

Crowning of Fontbonne Queen Highlights Annual Homecoming

The crowning of a queen from the threesome nominated by the senior class on September 28 will highlight the dance for the first night of Fontbonne's Annual Homecoming, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 4-5. These three seniors are Jacqueline Dawson, Joyce Maret, and Patricia Saito. Voting for the Homecoming Queen will be done the night of the college dance, Friday, Nov. 4, by writing the name of the candidate on the back of the admission ticket. These sell for \$2.00. The dancing will be in Medaille Hall from 9 to 12 p. m.

Seniors

Jacqueline Dawson is a chemistry major and lives in Arlington, Virginia. She is a graduate of Shortridge High School in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Joyce Maret, the president of the Pius X Club, lives in St. Louis. Her high school alma mater is Ursuline Academy.

Patricia Saito hails from Honolulu, Hawaii, and graduated from McKinley High School there. She came to Fontbonne after spending some time at the University of Hawaii.

The queen and her special maids, which the two candidates now

elected automatically become, will be joined in the royal court by a representative of each class. The junior class represented by Sally Joedicke; the sophomore class representative is Mary Ann Hollman; and the freshman class representative is Lynne Lockhart.

Formal Attire

The queen and her court will be formally attired, and all other girls are to wear dressy, street-length clothes.

The senior class has formed five committees for the dance, headed as follows: orchestra, Marietta Grob; publicity, Anita Thebeau; refreshments, Charlene Burkhardt; tickets, Dorothy Ensenberger; clean up, Pat Saito.

The dance is only one feature of the annual homecoming. Afternoon and evening festivities Saturday will include booths from 2 to 9 p. m. sponsored by each class and a dinner to be held in the cafeteria from 4:30 to 8 p. m. A dance will be given by the alumnae Saturday evening in Medaille Hall with music by Carl Rossow and his orchestra. Tickets will be sold in advance at \$1.50 per couple for students and \$2.00 for general admission.



Homecoming Candidates. One of the seniors will reign as Queen the last night of the annual Homecoming, Nov. 4-5. Left to right: Joyce Maret, senior; Sally Joedicke, junior; Patricia Saito, senior; Lynn Lockhart, freshman; Jacqueline Dawson, senior; Mary Anne Hollman, sophomore.

Honors For Freedom

Freshman Judith Foshier will leave by plane Nov. 18 for Europe. Winner of the National Save-the-Children Federation Christmas Doll contest sponsored by the magazine, *Seventeen*, she will distribute dolls made by other contestants to underprivileged children of Europe.

Faculty Changes, New Courses And Improvements

Students of Fontbonne College are being greeted by many new faces on the faculty as they return to school this fall. Heading the list of changes is Sister Marie Stephanie Stueber, an alumna of both St. Joseph's Academy and Fontbonne College, who is now the Dean of Studies. Sister Stephanie is also conducting a Freshman Orientation class. She holds a Ph.D. from St. Louis University. Sister Stephanie replaces Sister Teresa Martin Crowe, who was dean for the past five years, and is now Superior of the community at the new St. Joseph's Academy, Frontenac.

Other new faculty members are Sister Anne Edward Quinn, M.A., as registrar. Sister Ellen Mary, former registrar, and Sister Anne Edward exchanged places, for Sister Ellen Mary is now teaching typing and shorthand at St. Joseph's Academy. Sister Margaret Anne McLinden, who received her B.A. from De Paul University, is in charge of the pre-school department; Miss Rosemarie Archangel, (Continued on page 3, column 1)

Catholic Youth Week Begins Sunday, Oct. 30

The opening day of Catholic Youth Week, 1955, has been designated National Catholic Youth Communion Sunday. On that Sunday every Catholic youth in America is asked to receive Holy Communion in honor of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, the Mother of Purity, and the Queen of All Youth.

It is hoped that every Youth Council, CYO, elementary school, high school, and college will prepare in advance, and endeavor to have every one of its youths attend Communion on National Catholic Youth Communion Sunday, Oct. 30, 1955. Last year it was conservatively estimated that 3,000,000 youth received Communion the first National Communion Sunday. Its success this year depends on the leaders of youth and on the youth themselves.

National Catholic Youth Communion Sunday has become an integral part of the National Catholic Youth Week observance. It is held (Continued on page 4, column 5)

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Fontbonne Celebrates Annual College Day Tomorrow, Feast of St. Teresa, Who Is Patroness of Sisters of St. Joseph

Among the most favored traditions at Fontbonne is the annual College Day, the Feast of St. Teresa of Avila, to be celebrated tomorrow. The occasion contrasts the serious with the lighter side of campus life. The commemoration of the founding of the congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph in Le Puy, France in 1648, by the Rev. John Peter Medaille, S.J., and the formal introduction into college life of the freshman class are the reasons for the celebration.

Co-chairmen of the day, the thirty-second since it was first celebrated at Carondelet, are Jeanne Klemeyer and Margaret Cinnater, who were appointed by the Student Council. Dr. William Van Tass of the sociology and economics department, will again be grand marshal for the procession. Investing the freshmen in cap and gown will be the following officers of the Student Government: JoAnn Smith, Amy Rossie, Joan Murphy, and Catherine Hennigan; senior class officers: Mary Ann Brys, Dorothy Ensenberger, Carol Von Hoffmann, and Mary Toenjes.

