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# "Russia as a World Power" Vera Dean's Subject

"Russia as a World Power" was the subject for discussion when Vera Micheles Dean came to speak in the Little Theatre on Thursday evening, October 7. Convocation was at seven o'clock after which there was an opportunity for visitors to meet Mrs. Dean in the College drawing

Mrs. Dean, a native of Russia, was sent to the United States to complete her education at the outbreak of the Bolshevik Revolution in 1917. She received her A. B. degree from Radcliffe and later worked there for her Ph. D. In 1925 she was awarded a Carnegie Endowment fellowship in international law and continued her studies at Yale University.

Since 1928 she has been a member of the Foreign Policy Association research staff, specializing in Russian and Italian affairs and problems of European diplomacy. At present she is Research Director of the Foreign Policy Association. Because of her connection with the association, Mrs. Dean has traveled widely. When the war began, she was in Norway as an American delegate to the International Studies Conference.

As a result of her travels Mrs. Dean has gathered materials for numerous articles and a book. Europe in Retreat, now in its third printing. She also edits the Foreign Policy Association's publications, among which are "The U. S. S. R. and Post-War Europe" and "Struggle for World Order." Because of her world travel she is, moreover, equipped to speak with authority on every European country and has studied the South American republics by personal observation.

Mrs. Dean especially welcomes open discussion and a question and answer period took place at the close of her

#### Independent Unit is Established

On the Hollins campus this year there has been established an independent Red Cross Unit, drawing its officers from the students themselves. This Unit will be affiliated with the Red Cross Chapter which exists in Roanoke County. The chairman of the unit has not been chosen, but she will be assisted by Agnes Reid Jones as vice chairman, Carolyn Bowman as secretary, and Pat Grayling as treasurer. In addition, these girls are members of the campus War Committee.

The Hollins Red Cross Unit has two main projects, the rolling of surgical dressings, and the establishment of defense courses. The surgical dressings room, located in East Building, and headed by Midge Demarest, will be open Monday through Friday from four until six o'clock. Two student supervisors will be on duty every afternoon and each class will be responsible for one afternoon per week, leaving Friday for the school as a whole. Monday has been turned over to the sophomores with Jamie Bishop and Julia Arnold in charge. Tuesday is junior day, conducted by two supervisors, Ginger Shaw and Lynn Hymans. Jane Henderson and Bernice Loizeaux will supervise the rolling of bandages by seniors on Wednesday, and Thursday has been turned over to the freshmen, with Sally Chamberlin and Ross Carter in charge. The regulations regarding the room will remain the same, and the quota of bandages to be rolled will be based on the number which was rolled last year.

Serving as chairman of the defense courses on campus will be Elizabeth Chewning. As yet the courses to be offered have not been decided upon. A poll was taken in Student Government meeting on Tuesday, September 28, requesting the students to check their first and second choices.

In her speech given in Student Government, Agnes Reid Jones, vice chairman of Hollins Red Cross Unit, said: "The success of the unit depends on the wholehearted cooperation and lasting enthusiasm of every member of the student body."



Mrs. Vera Dean

#### Music Recital Held in Little Theatre

On Thursday evening, September 30, the campus was beautifully entertained by Harold Haugh, tenor. Mr. Haugh has been in demand as a singer almost as long as he has been able to sing. He began studies for the ministry at Hiram College, but was sought after for solo work in many of the nearby churches in Cleveland, his native city. Shortly after his transfer to the Union Theological Seminary in New York came his appointment as tenor soloist at the Brick Church there and the beginning of a notable vocal career. At the present both Mr. Haugh and his accompanist, Arthur Dann, teach at Oberlin College. The program we heard last Thursday evening consisted of: Shofer Call ..... Traditional Hebrew Psalm 137 ..... Ancient Hebrew Kyrie Eleison ..... Byzantine Muessin Call Eartian

John Bartlet
Robert Jones
John Dowland

Beauty is but a Pair	nted
Hell	Thomas Campion
Solo Cantata	Mozart
Epiphanias	
Auch Kleine Dinge	
Der Gartner	Hugo Wolf
An Die Geliebte	
Neue Liebe	
Go, Lovely Rose	Roger Quilter

Song of the Palanquin-Bearers..... Martin Shaw By the Pool at the

Song in the Night.. Marshall Bartholomew

Third Rosses..... Harry T. Burleigh Arise, O Sun...... Maude Day

# Davis to Head Junior Class

On Monday, October 4, the Junior Class held an election to choose the president for the year 1943-44. The majority vote was in favor of Marty Davis over Emma Camp Read. This is the second election the class has been forced to hold, as the office was left vacant by Nancy O'Herron who transferred to Katherine Gibbs in Boston this year. Before the new election, Nancy Cox, vice president of the Class of '45, temporarily filled the position left vacant.

Marty has taken an active part in various extra-curricular activities during her first two years at Hollins. In her freshman year, she served on the nominating committee for her class. She has shown a great deal of interest in tennis and hockey and also in other sports. Last spring she was elected Junior Representative to the Board of the Women's Athletic Association.

