

Book Reviews

By Mary Lou Dawkins

Among the new books in the library, one which is well worth reading is **Janey Jeems**. It is of special interest to us because the author, Bernice Kelly Harris, is a Meredith alumna. This book is the story of Janey Jeems who married at fifteen and spent her life in complete submission and devotion to her husband and to learning his religion in order to make a living and bring up God-fearing children. The author presents a good picture of the hardships of living in the Carolina hills, and the fact that she shows how happiness can be wrought out of poverty and advantages gained by the poor is very impressive.

Another good book that has been added to the library is **B. F.'s Daughter** by John P. Marquand, who is also the author of **H. M. Pullham, Esquire** and **So Little Time**. This book, the story of Polly Fulton who had everything, of her loves, of her trips abroad, and of her domination by her rich father, is a "comedy of manners covering contemporaneously and in retrospect a period of thirty years." It tells how Polly learned the hard way that the inheritance of strength, of determination, and of wealth from her father conflicted with the inheritance of the confusion of the times. **B. F.'s Daughter** "for its reality, for its characters, and for its picture of an era" is highly recommended.

STEPHENSON

next Friday evening at 8:00 p.m. Raleigh girl, she received her A.B. degree in January. She is *Twig* editor and president and accompanist of the college choir. Her program follows:

- Swing Low, Sweet Chariot
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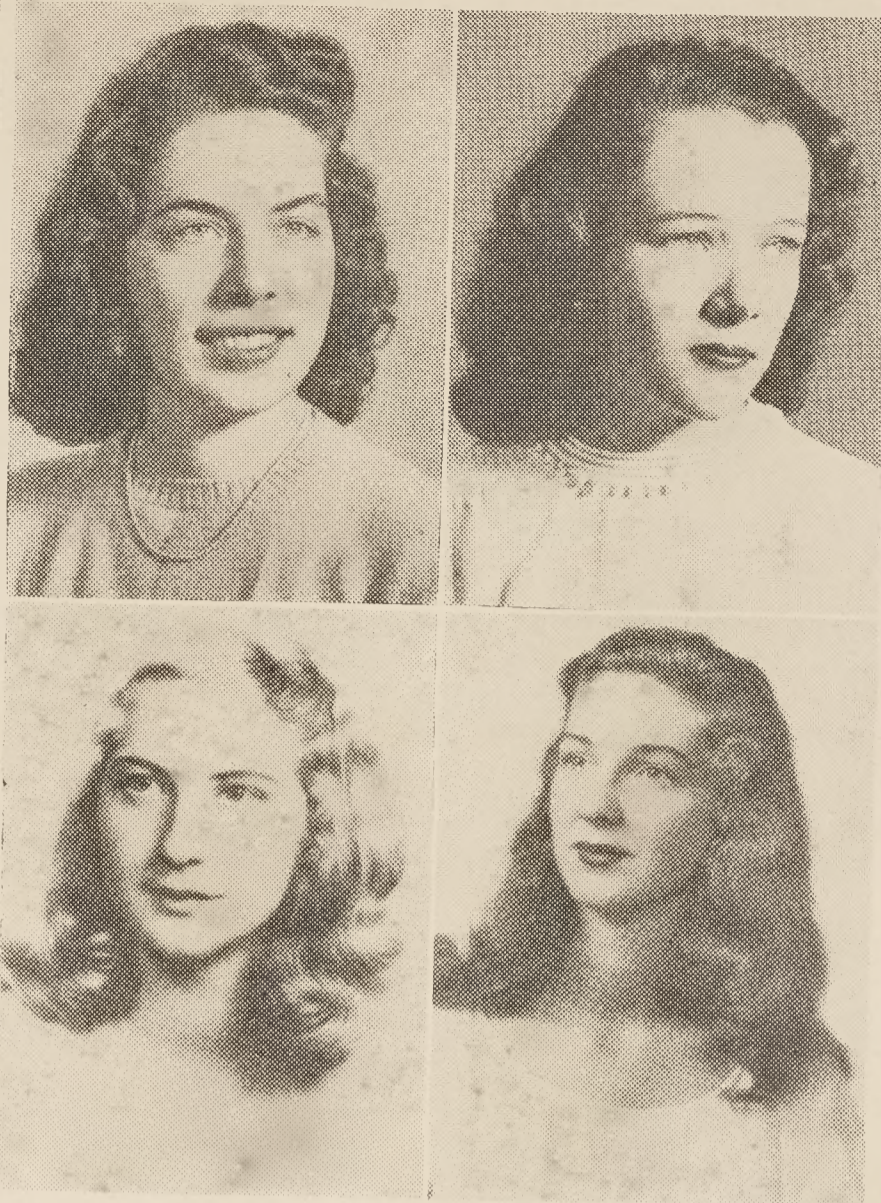
Sports Review

