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Georgia State College for Women, Milledgeville, Ga.

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## YOU'RE HERE AND WE'RE GLAD

### Activities Planned For New Students

Freshman Orientation Week, which began September 22 with a student mixer in the gymnasium and continues through September 28, will include: open house for GMC students, pajama party, church socials, placement tests, handbook study groups, faculty dinner, and president's reception.

Opening assembly will be held Tuesday at 8:15 a.m. in Russell Auditorium. Doris Helton, president of CGA, will preside at the assembly and official greetings will be delivered by President Guy H. Wells, Dean D. H. Mc Mahon, Registrar T. E. Smith, Dean Ethel Adams, Miss Louise Davis, and Miss Sara Bethel. The assembly will be followed by the English placement test at 9 a.m. and the student handbook study groups at 12 o'clock.

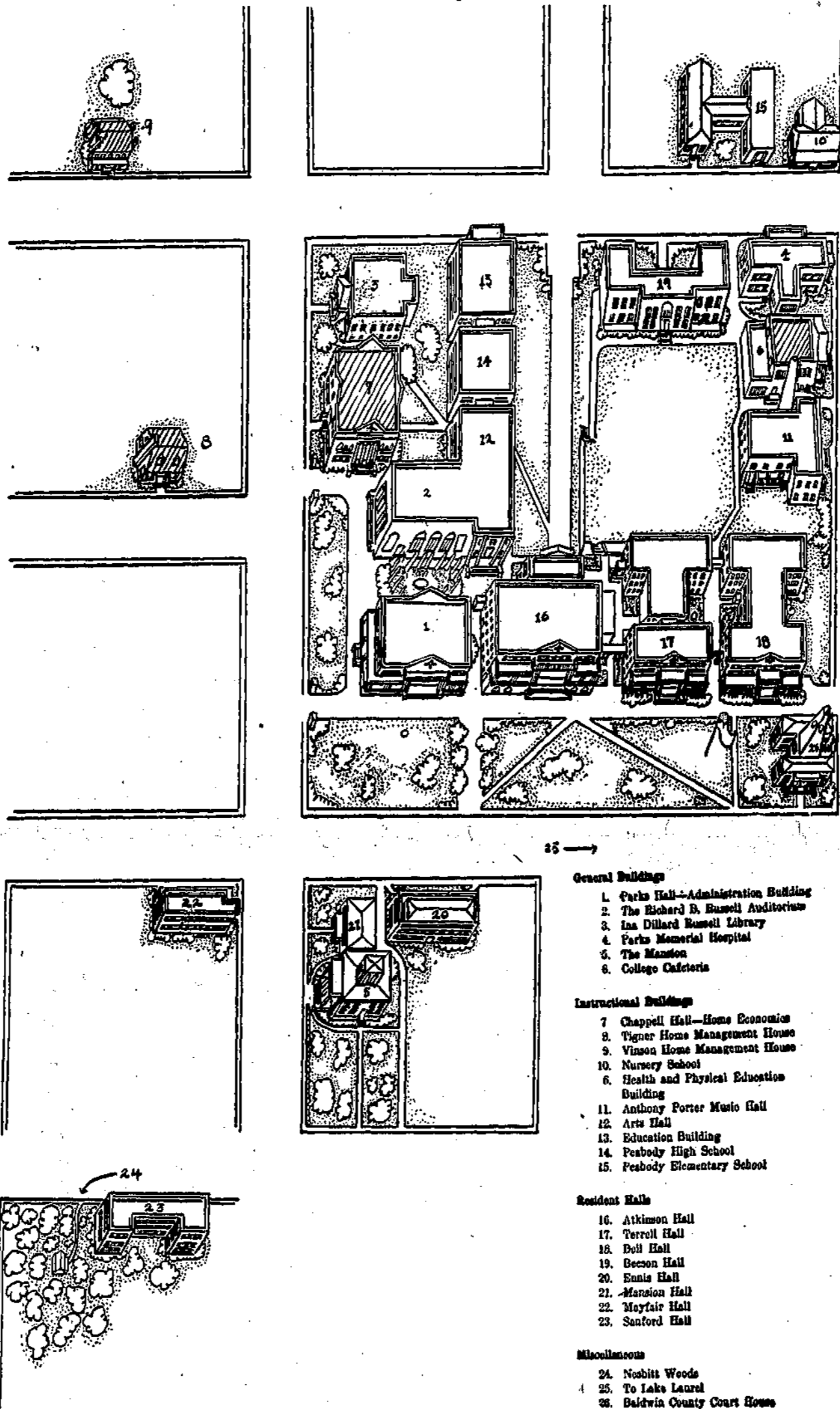
Following lunch at 1:10 in the college dining rooms, students will meet with their faculty advisers at places to be announced later. GMC students will visit the campus at 3 p.m. for an open house, which will feature games, dancing and refreshments. A picnic supper will be served on front campus at 5:30 p.m.