As to date, the Junior Class has made no specific plans and has undertaken no particular project for the coming year. In normal times, the most important undertaking of the Junior Class is the sponsorship of the fall prom; however, because of the war and the difficulties in securing transportation reservations, this idea has been given up. For the same reason, no proms were given last year.

## "Y" Membership Tea Held Tuesday

On Tuesday, October fifth, the Y. W. C. A. cabinet gave its annual membership tea in the Green Drawing Room. Since the Y. W. C. A. membership has been put on a voluntary basis, a tea is held each year at which membership cards are signed.

After the cabinet served tea, Betty Martin, the president of the Association, gave a short welcoming talk. She then introduced the chairman of the various committees: Ruth McConnell, Campus Activities; Elizabeth Chewning, Religious Activities; B. K. Hendrix, Publicity: Marianna May, Membership; Mary Lou Payne and Jane Bishop, Community Service. After each chairman outlined briefly the activities of her committee, each girl president signed for work on the committee of her choice.

Anyone who was unable to attend the tea may sign up with any one of these girls. As soon as the membership is organized, the committees will go into

As the cabinet has been able to have only two regular meetings up to this time, it has no specific plans to make known. But new ideas are being considered and will be put into effect soon.

# Sophomore Dance Tomorrow Headed by Lane Winship



Lane Winship

#### **New Bus Schedule** Now in Effect

Effective October 2d, the Roanoke Railway and Electric Company put a new schedule into effect with the purpose of cutting down the use of taxis in accordance with a request from the OPA.

On weekdays, the red bus will leave Jefferson Street and Salem Avenue at 12:30 P. M. and 5:15 P. M., and Hollins at 1:00 P. M. and 5:45 P. M.

On Saturdays, buses will leave Jefferson Street and Salem Avenue at 12:30 P. M., 5:15 P. M., 7:00 P. M. and 11:15 P. M., while the bus will go to town from school at 1:00 P. M., 5:45 P. M., 7:20 P. M. and 11:45 P. M.

A bus run is being instituted for the first time on Sundays in order to facilitate trips to church in the morning and to the movies in the afternoon. The bus will leave town at the same spot as during the week at 9:50 A. M., 12:30 P. M., 1:30 P. M. and 5:30 P. M., and will leave college at 10:20 A. M., 12:50 P. M., 1:50 P. M. and 5:50 P. M.

This revision of the bus schedules has been very much in demand ever since the institution of gas rationing and especially while the pleasure driving ban was in effect. Although taxis were available, the price was boosted and, in all, they became a luxury item. Moreover, the Greyhound buses which usually served as a convenient substitute are always very crowded due to the prevailing transportation difficulties. Thus, the new schedule of the local bus is a very welcome relief measure in solving the problem of transportation to and from

For many years it has been the custom at Hollins for the Sophomores to give the Freshmen a prom. Because of the war and the shortages it causes, this year the tradition was considered as impossible as it was last. But that was before we had seen the Class of '47 really swing into action. The one hundredth and second session of Hollins has scarcely begun and yet those Freshmen have proved themselves to be more than quick on the trigger. Therefore, we have deicded that no matter how sacrificial it will be, we want to give that class a rip-roaring time—or in other words, a dance.

The committees in charge are: Dance Committee: Chairman-Lane Winship; Julia Arnold, Betty Field, Molly Finn, Katherine Rosborough, Tina

Ryland, Barbara Stathers. Serving Committee: Chairman-Louise Russell; Betty Bond, Ann Bowers, Frances Carver, Jeanne Gray, Joan Robertson, Mary Jackson Sheppard, Barbara Stathers, Mary Jane Watson. Building Committee: Chairman-Sarah Stevens; Nancy Dickson, Anne Hancock, Anne Johnson, Jo Robinson,

Peg Rorison, Annette Stanley. The man question is solving itself. Eager delegates from V. M. I., V. P. I. and W. & L.-together with equally spirited representatives of the A. S. T. P., will be rushing over to be with you new, fascinating females on Saturday night, October 9th. And music? Well, what more could you wish than to have the best bands in the country giving you all

#### **New Teacher** Arrives

This last week Hollins has extended its welcome to a new member of the teaching staff. Dr. Iva Cox Gardner has been appointed to the post of associate professor and head of the Psychology Department. Dr. Gardner is succeeding Dr. Dorothy M. Andrew who, because of illness, withdrew shortly after the opening of the college session this fall.

Dr. Gardner is a native of Arkansas. She graduated and took her Master's degree at Baylor University. She received her Doctor's degree at the University of Chicago. Shortly afterwards she returned to Baylor as a member of the faculty in the Psychology Department, where steady recognitions and promotions won her the position of head of the department. During the past several years she has been doing research work in the para-psychological laboratories at Duke University.

Miss Anne Stainback, a graduate of Hollins last year, is assisting Dr. Gardner in the Psychology Department.

#### **Cargoes Continues Publication**

In view of the program to reduce college expenditures and to cut down the student budget fee of Hollins, the staff of Cargoes feels that this year, in order to merit its continuance, the magazine must be of real excellence. This means, of course, that an abundance of good material will be needed for every issue so that the most worth while, representative, and most artistic works produced on campus can be published.