Highlighting events of the day will be the celebration of High Mass in St. Joseph's Chapel, Ryan Hall, an academic procession, luncheon, class skits, and the decorated car parade to Carondelet.

Speaker

The Rev. Donald E. Sullivan, assistant pastor of Sts. Mary and Joseph's Church, will be the celebrant of the Mass. Immediately after Mass, four students, Mary Virginia Galleano, Margaret Brendecke, Carol Ries, and Virginia Gunn, elected by the sodality, will place a bouquet of flowers on the altar of St. Joseph.

After Mass, orange juice and donuts will be served in the den. The girls will then decorate their cars. Following this, luncheon will be served in the cafeteria. The first

event after lunch is the original class skits. "Nursery Rhymes" is the theme this year for both skits and car decorations. Finally, the singing of the class songs and then the spirited parade to Carondelet follows.

These Fontbonne students will visit with friends in the novitiate at St. Joseph's Motherhouse, Carondelet, and participate at Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 4:00 p. m. After Benediction the cars will start for home. Then in the evening at 7:45 o'clock, NFCCS

will sponsor a movie in technicolor, *Captain from Castile*, starring Tyrone Power. Admission will be fifty cents. A social hour will follow.

The following are the directives for College Day:

TIME OF ASSEMBLING: 8:20 a. m.

(A) Religious faculty and women of lay faculty: Ryan Hall, Blue Parlor.

(B) Men of lay faculty: Council Room, Ryan Hall.

(C) Students: Sisters, Red Parlor, R. (Continued on Page 3, column 4)



Picture Taken at Carondelet of Rev. Mother Eucharista, Superior General of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet, and three Sisters who will spend this year in Rome at the Regina Mundi College. From left to right: Sister John Marie, of the Fontbonne faculty; Rev. Mother Eucharista; Sister Cyril Clare Casey, St. Joseph's Juniorate, St. Paul, Minn.; Sister Rose de Lima, Mount St. Mary College, Los Angeles, Calif.

B. Neuf and M. A. Heitzig Have Leads in "Red Mill" Nov. 18-20

The romance and charm of the old world will be transplanted to Fontbonne's auditorium next month in the student production, *The Red Mill*. Mixed with this charm is the always ludicrous situation of Americans abroad. Add to this situation the light and sentimental music of Victor Herbert and Nov. 18, 19, and 20 become dates to mark on your calendar.

At the sign of the Red Mill, our adventures in Holland begin. Connie, played by Mary Ann Heitzig, and Kid, played by Robert Winkler, become stranded at a small inn. They are a brother-and-sister singing-and-dancing act who are currently unemployed. While attempting to escape paying their bill, they are caught by the Burgomaster. Threatened with imprisonment, they agree to work out their indebtedness.

The Burgomaster's daughter, Gretchen, played by Betty Ann Neuf, is being forced into a distasteful marriage by her father. Connie and Kid contrive to save her and to help her elope with her real lover, Captain Carl Van Damm, played by Robert Seullin. The Burgomaster learns of their scheme and locks his daughter up in the Red Mill, but to his dismay she is stolen away by Connie and Kid. This almost creates an international incident as the Burgomaster even wires the Hague for the famous detectives, Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Watson. The wire is inter-

cepted by Connie and Kid and they soon arrive at the home of the Burgomaster, disguised as the famous pair. They then resolve all problems by having the Burgomaster arrested and Gretchen restored to her lover.

Curtain time is at 8:15 p. m., and the admission price is \$1.25. The Student Association is the sponsor.

Fontbonne on TV Channel 9 Friday

Joy Pivaronas, as a delegate from China, and Catherine Hennigan, a Belgian representative, will represent Fontbonne at a model session of the Security Council of the United Nations. All the colleges and universities in the Greater St. Louis area are participating in this program which will be televised on Channel 9 on Friday, Oct. 21. See your newspaper for exact time.

The Center Has Lively Lectures

Fontbonne students are invited to the weekly Wednesday lectures at the Center, 3559 Lindell Blvd., beginning at 8:15 p. m. Next Wednesday's lecturer will be Rev. Aloisius Wilmes, secretary of the National Liturgical Conference. Father Wilmes, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, Elsberry, Mo., will report on the convention held at Worcester, Mass., last August, with the aid of tape recordings. (Continued on page 4, column 4)

MAGNET

Alias Mick

We are very happy to present to you the first installment of that column that draws people to it (dum-da-dum-dum) **MAGNET**.

But first let me introduce myself. I am **MAGNET**. But I am not just any ordinary old everyday magnet. I don't like to be concealed, but I am quite special. For you see, besides the usual talent of species for drawing little metallic objects to myself, I also have a special antenna. With this special equipment I pick up all the funny little happenings, sayings, and other assorted bits of wit that go on about me. I draw them in and then my assistant sorts them and files them away.

You may not have noticed me, but I've been around Fontbonne for the past few weeks. I tell you I was just overwhelmed. There are so many clever, witty people around here. I drew in so many "funnies" the first day I was "nearly smothered." After that I was careful to go out only for a short while at a time. Once, however, I did get myself into a dangerous spot. Unknowingly I got too near Teresa Conway. It was horrible. I barely escaped with my life. My assistant spent three hours just pulling the "funnies" off me. Then I had to hire two extra assistants to help with the sorting and filing. We expect to be finished by next month, at which time we hope to publish a completed work of Teresa's "funnies." I believe seven-teen volumes should do it.

