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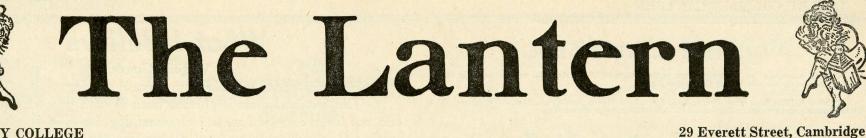
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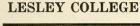
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Faculty News

Faculty members are eagerly supporting the formation of the branch of the Student Teacher Education Association of Massachusetts (STEAM) within our own college. Five faculty members attended the first state meeting of the National Education Association held at the Harvard Club on Friday, December 4, and they feel that possibly Lesley is now ready for a faculty branch of this organization to co-operate with the student group.

Miss Welch, Mrs. Reed, and Dean Thurber attended various sections of the annual meeting of the New Eng-land Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools on Friday, December 4. Since this organization provides the regional accreditation for our college, our participation in this group is of special importance.

It was gratifying indeed to see the excellent response to our invitation for the Semi - Annual Field Tea held at Lesley on Wednesday, December 2. Superintendents, principals and classroom teachers, who co-operate with our Student Teaching Department in helping Lesley students to gain professional experience, were invited for a social hour followed by a meeting in the library. Mr. Allan Morris and Mr. Ellis Spear gave a skillful presenta-tion of the timely topic "The Teaching of Science in the Elementary Schools.

Lesley's leadership in the field of special education was recognized on Saturday, December 5 when the Massachusetts Special Classroom Teachers Association gathered here for its Semi -Annual Meeting. Our own Miss Freeman is the President of that organization and several of Lesley's graduates were active participants. Dr. Ruth Boland, now director of the Bureau of Child's Services in Cambridge and Dr. Malcolm Farrell, our consulting psychiatrist, were members of the panel which presented the subject — "Early Education for Retarded Children."

JOIN

STEAM



Freshmen Officers: Gail Sullivan, Judy Harris, Sheila Foster, Kay Haitsuka, Joyce Levy, Elaine Schofield.

Freshman Elections

There was as much campaigning at Lesley during the Freshmen elections as was carried on during the last national presidential campaign. Posters flooded the bulletin boards, each with the proclamation "Vote for - - !" On the tables in the cafeteria were perched smaller versions of the larger posters all exclaiming "Make - your choice!" Campaign managers handed out tags to everyone for their candidates. On every Freshmen's tongue were the anxious words, "Who do you think will win?"

As everyone gathered in the gym where the "political convention" was being held, a cloud of suspense hung heavy. All the speeches were heard and finally all the voters cast their ballots. Joyce Levy was elected President of the Freshman Class. Vice-President, Elaine Schofield; Secretary, Kay Haitsuka; Treasurer, Sheila Foster; Publicity, Gail Sullivan; and S. G. C. Representative, Judith Harris.

The Freshman know their officers well, but many of the upper classmen know them only by name. For the in-

Kaneohe, Hawaii on the island of Oahu is Kay Haitsuka's home. In high school Kay was the secretary of the student body and of the Junior class. When asked what she liked best to do, Kay promptly replied, "Dancing the hula!" She also replied that, "Lesley has the friendliest group of girls I have ever met and I know it will be a good year!"

"I know our class is going to do a lot for Lesley!" says Sheila Foster. Sheila lives in Willimantic, Connecticut. She loves to swim and dance.

PROVIDENCE CONVENTION

No. 5

During the past few years, several students at Lesley have been taking an interest in the field of special education. Several girls among whom were Bunnie Prothero, Shae Shepatin, Linda Cooley, Helen Murphy, and Dolly Draghetti were able to attend The Regional Conference for Exceptional Children at Providence. The main purpose of this group is to aid and progress the child who has special handicap or ability. Although the actual field of special education is relatively new, the students found this experience very valuable for it brought them in contact with some of the most recent ideas and experiments as well as important personalities in the field. Several of the most outstanding publishers were there demonstrating their newest equipment for this area. The wide variety of sessions on the agenda to choose from covered the most important areas in the field. An outstanding feature of the three day conference was the tour of a school or institution in one's own area of interest.