Since Cargoes is the only purely literary publication at Hollins, its importance is unquestionable. In years to come the stories, articles, and poems which the students of 1943-44 publish will remain a chronicle of Hollins life during World War II. Years from now our daughters and even our granddaughters may read the Cargoes of 1943-1944 to "see what it was like then."

We plan to continue the "Americans 'Out There' Speak" feature and, therefore, the staff would appreciate having any letters from soldiers, WAC, WAVE, or Red Cross friends who write of vivid experiences either in this country or abroad.

## Athletic Association Initiates Physical Fitness Program; New Clubs Organized; Every One Asked to Participate

For the hundred and second time in the course of its existence, the Hollins College Women's Athletic Association takes pleasure in announcing its plans for the forthcoming year. From meets to tournaments to games, the program this year is not radically different from that of the past. The Gymkhana on the first Saturday in November, the interclass games in October the Odd-Even Game of Thanksgiving, basket ball and the Red-Blue game at the first of the year, the Horse Show, golf, tennis and archery tournaments, and the swimming meet in the spring will be scheduled as always. Badminton and ping-pong tournaments are also in the air. Projects that shall receive especial attention this year are the use of the fireplace and outing. Plans for outing will include one hike or other seasonal sport such as skating or skiing, for the whole student body, each month. An overnight

hike has been suggested and though the outcome is doubtful, it is under consideration. Hikes to the Dam, to Dead Man Mountain, and to other local spots of interest will be scheduled definitely.

Miss Applebee of Hockey fame, has been asked to come to Hollins and the Association is hopeful of an affirmative reply. Whether she comes or not, however, the W. A. O. plans an Athletic Association party, which will undoubtedly be a highspot of the season. Orchesis has radically revised its meeting hour, but will work for a recital as usual.

Well, that pretty well covers the athletic outlook for the year. The Association looks forward to good seasons and high interest in each sport. As you may have noticed, student interest is far from lagging on the hockey field. Upperclassmen seem to be imbued with the same youthful zest that finds the Fresh-

men and Sophomores, if the turn-out attendance for inter-class games may be noted. Speculation as to the outcome of the October series of games suggests that it will be between the two lower classes. The Sophomores have, perhaps, a slight edge on the Freshmen in that they have stayed together for one extremely successful season. Moreover, representatives from the well-known Hockey Camp are not lacking. But the Freshmen, don't forget, have the advantage of youth, vim, vigor, and so on. Just how much difference one year makes in grading of health and zest averages is a question open to speculation, admittedly, but it must, nevertheless, be considered.

One request remains uppermost in the prayers of all athletes this season. Granted that one thing, it looks as if we're set. What is it? Oh! pray for dry weather, Buddy, don't let it rain!



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#### WORLD WIND By RUTH BOND

Prime Minister Winston Churchill warned the House of Commons two weeks ago: "The bloodiest portion-make no mistake about it-of this war for Great Britain and the United States lies ahead of us." Nevertheless Axis resistance on all fronts seems to be less than anticipated, for Allied offensives have progressed way ahead of schedule. Even since Quebec, the immediate need for an Anglo-Soviet-American conference to plan a single pattern of strategy has arisen and it has been crystallized into a plan for a meeting between Hull, Eden, and Molotov, which will smooth out the way for the long awaited conference between Roosevelt, Churchill, and Stalin The appointment of W. Averell Harriman, former Lend-Lease chief in London and a personal friend of Stalin, as our ambassador to Moscow should also help preparations.

Battering "Fortress Europe" on the east, the Soviet Army is now fanning out after the capture of Cherikov, 50 miles southeast of Mogilev in the direction of Vitebsk, Orsha, Mogilev, and Gomel in White Russia, toward the border of Poland. In the Ukraine both armies have dug in on opposite sides of the Dnieper River; at Kiev, formerly the headquarters of Hitler on the Russian front, reports have come in that the Russians tentatively hold stations in the eastern suburbs of the city.

A terse communique from General Eisenhower, on October 1, said simply, "Troops of the Fifth Army have entered Naples and the city is reported clear of Germans." This historic city will serve excellently as a point of landing on the continent, and as an air base for the bombing of southern Germany and Austria. Now the Germans will be compelled to pull back further in the central and Adriatic areas where the Eighth Army is exerting pressure. The victorious Americans are moving up the ancient Appian Way expecting the next German stand at Rome.

In the Pacific the Japanese are pulling out of Kolombangara, the last great stronghold in the Central Solomons. Marching northward in New Guinea, the Australians have trapped the Japanese forces at Finschhafen. With the bombing of northern Japanese islands by planes from Attu and Kiska, the pincers grow tighter. All indications point to the Japanese fighting on yet another front, for General Marshall has said that the Allies in the Burma area, under the command of Lord Louis Mountbatten, are ready for large-scale offensive action there. The reopening of the Burma Road would considerably aid our relatively forgotten ally, battle-scarred



#### THE VICIOUS MONTH

September has a subtle way Of heralding October; It finds us gay and summery And leaves us cold and sober

The leaves that shiver off their trees Take on a yellow hue While lips that once were scarlet red Turn lavender or blue

Among the many sufferers Who feel its touch are those With pockets full of Kleenex And a red and tender nose

Taxpayers like it least of all-But with it come the freshmen And a boom in Roanoke.