While in my office this afternoon, the thought struck me that you might be interested in hearing some of the dillies I have collected. Here are a couple I picked at random from my files.

Anonymous: My mother gets so angry when I wash my hair with a cold.

Barbara Kribs: Why don't you try using water?

I realize that this isn't particularly funny, but Barb pays me for every time I mention her name.

Then there is the little boy in the nursery who climbs to the top of the slide every day when orange or tomato juice is served and coolly announces, "I'll have my cocktail here."

Incidentally, while out picking up witticisms, as is my nature, I also picked up a few other things. So if anyone has lost a green and silver fountain pen, or two safety pins, or a belt with a metal buckle, please come and get them off me. I hate being stuck up. Teehee. (This is a laugh??) I made a "funnie" myself. I must run quickly and file it.

Until we meet again, I leave you with these profitable words—

Barbara Kribs
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Barbara Kribs, etc.

*Ed. Note: And last.

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Clubs Release News of Plans And Projects for Year by Sponsoring Trips and Reorganizing

Sociality

Meeting: Every Friday at 1:30.
Prefect, Rosalie Millman; Vice-Prefect, Ann Powers; Secretary, Carol Brouillette; Moderator, Sister Rose Genevieve.

During this semester, the Sociality will sponsor with all the other socialities in St. Louis a Fall Festival, a dance with a carnival effect. Candidates from all the school socialities will participate in a coronation. Last year's queen, Rosalie Millman, was from Fontbonne.

The main project of the first semester is the "Marion Day", which takes place on the Sunday that is the nearest to Dec. 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. On this day all St. Louis socialities are invited to come to Fontbonne to spend the day discussing Mary, the Queen of Heaven, and her virtues.

In the second semester, the Sociality sponsors the annual St. Pat's dance on March 17, and May Day.

Catholic Students Mission Crusade

Meeting: First Monday.
President, Jacquelyn Heinrichs; Vice President, Marilyn Robertson; Secretary-Treasurer, Virginia Pierce; Moderator, Sister Agnes Cecile.

Mission pledges are the main project for the year. Ash Wednesday, Rev. Glennon P. Flavin will speak on the missions, and each girl will be asked to sacrifice an amount of money during Lent. This money, which totaled \$600 last year, is for the Propagation of the Faith.

At each meeting, the president announces the intention of the month which is brought to the attention of the student body by posters. The intention for the month of October is: "Workers and support for the missions of Africa."

Religious articles for a young Chinese missionary priest will be collected. All students are asked to give their support to this project.

Throughout the year the club will aid the missions by collecting stamps, old clothes, and magazines.

St. Pius X

Meeting: First Monday.
A study club now undergoing reorganization is St. Pius X. This year's theme is: "The Three Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist."

All students are invited to attend the discussions on the Mass which are held at 12 noon Friday in the recital room in Fine Arts. Moderator: Sister Ann Virginia.

Legion of Mary

Meeting: Every Monday at 6:45.
President, Jeanne Klemeyer; Vice President, Margaret Mary Wathen; Secretary, Carol Brouillette; Treasurer, Joanne DeGroot; Moderator, Sister Teresine.

Sanctification of one's self and the service of the neighbor is the dual purpose of the Legion of Mary.

The work of the group consists of: (1) visiting the sick at St. Mary's Hospital, (2) working with the deaf at St. Joseph's Institute, (3) sending out circulars from St. Peter Claver Mission House, (4) visiting the poor of St. Malachy on Sunday afternoon.

National Federation of Catholic College Students

Senior Delegate, Pauline Baltz; Junior Delegate, Phyllis Schmidt; Senior Delegate, Judy Anderson; Junior Delegate, Sally Joedicke; Regional Chairman for Student Government Commission, Helen (Terry) Lauler; Moderator, Sister Teresine.

The National Congress of the NFCCS was held in Pittsburgh from Aug. 29 to Sept. 4. The theme was: "Federation of Catholic College Students and the Work of the Church."

The purpose of the NFCCS is to aid in development of co-curricular activities, to broaden social under-

standing, and to acquaint students with responsibility. The NFCCS provides a contact with Rome through which we do Formal Catholic Action. After a general meeting of the Congress, the delegates were subdivided into panels. This provided an opportunity for the different schools to share ideas. From the panel meetings, the delegates went back to Congress to bring important issues before the view of the entire Congress. Tom Reinhardt, from St. Vincent's in Latrobe, Pennsylvania, was elected president.

Some of the resolutions passed at the Congress concerned: (1) the release of Rev. Harold Rigney, who was then a prisoner of the Chinese Communists, (the news of Father Rigney's release in a later week was received joyfully by the delegates.); (2) extending its "united sympathy" to the college students in Argentina suffering under the Peron government; (3) commending Congress for placing the words "In God We Trust" on all coins.

On Oct. 12 there will be an assembly to acquaint the student body with the work of the NFCCS and the NSA.

Pauline Baltz, Phyllis Schmidt, and Helen (Terry) Lauler will attend the Fall Congress on Oct. 23 and 24 at Sacred Heart College in Wichita, Kansas.

Student Council

President, Jo Anne Smith; Vice President, Amy Rossie; Secretary, Catherine Hennigan; Treasurer, Joan Murphy; Moderator, Sister Teresine.

The Student Council is the executive senate of the Student Government Association, of which all are members. The Council sponsored the first Mixer of the year and is promoting Homecoming.