The girls attending this conference were so impressed with the work of the Council that they are in the midst of organizing a chapter at Lesley. It is the hope that this group will include the areas of interest in the socially, emotionally, physically and mentally handicapped as well as the gifted child. Through this group they hope to bring Lesley students into closer contact with the newest educational methods, contacts and medical progress. They also hope to enlighten more students in this

Dinner was served to the entire group terest of all, a short interview was in Lesley's dining room at the close of planned. the session.

> Joyce Levy attended school in Flushing, New York. She was editor of her ing. school newspaper and art editor of her class yearbook. Joyce's hobbies include art and music. Says Joyce, "We have one hundred de"light"ful girls who, I know, will make this class shine!"

Elaine Schofield commutes to Lesley from near-by Melrose, Mass. She playfully calls herself a "day-hop." Elaine especially enjoys collecting post cards, reading, and playing tennis. "The class of '63 will be the best class that Lesley ever had!" Elaine exclaimed.

Island. She thoroughly agrees with all ognize the need and importance of such the enthusiastic comments already made. interests. Gail enjoys modern dance and ice skat-

Judith Harris lives in Concord, Massachusetts. In high school Judi served on student government and represented her school magazine. Judi enjoys reading, listening to music, and riding. Says Judi about the Freshman class, "I think it's a wonderful class!"

Judi's sincere statement sums up the whole attitude of the entire Freshmen class. They think it's the best class ever!

Gail Sullivan is from Bayside, Long field with the hope that more will rec-

CONVOCATION

The annual Christmas convocation will be held on December 17, at 1:30 p.m., in Sander's Theater. The program will include carols sung by the Lesley Madrigals. Miss Dorothy E. Sharples, Director of the Lesley Art Department, will speak. The title of her speech will be, "Let There Be Light."

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The Lantern Speaks The Rising Minimum Wage

With all of the recent overlapping, threatening strikes which cry for higher wages, there is a serious threat to our economic system.

Labor is only hurting itself by pressing for increases in the minimum wage! In the first place, a minimum wage of any size will eliminate the lowest grade of workers. Secondly, labor itself ultimately suffers because the minimum wage inevitably adds price rigidity and makes it more difficult for management to adjust labor application to the best advantage. Again from the standpoint of labor and the consumer, it is a mistake because wage increases in productivity add to inflationary tendencies. Although labor may argue that wage increase would allow them to catch up with the accumulated gains in productivity, it is apparent that wage increases have fed directly into price increases and inflation. As L. C. Lockley, Dean of the School of Commerce, University of Southern California, says: "A worker is better off with a higher standard of living that he buys with fewer dollars than with the same standard bought with more dollars."

The greatest danger of wage pressure seems to be too rapid mechanization. The steady upward movement of wages has brought a steady decrease in employment per unit output for American industry because jobs are being filled by an increase in mechanization. Technically, one would expect mechanization to free workers for jobs produced by industrial expansion; but if too many people are freed at one time, industry cannot expand fast enough to absorb the unemployed.

Yes, the wage - price spiral is leading to serious trouble not only to our own country but to our foreign markets as well. The answer, according to many authorities, does not lie in Government intervention, which seems to add rigidity to present methods, but in free prices in open markets.

TRIBUTE TO THE FRESHMEN

Naturally, everyone on campus watches the Freshman Class, as a person who is willing to help in any way that she possibly can, soobserves their growth and evaluates their spirit. The upperclassmen cially and academically. observe and compare. Comments (conscious or unconscious) may These aspects are the ingredients of the formula for successful, range from "Of course WE were never like that!" to "We'll have to rewarding teaching. They are developed in and out of the classroom, admit that their show was better than ours ! !' and the teacher must realize the necessity for being well-prepared subject-wise and in terms of giving everything to her students within her

What I Believe

by Virginia Gonzals

Have faith; for without faith there is nothing.

The first and most important faith is faith in God. People that do not believe in God must feel something beautiful is missing from their life. I believe that some people lose faith in God because they were deeply disappointed or hurt by someone or something that meant much to them. If they just glance around them they may realize that there is a greater someone than all of us who made this world. People that are doubtful about a true God because of their disappointments should realize that God has a purpose for everything. God does what is best no matter how it injures you at the time. For every one disappointment that God delivers there are twice as many blessings he showers on us every minute of the day. Have faith in your religion and in God, and you will be able to endure any disappointment.

The second faith is faith in your country. Citizens should love their country and try their best to live up to the standards of their country. They should fight and defend their country. They must be willing to give their life for their country.