The psychology and social science tests will be held Wednesday morning. Students handbook groups will meet at 2 p.m. An informal faculty dinner at 5:30 in the college dining rooms precedes a movie at 7:30 in Russell Auditorium. (Attendance compulsory.)

A pajama party will be sponsored by "Y" at 9:30 Thursday night. Handbook groups will meet at 8:30 a.m. and at 2:10 p.m. on this day.

Registration of freshmen takes place at 8:30, September 26, Russell Auditorium. The student handbook test will be given at 10 a.m. in Russell Auditorium, September 27. The president's formal reception for all new students will be given Saturday night at the Mansion.

Guides will accompany students to the Sunday School and church



THE GSCW CAMPUS

### Poll Reveals Fresh College Desires

#### Many Interests Shown

The question "What do you expect to profit by going to GSCW and what do you expect to give to GSCW so that we may make it a better school?" was asked of 35 incoming freshmen in a poll conducted this summer by the Colonnade. These names were selected from all sections of the state; cities, towns, and rural areas, from the application files in the office of the dean of women.

"I expect to give all my time, cooperation, and personality toward making my freshman class the best in the history of GSCW. I also want to do the same thing for the school. Anything I am asked to do for the school or my class, I will try to do it with the best of my ability," so answered Joan Robertson, Norcross.

Two of the girls, Elizabeth Jane Parker, Climax, and Faye Marie that the preparation at GSCW Bayer Linton, had the same idea, would enable them to find their place in life and in the world. Miss Bayer said further, that she would strive to prove herself a worthy home by giving GSCW her cooperation and loyalty and she hoped GSCW would be an even better college the day she leaves than it was the day she came.

Betty Huguley, Griffin, states, "By going to GSCW I expect to better prepare myself for meeting the problems of life in the future, to develop initiative and self independence and gain many new friends. I will invest my loyalty to the honor of the school, my cooperation with the faculty and students, and my utmost ability to make it a better school."

Loyalty to GSCW and trying always to be a credit to the school, and investing any talents that they might have to make GSCW the best college in the state, were ideas expressed by Fay Brasington, Route 2, Pavo, and Anne (Continued on Page Three)

#### Dear Freshmen:

You have already received a welcome letter in your handbook, but I wish to greet you again through The Colonnade, since it is my usual method of contacting the students other than in student body meetings.

We have been making big plans for your coming, and now at last, the time is here, and we can see just how successful our attempts have been at making your first several days pleasant and a beginning which you will always be pleased with. We would like to ask your full cooperation and participation in the activities this week in the hope that the beginning spirit will prevail throughout the coming years. Yes, this is your week, but next week the upper classmen will be here, and then there will be activities for the whole student body. We want you to feed just as much a part of these activities as you will in your own, but you are not only wanted but needed in these campus wide participations.

We wish you luck throughout the next four years and sincerely hope that through us you may gain an understanding and a liking of, and a strong desire to work for a better CGA. CGA will be yours throughout your college career and though we won't be here all that time, we, by our conscious striving, hope to pass on to you our desire for an ever forward moving college government.

