

WITH THE CLASS OF '46



The sensitive fingers of Martha Hamrick are still being trained—but it is now at Ann Arbor in Michigan. Here, studying under Miss Helen Titus, she is working toward her masters degree in piano which she hopes to get in two years.

In the meantime, Martha is taking advantage of every opportunity; and incidentally, she is having a wonderful time. Who wouldn't?—a shopping spree in Detroit between semesters, a big dance called the Jay Hop with Tommy Dorsey to play, a football team first in the nation!

To Martha, a true Southerner, the North offers a never ending source of amazement; but she likes most to compare the weather. Smiling at our excitement over snow, she writes home a vivid description of the weather at Ann Arbor, "Today the thermometer is below zero again. When I went out late yesterday afternoon to eat, my ankles almost cracked. But after walking a block, you just stop fighting the cold and let it sting you." A week later she writes, "Yesterday and today we are having a big thaw. The thermometer has gone up to thirty degrees or more and the streets are like rivers." Another surprise came at first when she saw how large the classes at Ann Arbor were. In a place where there are over twenty thousand students, one feels so insignificant, says Martha; but you certainly learn to look out for yourself!

Yet in spite of the bigness of the place, Martha is able to hold her own; except now and then. Those are the times that her friends wait for, because it is then that she begins cooking Southern fried chicken and hot biscuits.

REMITTANCE

(Continued from page one) under the jurisdiction of Meredith College?

Yes 37% No 63%
 6) Please read the following statements and check the one (ones) that pertains (pertain) to you: Else- Here where
 a. I smoke habitually...28 53
 b. I smoke frequently...28 43
 c. I smoke occasionally...37 47
 d. I rarely ever smoke...37 57
 e. I never smoke...258 247

These figures are proof enough that Meredith College Students are normal and wish to be allowed to be so.

Smoking is no moral issue. It is no cause for cry among our State's Baptists. It is no problem of theirs. It belongs to us—to Meredith College students. It is a part of our college community living. The student body asked to be allowed to treat it as such.

With these considerations in mind, a student committee represented the student body at the Monday night meeting of the Board of Trustees. This Executive Committee presented a proposal to the Board of Trustees which met February 24, stating that the regulation concerning smoking be changed, and that certain regulations be made by the Executive Committee to regulate smoking in the future. The Board of Trustees passed this proposal; the Executive Committee will meet this coming Monday night to consider just how smoking will be permitted under the jurisdiction of Meredith College. Until these regulations are made, the rule will still apply that no smoking will be allowed under the present jurisdiction.

When these changes are made, our college community will begin to live in accord with its regulations—willingly. J. B.

TEAS, PARTY HONOR

(Continued from page one) an Indian, revealed the fortunes of students.

After refreshments had been served, some members of the Folk Dance Club did several dances under the leadership of Miss Doris Peterson.

The party was brought to a close by more singing.

Marty Davis served as chairman of the entertainment committee, and Miss Peterson served as adviser to the student committee.



Pictured are the committee chairmen for Focus Week. On the front row are Jeanne Dickens, Dot Swaringen, Opal Clemmens, Nancy Hall, Dot Singleton, and Jerry Miller. On the back row are Dr. Ralph McLain and Miss Billie Ruth Currin, faculty advisors; Marjorie Wilson, student chairman for the week; Gloria Mayer; Edith Stephenson; Nell Proctor; Marty Davis; and Margaret Moore.

Meredith Places Third In Play Day

A Play Day was held at Salem College in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, on Saturday, February 21st, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. The activity of the day was a round-robin series of basketball games which included the following six colleges: Salem, Mars Hill, Guilford, Greensboro, Meredith, and Women's College.

Meredith College placed third of the six by winning two, losing two, and tying one game. Those winning first and second place honors, respectively, were Mars Hill and Women's College.

Defeating Greensboro and Guilford, Meredith was in turn defeated by both Mars Hill and Salem College, and tied by Women's College.

Those playing the forward positions for Meredith College were Eunice Andrews, Betty Jean Shuler, Faye Nichols, Naomi Pugh, and Catherine Carpenter, while the guards were

Harriett Neese, Mildred Hoyle, Hope Hodges, Jeanette Atkins, Peggy Thornton, and Barbara Swanson.

Miss Phyllis Cunningham accompanied the girls, and the Misses Doris Peterson and Lillian Grant arrived on Saturday to witness the games.

Sociology Department Has Class Speakers

The Sociology Department has been busy with outside field work and study.

On Feb. 23 Mr. Kelly, assistant director of the Division of Conservation of North Carolina, spoke to the social problems class on the subject of conservation of our natural resources.

Miss Hazel Baity spoke to the social research class on the use of the library as a tool for the needs of a social worker.

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