The third faith is faith in your neighbors. People should try a little harder to get along with their neighbors. Life is too short to hate. If each person tried a little harded to be pleasant, life would be much happier. Try to look for the good points and be less suspicious of your neighbors. They will believe in you.

The last faith to consider is faith in yourself. Never belittle yourself. Have confidence in your ability to succeed in life. If you do not believe in yourself, no one else will. If you feel that you are not capable of doing something, then you will probably find it a task. Do your utmost and you will succeed.

This is my credo that I cherish. I believe each person should contain at least a small amount of each faith in order to have a successful life.

The Well-Prepared Teacher

A great responsibility is placed upon educators of today. They are teaching a group of young people who are growing up in a world in which they are faced with many problems - the great contest of scientific advancement, the threat of possible war, and, in general, growing up in a world that is rapidly progressing. The teacher's duty is to help these young people develop an adequate personality, academically and socially, in order that they may accept and face these problems successfully.

In order to complete this task successfully, the teacher must be well-prepared. Much of this preparatory material is derived from a formal college education — this would include the actual material being taught, facts, processes, and the like. Granted, this academic knowledge is a necessity, but there is much more involved, something which many teachers, too many, overlook - the teacher's personal touch, and genuine interest in her students and subject matter. No student enjoys a subject which is being taught with a poor approach for there is no incentive. The teacher must find a road which will be the most direct and effective in reaching her students. This is not an easy task to accomplish, but successful instruction hinges upon this ability to communicate ideas effectively. The other aspect to which I referred is the teacher's personal touch and awareness of the need for giving of herself. She must be aware of changes in method which will be helpful and be ready to accept and incorporate them in her planning. Outside personal problems should not alter her teaching attitude; this is difficult and is achieved only through self-discipline. The teacher should develop the students' confidence in her as an instructor, a giver of information, and,

The faculty watches them as recipients of the knowledge to which they are now exposed. Their actions and reactions are observed capacity. closely and carefully.

The administration watches them with a view to the future. They are visualized as future teachers.

These future teachers indeed are off to a good start. The Freshman Class combines vigor, enthusiasm and sparkle with responsibility, wisdom and maturity, qualities which were exemplified on December 3 in their production, "It's A Women's West." Here, the class exhibited unity in action and spirit. Lesley will continue to watch her freshmen with the pride the class has earned. Keep it up, Class of 1963, and you will truly be outstanding.

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United Fund Thanks

On behalf of the United Fund Campaign of Greater Boston, I wish to express gratitude to the faculty, administration, maintenance staff, and Student Government of Lesley College for their interest in and active support of the recent campaign.

It is my pleasant duty to report that the total contribution from the college was \$611.00.

LESLEY COLLEGE LANTERN



We were sitting around a table at an informal Student Government Council meeting making the usual complaints. Something had to be done about this situation. That condition just had to be rectified. It was a healthy kind of debate.

The desire to defend what you believe in is too often squelched by others who fear the individual is nothing more than a "rebel-causer". Perhaps the girl really has a point worth considering. On the other hand, a "Mary, Mary quite contrary" who insists on disagreeing with every issue, certainly does not contribute to improvement or progress.

We of your Student Government would like to hear your complaints and constructive suggestions. Coming to S.G.C. does not mean that a solution to your problem can be found immediately. With time and group cooperation, however, most of these problems can be resolved.

The girl who does her complaining to the man down at Bence's, the neighbors happy Christmas season with our hopes across the street, or her girlfriend at Wheelock, neither helps to solve the problem at hand nor strengthens the reputation of our college.

S.G.C. would like to encourage your wareness and concern for situations that perhaps leave something to be desired. An apathetic student body is not our desire. Please continue to contribute your thoughts and suggestions. Come to your Student Government meetings they are all open, you know. But try to keep things in the proper perspective. Your pet peeve may be significant to you, and certainly you are encouraged to express your views on it. When working with a large group, however, it is necessary to gear your goals to the group as a whole.

May we take this time to wish all of our friends at Lesley College a most for a wonderful year to come.

> Sincerely, Your S.G.C.