International Relations Club

Meeting: Third Monday.
Moderator: Dr. Van Tass.

The IRC, like many other clubs at this time, is now engaged in a program of reorganization. Open to all students, the club deals with subject matter of extreme importance in this atomic age. Pope Pius XII and Archbishop Ritter have exhorted women to participate actively in organizations such as the IRC.

An assembly will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 19, dealing with the 10th anniversary of the United Nations. The club is planning to have the IRC Birthday Tea after the assembly. A meeting of all students interested in world affairs will be held on Monday, Oct. 24, and officers will be elected.

Art

President, Carol Gutting; Secretary, Mary Brahm; Treasurer, Mary Ann Pugh; Moderator, Miss Troemel.

On Oct. 18 the club plans to visit the Egyptian room of the Art Museum. Trips to Emil Frei, Incorporated, are scheduled for November. The stain glass windows of Medaille Hall were done by this firm. In December the main project will be to make Christmas decorations, and in January the club will view an art film.

Music Club

President, Mary Teenies; Vice President, Mary McKee; Secretary, Nancy Keefe; Treasurer, Mary Ann Stocklauner; Moderator, Sister John Joseph.

College Chorus

President, Margaret Bransford; Vice President, Gildita Ortiz; Secretary, Mary Ann Stocklauner; Librarians, Carol Brouillette, Betty Neuf; Moderator, Sister Antone.

On Nov. 27 the College Chorus has been invited to sing at the opening of the Youth Convention of the National Council of Catholic Youth, which is being held in the ballroom of the Statler Hotel.

Footlights

Meeting: Third Monday.
President, Regina McGahan; Vice

President, Margaret Quigley; Secretary, Mary Ann Brahm; Treasurer, Nancy Hines; Moderator, Miss Mullins.

The main projects of the club are to induct and initiate new members and to start on a production.

Fontbonne Athletic Association

President, Sue Kaiser; Vice President, Mary Deck; Secretary, Mary Carol Anth; Treasurer, Grace Wachtel; Moderator, Miss Archangel.

After-school sports began Oct. 4 with try-outs also on the 6th and 11th. The schedule for the volleyball varsity is:

Nov. 16-21—Webster; Dec. 2—Lindenwood, there, 7:30; Dec. 5—Harris, here, 4:45; Dec. 9—Monticello, here, 5:15; Dec. 12—Harris, at the YMHA, 5:00.

The FAA is sponsoring an overnight at Pleasant Valley. All students are invited to attend.

Home Economics

President, Mary Virginia Galliano; Vice President, Helen Leong; Secretary, Charlene Burkart; Treasurer, Grace Wachtel; Moderator, Miss Carmody.

The Home Economics Club is both a national and a local organization of college and high school students. Its purposes are to familiarize members of the club with outstanding people in the field of home economics and to develop principles of home economics, which are to make a good home and to rear children to be good citizens.

Ten per cent of the club members are eligible to receive a pin for outstanding work in the field. A record is kept of the activities of each member and the officers of the club and the faculty of the Home Economics department vote to select the recipient.

Red Cross

Meeting: First Monday.
Moderator, Sister Agnes Joseph; Chairman, Carol Von Hoffmann; Vice Chairman, Karen Lynch; Secretary, Jane Welches; Chairman of the Hospital Hostess Program, Lorraine Raffaelli; Chairman of the Club Day Booth, Josie Bogue; Chairman of Publicity, Jacqueline Beulick.

Fontbonne College Red Cross Activities welcomed 25 new members at their first meeting, Monday, Oct. 3.

Miss Mary Jo Carr, Red Cross college consultant, briefed the members on the program of the year, and brought material for the Club Day Booth.

The highlights of the Red Cross program are the trips to Scott Field, the first of which takes place on Oct. 20. Any girl interested in this program, please see Lorraine Raffaelli, chairman, who is scouting all varieties of talent, vocal, instrumental, and dancing. Transportation supplied by the Red Cross returns all girls to the campus by 10 p. m.

Students going on the Oct. 20 trip to Scott are: Judith Aydt, Mary Ann Lohmann, Judith Fosher, Dolores Lange, Kathleen Stocking, Dorothy Dehn, Jane Welches, Ann Brookover, Margaret Wathen, Justine Freeman, Catherine Commerford, JoAnn Osterhage, Jane Coffey, Jeanine Cowell, Dorothy Dalton, Marilyn Mikes, Jacqueline Beulick, Joan Kilker, Joy Blasse, Kathleen Power, Jean Grolton, Colleen Kelly, Mary Therese Kane, Lorraine Raffaelli, Noreen Lynch, Hallie Perry, Nancy Smallwood, Mary Ann Ryan, Jeaneane Maurer, Susan Miltner, Mary Ann Heitzig, Nell Thomas, Elizabeth Seip, Jeanine Skinner, Mildred Anderson, and Claire Roach.

For further information on other Red Cross Activities, see any of the officers listed above.

The Fontbonne unit of the Red Cross is a member of the St. Louis Red Cross College Council, which

Books You Will Like

For the college student weary of reading for knowledge alone, some lighter literary fare is in order, preferably something to evoke a chuckle or two. To fill this bill, Manning Coles' new books, *Brief Candles* and its sequel *Happy Returns*, are to be recommended. Mr. Coles, usually known in connection with novels of intrigue and suspense, makes an entry into a completely new field with this series.

