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## STUNT NIGHT SUCCESS; CUP GOES TO SENIORS

### ANNUAL STUNT NIGHT EFFEC- TIVELY STAGED IN CHAPEL

True to "ye olde tyme" Meredith form, the annual stunt event was effectively staged in Meredith Chapel last Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock, under the auspices of the Athletic Association, whose president for this year is none other than "Woody" Harris. This night of the year promised, as usual, no end of fun and amusement and an opportunity for demonstration of originality offered by no other college activity.

Miss Harris in her cordial welcome, extended to a large audience, expressed the sentiment of the occasion in a short history of the custom of "stunt night," and only touched upon the broad field of enjoyment previously experienced by former students and friends, who, in the past, realized the same thrill of pleasure which was ours on Saturday night.

To the great surprise and exceeding pleasure of all classes, this year marks the beginning of a custom of presenting a loving cup to the class having the most original stunt, the privilege of engraving their numeral being awarded and the cup to be each year presented under the same conditions. This extraordinary incentive, together with the desire for favorable impression upon an appreciative audience, inspired each class to utmost theatrical production and the effect was exceedingly pleasing.

Respecting the seniority of the fourth-year students, the Senior stunt opened the program and was especially effective because of humorous reproduction of their own past experience with Junior-Senior banquets and use of local color with the introduction of other colleges. We must pay our tribute to Miss Alice Lowe, acting as professional hypnotist and her able assistant, Miss Lois Kendrick, and extend, for the Seniors, sincere appreciation for the efficient service rendered through obtaining each a "wearer of the dress suit" for the memorable Junior-Senior banquet, thereby granting the vehemently expressed wish "My Kingdom for a Man," exemplified in the stunt.

Expressive of Junior spirit a charming little love story, "Love Ship," was presented in tableau form, made exceptionally effective by appropriate

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## ENTIRE TWIG STAFF MEETS THURSDAY NIGHT

The regular staff meeting of THE TWIG on November 2 was permeated with ideas gained by the members from the recent convention. The general subjects of discussion were the appearance of the paper and plans for arousing competition among the reporters. Taking up a fundamental cause of difficulty on the staff the discussion was turned to the manner of electing the staff. It was decided to submit to the student body a plan for selecting the officers by competition and thus creating interest in the paper. It is hoped that such a plan when worked out will result in the election of trained girls to the major offices on the staff to the betterment of the paper.

Before adjournment Miss Smith, of the English faculty, was elected faculty advisor to THE TWIG.

## MR. DAVIS TALKS AT CHAPEL SERVICE

### OUTLINES HOW WOMEN CAN BE OF SERVICE TO HUMANITY

Wednesday morning, November 1, Mr. Davis, of the Kennedy Home, made an impressive talk during the chapel period. The theme of his talk was "Casting In," taken from Luke 21. He said that the "temptation of women is to become a spotlight," and take interest in the world progress, merely to be known rather than to be a service to humanity. The small, simple deeds of biblical women are virtually greater than the deeds of Joan of Arc or Cleopatra. The deed of the poor widow in the temple, who gave her only mite, is still alive and serves as an example to all. She "cast in" not to be seen of men, nor to be rewarded openly. If one does the best that he can, no one can ever excel it. The Lord blesses him for his honest effort, and the things that he "casts in," not for what he "takes out."

It is proposed to make graphophone records of speeches made by present-day statesmen, for the benefit of coming generations. It is just as well that posterity should know what we have had to put up with.—Ex.

A man may err from sobriety regularly every week, but he can't get drunk on Sundaes.—Ex.

## PHILARETIAN SOCIETY HAS BUSINESS MEETING

On Saturday evening, October 28, the Philaretian Society assembled for its regular weekly meeting. There was no program given, but a short business session was held. At this time it was decided by a unanimous vote of the members that the society would meet only twice a month.

The Saturday night schedule will be arranged so that nothing will interfere with these meetings. It is to be hoped that this year will witness the best work that the society has ever known. However, this can be accomplished only with the co-operation of each member of the society.

Old Phi's! New Phi's! Give your whole-hearted support.

## ANOTHER ARGUMENT FOR TUCKER SITE

### MR. JOHNSON ENDORSES ACTION TAKEN BY MEREDITH TRUSTEES

The agitation for the removal of Meredith College has broken out in a new place. Dr. Paschal in an article in last week's Biblical Recorder strongly advocates the removal of Meredith to Wake Forest. 150 acres of land is offered free as an inducement, and the advantages of having the two institutions in the same community are presented with the skill for which Dr. Paschal is famous. The removal of the Richmond colleges to a point a few miles out of the city and the enthusiasm of the Virginia brethren for the new arrangement are pointed out as an illustration of the happy combination Wake Forest has pre-empted the territory in which it is located. It is Wake Forest ground and will always be. Any other institution that goes there will be merely an adjunct to the original owner. Meredith would be totally obscured by this arrangement. Wake Forest would completely dominate the situation and the fine spirit of Meredith would degenerate into the Wake Forest spirit. While the advantages of faculty, library, lecture courses, etc., of the older and richer college carry some weight,

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## STUDENT FUND DRIVE LAUNCHED IN Y. W. C. A.

### MR. RICHIE, OF STATE COLLEGE, SPEAKS TO MEREDITH Y. W. C. A.

"The world and the peace of tomorrow depend upon the students of the foreign countries whose destiny is determined by American students," said Mr. Richie, of State College, in a talk to the Meredith Y. W. C. A., Sunday night, November 5, as he told of his actual experiences in his European travels last summer.

To make the conditions of the students more easily understood Mr. Richie first told something of the state of the governments in the various countries. Speaking of Germany he said: "The nation is in a turmoil; the rulers are failures who confess that the future depends entirely upon the students." He then told of how the German students were suffering to such an extent that they have only one meal a day and that consisting of black bread and clabbered milk, while the students live in tents and have only one book to 250 pupils.

"In Poland," he said, "the conditions are unbearable, and the funds are quite inadequate."

He then spoke of the equally terrible conditions in Austria, where the students are downhearted and disgusted, not knowing one day where to go for food the next. He told of conferences with them, which revealed the attitude of the Austrian students toward America in respect to Y. M. C. A. work as well as national aid. "They confessed," he said, "that at first they looked upon the 'Y' as America's means of getting a foothold in Austria, but now," he said, "they trust and depend upon it."

The miserable conditions of the Hungarian students were effectively described as Mr. Richie told how they with their families work in mines from ten to sixteen hours per day, and live in box cars. "They earn," he said, "only 25 marks per day, and the summer's earnings of these men may be bought for two dollars." He told how the Soviet government is made up of students who are hopeless and despondent, the psychological result being Bolshevism.

Following this talk Mr. E. S. King, secretary of the State College Y. M. C. A., told something of the work of State College for the Student Relief the loss of the distinctive and whole-

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