Music Teacher Extraordinaire

by Dolly Draghetti

in Cambridge where she studied piano with Marjorie Church Cherkassky. Miss Salomon received the "German Government Grant or "Adenauer Grant", which is a fellowship to Germany. She received this for 1958-59 and lived in Berlin for that time. This fellowship is given to Americans out of gratitude for our help in the reconstruction of Germany. While in Germany, Miss Salomon gave a Berlin concert debut in the Berlin AMERIKA HAUS. She also gave a concert on American Sector (RIAS), radio, Berlin.



Trudi Salomon

Emerald Key News Pinned:

Four members of Emerald Key pre-sented a panel on "What is College Really Like" for the senior girls of North

Previous to the fellowship, Miss Salomon, was a soloist with the Boston Pops Orchestra, Arthur Feilder conducting. She also did solo performances with Boston Civic Symphony. Her other solo programs include several at Lesley College and radio and television performances

Miss Salomon set up our piano program four years ago, at a time when, without the facilities we have now, she gave her time and energy freely to establish a basic piano program to meet the needs of our Lesley Students. Her success is obvious. We are proud of her for having earned the Adenauer Grant and grateful for all she has done for our college. We wish her success in her career as a concert pianist.

Best Mishes

Betty-Rose Altman, '61 to Stanley Leibo, University of Vermont Grad-School.

Jacki Bartha, '61 to Hesh Siegel. Har

a Jaculty Jootlight

Mrs. Betty Donahoe

Mrs. Donahoe is Lesley's charming addition as an instructor of Language Arts, and Orientation to Education. Mrs. Donahoe graduated from the University of Washington and has previously taught in Bellview, Washington, and Newton. While teaching first grade in Newton, she first heard of Lesley through the student teacher in her classroom - from Lesley, of course. Mrs. Donahoe admits her student teacher was very good for our public relations.



Mrs. Donahoe is very proud of her family — her husband, a third year Harvard Law Student, and her eight-year old and seven-months old sons. Michael, her oldest boy, is a third-grade student at Lesley-Ellis. Between family and teaching, Mrs. Donahoe finds little time for much recreation. Once she read avidly but now there just simply aren't enough hours in the day.

How does Mrs. Donahoe like Lesley? The best thing, she believes, is the wonderful amount of opportunity our girls have for student teaching. She find Lesley well-planned if you know teaching is for you.

Mrs. Donahoe

There is no royal road to learning; no short cut to the acquirement of any valuable art. - Anthony Trollope.

The Christmas Spirit

by Sally Galway

Tonsillectomy, appendectomy, broken legs, pneumonia, mumps! Miss Salomon is a graduate of the Longy School of Music here I've heard about your maladies before. Now listen while I tell you about one of mine. It was the worst disease I ever contacted. It's called the Christmas Spirit.

> The Christmas Spirit is an extremely see cute gifts to purchase for our dormcommunicable disease, yet no one is quarantined when the disease breaks out. In fact, everyone is as anxious to "catch" dance. A carton of matches for another. it as a school boy is to catch a cold be- On and on it went. We flew from store fore an exam. The symptoms of the disease are very odd indeed. They are different in each individual yet strangely enough the disease is easy to recognize. Everyone who has "caught" it wears a smile. December is the one time of the year that it lurks around. However, this disease has a great peculiarity - One must give it to another before he has it himself. I know a great deal about this disease, for I had a very bad case of it last year.

It was the middle of December when my best friend and I took the bus downtown in quest of unusual, inexpensive, meaningful gifts. We were shoved and jostled into and out of stores of every size and description. Nothing we saw pleased us enough to warrant purchasing. It certainly was discouraging.

In desperation we edged into the fiveand-dime store in search of stocking presents. To the strains of the "Chipmunk Song" we walked down the aisles and around the store lazily looking over shoulders at the displays. With every tick of the clock we became more depressed. Tiny children were looking at pressed. Tiny children were looking at the dolls and trucks and other toys with really bad case. I hope that I catch it

to store finding unbelievably funny or unusually practical little things for the nine other girls in our close circle of friends.

After bundling our way back to the dorm we hid the packages in the closet. We then ransacked our friends' rooms for boots to use in place of the traditional stocking. We smuggled them into my room and locked the door behind us.

The tangerines which permeated the closet were carefully placed in the toe of the boot, covering a shiny new penny. We added the personal gifts after that and then at the very top was a special poem for each girl.

Everything was in place. The boots were lined up in a long row - eleven in all. (We each filled one for the other.) We carried them into tea time (our nightly half-hour break) and parceled them out to the surprised recipients.