Brief Candles and *Happy Returns* relate the hilarious escapades of two ghostly gentlemen, shot by the Prussians in 1870 at the little French village of St. Denis-sur-Aisme. Charles Latimer, a Virginian, and his English cousin James Latimer, the ghosts, return to life when their present day descendants, Sally and Jeremy Latimer, arrive at St. Denis-sur-Aisme while on a tour of the Continent. The deceased Latimers and Charles' pet monkey Ulysses, also deceased, assume their material form again and join their unsuspecting relatives on a riotous journey through Europe. The foursome, plus Ulysses, have many rib-tickling adventures before Charles, James, and Ulysses return to the little graveyard which is their home when Jeremy and Sally are not in Europe.

The books are very entertaining and cleverly written. This type of novel has been done before, as *Topper* amply testifies, but seldom has the idea been handled as well as Mr. Coles has handled it. Manning Coles has done his usual expert job, and this new series has been accorded a good reception by the general public. The books can be recommended without reservation to anyone looking for some very fine humorous reading in a lighter vein. (Carol Keane)

Nancy Haar Gives Fountain's Plans

Plans have been disclosed for the coming issue of the college literary magazine, *The Fountain*, by Nancy Haar, editor.

Just one issue will be published this year. The purpose of the magazine will be to give students with literary talent a chance to express themselves.

The hope of the staff is to produce a bigger and better edition than last year's work, which won All-Catholic Honors, the highest award to be given a college publication of this type.

Members of the staff include: Mary Ann Pugh, art director; Kathleen Byrnes, Nancy Hines, Carol Keane, Jane Young, and Mary Kane. Sister Mary Loretta is literary adviser; Miss Gertrude Troemel, art adviser.

is composed of Washington University, St. Louis University, Concordia Seminary, Harris Teachers College, Maryville, and Fontbonne. Carol Von Hoffmann and Catherine Commerford are the voting delegates on the Council from Fontbonne.

During the first week in March the Red Cross promotes a blood program. The club sponsors Red Cross International Day, the filling of Christmas stockings, and the knitting of baby sets and bed socks.

On Oct. 17, Miss Marilyn Harris, Recruitment Chairman for the Red Cross Blood Donor Program, will speak in the assembly. The rest of the program includes a movie on the Red Cross, a student panel to discuss the Red Cross Convention, an airman from Scott to speak on the monthly entertainment program. Miss Mary Jo Carr will present a pin to Carol Von Hoffmann for outstanding work.



—Jack Seitz, Photographer.

In the New Chemistry Laboratory are Sister Helen Joseph and Pauline Baltz working on research problem. Sister Helen Joseph was the recipient of a grant from the Frederick Gardner Cottrell Foundation for \$2000. Pauline is her assistant in the project.

Editor Makes Known Staff

The staff for the newspaper, *The Font*, has just been announced by the editor, Angeline Marino, who was appointed last May.

Margaret Mary Ryan will be associate editor; Nancy Hines, Marilyn Price, Joan McKenna, feature; Barbara Volk, make-up; Earlene Traub, art. JoAnne De Groot, chief photographer for the past two years, will have Loretta Kohler and Ann Feagan as assistants.

Reporters include the following: Mary Lee Kroner, Maureen Lesko, Kathleen Kavanaugh, Marilyn Trapp, Virginia Gunn, Margaret Marik, Betty Groves, Carole Boshard, Marjorie Voss, Judith Selbert, Afra Jean Leavitt, Kathleen McLaughlin, Nancy Grummell, Joan Guelker, Susan Miltner, Dolores Hritz. Sister Margaret John again is adviser.

Faculty

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M.A., a graduate of Fontbonne, becomes head of the physical education department, replacing Miss Joan Rich, who is at De Kalb College. Mr. Frank Kegel, a newcomer to St. Louis, is teaching in the classical languages and history departments. Mr. Kegel, who received his M.A. from Marquette University, replaces Sister John Marie Riley, Ph.D., now in Rome. Mrs. Rose Pollman McNamee, B.S., Fontbonne alumna, is teaching in the chemistry department. Sister Marie Charles Buford, A.B., another Fontbonne alumna, is assistant treasurer of the college.

New Look

In addition to the changes in the faculty, there is also a "new look" on campus. Because of the move of St. Joseph's Academy to its new buildings at Fontenac, the campus at Fontbonne has been provided with added space and new improvements. A new curriculum library for the education department is an addition. Also, there are three new lounges for the students since the Ryan Hall den now is one of the rooms for the nursery. The swimming pool and the cafeteria have been completely renovated. This year there are also separate offices for the Student Council, the Mothers' Club, the alumnae, and the student publications. *The Font* office has moved to larger quarters on first floor Science.

Evening Classes

Late afternoon and evening classes are now included in the curriculum. Courses offered in the Education field are: Physical Education for the Grades, High School Administration, Program Planning for Early Childhood Education and Child Development; in the English department, Contemporary Drama; in the Home Economics department, Beginning Clothing; in the Philosophy department, Logic.

Chemistry Gets \$2,000 Grant

Sister Helen Joseph Coerver, C.S.J., director of the chemistry department, has received a Frederick Gardner Cottrell grant for \$2000 for one year for original chemistry research with additional compounds.

