

FOUNDERS DAY
EXERCISES HELD
AT MEREDITHANNUAL FOUNDERS DAY ADDRESS
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OF DURHAM

On Thursday February 7th, Meredith College celebrated Founder's Day which has been an annual event since the beginning of the college, twenty-five years ago.

In a brief introductory talk, Dr. Brewer spoke of the peculiar pleasure afforded by the many friends who had been present at each of the former similar occasions. "Founders day may be thought of as a time of acknowledgment of past obligations," said Dr. Brewer. "There have been enrolled in the regular courses at Meredith, exclusive of special students, 3,445 students and there have been 525 graduates. Meredith College got its charter in 1891, but it was not until September 7, 1899 that the college opened. This was sixty years after the dream of Thomas Meredith, who advocated the establishment of a college for women during the Baptist State Convention in the year 1839.

The annual address was given by Dr. Samuel J. Porter, pastor of the first Baptist Church of Durham. Dr. Porter is a native North Carolinian, but has been absent from his native state during the last few years. Since his return from the West Dr. Porter has been astounded to find that such great material and spiritual progress has been taking place in North Carolina, and gave the credit for this progress to the women of the State.

Speaking on the subject of "Spiritual Refinements" Dr. Porter said he felt as if he might be trying to add perfume to a violet or gilt to gold in speaking on such a subject at Meredith College.

"There is engraven in the heart of Meredith College the name of Christ with his idealism and his principles. When we give young women the contact with these, we have given them the noblest and sweetest things of life that can be observed and passed on. It is for such as this that education and religion are to take such material as is at hand and lift it up to higher possibilities.

The most inspiring thought for our future is that the women in the realms of actuality are taking the stuff

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MEETING OF TRUSTEES
HELD ON FRIDAY
AT MEREDITHINTERESTING DISCUSSION PLANS
FOR GREATER NEW
MEREDITH

We are always interested to hear any reports from the plans and actions of the committees who are rapidly making New Meredith a reality. The meeting held last Friday lasted from two to six in the afternoon and then from seven to nine that night. All of this time was taken in discussing the rooms and furniture placement. It has been decided that instead of one or two big bath-rooms on each floor, there will be a bath for every two rooms between the two. There will be two closets for each room, one for each girl.

The rooms will be large and roomy, the dimensions, 16 feet by 11 feet—No more crowded wardrobes and cramped living conditions.

Y. W. A. SERVICE SUNDAY
OF UNUSUAL INTEREST"THE GIRL AND HER GOLD—NOT
MONEY" SUBJECT OF Y. W. A.
SERVICE SUNDAY

"The Girl and her Gold—Not Money," was the unusual subject of the service held under the auspices of the Y. W. A. on the evening of Sunday, February the tenth.

After the devotional led by Minnie Herrin, Pauline Patton sang a beautiful solo, "All for Jesus."

How to spend leisure time on this gold that is not money was explained by Nancy Woods. Examples showing the consequences hanging on the use of leisure time showed that Satan always finds mischief for idle hands. David, in battle was strong, but fell into sin during idle moments. Despite this danger every life to be four-square must have its share of fun and frolic. Christian young people in trying to decide on worth-while leisure time pursuits are best led by certain principles which when followed according to conviction will lead to the selection of wholesome pastimes.

1. Never patronize an entertainment which brutalizes a man or shames a woman.

2. Avoid over-amusement.

3. Do not spend Sunday in caring for bodily pleasure at the expense of the soul.

4. Never spend on pleasure money that belongs to other aspects of life.

5. Never let recreation serve as the end of existence.

5. Never indulge in pleasure which leaves a sting in its wake nor pleasure which is at the expense of the happiness of others.

Grace Neatherly then spoke on the capitalization of moments, using Paul's illustration of time as an article in the market by way of illustration. Humanity Paul divided into two classes of traders, the drifters and the diligents. To the first life is meaningless. They drift now in this direction, now in that. To the diligent life assumes a two-fold meaning. It is an

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WEDDING OF INTEREST
TO MEREDITH STUDENTSMISS MILDRED SMITH FORMER
STUDENT MARRIED AT
GOLDSBORO

A marriage of interest to Meredith was that of Miss Mildred Smith of Goldsboro, who was a student of Meredith College, and Mr. Hugh Gordon Maxwell.

An account of the marriage follows: One of the loveliest weddings of the season took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith last Wednesday night, when their daughter, Miss Mildred Maie, became the bride of Mr. Hugh Gordon Maxwell, Jr., Rev. Zeno Wall officiating.

The first musical number preceding the ceremony was "The Vision," artfully rendered by Mrs. R. H. McMillan.

Miss Marie Fleming sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly," which was followed by "Souvenir," a violin selection by Prof. Hurst.

The ushers were Messrs. Juno and Cecil Smith who preceded Miss Annie Grady, maid of honor, who was gowned in a peach beaded georgette carrying pink killarney roses.

Little Louise McMillan, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a dainty dress of white chiffon crepe and carried a silver basket of pink and white sweet peas.