On behalf of CGA,  
DORIS HELTON, President

#### Dear Little Sisters:

Your arrival on campus is a most welcome sight and an occasion which we have looked forward to with enthusiasm and yet a slight feeling of wonderment. Two years ago we were received by the Class of '47, our Big Sister Class, with a feeling of friendship and comradeship united with a never-to-be-forgotten feeling of togetherness with intimate understanding. Since then we have known more and more of a desire to be to you as they were to us.

Quite often, you have heard, and possibly learned in high school mathematics, the theorem stating that the whole is no greater than the sum of all its parts. But rather than quantitatively, consider this qualitatively, and take it to mean that the whole is no greater than each of its parts in that our school can be no greater than we make it by having loyalty, cooperation, and above all, tolerant understanding in our classes.

We know that our class is a part, is together, in that greater whole which is GSCW, and we want to help you make your class realize its part, be together, and with us make that greater whole on that has complete cooperation from us.

On behalf of the Junior Class,

CATHERINE LUTHER, President.

## The COLONNADE

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## The Colonnade Speaks

The first thing the Colonnade staff wants to say to you is, the Colonnade is your paper, the official voice of the students, and as such wishes to welcome you to GSCW. We hope that it is a paper that you will read and enjoy and that you will cooperate with us in making it so.

We will write unbiased, accurate news stories which meet high standards of journalism. We will publish a lot of sense and a little nonsense.

The Colonnade will keep you aware of the activities of your Student Council, your "Y," and your "Rec," and our editorials will back these organizations and promote their projects for better campus life. Our editorials will speak for the good of the school and the student body, and our news stories will inform you of GSCW accomplishments and activities.

The club news editor on the staff enables us to publish the news of all campus organizations. A make-up editor was added to the staff last spring with the hope that this would make the paper more attractive.

We welcome letters to the editor, and we will publish any suggestions about campus and college affairs.

Our staff is open for new members at the beginning of each school year, so if you are interested and feel that you can give it the time, consideration, and the ability that we feel is necessary for a staff member, your application for staff membership will be gladly received. An announcement will be made later concerning the time and place for these applications.

## It's Up To You

A college education that benefits both the student and the institution is comparable to a sunrise. The full burst of the sun's rays foretells a bright future for the alert, energetic mind of the graduate who begins as a freshman and credibly completes four years of college work.

As the sun makes slow but steady progress in its rise above the horizon, so the career of the college girl gains in meaning and richness as she pursues her studies through four years of endeavor. Though dark clouds may threaten the brilliance of her eventual triumph, the student who possesses determination and a true love of knowledge overcomes obstacles and handicaps that she incurs from day to day.

Some students fail to reach their goal. Other things, often unforeseen factors, cause them to lose sight of their objectives, and they quit school to fill various positions that do not have a college degree as requirement for employment. Though they may find happiness and success, they do not always discover their highest potentialities that would have had a chance for cultivation during four years of study.

Your sun is beginning to rise. Keep it on its way up the horizon as you find your way to a full life through the experiences that are in store for you. Follow your sun to its zenith as you gain new pleasure in the intellectual pursuits of a college student.

## Our First Support Goes To The Honor Board

Several years ago, 1942 to be exact, ninety percent of the GSCW student body voted for an honor system because they wanted the responsibility for regulating their college life. These girls felt that since rules are made for the protection of the institution and the individuals, it was their individual duty to assume the responsibility in upholding such rules, thus making less need for rules. Then the Honor Board was set up to direct an educational system to instill the academic phase of the honor system at GSCW. At the success of their work, the Honor Board was disbanded.

Last year the Honor Board was reorganized with the intent of instilling the dormitory phase, as well as the academic phase, of the honor system in the life at GSCW. When work was begun on the broadening of the honor system, the new board realized that the disbanding of the Honor Board when it was felt that success had been achieved with the honor system in academic work, was a mistake for such a great and important thing as a working honor system needs a continuous educational program, directed by an organized group.