The grant was awarded to Sister Helen Joseph, who holds a doctor of philosophy degree in chemistry from Notre Dame, on the basis of an outline submitted by her to Research Corporation of New York City.

The problem on which Sister Helen Joseph will work is entitled: "Infrared spectra studies of addition-boron trichloride, tin tetrachloride and titanium tetrachloride addition compounds." The results of her study may lead to increased knowledge of bonding in the type of compounds studied and in chemical bonding in general, she said.

In her research, Sister Helen Joseph will be assisted by Pauline Baltz, a chemistry major. They will work in a new laboratory for chemistry research equipped here at Fontbonne this year.

Club Day Has Colorful Booths In Gymnasium

Club Day was held at 11:20, Oct. 10, in the Gym. Booths representing the Home Economics Club, Mission Club, FAA, Plus X Club, Footlights Club, Red Cross, and Art Club interested freshmen and upperclassmen alike. The Student Activities Committee headed by Amy Rossie sponsored Club Day to acquaint students with the various clubs on campus.

College Press TV Conference Begins

"College Press Conference," television's only national college news forum, returned to the air on American Broadcasting Company for the fourth straight season on Oct. 9. Originated and produced by Ruth Geri Hagy, founder, director of the Philadelphia Bulletin Forum, newspaper editor and senior adviser to the United States National Student Association, the television program will be telecast on Sundays from 1 to 1:30 p. m. Eastern Daylight Time. (Some ABC stations will carry the program on a delayed basis by kinescope.)

The program features panels of four college students querying national and international leaders on political, economic, student and international affairs. In the past three years, students from over a hundred colleges and universities and thirty-eight states have had an opportunity to interview such notables as Harold Stassen, head of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, General Omar N. Bradley, and Walter Reuther.

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Students Enjoy Noted Pianist At Assembly

Mr. Theodore Ullmann, colorful and talented pianist, entertained Fontbonne during an assembly Oct. 10. Mr. Ullmann, a graduate of Columbia University chose for his program Brahms' *Rhapsody Opus 119*, *Sonata in C sharp minor Opus 27, No. 2* by Beethoven, Shostakovich's *Three Preludes from Opus 34*, *The White Peacock* by Griffes, and *Toccata* by Ravel.

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M. Grob Names Annual Staff

The staff for the 1956 Fontbonne yearbook was announced recently by Marietta Grob, this year's editor. The theme will again be a secret until the yearbook is published in the spring. Photographs have already been taken of the various classes and organizations on campus.

Assisting Marietta is Joanne De Groot in the capacity of associate editor. Marilyn Macke is the art editor. Sister Margaret John will again act as adviser.

Other staff members are: Barbara Volk, Nancy Hines, Earlene Traub, Rosemarie Terry, Mary Ann Brahm, Carol Gutting, Paula Diviney, Sister Mary David and Joan Ruthman. They will be busy for the next few months organizing and assembling the story of life on the Fontbonne campus in 1956.

Student Council meeting in their new quarters on second floor Science. Seated, left to right: Marjorie Vogt, Mary Ann Pugh, Joan Murphy, Amy Rossie, JoAnn Smith, Catherine Hennigan, Jeanne Klemeyer. Standing, left to right: Judith Anderson, Margaret Cinnater, Anne Olin, Kathleen Byrnes, Therese Grether, Pauline Baltz.



—JoAnne DeGroot, Photographer.

College Day

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205; Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores, Lounge, Second Floor Science; Freshman, Parlor of Fine Arts Building.

Freshmen carrying gown on left arm and cap in hand, will go to their usual places in the auditorium before the procession starts.

ORDER OF PROCESSION: Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors, Sister Students, Faculty. Officers are to head each class.

ROUTE OF PROCESSION: Ryan Hall to Fine Arts Building via Science Arcade across the center of the north campus, around statue of Our Lady.

SEATING IN AUDITORIUM: Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors on the right side as they enter. Sister Students, Freshmen, and Faculty on left. Faculty occupying places beginning with third row; Sister Students immediately after Faculty; Freshmen in their usual places. The four officers of the Student Government Association and the four officers of the Senior Class will go immediately to the stage.

ORDER OF PROGRAM: 8:30 a. m.

(a) Processional (Organ Music).

(b) School Song.

(c) Greeting from the President of the Student Association.

(d) Investiture of freshmen in caps and gowns, eight freshmen going to the stage at one time by center aisle and returning by side aisle to rear of auditorium to their usual places.

(e) Recessional.

ORDER OF RECESSIONAL: Faculty, Freshmen, Sister Students, Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores. All will "about-face" in front of Ryan Hall so as to secure proper formation going into Chapel.

PLACES IN CHAPEL: Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors on Epistle side, filling in at the center aisle from the rear of the Chapel. Freshmen, Sister Students, Student Government Association officers, and Faculty on Gospel side with Faculty in front. *Schola* will occupy pews ten and eleven on Epistle side. When all have reached their places, they will remain standing until a signal for genuflection is given by the Marshal.

HIGH MASS: 9:15 a. m.—Celebrant and Homilist of the Mass, Reverend Donald E. Sullivan.

PROPER OF THE MASS will be chanted by a schola of singers from the College Chorus. Ordinary of the Mass will be sung from *Our Sung Mass* by the congregation in the spirit of Christian social worship. At the Communion the "Magnificat" will be sung by the congregation.

HYMN OF TRIBUTE TO ST. JOSEPH: Four representatives of the Sodality will place a bouquet of flowers on St. Joseph's altar.

