

Behind the Scenes WE RECOGNIZE HORTENSE WIGGS

By BARBARA SNIPES

Hortense Wiggs, a senior piano major from Smithfield, is known for her willingness and ability to help anyone in any respect. Even though she never held a class office, Hortense has frequently been seen "behind the scenes" doing her job well.

This Dean's List girl was a freshman counselor her sophomore year, and along with being a member of the MacDowell Music Club all four years at Meredith, she was a member of the German Club. During her junior year she was elected chaplain of Sigma Alpha Iota musical fraternity and headed the organization as president this year. While being president, Hortense fulfilled her job exceptionally well.

Due to her interest in music, Hortense has started collecting classical records, which is now a hobby of



Hortense Wiggs

Many Weddings Follow Graduation

By SARAH MANGUM and DAPHNE MAYTON

Naturally, graduation from Meredith is a big event in the life of any "angel" but many of this year's seniors will already have made their choice for a "first mate" when they "cast off their bark on the stormy seas of life."

Yes, there will be a number of weddings this summer and among the first will be those of Ann Tunstall and June Vann on the fourth of June. June will live in Atlanta, Georgia, where her husband will be stationed. On June 11, Mary Elizabeth Delbridge will become the bride of Saunders Blalock, and on the following Wednesday, Pat Allen will walk down the aisle with her West Point cadet. After traveling west for the summer they will leave for Europe.

The big day for Becky Barnhardt, Daphne Mayton, and Bebe Correll will be June 18, after which Becky will be living up north until her husband goes in service. Daphne will be traveling through North and South Carolina with Bill until the fall when he enters graduate school at N. C. State and Daphne will begin teaching the third grade. Bebe and Louis will make their home in Baltimore, Maryland, where Louis will be working.

Other June brides will be Cynthia Mahlar, Katie Lee Currin, and Majorie Stowes. Cynthia and Katie Lee's weddings will be on the 25th. Cynthia and John live in Rocky Mount where Cynthia will teach, and we hear Katie Lee and Frank are making big plans, too. Majorie will become Mrs. Edwin Floyd on the 26th and will live in Fairmont.

"Happy is the bride that the sun shines on," and chances are that the July sun will really be beaming on Kathleen Clemmons, Raye King, and Hortense Wiggs. Kathleen and Albert will live in Charleston, S. C.; Raye and Dick in Fayetteville; and Hortense and Bruce in Smithfield.

Annette Caudle, Mary Jon Gerald, Mary Lois Cadle, and Sarah Mangum are going to wait until August to meet their husbands at the altar, and Ernestine Cottrell's marriage will depend on Uncle Sam!

Perhaps we have overlooked someone but we hope not and to all go our warmest "Best Wishes."

Here and There

By PAM HARTSELL

We see:

That "7:30 look" at breakfast . . . Bermudas drying on a limb . . . suntans . . . boys on the tennis courts (down girls!) . . . outside vespers . . . Dr. Canady in his nylon shirt . . . the line to Dr. Mc's office . . . the glaring exam schedule on yon bulletin board . . . stars in the eyes of a "newly-pinned" . . . car lights in the grove, 11:55 p.m. Saturday . . .

We hear:

The dreaded 7:15 bell . . . the telephone (at last) . . . that he's dating "her" again . . . lunch bell (love that iced tea) . . . the roaches nibbling on Ritz crackers at 2:00 a.m. . . . the radio, full blast, Ernie Tubbs no less . . . that the 12:00 class had a pop (the urge to cut!) . . . alarm clocks . . . the roar of a giant lawn mower . . . an occasional airplane . . .

We feel:

Trampled in the post office rush . . . rather sick five minutes before conference time . . . like a lobster, after a day in the sun . . . relieved after Saturday classes . . . ten pounds heavier after a week end at home . . . très bête during quizzes . . .

We look:

Like tramps Monday through Friday, and queens on week ends!

Attention All Phis!

All Phis who have done any creative writing (poetry, prose-themes, short stories, essays, etc.) which has not been published, are eligible to receive the Philaretian Literary Award presented Society Night. This work should have been written during your time at Meredith.

All who wish to enter work to be judged for this award, please turn it in to Ernestine Cottrell, 222 Brewer, by Monday, May 23. You may enter any type of work you please and as many selections as you wish.

lege court just outside the faculty parlor. At this time the parents will be enabled to become better acquainted with the faculty members as well as with other seniors and their parents. The Sophomore Class is invited to serve.