The new Honor Board has set up a program to re-educate us in academic honor and to educate us for high personal integrity and honor in dormitory life. This program is, to quote from the honor code of conduct, "For the purpose of better preparing ourselves to foster the ideals and principles of the great democracy in which we live by putting them into practice here because there are always in any community certain standards of behavior which the members of that community feel will best express their ideals of conduct. So at GSCW, certain rules have been set up by the students, and each student is on her honor to answer for herself and for other students in the business of compliance with these standards."

The work of the Honor Board is for us, all of us; to help us realize the beauty and happiness gained for us by an honorable life; to make us aware that until the mind can love, and admire, and trust, and hope, and endure, reasoned principles of life, of high personal integrity, are seeds cast upon the highways of life, which we, as students and builders of the future world, do not want to trample into dust as unconscious passersby, for they would bear the harvest of our happiness.

## We Have To Offer . . .

We are the school, and the school is what we make it. Some of us come to school for the simple purpose of preparing ourselves to earn a living; some of us come because we truly want to learn; and some of us come because it is expected of us. Regardless of why we come, students barely tap the resources of a college. The resources of GSCW offer us an education, not just by way of books, but through self-government, recreation, and cooperative and honorable living.

We cannot help noticing and appreciating the friendly atmosphere which exists between faculty and students here. Our relatively small classes lead to informality; we have the opportunity to know our faculty, and to let them know us.

Under our CGA, we students make our own rules; we punish ourselves for breaking them; and through this system of student government we have fewer rules than any other southern woman's college.

Though our class buildings and dormitories are conveniently compact, we are fortunate to have a campus which does not end within the limits of Milledgeville. Weekends may be spent at Lake Laurel or at the camp at Lake Burton. (We are the only college which can boast of two such places which offer swimming, boating fishing, camp life.) Our campus recreation includes among other things indoor swimming, tennis on cement courts, bowling, skating, bicycling, horseback riding, and outings at Nesbit Woods.

No other college can boast of a kitchen in every dormitory, and recreation hall facilities for all students. Nor do other schools have an Annual Hike, or Parents Day, or Herty Day, or Golden Slipper.

The best musicians and lecturers are brought to our campus every year. Incidentally, did you know that students help select the guests for these programs? We are fortunate to have nationally known plays produced by students with the most professional touches.

GSCW offers degrees in almost anything a student could want; in fact, there are approximately 25 majors and minors offered here.

It is interesting to note that the state allocated funds to GSCW are more than four times as much as they were in 1939 per capita student.

If we take advantage of the resources at GSCW, we have every opportunity to become a "well-rounded" person. We cannot build the school, but we can make the school. GSCW is only a "prospective covering to us. Our school cannot be outstanding unless we take advantage of the resources and are outstanding ourselves.

## Who Are You . . .

Who are you? Are you anyone besides just your parents' child? Have you ever accomplished anything worth being remembered for? If not, will you prepare yourself for a useful and admirable, a life which will benefit others, and one from which you yourself will profit? Why were you put on this earth? Certainly there is an answer to these questions. Certainly there is a purpose for you. Couldn't it be to combine the knowledge of the past with your own contributions as you attempt to better the world with your own achievements? By doing this, by getting all you possibly can and by putting, even now, back into the world from yourselves, you will have helped future generations—your posterity.



**GUY H. WELLS**  
President



**ETHEL A. ADAMS**  
Dean of Women



**D. H. MacMAHON**  
Dean of Instruction

## Churches Sponsor Religious Life

Milledgeville churches cooperate with GSCW to provide students with adequate religious facilities while they are away from their home churches. Here are found churches of many denominations. Catholic students find the Newman Club, presided over by Ann Lucas, an outlet for recreation and worship. Father John Toomey is the priest of the Milledgeville Sacred Heart Church.