by Bette Linney

That long-awaited Badminton Tournament has finally gotten under way. Fourteen players have entered both the singles and doubles tournament. The winners will be chosen by the process of elimination. The first round of games were completed by Monday, February 24th. Check the scoring chart in Johnson Hall for a day by day account of the games.

If, every night around nine-thirty, you are suddenly startled by mad shouts of joy from the direction of the gym, you have probably concluded that the basketball tournament is in full swing. This is what we call a "Round Robin" tournament; that is, every team plays every other team. For every game won, the team is given three points, for a tie, two points, and for each game played, one point. The team totaling the highest number of points wins the tournament. This far, only two games have been played; the Seniors took the first game from the Freshmen while the Sophomores won from the Juniors. The three highest scorers for the tournament are Ruth Martin, of the senior team, with 21 points, Lefty Pugh, of the junior team, with 15 points and Ann Josey of the freshman team and Dot Clark of the senior team tied for third place with 12 points each.

Basketball seems to be very popular over the city. Miss Phyllis Cunningham, Jean Griffith and Ruth Martin have refereed several games between commercial firms for the Recreation Department of Raleigh.



Pictured above, first row, left to right are Virginia Campbell, newly elected editor of the "Oak Leaves," and Margaret Moore, editor of the "Twig." Below, left to right are Lois Harmon, next year's Astro president, and Louvene Jordan, new president of the Phis.

Freshman Frolics

By KATHLEEN FAULCONER

Class conversation these days is centered about the Frosh play that is to be produced next month when the literary societies give their tragedies. The reading committee has selected a one-act comedy by Mary Stearns, "Diet Begins Tomorrow." Baker's play catalogue tells us that the results of a situation where three friends solemnly vow to begin a strict diet in order to streamline themselves, will be some good giggles and guffaws from the audience. In fact, it will be a laughable situation that everyone will enjoy.

The cast includes Frances Leigh Meadows, Emily Pool, Pat Phillips, "Cindy" Renner, and Christine Williamson. Class prexy Mary Lee Rankin, and this reporter will handle direction chores.

And speaking of the theater, we're proud to announce that Sally Taylor has herself a top-notch role in the Phi's "Riders To The Sea," and Gazelle Moore is in the cast of the forthcoming Astro tragedy.

We have it on good authority that Sue Page and Ellen Goldston had much to do with the painting of the "Kilgore" signs on the Stringfield door panes. Sue has been feuding with Pat Phillips for the past several weeks and pranks have included hidden alarm clocks set at one-hour intervals, glue coated chewing gum, short-sheeted beds, lipsticks, and soap coated with clear-colored nail polish, salt-strewn beds—yes sir, everything but the kitchen sink, and we understand that Sue's latest brainstorm is quite a "drippy" affair.

Congrats are in order for Doris Concha who has been named freshman representative to the Athletic Association. The A. A. Board named her after consideration of sports participation record (soccer, riding, and basketball), and the fact that she made the eligibility list.

And while we're handing out (Continued on page four)

Alumnae Association Meets in Charlotte

The Meredith College Alumnae Association held its first regional meeting of the year on

February 22 in Charlotte at the Ship Ahoy. Dr. Carlyle Campbell was the speaker of the meeting. Mrs. Zeno Martin, President of the Association was on the program; and Miss Mae Grimmer, Secretary, also was present.

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