This is how I caught the Christmas Spirit. It was a very severe case and got worse as I played "secret Santa", shopped at home, listened to carols, wrapped gifts, trimmed the tree, went to church;

Andover High School, on Tuesday vard Grad., '60. morning, December 1.

Helen Murphy, Gail Roberts, Irene Scimone, and Christine Teeven discussed

all aspects of college life from courses to clothes.

The audience and the Guidance Director invited Emerald Key to return in the spring for a "repeat".

The Emerald Key Honor Society announces the election of three new members:

> Mary Laid, '61 Barbara Streiferd, '61 Naomi Belson, '62

Emerald Key wishes to extend its Congratualtions.

Mary Garvey, '62 to Russell Gullotti, Boston College, '61.

Joyce Marshall, '61 to Dick Snyder, Babson Institute, '60.

Edwina Owens, '60 to Al Badger, '60, Southern Conn. State College.

Engaged:

Fran Cooperman, '60 to Bob Toborowsky, Medical College of Virginia, '62. Evelyn Dunne, '61 to Tom Forti, Northeastern.

Arleen Wilson, '62 to Allan Wiggetman, Mass. College of Pharmacy, '61. Carole Kenler, '61 to David S. Papermaster, Harvard Medical School, '63.

mas tree and, I dare say, coming in a

close second to the star of Bethlehem. The tots' rosy cheeks burned with excitement and ecstasy. Mittened hands fondled shiny toys. Mothers signaled to work-weary salesgirls who knew only too well that it was the cue to wrap a gift and slip it over the counter when the child turned his back. We were not a part of the scene. We were at the stage in life when we were neither ecstatic nor secretive when Christmas was approaching. We were just present shopping because it was Christmas.

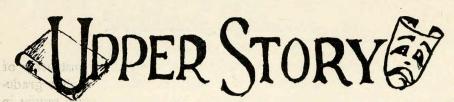
We stared at each other for a moment and our eyes told one another that we too could help Santa this year. After elbowing our way to the counter we began to

their dazzling eyes outshining any Christ- this year and in doing so give it to you, and you, and even YOU!

Christmas

She bore Him with little pain in a stable of wood and loneliness save for beasts and angels.

With her milk She gave Him life to grow among kings and men to watch Him die with loneliness on a cross of wood nanci giobbe '60 december



by Mary Laird

"I am sketching Judaism for those who want to know about it, whatever the source of their curiosity. We will not part company over our theories about the mystery. The light of this faith has burned longer than any other."



Judy Gaines, soloist in the Christmas Glee Club Productions

Were You There?

Were you there on December 3? If you were, I'm certain you liked what you saw. It was the Freshman Show presented by none other than the freshman class. The theme of this production was the 'West" as seen through the eyes of a woman. Of course, parts of it were greatly exaggerated but that seems to be one of the idiosyncracies of the female species. With the helpful direction of Pat Field, with the guidance of our Freshman leader, Gerri Milhender, and with the cooperation of the freshman girls this show was produced with a great deal of catchy enthusiasm. There was some delightful entertainment in the form of singing and dancing which definitely added to the performance, and everyone was dressed up in their best (traditional) cowboy outfits. The general opinion — the show was a hit! Congratulations, freshman, you scored your first success.

The right path of a virtuous and noble education [is] laborious, indeed, at the first ascent, but else so smooth, so green, so full of goodly prospect and melodious sounds on every side that the Harp of Orpheus was not more charming.

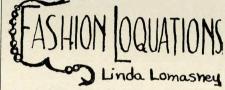
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The Jewish religion and Jewish customs have long been a mystery to Western culture. Herman Wouk has opened a door of this mystery to reveal fascinating and vital facts about Judaism. The basic beliefs of Judaism concerning religion, love, marriage, birth, death, and law are presented with clarity, and a per-

sonal note which sparks the facts. The author vividly relates the history, the information, and modern interpretations of each topic with which he deals. Fascinating explanations are given of the rites, the festivals, the Sabbath, and the symbols of Judaism. He describes the religion from ancient biblical times through modern day movements, and into the new Israel.

From a Christian reader's viewpoint I found This is My God a host of revealing facts, which gave me an insight about Judaism. The reading was satisfying, informative, and broadening.



