Margas Chosen At Assembly; Pine Cone To Feature Them

Elected by their classmates in Assembly February 16 as the "Most All Round Girls" Miss Betty Buckner Sophomore Class, Miss Jo Ann Story, Junior Class, and Miss Mary Ellenone, Senior Class.

"Margas" is well on the way to becoming a tradition at GSWC. Sponsered by the Freshman and Senior Honor Societies, this is the second year "Margas" have been chosen.

The basis for selection are dependability, leadership, cooperation, scholarship, and dependability.

Miss Betty Buckner is president of her class also. From Montezuma, Miss Buckner is a member of the Math-Science Club and Freshman Honor Society, and Sociology Club. She is the recently elected Vice President of the Y. W. C. A. and has served on the "Y" Cabinet for the past year as chairman of Morning Watch.

Miss Jo Ann Story, Junior Class, is president of the Sports Club, secretary of the Business Club, and a member of the Math-Science Club and Chapel Choir. Albany is her home town.

Publications have been Miss Buckner's activities of peculiar interest at G. S. W. C. From Leake Park, she is editor of the CAMPUS CANOPY, was Associate Editor of the CANOPY last year, and has been a member of the paper's staff since she entered college. Last year she was a Lay-out Editor of the PINE CONE and this year she is a Copy Editor (Continued on Page Three).

Dance Is Planned By Philharmonic

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The Campus Canopy

Chisholm’s Way
By A. J. Cronin

Chisholm’s Way is the story of Robert Shapson, a doctor in his twenties, who put his keen interest in medical research on hold in order to endure any hardship in the war.

With the help of a fellowship award, he secured his degree at the age of twenty-four. He became one of the three assistants of Professor Usher in the Department of Experimental Pathology at the University. With his burning ambition of a silent and remote nature, he hoped to find by research the explanation for current epidemics in the British Isles and elsewhere, classify them as influenza. He was to face many obstacles, some of which he himself would blame, beginning with selfish and opportunistic viewpoints of his superior in the department.

There is Jean Leau, first student, later his inspiration, but separated in blood by a religious gap, and the racial gap, and his whole life is devoted to understanding her. The crisis of his lives carry the reader to the end of the story.

Robert’s aim was to isolate the bacillus causing the epidemic, to cultivate it in his laboratory, to find a vaccine, and to develop a preventive vaccine on every side by countless difficulties.

Ten Years Ago
In The Canopy

By MARGARET SMITH

Mrs. Margorie Kinnan Rawlings, author of the recently issued "Yearling," was entertained at a tea in the Rotunda.

Special Features Editor, Carl’s Grill, now Jack’s—and has been King’s, offered strawberry whip cream on top during one week. David’s room was made into a tea in the Rotunda.

Betty Waters

"I Pledge . . . ."

I really don’t know how I happened to ret on this poem. It just came to me as I was reading my little "Bucket book of Verses," and started across.

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead, Who never to himself hath sold?"

This is my own, my native land! You know how the remainder of the poem’s written; I guess all of us have an idea of the get of it.

Today is not Flag Day or even any general’s birthday but nevertheless let us have a little thought about the state of our patriotism.

The conservatives and WDL Streeters attempt to frighten us with "DEFlation," "INflation," and even "DEFlation." They would like us to get on that "Slow Boat to China" and it all small.

WHY? After all, manufactories has finally caught up with consumers, even prices are down to what they were in ’46, however, some pesadism folks want to instill in us one idea, "DEPRESION." Don’t you believe them!

If we allow ourselves to be swept along in the crowd that never seems to think about the money debts they owe their country, the heritage, freedom, the fact that it is their country and their heritage, the way in which we can make it if we have a depression or even another war? Be thankful for the home and claim that we have on these United States. I admonish you to think!!!

As children, we grew up not knowing that there was any kind of government other than democracy. Now we know differently. We have seen what dictatorship can do. We were taught the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag, now as you read this, I dare you to say that Pledge, word for word.

I thought so, that’s how much it meant to us as children. We ought to think more about what we have ever forgotten.

During the recent war we wrote, "I for Victory . . ." was printed everywhere, we displayed patriotism beyond bounds—tell me—is it now? The war is over, life is not, let us get our mouldy "love for our country" out and brush it off, give it a spring cleaning and USE it. Our country needs us and assuredly we need her. We can give her our devotion, loyalty, love and honor and in return she will give us love, protection, beauty as our children.

Sir Walter Scott was right—"This is my own, my native land!"

Sugar and Spice and . . .

What does it mean to be a Marga? What are the qualifications that go into the making of this all-salvage group? It is a group of questions when you voted for your Marga and the girl you choose is a living example of what you consider Marga to be.

First of all, perhaps, she is liked by her fellow classmates, not passively, but actively. She is respected. She is a leader. She is dependable and respectful. She has learned the fine art of living with people, of giving and taking in just the right amounts. She doesn’t stick with her own little group and its activities, but is active in all groups and is there to help whenever help is needed. She doesn’t play all the time, neither does she work to get on that "Slow Boat to China" but nevertheless let us have a little thought about the state of our patriotism.

The institution of Marga is relatively new here at GSWC, being initiated only last year. It is new, but we hope that it has awakened you to the importance of Marga qualifications in your year as a student and in your future in the community.

Let there be more people striving toward the Marga goal. Let’s have more Margies!
Much speculation preceded the Freshman-Upperclassman basketball game last Wednesday and the two teams, evenly matched, played a thrilling game which ended in a tie.