The signal for genuflection before leaving the chapel will be the bringing of the Fontbonne banner to the center aisle.

BENEDICTION OF CARONDELET: 4:00 p. m. Caps and gowns are to be worn for Benediction.

S. A. Group Distributes Handbook

A handbook for all students listing the various organizations and their officers will soon be distributed by the Student Activities Committee. This standing committee of the Student Government Association, whose chairman is Amy Rossie, serves the campus organizations by sponsoring a club day, holding regular meetings in which problems and techniques are discussed, arranging meeting times, and setting up an activities calendar.

The members are the presidents or chairmen of all organized groups, who meet monthly under the chairmanship of the S.G.A. vice-president. They are as follows: Pauline Baltz, NFCCS; Judy Anderson, NSA; Jeanne Klemeyer, RSA; Mary Ann Brys, senior class; Mary Lou Miller, junior class; Margaret Mary Faust, sophomore class; Carol Gutting, Delta Phi; Susan Kaiser, FAA; Regina McGahan, Footlights Club; Margaret Bransford, Glee Club; Mary Virginia Galleano, Home Economics Club; Lynn Heinrichs, CSMC; Mary Toenjes, Music Club; Carol Von Hoffmann, Red Cross; Sodality, Rosalie Millman; Paula Diviney, French Club; Pauline Boshard; *Fontaine*, Nancy Haar; *Fontbonne*, Marietta Grob; Legion of Mary, Jeanne Klemeyer; Plus X Club, Joyce Maret.

Campus Personalities

On every college campus the leaders of the various organizations play an important part in student activities. Three Fontbonne leaders whom every student knows or will know are Jo Ann Smith, Mary Ann Brys, and Jeanne Klemeyer.

Jo Ann Smith, a chemistry major, who sports a deep tan from her swimming activities this summer, leads the S.G.A., one of the most active organizations on campus. Jo Ann also takes part in the water ballet here at school every year.

The Resident Student Association has as its leader, Jeanne Klemeyer from Vincennes, Indiana. Her major is elementary education. Among Jeanne's many interests is music. She plays piano and enjoys listening to records, both classical and jazz. Jeanne plans to teach in her home town after she graduates from Fontbonne.

Mary Ann Brys, senior class president, is well known on the campus because of her musical talent. Much of her spare time is now occupied with her work as musical director of the student opera which is to be presented in November. Mary Ann plans to become a musical therapist after completing her studies at Fontbonne.

Classes Begin Programs For Year's Activities

All the classes have been very busy preparing their programs for the coming year.

The seniors will again sell blazers this year. Plans are underway also for determining what the senior gift to the school will be. All the seniors have had their pictures taken for the yearbook, *The Fontbonne*.

The juniors announced that \$200 was cleared at their Mixer on Sept. 30. Mary McKee, in charge of songs, and Nancy Hines, in charge of skits, are co-chairmen for the juniors' Class Day Skit Committee.

In the sophomore class Florence Granger has been appointed Parliamentarian. The direction of the sophomore College Day skit has been assigned to Jo Ann Petty and Noreen Lynch. Chairmen of this year's Homecoming Booths are Justine Freeman and Nancy Flanigan.

The freshman class will elect its officers next month. Meanwhile, Clare Walsh has been appointed temporary class president, and Carol Karst chairman of the Homecoming Booth. The College Day skit is under the direction of Jacqueline Beulick.



Attending the Summer School of Catholic Action last August were: Seated, Margaret Mary Faust, Sister Agnes Cecile, Rev. Joseph Boland, S.J., newly appointed spiritual director of the Sodality; Sister Rose Genevieve, Florence Granger. Standing: Paula Divinney, Rosalie Millman, Carol Brouillette, Ann Powers.

Mass Discussion Friday Noon
Recital Room, Fine Arts

Student Council Receives Keys At Ceremony

"The purpose of the Student Council is to promote loyalty, co-operation, self-government, and federation of all activities." With this statement, Sister Teresine aptly described the operation and importance of the council that governs the student body here on campus. The address was made at the opening of the first Student Government assembly of the school year held on Sept. 21.

Keys Are Symbols

At this time also the Council Key, the symbol of "dignity and responsibility," was presented to each member of the governing body of 1955-56. The first to receive hers was President JoAnn Smith, followed by Amy Rossie, vice-president; Catherine Hennigan, secretary; and Joan Murphy, treasurer. Also on hand to receive their keys were seniors Mary Ann Pugh and Margie Vogt; juniors Kathleen Byrnes and Therese Grether; and sophomores Peggy Cinnater and Ann Olin. The freshmen have not as yet elected their representatives.

Sister Teresine then presented the emblem of office to Resident Student President Jeanne Klemmeyer; N.S.A. Senior Representative, to Judy Anderson; and N.F.C.S. Senior Representative, to Pauline Baltz.

College Day Explained

After being invested with the official council key, the first official act of the officers was to explain to the freshmen and the rest of the student body the importance of College Day and the tradition behind it.

Press TV

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Students interested in appearing on this program are invited to write to Ruth Geri Hagy, College Press Conference, Station WMAL-TV, Washington, D. C.