You Say You're Going Skiing

What could be more startling than bright colors whizzing by a thrilling white snow covered background? Ski fashions this year are devoid of the conventional navy or black pants and pastel or white jackets. Thick knitted and furry wools are shown in earthy colors. The tunic is more popular than ever and ski jackets and sweaters are following this style in beautiful color combinations. Some sweaters hang below the hips and can be worn belted if desired.

The very newest color is lime. Pictured in this month's Mademoiselle are lime-colored stretch pants worn with an imported print poplin parka which has a hood convertible to a collar and a de-tachable belt with a "fanny bag". The Swedish hand knit sweater is ever popular and shown in plum and orange combination worn with plum stretch pants. Belted tunics, beautiful colors, white, white snow — how can you miss? You'll - John Milton. look good even when you're stumbling

ORGANIZATION OF THE MONTH

I.R.C. Urges You To Think!

In the light of increasing world tensions, we are hardly justified to sit back and watch the world go by. The lackadaisical attitude toward world affairs attributed to young ladies of our Grandmother's day has no place in the world in which we live today. Being college women we have raised ourselves to an intellectual plateau and must proceed upward, ever increasing and broadening our horizons. Our contributions to the solving of seemingly irreparable world problems are necessary and vital if our country and our world are to obtain a peaceful "co - existence."

"Co-existence" should mean a sharing with, not a tolerance for. It implies understanding, and understanding accompanies knowledge. Knowledge of world affairs is not difficult to obtain; it can come from television, radio, newspapers, and magazines. The difficulty often lies in the interpretation of these 'tidbits" of news and the sifting of the vital from the less vital items.

In interpreting these items correctly we must view each situation separately We cannot lift a Chinese person out from his environment and set him in our way of life and judge him according to our standards. He has his own code of mores passed down to him by his predecessors; his economic and social standards vary considerably from our own. The whole world of people differ in this respect but by the fact that they are all people with problems they have a common bond with all nations.

Through I.R.C. we attempt to discuss these problems common to all nations. Through discussion and the exchange of ideas we become aware. This awareness is the key to the future, because when we are aware we are thinking; and thinking people are the hope for a bright future

Modern Dance Presents

Diane Burke, the instructor of the Modern Dance Club, is a senior at the Boston Conservatory of Music where she studies modern, ballet, folk dance, composition, and pedagogy. When she graduates, she will be qualified as a performer, teacher, and choreographer.

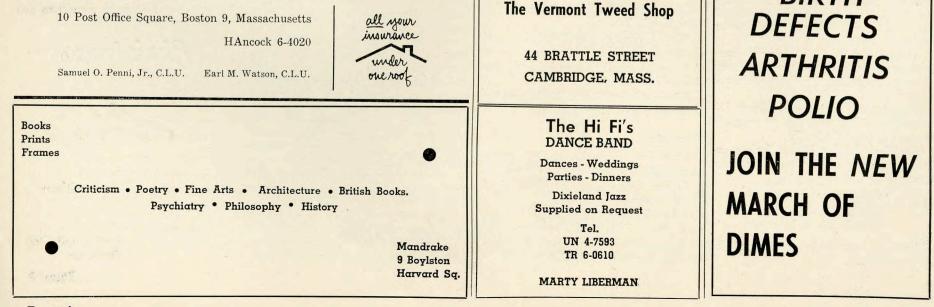
Miss Burke is originally from Long Island where she studied locally for four years with Charles Wideman and the Ballet Arts School. Her enthusiasm and friendliness has aroused much spirit in the group.

On January 12 the Dance Club, under the guidance of Miss Burke, will present to you a "model class". Do come and witness at that time the result of "that noise and commotion" heard under the library on Monday nights.

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WHAT CATHOLICS BELIEVE

by Marjorie MacKay

The Catholic Religion was the first organized church based upon Christianity which was founded by Jesus Christ. "Catholicity is the religion of the whole, a religion in perfect accord with man in all his variety as well as in his unity. 'To understand the Catholic religion we must first quell a few of the existing falsehoods that are repeated by people who do not know the religion. One of the most misunderstood