And once again we take time off From having our vacation To amble back to Hollins-land And get an education.

So, after all, October's just A timely sort of hinter That summertime is over now-Look out for Old Man Winter!

SUSAN RICHARDSON

#### **EDITORIAL**

all the ration points, the plates will have In accepting the responsibility of an independent Red Cross Unit here at Hollins, the students of this college have done an admirable and sacrifice the Patterson points. a worthy deed. But the attitude and cooperation of the entire student body will determine the success of this undertaking. If the students shirk their responsibility, the unit will cease to be worthy and admirable; it will become a farce. Therefore, it is necessary for each student to realize the importance of doing her share. All of us must cooperate with the aims and projects of our Red Cross Unit, whether it be by making surgical dressings, taking a defense course, or preferably, both. Although the work is not difficult, it is of vital importance. Here in the peaceful atmosphere of Hollins it is easy to forget that in other places men are killing and being killed. By supporting the Hollins Red Cross Chapter all of us have an opportunity to prove to ourselves and to the world that we have not forgotten. Let's all do our part.

### Under the Dome

For all you gals who are bemoaning the horrors of college life, here's a good word from a graduate—"Black" misses the place, believe it or not. Here's what she

"You'll know only too soon the horrible feeling of not being able to go back to Hollins-I swear it's a right bard blow . . miss it so much and everybody in iteven Dr. Janney. Of course you probably have a Greek test or a Psych one to morrow and you wish you were through the whole business-but I swear couldn't be so bad 'cause there are always lots of others going through the same thing. And all you have to do is to walk about two feet to someone's room for lengthy chat every time you get lonelyand you can always pick whom you wis to chat with-and if you want anythin to eat there's always Rosie. It's wonder ful, gals, and don't let anyone tell ya it's not. How's that for a sermon-especially when I had no idea of preaching one. All I meant to say is-I wish I were back." . . . .

Why get excited? Sophomore Marilyn Field seems to see no reason why mother should feel any qualms about he telephone call when she says-"Don't get excited, Mother, I just called up to get permission to spend the night with a boy!" Well, girls, what are we waiting

Hollins girls will get together and ea though they be at the other end of the globe. Take for example the lunched this summer in Mexico City, where Lucy Sasscer, Joanne Ridley, Leota King Annabelle Price, Anita Boye, and Mary Lib Donaldson exchanged the usual over chile con carne.

The other day at lunch Frannie Camp bell was preparing to take some pills which according to an innocent by-stande were unusually gruesome. "Oh, screamed Kip Milyko, "you're inebr ated-I mean anemic-aren't you?"

the is the very many common This space donated for doodling.

# In Dr. Patterson's Genetics class the used to make agar plates of tomato aspic

This year, however, since the school ha

to be plain . . . Dr. Pat isn't going to

'And what about the Chemistry studen who singed her hair and broke two tes tubes in the Qual. and Quant. Labortory last Wednesday afternoon? cause of her state of nerves? Could it have been a certain lieutenant who was due is on a Liberator Bomber that afternoon

. . . . A last minute flash received before th paper went to press: Carolyn Hill, Corrine Hall, Eleanor Fulton, Carmen Pettus, Betty Gillespie, Anne Buford Rose, and Doris McWilliams have been chosen as apprentices in Orchesis. Try-outs were held Wednesday night.

# ON THE BALL

By CIS DAVIDSON

Mon., Oct. 4

Wed., Oct. 6...

Thurs., Oct. 7

sponsored a hike to the cabin to familiarize

hike, which included 53 students and

several faculty members, was led by

Murph Barnes, Chairman of Outing

Fran Campbell was hostess at the cabin.

with refreshments, group singing, a tour

of the cabin grounds, and informal talks

by Fran, Murph, Miss Chevraux, and

Miss Anderson. Watch for the announce-

ments of the outing program for October-

Mary Anne Thomas is the new chairman

of golf at Hollins. Her assistant is Virginia

Lang. We can't wait to see the tourna-

ment that is to be held sometime in

November promises to be a busy month

in the realm of Hollins sports. There are

the hockey games, the golf and archery

tournaments, the tennis finals, and the

Fall Gymkhana. And then early in

December the Swimming Club promises

In its recent meeting the Athletic

Board discussed the possibility of donat-

a demonstration of formation swimming

it is promising, I assure you.

Hello, all ye sports enthusiasts-and Hollins girls! Welcome back to the white columns—and to the opening of a new hockey season. Yes, the sticks are in full swing now. Class practices are being held every day of the week in preparation for the inter-class games. The games are cheduled as follows:

Mon., Oct. 25. . Sophomore-Freshman Tues., Oct. 26...... Senior-Junior Wed., Oct. 27..... Senior-Freshman Thurs., Oct. 28... Junior-Sophomore the new students with its charm. The Mon., Nov. 1..... Freshman-Junior Tues., Nov. 2.... Sophomore-Senior And then, of course, the Odd-Even game will climax the season at 3:30. Wednesday The girls had a wonderful time-what

afternoon, November 24. Tentative plans are being make for a hockey banquet in the dining room at 6:00 the evening of the Odd-Even battle.