## POLL REVEALS DESIRES

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 Kersey, Royston.  
 Doris McLarty Smyrna, and Barbara Johnson, Mystic, expressed a desire to uphold the standards and traditions which are GSCW through scholastic attainment and behavior. Doris McLarty stated that she was very much impressed by the friendliness of the students and the faculty and by the atmosphere of hospitality prevailing here during the 1946 Music Festival.

Expecting to profit by the cultural background of GSCW, Freddie Hewitt, Brunswick, expects to broaden her conception of citizenship and to understand the influence of citizens on their neighbors, cities, states and even countries. She feels that by attending GSCW she may be better able to gain the experience needed in making serious decisions for herself.

Maye Mitchell, Forsyth, and Dorothy Greer, Atlanta, express a desire to cooperate in full with the honor system, which they are glad GSCW has. Dorothy Greer states, "It is a nice feeling to be trusted and I am glad to be going to a school where the girls can be trusted. The honor system not only helps the students to be honest, upright citizens of their school, but it helps the reputation of the school in the eyes of others." She further stated that she knew that dormitory life would teach her to have more consideration of others and she hoped to be a student that GSCW would be proud of and one who would add to the school's already fine reputation, for she could not emphasize too much the fact that she wanted GSCW to be as proud of her as she is of the privilege of attending here.

Others whose main desire was for complete cooperation with school activities were: Betty Jean Newton, Garfield; Betty Lamb, Macon; Kathryn Anderson, Route 3, Greenville; Mattie Joyce Cason, Warrenton; Mary Ann Harden, Oserfield; Pauline Addy, Toccoa; Betty Barefield, Alexander; Ann Acker, Route 2, Hampton; Norma Claire Bennett, Route 2, Manassas.

The Episcopal Church is located on the GMC campus. Mr. F. H. Harding is the pastor. Methodist students enjoy fellowship at the Wesley Foundation. Ouida Woods is president. The Rev. J. Hamby Barton is pastor of the Methodist Church. Charlotte Hicks presides over the Westminster Fellowship, the Presbyterian organization for young people. The Rev. John McMullen is pastor of the Presbyterian Church.

The Baptist Student Union, located in the Baptist Student Center, is presided over by Margaret Gheesling. The Rev. James Teresi is pastor of the Baptist Church. These churches and youth organizations welcome active participation of college students in their services and social gatherings. To introduce new students to these groups, socials have been scheduled at each church for Saturday at 5 p.m.

## We Guide Ourselves

CGA is the system under which we live at GSCW. It is a system through which students, with the aid of selected faculty members, make and enforce the rules. In this democratic system the students petition and elect their officers.

The executive portion of CGA is made up of college government officers who are elected by vote of the entire student body during election week in February. The executive officers of CGA meet with the executive officers of "Y" and "REC" for the purpose of coordinating the work of the three organizations.

The legislative body of CGA is the Student Council. It is composed of, in addition to the executive portion, the class and day student presidents, presidents of the major organizations, editor of the Colonnade, class and day student representatives, and two faculty advisors. Every student is urged to attend Student Council meetings and has the privilege to make any suggestions to Student Council at any time, either in person or through her representatives.

The judicial department is composed of the Judiciary and the Dormitory Councils. Dormitory Councils handle all cases affecting life in the dormitories or the conduct of its residents that do not involve dismissal from college. Cases of graver importance that involve possible dismissal from college are referred to Judiciary.

The Honor Board has as its main duty an educational and rehabilitation program to help the students to better understand and live up to the expectations of the honor system. It acts as an intermediary between the students and Judiciary.

## Frosh Urged To Take Part In Snag Week

Snag Week is sponsored each year by the Recreational Association to give freshmen and transfer students an opportunity to decide which of the five skill clubs on campus they would like to join. Tennis, Tumbling, Modern Dance, Folk Dance, and Penquin are offered for choice.

Evening demonstrations of each club, with the exception of tennis which will be held in the afternoon, will be presented to give girls an idea of how each club really operates. Club officers will visit the freshmen to explain the requirements for membership before they sign up for tryouts at a big playnight which will be held in the gym.