The uppers started the game with the toss to center and the game began. In the first quarters of the game the Frosh took the lead with Ruth Miller and Pitman driving the score upward, while the Freshmen guards skillfully kept the Upper forwards from scoring.

After the half there was a change in line up and the game continued. Here the Uppers began to fight around, and over the heads of the Freshmen guards evening up the score. Ansley scored 11 points while McDonnell and Sharia Miller tossed in 10 points.

As the final whistle blew, the game ended with a score of 18-18.

Margas Chosen

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Editor

Miss Cress was chosen to be "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities" this year and is a member of the "Y" Cabinet, the English Club, and Philharmonic Club, and was formerly a member of the Glee Club, Romance Language Club, Fine Arts Club, Sports Club, and the Chapel Choir.

Pictures of the four "Margas" will appear in the feature section of the PINE CONE, GSWC's yearbook.

Summer School

(Continued from Page One)

Paid in advance.

Included on the Summer teaching staff will be: Dr. J. A. Durenberger, Dr. H. A. L. Gulliver, Mrs. Claude Knight, Dr. Beatrice Levinson, Mrs. John Odum, Miss Lilian Patterson, Miss Mildred Price, and Mr. Clifton H. White.

The Session will be for one term only, beginning on June 13 and terminating on July 6. During this time a maximum of ten credits may be earned, or a student may register for one course only.

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Watch Local Newspaper For Opening Announcement

in Valdosta It's
Every morning immediately after Spanish class, I make a mad rush for the dormitory to see what the morning curfew has left for me. I get a letter every day—well, almost every day. All right, so I get one once a week! But that doesn't keep me from EXPECTING one every day.

Yesterday morning I had a thrill even greater than a letter. The catalog came! My roommate and I agreed that the coming of the "Wish Book" was the most outstanding mail of the week.

We had been using our cat to order our little necessities, and so last night we wasted no time in thumbing through this one to determine that the coming of the "Wish Book" was the most outstanding mail of the week.

Since our chairs are all "shot," we had to decide on an easy chair that would go well with the other furniture. The one we liked best was a $5.00 platform rocker, its washable, cherry-red, plastic upholstery will stand a lot of wear and tear, stain and strain.

I can hardly wait for our things to come! I'd go out right now and mail the order, but neither of us can afford a three-cent stamp!

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"Wish Book" Ramblings
BY NAMIE BELL JORDAN

by JINX SMITH

I was really just walking in the park, holding my own business. In fact, I was actually enjoying my stroll until I was approached by this man.

No, I wouldn't exactly call it a direct advance, but one could tell he was out to "sell" something. But I was determined it was not going to be me who did the paying. Of course, with a certain amount of persuasion, no matter how strong the fortitude of the victim, a girl's head can be turned. What I did was something any other girl, under the same circumstances would have done. No, I don't regret it in the least.

I'm sure you would agree with me. Well, to illustrate my point, it went something like this:

1 said, "Yes!"
He said, "Indeed not, sir."
I said, "Oh, please."
He said, "Definitely not!"
He replied, "Why not?"
I answered, "I haven't the time."
He said, "Don't spurn me, Jud." I said, "Well, not today; tomorrow, maybe."

He said, "Tomorrow—why not today?"
I said, "Well . . ."
He said, "You'll never understand how much this means to me. . . . at last, I admit I said, "Yes, yes, yes!"

And that's how I subscribed to the National Hawaiian Magazine!

Concert Planned
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Singer. Hamp Warner will sing "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," Jimmy Tucker will add space to the evening with a dance, and Jesse Welles will sing the "Gay Caballero."

The program will be ended with the horus singing the Emory Alma Mater and the Star Spangled Banner.

The only other item that seemed to be a necessity was a folding bath tub. We get tired of going to the other end of the hall for a bath. With a folding bath tub, Saturday night will be no problem at all.

Very few people make out an order for necessities only, and we were no exception. There were several little luxuries that we simply could not resist.

So many people have told us we sing well together that we decided on some musical instruments to enhance our vocals. My roommate ordered a steel guitar, and I, a five-string banjo, "Music hath charms to soothe the savage beast," you know. I still wonder if it will work in Senior Hall.

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Rich, minding my own business. The sun has never had the room on the 'dark' side of the world, but a few people have. Then too, a Venetian blind makes a wonderful clothes dryer, hanging just above the radiator.

That reminded us of the tiring task of washing clothes, so we had a look at the washing machines. There was a canopied one which we figured would fit nicely between the dresser and the wash bowl. We couldn't figure out what it meant by "manually operated" but I suppose we'll find out when it comes.

The ironing board that we chose can be used for two purposes: when we are through ironing, we can use it for a dining table on the days we prepare our own meals. I insisted that we get one of those compact kinds, but my roommate refused. She was afraid I'd increase it in her closet.

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Alumnae Plans
Macon Luncheon

A luncheon for alumnae of the Georgia State Women's College will be held in Macon on Friday, March 11, at the Junior Hotel.

The luncheon, from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m., will immediately precede the first session of the State GSA meeting. All GSWC alumnaedesires to the meeting as well as those living within commuting distance of Macon are invited to attend.

Plates will be $1.75. Reservations, accompanied by a check for the number of plates desired, should be made by writing Miss Lillian Patterson, GSWC, Valdosta, before March 4.

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