Hockey cannot be discussed without mention of Miss Constance M. K. Applebee, the English hockey coach who introduced the game into America. You see,

Miss Applebee, affectionately dubbed "the Apple," by close friends, will honor Hollins with her presence for three days this fall. She is a well-known figure in the college and prep school world through her direction of the Mount Pocono Hockey Camp in Pennsylvania (where, by the way, several of our own renowned players perfected their "scoops" and "flicks"). During her visit at Hollins Miss Applebee will conduct a hockey clinic for all hockey enthusiasts-beginners as well as campus stars. In the clinic, supplemented by board talks, she will emphasize strokes, the strategy of the game, and coordinated play. Miss Applebee has been instrumental in the war effort in this country

field for her.

Bishop of Mexico

Speaks Here

ing its services to the Y. W. C. A. to assist and supplement the recreation program at the nearby colored school. The Athletic Board could furnish athletic in many ways. Last year she worked equipment and lead playground recreation with hockey players to buy ambulances in the school. Girls in the Recreational and to sponsor war orphans. Because of Leadership class have directed the recreaher English heritage Miss Applebee is tion program there for the past two particularly fond of Virginia and returns springs and have felt that a more effective each year for a brief coaching period at program could be worked out if the colleges where hockey is a leading sport. facilities for the work were available We are glad she is coming to Hollins- Orchids to the Athletic Board.

and are looking forward to skirting the Good-bye for this week-must jog out to back campus for today's stick work!

Betty Conduff, Kakky Rosborough, and

Betty Lee Reams. Juniors: Lee Echols

Ann Johnston, Mary Baker Barnes, and

Virginia Berkley. Senior: Hazel Bridg-

October's Child is

Full of Mirth

Shirley Mahaffey

Frances Miller

Ruth Rafferty

Susan Richardson

Katherine Russell

Mary Louise Smith

Lois Iane Stapleton

Louise Russell

Patsy Ryland

Josephine Robinson

Catherine G. Barnes Anne McLean

Ruth Grey Knighton Elizabeth Stevens

Caroline Wray

Join Tinker Hike

Sunday Afternoon

Bernice Loizeaux Helen Williams

Betty Behrer

Anne Bryan

Armin Cay

Betty Dumas

Lillian Graves

Nell Ross Carter

Marjorie Demarest

Charlotte Gresham

Iane Henderson

## Choir Will Sing in Roanoke

From the way the Hollins Choir has At Chapel service on Friday, September been sounding, it cannot be unlucky to 24th, Dr. Roberson introduced as guest start the year with thirteen new members, speaker the Bishop Salinas of Mexico. especially since the girls have been in-The Bishop spoke on the difference bevited to sing before a special convention the social life in the United States at the Hotel Roanoke on October the 22d. and that in Mexico. He expressed regret If everyone can arrange her schedule, the that our two countries so widely differ choir is planning to accept this invitation. in tradition, social customs, and language. The additional thirteen members are-He found the barrier of a different lan-Freshmen: Mary Ann Summers, Marilyn guage a particular obstacle, for, he said, Anderson, Peggy Mathews, Sunny Barron, and Katherine Russell. Sophomores: it was only when the peoples of two

they could enjoy real political friendship. The Chapel service was followed by an informal discussion in the Y. W. C. A. room, where the Bishop answered the questions of the students and faculty. There, he continued to discuss the variations of life in the two countries.

countries understood one another that

The Bishop was, at one time, a student of an American university, and is now connected with the University of Mexico in Mexico City. He is a strong advocate of furthering international understanding through education, and has encouraged the exchange of students in United States and Mexican colleges.

#### Two New Members Join "Cargoes" Staff

Two new members have been added to the Cargoes staff for 1943-44. They are Betty Bond, '46, and Mary Jane Peacock, '45.

Will all students who have written or intend to write for the Fall issue of Cargoes please give their material to Pris Hammel, Main 202, or any member of the staff before October 12. The staff would also like to receive any photographs which might be appropriate for the cover.

Several of the athletic clubs are holding their fall tryouts this week. Here is the Tues., Oct. 5 \ ..... Tennis Club Thurs., Oct. 14 ... Swimming Club versity of Mexico this past summer, and This is stale now—but interesting: On Sunday, September 26, the Outing Club s majoring in French at Hollins.

Another one of our star athletes Peggy Harris commonly known as Peegie." If you don't know her by this description, you'll certainly recognize her by her sparkling eyes and enthusiasm for everything. "Peegie" is president of both the Riding Club and the Athletic Board this year. She's a Biology major who put her academic talents to work as medical technician in one of the hospitals at home in Baltimore this summer. Ruth Bond has only been a member of the Class of '44 for two years as she entered Hollins as a Junior transfer from Saint Mary's last year. Ruth is from Tarboro, North Carolina, and this summer she took some extra courses at Chape Hill for her major in History. This year she is Senior Representative on the Honor Court. Ruth has looks as well as brains. She was an attendant in the May Court and has always been recognized as one of Hollins' most sophisticated and

Mademoiselle look) at Heironimus.