A girl may belong to only one skill club but is urged to try out for as many as she chooses. Tryouts will last for about two weeks, after which another play night will be held to announce which girls have met the requirements for each club.

A new club, Kampers Klub, is being organized this year. Its activities will include outings, hikes, and outdoor cooking. Try

## 'Y' Presents New Secretary, Announces Weekly Activities

"Y" plans for this year, including vespers each Monday night current affairs lectures on Thursday night, Bible study, breakfasts on Tuesdays, and other worship programs in the dormitory have been completed by the "Y" council and Miss Louise Davis, the new "Y" secretary. Miss Davis, of Vienna, Ga., attended Wesleyan College and received her A.B. degree from the University of North Carolina where she was active in YWCA work.

The current affairs suppers feature interesting speakers and discussions which enable a better understanding of world problems. The suppers are planned and cooked by the students.

The Monday vesper services bring deputations from other colleges, our own students, and guest speakers to our campus. To broaden our knowledge of the Bible and improve our campus life the Bible study breakfast is sponsored by "Y" in cooperation with the denominational groups. A short devotion service, either morning watch or taps, is presented by students each day in the dormitories through "Y" sponsorship.

The "Y" apartment, located in Beeson Hall, is the center of "Y" activities. Here girls may take their dates for supper (if he can cook), listen to records, or enjoy other types of entertainment offered. Too, one of the best ways to get better acquainted with your faculty is at a student-faculty supper on Saturday night. The "Y" bookstore is also found here, and incidentally, good second-hand books are bought and sold here. The profits from this help to bring the refugee student to our campus.

In fact most any time when a little relaxation or place to study is desired, the "Y" apartment provides a beneficial place.

out for this club will also be held during Snag Week. Frances Lewis, vice president of "Rec", will be in charge

## GSCW Offers Concert, Lectures

A college education is not composed entirely of "book-learning," and GSCW is well aware of the fact. The "Jessie" with an insatiable mental curiosity and an ear for wholesome entertainment will lay aside business and relax at the lectures, concerts, and recitals which are frequently presented on campus.

The "Jessie" with a mind for current affairs and who wants to keep up-to-date on national and international affairs will want to benefit by the ideas and experiences of the capable personalities presented on the lecture series. Eve Curie, and Robert St. John are among those who have spoken to us in the past. Members of the lecture series committee for this year have not been announced.

The Community Concert Series brings prominent artists to our college for those who appreciate music. Father Toomey, priest at the Milledgeville Sacred Heart Church, heads the series in which the community and the college work jointly to provide nationally known musicians. The Baltimore Symphony Orchestra is on the calendar for one of this year's concerts and the "Jessie" with a keen ear for music won't miss it.

Also for the musically inclined students, an Appreciation Hour is sponsored every Wednesday night. Here "Jessie" has an opportunity to hear many of her own college faculty in recital, and also musicians from other schools in the state. Marylene Jackson, head of the Five Arts Committee, and Max Noah, head of the music department, are in charge of these programs.

For your convenience watch the notepad and the post office bulletin board in the basement of Parks for notices and package lists. Post office boxes may be rented for 25c per person per quarter. Announcements will be posted later concerning the date, time and place for box renting.

## Your Student Council — 1947-1948



**JO OVERSTREET**  
YWCA President



**DORIS HELTON**  
President



**HELEN NEWSOME**  
Rec. President

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**Day Students**.....**Sara Carpenter**  
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**Judiciary**.....**Carolyn Crowell, Olive Boline, Frances Harwell, Wylene Edwards**

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**Secretary**.....**Lillian Hicks, Olivia Starr, Alice Bagley, Mary Barlow**  
**Treasurer**.....**Jo Crumbly, Catherine Clark, Vera McElhannon, Ruth Harrington**

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**Scholarship—Dean McClure**  
**Campus Courtesies—Gena Gwin**  
**Fine Arts—Marylene Jackson**  
**Motion Picture—Betty Benning**  
**Special Service—Nanette Daniel**  
**Point Recorder—Celia Stephens**

## Annual Events Provide Frosh Highlights On Their Calendar

Hello, freshmen. Let's have a heart to heart talk. What about. Well, about you. About the kind of life you're going to live this year.