Little Fletcher Mann, Jr., cousin of the bride, was ring-bearer, wearing a white satin suit and carrying the ring on a silver tray.

The bridegroom was attended by his best man, Mr. John Maxwell.

The bride was exquisitely gowned in white duchess satin with court train and tulle veil. Her only ornament was a platinum pin, a gift of the groom. She was given in marriage by her father. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and valley lilies.

The bride, after completing the course in Goldsboro High School, attended Meredith College. The groom

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CHAPEL FOR STUDENTS
ON WEDNESDAY MORNINGSTUDENT CHRISTIAN WORK IS
EMPHASIZED IN VERY AT-
TRACTIVE MANNER

On Wednesday morning in chapel our minds were brought to think on things connected with student work for God.

After Ola Gibbs sang a song, Minnie Herring read "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." She made a few remarks on the study courses that we are soon to have here at Meredith, saying that she was sure that those who took one of the courses would be fully repaid and have their time well-spent. At the conclusion of her comments, Minnie lead us in prayer.

Then Mabel West told us something about the Student Fellowship for Christian Service. She set before us in a few concise words the importance of the Christian work at home, giving the importance of the Y. W. A., W. M. S., G. A., R. A., W. M. U., and other Christian organizations in the Home Field. As she said, the Student Fellowship for Christian Service is composed of students of our colleges who are interested in the work here in our own country.

Next, Gladys Strickland began her talk with the statement that "without home missions, foreign missions cannot exist, but without foreign missions home missions are not effective." The Student Volunteer Band is composed of the students of our college planning to do foreign work. Three characteristic words of the Band are declare, prepare and share. After the students have taken this training while in school, they are much more fitted for their life's service.

MEREDITH GLEE CLUB
GIVES ANNUAL CONCERTDELIGHTFUL CONCERT UNDER
DIRECTION DR. DINGLEY
BROWN

On Saturday evening, in the Meredith College auditorium, the Meredith Glee Club, consisting of twenty young ladies, gave its annual concert. This organization has always done good work but this year it was better than ever, being among the best of its kind ever heard in Raleigh.

The voices have been selected with much discretion and have been admirably trained by Dr. Dingley Brown, the result being a splendid balance of parts, fine attack and the light and shading from the very soft to a flood of tone that seemed incredible from such a small body of singers. They would reduce their volume to a veritable whisper and in it all every word stood out distinctly.

The program was varied and it would be difficult to say which selection was the best—indeed it was all of the best, the encores being numerous.

The program was as follows:

(1) When Evening Casts Her Shadows Round—*Bagley*—The Club.

(2) He Met Her on the Stairs—*Levey*—Frances White.

(3) A Mother's Cradle Song—*Gilberte-Hill*; Penance—*Wick*—The Club.

(4) Just Something—*Wana-Zucca*—Ruby Harville.

(5) Trust Her Not—*Baffe*—Frances White and Pauline Patton.

(6) Mah Hooey—*Keaton*; Mighty Lak' a Rose—*Nathan*—Janet Holoman, Ruby Harville, Blain Fleetwood, Thelma Fleetwood, Annie Atkins, Gladys Brown.

(7) Just Been Wondering All Day Long—*Cunning*—Pauline Patton.

(8) Valse Triste—*Sibelius*—The Club.

(9) A China Tragedy—*Thomas*—Janet Holoman.

(10) Like Fairy Dancers—*Simon-Attie-Aubrey*; Dreaming—*Stolley*—Love Is Like a Firefly—*Leah*—The Club.

(11) Do Old Aunt Moverin'—*Guion*—Frances White.

(12) On the Road to Mandalay—*Spaulding*—The Club.

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FACULTY RECEPTION FOR
FRIENDS OF MEREDITHFACULTY RECEPTION EVENT OF
FOUNDERS DAY PROGRAM

On Founders' Day from four until five-thirty o'clock the members of the faculty were at home to their friends. Dr. and Mrs. Brown greeted the guests at the door and showed them to the front parlor, where stood the receiving line, composed of President and Mrs. Brewer, Dean and Mrs. Boothour, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Jones, and Miss Zabriskie. This room was decorated with baskets of pink roses and snapdragons. The other members of the faculty greeted the guests informally in the halls and other parlors, which were decorated with palms, smilax, and crimson cyclamens. Members of the Senior Class served Russian tea, sandwiches, salted almonds and mints to the three hundred or more guests who called during the afternoon.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Contest!!

Prize!!

GET RICH QUICK!

To the Enterprising, Energetic and Original:—

The Committee on Bonds for New Meredith offer a Prize of value and of future revelation, to the Meredith girl who writes the best "human interest" story by February 20. This story may vary in length from 500 words, but must be of such plan and purpose as could be most effective in the sale of bonds for New Meredith. Miss Julia Harris is the authority to whom these stories are to be handed, and from her may be secured any additional information as to the details of the contest. Enter the contest today and make your story the best. It is a chance to do your best for the cherished "New Meredith"!