Mothers Sponsor Annual Open House

On Sunday, Oct. 9, Fontbonne Mothers' Club sponsored a Parent-Faculty Tea and Open House in Medaille Hall. The chief purpose of the tea was to acquaint the faculty with the parents of the students. The tea lasted from three until five. The officers of the newly-organized club for mothers of college students are as follows:

President, Mrs. H. W. Faust; First Vice-President, Mrs. D. A. Ries; Second Vice-President, Mrs. M. J. Lawlor; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Monahan; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Fred Hines; Treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Giblin.

Nan Sees

I hope you'll all forgive me, but you know how it is when you get to know a fellow, and you start to like him; you just can't keep from talking about him. Now I've known Willie for some time; at least I've heard people talk about him. He's quite well-known. But I never got to know really him until lately—Sept. 19, in fact.

I don't know how one would classify him. He can be comical or tragic and even delightfully both at once. No one will deny he has a terrific sense of humor—"punny," oh my! But, girls, when he starts talking about love, well, he leaves you breathless. Of course, I don't flatter myself to think I'm the only one whom Willie had affected like this. In fact, I hear some girls would die for him.

He's very intelligent, too. He's practically an authority on the history of English royalty; knows about law and the classics, but most of all he's a real expert on human nature.

His age? Why, girls, he's immortal. Good old Hu 2b and William Shakespeare!

Dietitians Hold Annual Convention

Sister Rose Genevieve of the home economics department is chairman of the ushers' committee for the American Dietetic Association's thirty-eighth annual meeting slated for Oct. 18 through Oct. 21.

Expected for the meeting are dietitians, nutritionists, college and university faculties, directors of school lunch programs, hospital administrators and people engaged in related scientific and commercial fields.

The first three days of the meeting will be held at Kiel auditorium; the sessions on Oct. 21 will be at Hotel Jefferson.

Students in Fontbonne's dietetics department who are serving on the committee include the following: Amy Rossie, Rosalie Millman, Mary Carol Anth, Mary Deek, Charlene Burkhardt, Mary Virginia Galleano, Helen Leonz, Carol Giblin, Judith Giles, Carol Schindler.

Youth---Our Hope

Hope is based on promise. Youth is the essence of promise. Youth is a tree just beginning to flower, a gold mine undug, a field in the process of cultivation.

Youth's contribution to society may be as limited as that of Aladdin, but its potentialities are as unlimited as those of his famous lamp.

These uplifting thoughts are being emphasized this year by seven million Catholic young men and women actively observing National Catholic Youth Week from Oct. 30 to Nov. 6.

A Group of Children in the Child Development Program. Kneeling around the table looking at the "Fontbunny" from left to right are: Anne McNamara, Danny Devereaux, Mary Anne Manewal, Johnny Tramelli. Seated: Jimmy Scofield, Corlin Schaffer, Tom Kletzer, Anne Rehme, Mona D'Antoni; standing are Katie Lamele, Larry McMahon.



Airview of St. Joseph's Academy, Frontenac. This is the third location of the high school; the first was in Carondelet, from 1836 to 1925; the second, on the Fontbonne College campus, from 1925 to 1955.

—Joseph E. Granich Photo.



Recruiting For Volunteers Goes On

Campus-wide recruiting for volunteer service has been taking place at Fontbonne under the auspices of Miss Betty Bone, director of the Volunteer Service Bureau of the Social Planning Council of Greater St. Louis. All Fontbonne students are eligible for volunteer service which has been organized on the campus under the active direction of Dr. William E. Van Tuay, director of the departments of sociology and economics.

Natural science students in the fields of chemistry, biology, and physics are needed to serve in hospital laboratories; music students are needed in all types of institutions serving the mentally and physically ill, the aged in our population and in day nurseries and orphanages. Physical education students are needed to serve in group work institutions to teach swimming, games and dancing and to coach basketball, volleyball and other activities; home economics students are needed to teach cooking and sewing and household arts. There is an urgent need for all students in all departments to volunteer for community service and thus avail themselves of the opportunity to bridge the gap between classroom theory and practical application.

Invaluable experience is gained in practical situations and a work record is compiled on official records to serve as handy references for full-time paid positions.

All students interested in volunteer service are asked to telephone Miss Bone at GARfield 1-2600. Secretarial students are urged to volunteer for office services as quickly as possible. Volunteer service

Students Buy Concert Tickets

Many Fontbonne students have availed themselves of the opportunity of buying tickets at the student rate for the concerts given by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, beginning Oct. 22 and closing March 24. Mary McKee and Nell Thomas were in charge of the tickets.

The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra, conducted by Vladimir Golschmann, will appear four times during the 1955-56 season, and guest artists include Nathan Milstein, violinist, Nov. 25-26; Jascha Heifetz, violinist, Dec. 3-4; William Schnatzkammer, pianist, Jan. 14-15; Leonard Pennario, pianist, Feb. 3-4; and Arthur Rubinstein, pianist, March 17-18.

Schedule

On all first Fridays of the scholastic year, the following schedule will be observed:

8:30 a. m.	Holy Mass for student body
9:55-10:25	8:30 classes
10:30-10:55	9:30 classes
11:00-11:25	10:30 classes
12:30-12:55	12:30 classes
Holy Hour	1:00-2:00
2:05-2:30	2:30 classes
2:35-3:00	3:00 classes

(All classes for late afternoon and evening are on scheduled time.)

is optional with all students except those students who plan to major or minor in sociology or economics. These students, starting in September, 1955, must serve 50 clock hours as a departmental requirement.