This is you. You have arrived. You are a college gal, now, and, though you're a little homesick at first when your parents drive off and leave you alone with a whole world full of strange people, your excitement at being at college soon comes back and you begin to get acquainted with your roommate and suite-mates and the girl down the hall who helped you unpack.

During Orientation Week, you become familiar with the college. You learn your way around the campus, make friends, and meet your Big Sister who is a Big Help, I can tell you. You attend afternoon classes where you learn, we hope, the rules and regulations, as well as the Alma Mater and the dinner and supper blessings. Some of you will learn the breakfast blessing, too. You meet Dean Adams and all the important people you should meet, which includes "Jimmie," or GMC.

During the fall, you experience Annual Hike which is, to put it mildly, a "Heap o' Fun." The hike is not long, so don't worry about getting tired. And at every corner, fruit or crackers are available to replenish any loss of calories. There are any number of interesting things to do on the Annual Hike. You'll play games, take pictures, or watch the faculty-student ball game. After an outdoor picnic supper, there's a bon-fire to sit around as you sing your favorite songs.

Also during the fall is an event which will be very important to you. This event is Golden Slipper. As you prepare for Golden Slipper you will realize just how wonderful it is to be a freshman. You know that there is no other class quite as good as the freshman class, and no other leaders quite as good as the freshmen class leaders. But at the same time, you are conscious that you must work hard to make that realization come true.

Golden Slipper is a friendly contest between the freshman class and the sophomore class. Each of these is aided by her sister class, the freshmen by the juniors, and the sophomores by the seniors. The contest is this:

A short story or a narrative poem is selected and given to each class. The classes then adapt it to the stage, selecting a cast, directing and presenting it in the college auditorium on a date set in November. Lighting, staging, and costuming are part of the presentation.

But when it's over, no matter who won, you are as good a sport as ever. The little golden shoe which was the cause of it all should never be tarnished by bad sportsmanship.

There's a place that once you've been there, you'll always want to go back. That place is Lake Laurel. You'll go out there with your dormitory, your club, or another group to which you belong. You'll get there by bus, and you'll leave by the wild horses that will have to drag you away.

Lake Laurel is the college lake not far from Milledgeville. You will spend the night there in the Lodge where you will find "home-cooking (You'll have to do it) at its best in an easy, pleasant atmosphere." The days are spent in swimming, boating, dancing, bridge, or sun-bathing. There's fishing, too, if you like.

After you have been here about six weeks, you elect the officers who will lead you through the freshmen year. It's up to you during your first six weeks to get to know your fellow freshmen, so that you will know who is qualified to be the ones you choose. Your class offices are important positions, and must be filled by those who are capable to fill them. Your vote is going to count, so be careful how you vote.

Then, of course, there is one day toward which all freshmen are looking forward. That is Rat Day. Only the juniors know when it will be, so you freshmen have nothing to worry about; meaning, you need lose no sleep over preparing for it ahead of time as it is going to take you by surprise, anyway. Rat Day, however, is one time that you freshmen are dressed to kill—and you'll wish you could. Rat Day is a lot of fun, so the juniors tell us, and you'll enjoy it immensely. That is, a week later.

Parent's Day is a day to look forward to for you. That's the day your parents, in fact, the whole family, is invited to GSCW to see how you live at school. They meet your teachers, your housemother, and your friends. They eat with you on front campus and even attend some of the classes, which now pay attention, are cut short for the day. Do I hear cheers?

The freshmen, meaning all of you, go all out for the freshman dance, which is really a big affair. There are decorations to make, the freshman lead-out to plan, an orchestra to hire, and, naturally, a date to be obtained. You shake the dust off your best formal, help your roommate let hers out, and borrow a pair of long gloves so you can look your best.

