



MAY DAY

The wand of Cinderella's godmother could not have waved into being a fairyland more enchanting than is the one that May Day and all its pageantry brings forth. This is the day on which the Queen and her Court rule the campus. And such a Queen and Court as there usually is! The most beautiful and most popular girl in the Senior class is chosen as queen and the rest of her attendants are selected from other classes on the same basis. Then, too, Nature usually lends a hand with her contributions of May flowers, budding trees, and fresh spring air.

Speaking of Cinderella's fairy godmother brings to mind that it was she who played an important rôle in last year's May Day celebration. The Queen and her attendants were dressed in old-fashioned flowered gowns representing the Court at the ball of Cinderella. And the whole story of Cinderella was enacted before them—the transformation from kitchen maid to princess, the princess borne away triumphantly in the human coach, Cinderella's two ugly sisters, her cat, and finally her Prince Charming with the glass slipper—the fairy tale unfolded with folk and modern dances interpreting each successive scene.

Plans are already being made for this year's Grecian May Day. To make it more extravagant and elegant than ever before—this is our hope. Yet, no matter the extravagance—no matter the elegance—the beauty of this year's May Day will be as ever, in those things that have been handed down from year to year—things that tradition has made so sweet—our campus in the spring—our May Court symbolizing the ideal of the college beauty and personality—our creative dances—and yes, our theme song—

*May is here,
May is here,
Come dance on the green;
Ribbons gay, twine today
In honor of our queen.*