THERE'S MUSIC IN THE AIR

By ADAIR WHISENHUNT

This issue of the TWIG is one in which we say farewell to the seniors. Eight music majors will be graduating. Some of them will be getting married this summer; others will begin teaching music or working in church music; still others will be doing graduate work. Mary Dare Moore will come back to Meredith next year to work for the Bachelor of Music degree in piano. Congratulations are in order to Leah Scarborough who has received a graduate scholarship to Peabody where she will study music education. To those who are leaving we wish success in the future.

The Axworthy-O'Steen Duo-Piano Concert was excellent. In the second part of the program contemporary music was featured. Many modern composers are composing duo-piano music, and it is fortunate for us that Miss Axworthy and Mr. O'Steen are interested in performing this music.

David Pinnix presented a piano recital recently which demonstrated that he is a musician to watch in the future, for the 14-year-old artist has technical skill and clarity. His program which was made up of compositions from each of the periods of musical composition showed him to be a well-rounded performer.

To those who like violin music the Roman Totenberg Concert was a highlight in a season of many excellent concerts. The combination of virtuosity and feeling displayed by the Polish artist created a rare performance. The "Spring Sonata" by Beethoven and Mendelssohn's "Violin Concerto in E Minor" were particularly beautiful. An interview with the artist showed him to have as much personality as talent—if the two qualities can be compared.

The Commencement Concert of May 27 will include performances by several junior and senior voice and piano majors. The Meredith College Chorus will sing the following numbers: "Wake Thee Now, Dearest," a Czecho-Slovak Folksong; "Hymn to the Night," by Donavan; "Fog," by Stone; "What a Plague Are Women," by Kechley; and "The Magic Hour," by Read. You know from listening to any chorus member that there has been a great deal of practice for this program which will be well worth attending.

Dr. Cooper will give his annual Commencement Organ Recital on Sunday, May 29. He is frequently asked to give concerts throughout the State: just recently he played for the meeting of the American Guild of Organists which was held in Charlotte. Knowing that there are many visitors on the Meredith campus during Graduation week end, he always plays a program which has appeal even to those who are not special lovers of music. (If you think that was written because Dr. C. is our major professor . . .!)

It's time to say goodbye for the summer. It will be a busy one for music majors who spend the whole summer practicing, naturally.

Until fall—then . . . 'bye.

hers.

Since Hortense's piano recital this year, she is frequently found discussing her forthcoming marriage July 31. After graduation and marriage, Hortense plans to teach music in Smithfield where she plans to live.

When Mary Dare Moore, Hortense's roommate, was interviewed, she said, "I can say Hortense is a terrific person and a wonderful roommate."

Big Sister Breakfast Given to Juniors

On Friday, May 13, the freshmen entertained their big sisters at a breakfast at the Chimney. The girls rose early in order to go by for their big sisters and get to the breakfast by 7:15. The breakfast, consisting of orange juice, ham, grits and gravy, toast, doughnuts, jelly, and coffee was served buffet style. For entertainment, Marilyn Strum and Juanita Swindler sang an original composition. In spite of a cold, drizzling rain, this traditional affair was a delightful success.

RECEPTION TO BE HELD FOR PARENTS OF SENIORS

Immediately following senior vespers on May 29, the annual reception for the parents of the seniors will be held in the Meredith Col-

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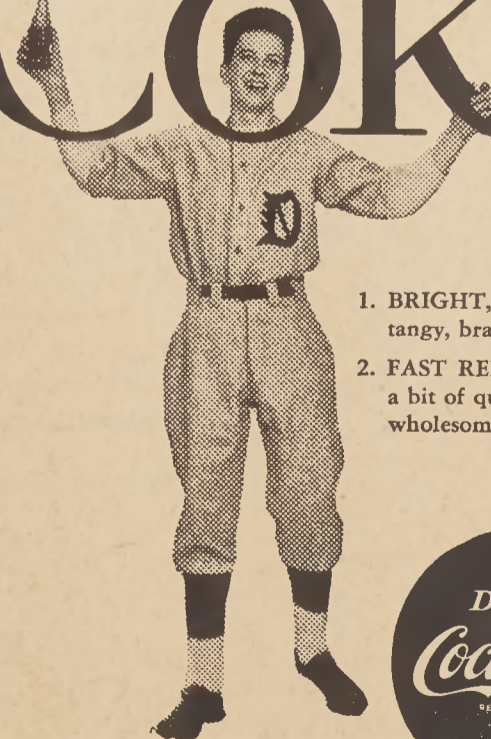
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