One day in chapel, you will hear an announcement about "Snag Week." Listen good. Here's your chance to really get into your favorite activity. If you like swimming, you'll try out for the Penguin Club. If you prefer to roll and tumble, there's the Tumbling Club. You'll have some time for practice ahead of the try-outs, so don't be "skeered," but come on out and do your best. You'll have a lot of fun at your favorite sport, giving demonstrations, learning new tricks, and just "building up muscles."

After all this, you'll look back and be sorry that it's all over. You'll remember it as one of the best years of your life, and you'll be so right, for isn't it? You make it so. It's your Freshman Year.



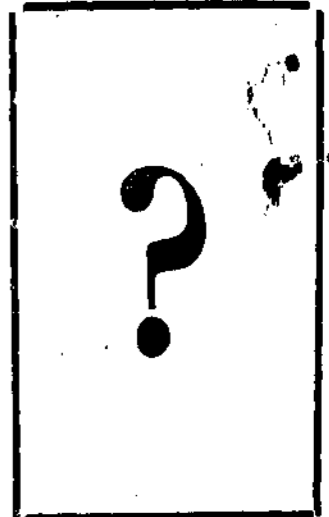
NANETTE DANIEL  
Senior President



CATHERINE LUTHER  
Junior President



GWEN BAILEY  
Sophomore President



Freshman President

### Freshmen Must Consider Possible Class Leaders

Petitions for freshmen class officers will be presented to CGA for consideration and posting soon. Elections form an important part of collegelife as students are governed by girls of their own choosing, therefore candidates should be selected with care.

The individual is responsible for the careful selection of representatives who are chosen on a merit basis rather than by a popularity poll. Voting is a privilege that every girl must exercise, for indifference to such activities as this tends to weaken student government. CGA is no stronger nor more worthwhile than the students enrolled in this college.

The student who obligates herself to assume the responsibility as well as to accept the honors of an officer, should possess the qualities necessary for successfully filling the position or should be keenly interested in developing them.

Qualifications that Dean Adams considers essential for officers at GSCW are also endorsed by the Colonnade. Some of them are:

An officer should like people and possess a real and unselfish interest in her fellow students. Their difficulties, their needs, their likes and dislikes, their academic status, their social needs, are her concern.

Tact, courtesy, patience, and poise aid an officer as she seeks cooperation in house or class projects or as she tries to lead her class mates to a better understanding of the campus program. An open-mind coupled with the courage of convictions is indispensable. Personal integrity always commands admiration.

Fairness towards friends and others alike is demanded of leaders. Loyalty and dependability in dealing with the college and fellow students is necessary.

An officer should believe in the purposes of CGA as expressed in the preamble of the constitution. She should desire to have a part in building a strong CGA on our campus, with every student having a share in its functioning and its development.



Annual hikers enjoy food station en route to the meadow.



Imagination runs riot when Golden Slipper themes are named



Mention of Rat Day terrifies the Frosh who usually enjoy the day



Jessie enjoy dancing at classes and school frolics

### GSCW Boasts Three Student Publications

To keep you abreast of the times and in touch with all that goes on around campus, the college boasts of three publications: the Colonnade, the Corinthian, and the Spectrum.

The Colonnade, a bi-weekly newspaper, is published by and for the students. It is the "official voice of the students". The Colonnade keeps you posted on campus organizations, student and faculty recognitions, and campus activities. Ellen Gwin is the editor-in-chief.

The Corinthian is a literary magazine published quarterly. Students contribute creative works in the form of poems, short stories, plays, and essays to afford enjoyable reading for all. Jo Shivers is the editor of the Corinthian.

The Spectrum is the GSCW yearbook, a treasure of memories of all the activities of the year. Students receiving annuals during spring quarter. Edith Lewis is editor of the Spectrum.

Students pay for these three publications when they matriculate through the student activity fee.