is the only true faith. The reason for the person may be forgiven any sins he this belief is as follows: Catholics find may have committed since his last conit tragic that there are so many different fession. Holy Orders is the sacrament religions, and it is not logical to the through which men receive the power Catholic that they are all equally true. Catholics believe that Christ, the Son of God, founded the Church and promised to remain with it forever. However, "Catholics do not mean that they alone are the children of God, or that only Catholics are righteous and God-fearing.Nor do Catholics believe that only Catholics go to Heaven. Pope Pius IX wrote: 'It is to be held as of faith that none can be saved outside the Apostolic Roman Church ... but, nevertheless, it is equally certain that those who are ignorant of the true religion, if that ignorance is invincible, will not be held guilty in the eyes of the Lord.' Catholics believe that in the sight of God, all who love Him and sincerely desire to do His will are related in some way to the Church which His Son founded and so can be saved." ²Another disputed point is on the infallibility of the Pope. Catholics believe that the Pope is the successor of Saint Peter, the Apostle that Christ left as the head of the Church. Therefore, the Pope is infallible in doctrines of Faith and Morals. "Catholics believe that when Christ made Peter the foundation of His imperishable Church he founded the Papacy"3

"The Catholic Church claims four distinctive marks: it is one, holy, catholic, and apostolic." "By one, we mean in doctrine, authority, and worship; by holy we mean that in perfect observance of its teachings one is led inevitably to sanctity; by catholic, we mean that its teachings are unchanging; by apostolic, we mean that it began with the Apostles and carries the message of Christ to all. The Church exists throughout the world, it teaches universally, it cures and heals every kind of sin and possesses every kind of virtue."

Christ came to earth to redeem the and wine. The Mass is said in Latin. To sum up the Catholic Religion, I sins of man. He established the Church and instituted the Seven Sacraments. much. give the following which is known as the Apostles Creed. It signifies the Be-The sacraments are considered gifts from God. "A sacrament is an outward sign instituted by Christ to give grace." The liefs of Catholics which I have explained ard Room. Seven Sacraments are Baptism, Confirmaabove, and also signifies and is the creed of most Christian religions. Following tion, Holy Eucharist, Penance, Exthe Apostles Creed is a listing of a few treme Unction, Holy Orders, and Mat-GLOOM texts that might interest those who wish rimony. To receive a sacrament one to find out more about the Catholic remust have the proper intention or will ligion. Because of the limited space Rain comes dripping to receive it. Baptism is the first sacrament received and must be received allowed for this article, I could only briefly cover some of the points that I Day of all its light; before any other sacrament can be vathought might help non-Catholics in un-Sun is hidden lidly received. Baptism is the sacrament derstanding the Catholic Religion. that gives the soul the new life of sanctifying grace by which one becomes the THE APOSTLES CREED child of God and heir to heaven. Bap-Sidewalks coated I Believe in God, the Father Almighty, tism takes away Original sin. It can Creator of heaven and earth; and in be administered by anyone in case of an Iesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Water everywhere; emergency, but is usually administered People stumbling by a priest. Confirmation is the sacraborn of the Virgin Mary, suffered unment through which we receive the der Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, Holy Ghost and are thereby enabled to and was buried. He descended into hell; become strong and perfect Christians and Small dog running on the third day He arose again from soldiers of Jesus Christ. Holy Eucharist the dead; He ascended into heaven. Sitis a sacrament and a sacrifice. Christ Puddles in his way; teth at the right hand of God, the Fainstituted the Holy Eucharist at the ther Almighty; from thence He shall I get dreary Last Supper. In the Holy Eucharist, come to judge the living and the dead. Christ is received under the appearances I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Holy Tired of this day. of Bread and Wine. Penance raises the Catholic Church, the communion of soul from death to supernatural life. saints, the forgiveness of sins, the res-The priest has the power from Jesus urrection of the body and life everlast-Christ to forgive sins. Only God can ing. forgive sins, but the priest is the representative of God and, therefore, can I. Hallett, What is Catholicity? page 4. Cogley, page 4. 5. Hallett, page 29. forgive sins because God has given him 250 the power to do so. Extreme Unction 2. Cogley, What is a Catholic? page 1 is the sacrament which is administered 3. Stuber, Primer on Roman Catholic- Why

concepts of the Catholic religion is the to a person when he is in danger of idea that Catholics believe that theirs death. It is administered in order that to perform the sacred duties of the ministers of the Church. Matrimony is the sacrament by which a baptized man and a baptized woman bind themselves for life in a lawful marriage and receive the grace to discharge their duties.