For all those lucky girls with birthday checks or allowance surpluses to spend: brand new shipment of all-wool sweaters in almost every color has come in. See Ruth Bond's navy cardigan for very pretty proof. It's rumored that there'll be no more before Christmas, so you'd better hurry.

You'll find jumpers, too (a wardrobe "must" this year) in velvet, wool plaid.

cardigans, complete with buttons on one piece, and button-holes in the other. But best of all, are the yellow string gloves . . . so natty and so necessary, for

See you soon at Heironimus

#### School Begins New War Work

least the War Committee claims as much. Last Wednesday Mary Ann Thomas arranged an hilarious bond rally to spur us all into buying some war stamps each week when an agent will come to our rooms. With the proceeds of the Victory drive Hollins is planning to purchase an ambulance. After hearing Betty Gelbach's pep (?) talk and Betty Tucker's offer of blood, everyone ought to be inspired to really keep up his pledge.

# Senior Spotlight

Mary Lib Donaldson may need introducing to some of the Sophomores, too, because she spent last year at the University of Michigan in her home town of Ann Arbor. She says she's glad to be back at Hol Col again and the Seniors are more than happy about her presence on their hockey team once more. Besides being quite an athlete, Mary Lib is a linguist, too, for she studied Spanish at the Uni-

well-groomed girls.

One of ADA's wittiest is Patsy Ryland of Richmond. Patsy is a woman of many calents, too, since she is on the Athletic Board as manager of hockey this year, on the editorial staff of Cargoes, and House President of Turner Lodge. She is majoring in English. This summer she was a Nurses' Aide and is planning to continue with this work in Roanoke this winter. Also if you should ever happen to want anyone to climb a mountain with you just ask Patsy, she climbed Dead Man

# Heironimus Says

By this time, most of the Freshmen have discovered (of course, the old students already know) that Heironimus is the place to go for room fixin's. But if any of you haven't found this out yet . . . there are still a few matching bedspreads and curtain sets, wool-filled comforts, long mirrors and comfy chairs (guaranteed to

gabardine, and cordurov. And, for friend roommate's surprise, how about a pair of red or green embroidered suspenders Good news for all you knitters . . . now

you can get grosgrain ribbon for your only \$1.95, so . . .

# WEEK-END, WEEK-OUT

By BETTY GRIMES

As we all know very well (especially the Class of '47), three weeks of school have passed and we can't say it hasn't been eventful . . . what with our nail-eating sophomores and our freshman poets!

Just to prove Hollins girls have better things to do on Saturday night than listening to Sinatra, Betty Tucker, Tish Walker, Ann Ferguson, and Kakky Rosborough went up the 25th to see Navy play Chapel Hill Pre-Flight at Annapolis. This same week-end Ann Bennet, for some strange reason, journeyed up to New York. Also Kitty Barnes went to Charlottesville. And the Winships and Agnes Grace went to Richmond.

\* \* \* \* DID YOU EVER:

See Jean Gray's purple orchid, or her white one, or her red roses. Or Lane's

Hear about Ann Bennet's long distance phone call. Someone dashed over to the library to tell Ann she had a call. Ann tore up to Turner Lodge, picked up the receiver breathlessly, and heard a voice on the other end say "This is Miss Henn in the library. You have a book out . . ."

See so many smooth gabardine suits as there are on campus (on females) this year. For example, let's take (wouldn't we like to) Pris Hammel's brown one, or Libba Thorne's green one or Poodie's red one or Kakky's blue one!

Wear any of the newest thing in campus

#### **Henri Reports** on '43 Grads

You can thank Henri Carter for her report on the Class of '43 in the Alumnæ publication from which this article was

Wedding bells, a time clock, and a red cross seem to be the living symbols for the sixty-one spinsters of last year. Of course there was Sooze Johnston Orr, who early left the ranks, and is now living in Key West, Florida, with Bud. Shucks, Mary Ellsberg, and Betty Chinn have all wiped their feet on the doormat of Louise Buse Hannaford's home in Cambridge, Mass. where Red is stationed. Judy Weis: marriage to Paul Max Schweid in Waco

Texas, also checks another from our list. July however, wins the prize for its weddings. Ellen Harwell married Rev. Paul Reigner; M. L. Millis married Ens. John Diffendal with Hess singing and Oogie as a bridesmaid. Betty Dorscheid chose July also to marry Lt. Jonathan Wood with Rhea and Biz as her attendants. She and her husband, after visiting Hollins on their honeymoon, are now living in San Antonio, Texas. When Kitty Keyton and Henry Churchill Marks faced the altar in Montgomery, Alabama, Ensign Patsy Boyd managed to get a thirty-six-hour leave to attend the wedding.

Late August was the date for Louise Harriman's marriage to Capt. Hastings Keith at Camp Edwards, Mass., but his orders took them immediately to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. September, too. narrowed the short list of spinsters when Rhea Day married Charles Smith,

Not only are there marriages taking place, but there are also weddings in the offing. Mary Jean Campbell, engaged to Clarence Lovelace, is anxiously waiting for February to roll around. If Charlie can get leave from Panama, Phyl McCue is planning hers for October.

