, are distributed in the dormitories, the gymnasiums, the tea room, the practice school, the auditorium, and the studios. And another good thing—No Rent Is Charged for The Use Of Them! The student may play Bach and Chopin or popular music and class songs to her heart's content without thinking, "I'm paying for the use of the piano."

D. M.

THE TEA ROOM

"Come, eat, and have a good time," said a G. S. C. W. student. Where? The tea room—and why? The reasons are numerous.

The college tea room, a very attractive division of Bell Hall, is the social center of the campus. The girls entertain their friends and gather there for "chats". If a cool drink is necessary on a hot day, then to the tea room for it. Nearly every article of food on the menu is five cents. Occasionally special plates are prepared for ten and fifteen cents. Sometimes the collegiate quartette furnishes music. If they don't there is always a piano, anyway.

The tea room is opened Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday afternoons, from four to six o'clock.

D. M.

THE PRISM

The names of the students on the campus of the Georgia State College for Women form a prism. Many colors are playing their parts in the activities and classroom as shown by the registration book.

There is only one Ray, but three different Hughs. With all the colors one Dye is necessary to compose the multi-colored student body. Those being neutral are the three Whites and two Blacks, while Brown out numbers all others with six representatives. Two girls have surnames of Green, one Chestnut but only one Blue.

Such a rainbow casts its reflection over the South and as far away as Cuba, Pennsylvania and Michigan.

A. C.

Commencement

Program

May 27

to

May 30

VISUAL EDUCATION

There is an old Chinese saying that one picture is worth a thousand words in creating thought. Educators are realizing this today in the increasing use of visual aid material.

The reflectoscope is one of the most efficient and versatile devices used by the college. Three of the most modern type have been placed in the English, Art, and Education Departments, and can be used for slides, still films, and projectors of all opaque material.

In addition to the reflectoscopes the college uses various types of projectors for lantern slides. More than a thousand slides and seven or eight times as many pictures cause visual education to take one of the first places on the campus.

M. B.

THE ICE PLANT

G. S. C. W. has its own facilities for keeping cool. The ice plant, installed four years ago, has proved successful in supplying the dormitories, kitchens, and the four cold-storage rooms. The plant is operated by an electric motor and has a capacity of eight tons.

J. S.

THE NATURAL GAS

Natural gas is used for cooking, heating the buildings, and for the hot water system.

J. S.

WATER SUPPLY

G. S. C. W. has an ample supply of pure water provided by the Milledgeville Water Works. This water is tested frequently by state specialists and pronounced free from all harmful matter.

J. S.

FOOD WELL PREPARED FOR G. S. C. W. STUDENTS

With three well-equipped, sanitary kitchens operated each day, and with two trained dietitians planning well balanced meals, students at the Georgia State College for Women always enjoy wholesome and tasty food.

In the kitchen in Atkinson Hall, where meals are prepared daily for 900 students, 23 negroes are employed to do the work. All cooking is done by steam which is generated by natural gas. This steam equipment includes one large Rink oven, seven kettles each holding from forty to sixty gallons, three roasters, two large steamers, two deep fat fryers, and a long table for serving food. When cooked by this method it is impossible for food to burn or scorch.

The other kitchens are located in Mansion Hall, and serve two dormitories. These kitchens are smaller than the one in Atkinson, but are well equipped and thoroughly modern.

V. T.

EXPENSES

The estimated minimum expenses for a year at the Georgia State College for Women are:

- (1) Room reservation fee for a room in a dormitory \$5.00.
 - (2) Board, nine months at \$17 per month (includes fuel, board, and lights) \$153.00.
 - (3) College fund for the first semester (includes matriculation fee, \$10.00; library fee, \$2.50; equipment and laboratory fee, \$5.00)—\$17.50.
 - (4) College fund, the second semester the same as the first—\$17.50.
 - (5) Laundry, nine months—\$18.
- Total necessary expenses—\$211.

V. H.

THE LABORATORIES

Eight departments at G. S. C. W. have standard laboratory equipment, wherein the technics of the course may be tested and the abstract made concrete. There are laboratories in biology, chemistry, physics, geography, cooking, sewing, psychology, health, and agriculture.

In addition to the standard "ag" labs, there are miniature gardens for the devotees of "ag" where students plant, cultivate, and gather their own vegetables and flowers.

A. B.

THE PRACTICE SCHOOL

"Practice makes perfect!"

The Practice School is the main laboratory for those who expect to make teaching a profession.