While explaining the sacraments in the previous paragraph I mentioned sin. In the Catholic religion, there are two types of sins, Original ---inherited from Adam, and Actual-any willful thought, desire, word, action, or omission forbidden by the law of God. There are two kinds of actual sin, mortal and venial. Mortal sin is more serious than venial sin. I also mentioned confession. The Catholic goes to Confession to tell the priest of the sins he had committed against God. The priest listens, and, if he feels that the person is truly sorry for his sins, he forgives the sinner in the Name of the Father, Son, and the Holy Ghost. These three divine persons make up the Blessed Trinity. The Catholic believes that there is one God, but that in this God, there are three Divine Persons: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost.

The Mass is the central act of worship in the Catholic Church. It must be celebrated by a priest or a bishop. The Mass really consists of two services. The first is called the "Mass of the Catechumens" because during the early centuries of Christianity, people under instruction but not yet Baptized, were permitted to be present at this service, but were not allowed at the Eucharistic service. The second service is known as the "Mass of the Faithful," because only the Baptized were allowed to assist. The Mass is the sacrifice of the New Law in which Christ, through the priest, offers Himself to God in an unbloody manner under the appearances of bread



ALUMNAE NEWS

The Lesley Alumnae Association held its third meeting, Tuesday, December 1, in the Lesley Wolfard Room. Georgia Louras presided due to the absence of Natalie Haas.

Plans were discussed for the Alumnae Fashion Show, the tentative date being Saturday, February 6, in White Hall Lounge. Maureen Green Stone and Ann Eaton are co-chairman of the event.

April 30 was set as the date for the Annual Alumnae Dinner. Plans are still impending for this event.

In honor of the first Dean of Lesley, Miss Gertrude Mallock, a social evening with Miss Mallock will be held on February 9. She was presented with an honorary doctorate degree from Lesley last June and was awarded a lifelong membership to the Lesley College this energy can speed up production in Alumnae Association this year.

In co-ordination with increasing alumnae support, the board plans to meet has been used in most cases as a destrucwith former Lesley Graduates in various areas to organize branches to strengthen the support of our college. Each year at this time we hear from former Lesley students. One of the alumnae board members, Mary Louise Hood, is in El Luthera in the Bahamas where she is teaching in a private school. She is teaching all eight grades consisting of 22 children, and enjoying it very

The next date for the board meeting will be January 12, at 7:30 in the Wolf-

slowly stripping clouds unbidden Shield the sky from sight. puddles bloated wetly grumbling About the rain-filled air. jumps with cunning feeling weary - Judith Kimball '63 ism for Protestants, page 41 Brunini, What Catholics Believe and



"IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THERE CAN BE, AND PROB-ABLY HAS BEEN, A RETRO-GRESSION OF THE SPE-CIES." The plausibility of the idea of man reaching his zenith and then declining to a primitive point is not as incredible as people believe. This can be realized by examining different aspects such as atomic energy and the constant development of new drugs.

Man has not yet learned to channel his energies into useful materials. With the advent of atomic energy a new era has been inaugurated. Peaceful uses of manufacture and facilitate transportation. So far, however, atomic energy tive measure and as a powerful threat to aggressive nations. There now exists a bomb that could destroy the world; the trigger is cocked - one foolish move could fire this annihilating gun. With all the present skirmishes the possibility is not remote.

Atomic-run cities have been predicted for the future. Sidewalks may run on conveyor belt style. Man will not have to exert himself in any way. This means insufficient exercise will cause a superfluous amount of tissue. New diseases may develop from this condition. Not only physical laziness, but also mental lethargy may develop. Machines still continue to be invented that will replace man's brain entirely.

Could other scientific developments such as drugs play an important part in possible retrogression? As the world becomes more dependent on science for survival, people in turn may depend on drugs for every minor ailment. After a period of time the same drug may be used so profusely that the receiver may be-come immune. Therefore, new compounds will have to be devised at astonishing rates. Sources of these compounds may become extinct. Man's system may have become so adapted to the use of drugs that without them muscles, organs, blood, and tissues may weaken causing physical deterioration. Has man developed too quickly? Perhaps he is ignorant of the fact that his advancements are being made without thought of long-range results. If there were to be a full scale war now with the power man now possesses, humans might find themselves in the stone age - that is if the world is not completely destroved. If man could retrogress now because of his lack of maturity to handle his scientific wealth is it not possible he has done so before?



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