A few, however, are doing a little more for the war effort than morale boosting. K. A. Low is an assistant electrical engineer for the Western Electric Co., in Kearny, N. J. Teaching school this winter are Virginia Wood, Shucks Wilson. and Iulia Meade Wilson. Tookie Campbell is working for the South Carolina Department of Public Welfare in Colum-

Francis Taylor is working in the Babies' Hospital, and Black is starting a day nursery for the children of nurses at the Medical College of Virginia.

Among other career gals are Jean Twyman who has a job in Miami with Pan-American Airways, Judy Barrow as an enjoy hearing from them.

footwear-meaning those semi-moccasin semi-slippers-with-or-without-a-seam-upthe-front shoes. Is that clear? Hear that Hollins girls have stopped

swooning for Frankie and started sighing for Mr. Haugh?! Get up for a fire drill in the dead of

night, Freshmen? Well, you will soon. . . . .

Speaking of week-ends again! Check the 2d of October for being one which looked like the good old days when we were Freshmen. The scenery was vastly improved by the presence of a large number of men on campus. The Freshmen certainly did their part by snaring down six men en masse from Richmond. Besides that there were many more (how we do go on). Isn't it too bad Mary Calvert and Jeff Findlay had to go up to West Point or that Betty Hamnett and Lane Winship had to go to V. M. I.? Or that Cis Davidson had to go to Fort Belvoir or that Ginny Shaw had to attend the christening of Libby Porter's baby! Then too, the cabin was well occupied by a group of sophomores under Miss Anderson's chaperonage. Betty Condiff took Millie Ortega home to spend the day in Floyd County. Marion Prince went home to Charlottesville; Lynn Hymans went to visit the Merchant Marine Academy in New York, and Agatha Roberts went away, where, we never have found out. Well, we must face these tragedies of life such as the fact that this article ends here!

#### Freshman Impressions Revealed by Poll

When we were freshmen, there always seemed to be a few outstanding features of Hollins that promptly made special impressions on our minds. To ascertain this year's trend of thought, we interviewed fourteen freshmen, and received

these varied answers. Charlotte Hale... The friendly spirit Jean Withers.... The surprisingly attrac-

tive rooms M. E. Malone. . . The beauty of the buildings Ross Carter . . . . The cute girls

Marian Burdine. . The mountains Ruth Rafferty... The work and the food. F. Brockinton . . . The friendly faculty Tina Thomas.... The colonial atmosphere Peggy Pense.... The student government Pat Maloney . . . . The campus

Ann Arnold . . . . The freedom Jean Talbot . . . . The falling plaster Patsy Aufenger. . The girls entering the dining room

assistant in the Music Department at Hollins, and Henri who is holding down a job at O. S. S. in Washington.

A few, however, are still taking courses, some for war work and others in the pursuit of knowledge. Red Cross work occupies Adeline Moon, Dot Hudson, M. L. Reydel, Lush Buchanan, Martin, and Oogie. Our "radiant queen" Edie is at Katherine Gibbs in Boston, Sara Cooper May at Richmond School of Social Work. and Bettie Sprunt at Columbia Nursing School in New York.

Phyl Price is doing graduate work at Barnard in New York in preparation for Med. School. Curt is also in Manhattan at Julliard School of Music, and living at the Three Arts Club. Anne Stainback, who was planning to study for her M. A. in Psych at Yale, got a hurry call to come to Hollins as an assistant in the department.

A few, however, are still looking for that spot where they can be of most service. These remaining few are Jack. Bernard, Marta, Mary Ellsberg, Bette Gardner, Kidd, Micky Payne, Libba, and Biz. Val and Lucy Sasser are at present trying to recuperate from their exciting trips this summer to California and Mexico City, respectively.

Though our lives are relatively "humdrum" in comparison with the exciting adventures of '43 we will never cease to

# Students Discuss "Good Food in Spite of Rationing"

PATSY RYLAND, '44

I think the best thing about school this year is the dining room! And the more I see of it, the better I like it! Mrs. Hardesty and the kitchen staff are doing a grand job. Because of the variety of dishes and the attractive way in which the food is fixed, rationing almost seems like a thing of the past. No wonder I'm getting so fat!

LILY MAY MACLEMORE, '45

It is generally believed that good food and rationing can never walk hand in hand. This fact was especially held to be true at Hollins. But have you been in the dining-room this year? Have you seen and tasted the food? Did you notice the stuffed peppers, the deviled crabs, and the brown bread and baked beans? When shortages appear, substitutions are found, for instance, cheese instead of butter, and eggs instead of meat. We often think of well-balanced meals as those which are either tasteless, or distasteful to us. But this year, our meals are well-balanced and tasteful to us at the same time. Of course, there are differences which probably won't be found in peace-time, but there is rationing and excellent food in spite of them.

#### BETTY BARNETT, '45

I simply love the food at Hollins. I don't see how Mrs. Hardesty does it. Rationing makes an already tremendous job even bigger. The food not only tastes good but it looks so appetizing. That in itself means a lot. The full dining-room at every meal shows exactly how we all love it. The main discussions in Keller at ten, two and four are food, and the genius, Mrs. Hardesty. She certainly knows how to keep our stomachs full and our minds contented.