All grades from the pre-school through four years of high school are included in the practice schedule.

The faculty is composed of well-trained, experienced critic teachers with degrees, who supervise the teaching. In addition to these many of the members of the regular college faculty assist with advice and conference.

It has been estimated by those who have made a careful study of the situation that one semester of practice teaching under expert supervision, such as that offered at G. S. C. W., is worth more than a full year of ordinary teaching.

About 500 are enrolled in the practice school this year. Sixty-three expect to graduate from the high school department.

H. C.

THE G. S. C. W. ORCHESTRA

The college orchestra forms a vital part of the musical life of the campus. The orchestra is now composed of an ensemble of fifteen violins, under the direction of Miss Beatrice Horsbrough.

Most of the incidental music for the George Washington Bi-Centennial celebration, sponsored by the G. S. C. W. History Club, was rendered by these young musicians. A number of special programs are given by the orchestra during the year.

V. H.

LOAN FUNDS

"Money to Lend" is not a slogan of the College but there are eleven loan funds that have been provided to help some of the less fortunate students in their attempts to secure an education at the Georgia State College for Women.

The Faculty Loan Fund is probably the most outstanding of these. In 1900 the faculty raised among themselves \$100 which was used as a nucleus. With this initial contribution one student was helped. Through faculty contributions and interest, additions the fund has increased each year. Today it amounts to more than \$7,000.

Among the other sources of assistance for worthy students are the Philo Sherman Bennett Fund, Chapel Loan Fund, Anna Brown Small Loan, Carrie Hoyt Brown Loan, Frances Clementine Tucker Fund, Joseph M. Terrell Loan, Alice Walker Shinolser Memorial Fund, Thomas E. Mitchell Loan, and Georgia Home Economics Loan Fund.

The turnover from all the funds combined amounts to approximately ten thousand dollars each year.

A. B.

THE PRACTICE HOUSE

One of the most interesting features of the campus is the "Practice Home". There, the girl who is planning to become "Mrs." may discover how to keep her husband's temper unruffled by learning the secrets of how to make biscuits rise and toast brown, and the girl who prefers solitary bliss may learn how to plan meals that will cook themselves during her office hours.

The Practice Home is a form of laboratory work in the course, Household Science 29, or Home Management. The course was offered for the first time in the fall term of this year. Home Management is open only to seniors who are majoring in Home Economics. It furnishes a culmination to their preceding work.

The house was completely furnished by the college, including beautiful new dining-room and bed-room suites. The home is equipped with various electrical appliances. A radio was given the girls by the Tea Room and several smaller gifts were presented by the Home Economics Club. Curtains were made and hung by the girls themselves. Accommodations are made for six girls and a supervisor. At the end of the six weeks' period, another group of six takes possession, allowing three groups the use of the home each semester.

The tasks are divided into six groups; cook, assistant-cook, maid, assistant-maid, host, and hostess. Each girl takes one duty each week. At the end of the week, the duties are changed, thus giving every girl a chance to learn all phases of the management of a home. Food is bought, meals are planned and cooked, and expenses are recorded, all of which bids fair to make an "old-fashioned up-to-date" wife. Lucky will be the man that gets one!

Incidentally, the course is required of all those who are working towards a degree in Vocational Home Economics.

P. R.

THE "GYMS"

One two, three! Let's see. There are three gyms in the basements of Terrell and Bell annexes to say nothing of the high school gym in the Practice School building. The three college gyms are equipped with all materials necessary for Soccer, Base Ball, Basket Ball, Volley Ball, Deck Tennis, Newcomb. Victrolas supply music for folk dancing and rhythmic games.

It is whispered that there will soon be a handsome new building, including recreation halls gyms and a swimming pool.

H. C.

RECREATION

Noises and expressions such as "ping, pong—ready? serve," just before rising bell seldom fail to awake the girls whose rooms overlook the back campus.

The tennis courts, located just behind Bell and Terrell Halls are popular throughout the year. These courts are rolled, finely packed, and carefully lined. Six courts now (probably two more soon) are filled from early morning to nightfall.

The popularity of tennis at G. S. C. W. has led to the customary rule of "signing up" for courts by the student on the morning before she intends to play. The tennis tournaments held every spring also present an interesting phase of "Field Day."

In rainy weather, the bowling alley in the basement of Ennis Hall, and the equipment for "deck" tennis in the gymnasium have proved a boon to those most athletically inclined.

L. L.