#### PENNEY BEYER, '44

If the war has taught the women of America but one thing, it is that large quantities of rich and indigestible food are neither necessary nor healthful for the diet. It goes without saying that Mrs. Hardesty, our new dietician, stands high in the ranks of such women, for our meals this year are excellent in spite of strict rationing. People have begun to realize that there are other cuts of meat just as good as fillet mignon that cost less points. Plebian greens and formerly unpopular vegetables are fast becoming a regular dish on all dinner tables because they are rich in vitamins and iron as well as being good tasting. The soy-bean has gained much prominence since the war as the unrationed wonder-food, and doctors now seem to wonder how the human race ever survived without it. How about it, Mrs. Hardesty? All in all, I don't think anyone with a grain of ingenuity is finding himself in a state of malnutrition because of vitamin deficiency, especially not at Hollins. Food is, if anything, more colorful and exciting. It's really amazing how many new healthful foods you can find to eat that are not rationed and all the odd things you can scramble together to have come out truly delicious.

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LANE WINSHIP, '46

Why were we such gluttons and why did we stuff ourselves during those last few meals at home?

How many times in the past week has Dr. Gordon said, "The time is eventually coming when you have to stop gaining weight?" But what are we to do, helpless as we are? Determination and will power are gone and forgotten as soon as we start that well-worn path to the dining room. All we can think of is, "What's in that dish?" and "What's that aroma that just drifted by?" No longer do we ponder over what to leave off but instantly start planning how to eat the most of the vast variety of food before us. Then just as our jaws are filled to capacity, Mrs. Wellons, with her pleasant countenance, passes and asks if everything is all right. How could it be better?

Not only is the food attractive, delicious, and filling, but it is healthful and just what we need for physical fitness; in fact, our mothers had better start planning now to have the dressmakers give over all their time at Christmas to their daughters, who just got home from Hollins.

Mrs. Hardesty, we don't know how you do it, but we *love* it and we thank you.

#### MARY JANE PEACOCK, '45

The great improvement in the diningroom scene this fall is really deserving of
the highest praise. We all realize the
growing difficulties in obtaining food and
juggling ration points, which makes us
double appreciative of the attractive
meals now set before us daily. On hearing
of conditions prevailing at other colleges,
I think we should know at Hollins how
fortunate we are to be able to maintain
such high standards in the dining room,
high standards not only in the excellent
quality of the food but in the attractive
way in which it is served.

#### CALLIE RIVES, '45

Mealtime has become a source of surprise to me these days. Not only does the food look exciting but it also tastes wonderful. The attractiveness of the dishes, decorated with parsley and the like, is a real morale builder. Then, too, I must comment on the service in the dining room. The service we have this year gives each of us a sense of importance. Mrs. Hardesty and the entire dining-room staff get my praise and thanks for making the meals so great.

#### SALLY CHAMBERLIN, '47

Since the shortage of postage stamps, my main interest in life is food. Except for the fact that breakfast happens so early in the morning it's fine. Lunch is also a good idea—and isn't it convenient the way it fits in between classes? Then dinner is usually the main event of the day, either because of dessert or biscuits. Of course, there may be exceptions, but most people are like me; they, too, are so fond of food that they even feel they couldn't get along without it.

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#### ISABEL DUNN AND VIRGINIA HART, '47

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Considering the rationing difficulties and curtailment of transportation, Mrs. Hardesty has done exceptionally well, we think, in planning and serving our meals. She satisfies the bounteous appetites of 350 college girls every day which is quite a task. We have our hunger well under control with the tasty and varied meals she offers.

#### MARGARET BARNWELL, '45

Eating in the dining room these days feels almost like splurging at The Roanoke. Not, of course, that last year's meals were anything to complain about. Food's food. There is, however (as has been noted generally), a decided improvement in the appearance and variety as well as the flavor-content of the victuals of 1943-44. Heretofore, after eating in the dining room a week or so, it was possible to prophesy to the last fried apple what the next meal was to be. No more of that routine stuff. Now, by virtue of the new dietitians, we never know whether we're getting scrambled eggs for lunch or pink pie that might well be patented "synthetic rubber." Everybody likes surprises and the particular kind of surprises that we get almost every day in the dining room is good for the digestion as well as the general amusement. So, here's to the dining-room staff; more power to 'em. And by the way, when do they start serving sulphur water?

#### MARIAN BURDINE, '47

"Ding-a-ling-a-ling" is one sound that needs no introduction to certain Hollins girls, including me. No one knows, tweedly tum, how long one goes, tweedly tum, being hungry! But here, one can be saved by the bell, or triangle, as the case may be. Of course, if one isn't hungry, one doesn't have to go if one doesn't choose to-but then one would be sorry if one didn't, so one had better if one knows what is good for one. One more thing-steaks are fine, lamb chops better, but where is that super-vegetable, that bean with nine lives, and a hundred different uses, that highly flavored soup, bread, cake, coffee, milk, flour, and butter beans? We have yet to see it-we have yet to smell it-we have yet to feel itwe have yet to taste it! Yes, what we need to make our Hollins day complete is that stupendous, that colossal, that unrationed SOY BEAN.

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