

## Student Opinion

### IS CHAPEL REALLY WORTH WHILE

I wonder how many of us really like to go to chapel? From time to time we have some good speakers at our morning service who tell us many worth while things. Do we think on these things and form opinions of our own? Do we simply take what the speaker says as a fact not to be questioned or considered? Or, do we leave the chapel and as promptly forget

anything that may have been heard. If this last is the case, then chapel has been lost, and it has really harmed us to hear the things said, because we are forming the habit of forgetting the good things that we have heard.

Girls, what we need is to think more. As the old saying is, "It's all in a life-time." Let's make the most of ours.

### HOLIDAYS

My! but didn't it seem as though our spring vacation would never come? Yet all joyful events to which we look forward come and go. And so has our spring vacation. We have had a wonderful time. We have rested; and now we have returned "with bright and shining faces" to begin work with renewed energy. Even though our one week has gone, we now have in view our summer vacation, a much longer one.

Just think! two more months. How short the year has been! Soon commencement will be here with its sadness as well as its joys. At the end of school when the holidays begin, there comes that inevitable parting of friends. Some of them will meet again in school after a few short weeks. But oh! the pain of parting from those friends whom we love so dearly when we do not know that we shall ever see them again.

Sometimes I wonder if I shouldn't be happier not ever to have known certain dear ones from whom I am separated. Then comes the thought that I would take nothing for the happy memories.

Again, commencement is almost here. Two short months. Girls, let's enjoy those two precious months while some of us are together possibly for the last time.

"Everything a man hears goes in one ear and out at the other. Everything a woman hears goes in one ear and out her mouth." He spoke wiser than he knew who uttered those words, so true is this at Meredith. If we could only learn to keep a few things we hear about others to ourselves. It always takes—according to man—the most heroic efforts of woman to keep a secret. If all of us at Meredith were such heroines it would be a much better place to live in and a beautiful spirit to take to New Meredith. Only the other day one of our major officers, hearing some one making a joking remark about her, replied: "Yes, I hear enough about myself already." Them's the sentiments of lots of us. We drink in flattery, and "last go trades" like sponges and doubtless sometimes give such in order to receive the like in return, but we wouldn't like to hear the unkind and unfair things we say of others return to us. If we could develop a more charitable and unselfish spirit as part of our "genus loci" what a splendid thing it would be for Meredith of the present and the future.

"That boy looks like a musical sort of fish."

"Yes, he's a piano tuna."

—Penn. State Froth.

## REVEREND MARTIN SPEAKS IN MEREDITH CHAPEL

### MR. MARTIN OUTLINES A HELPFUL PROGRAM TO BE FOLLOWED THROUGH LIFE

The Rev. Mr. Martin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Concord, conducted the devotional services in chapel last Saturday morning.

His scripture reading was taken from the first chapter of John, beginning with the nineteenth verse. In a brief commentary on the verses, Mr. Martin, said that they embodied a four fold program for life. (1) Do something to attract attention. John, he said, was an ordinary country preacher but he attracted attention. The thing that arrested the minds of the people was the practice of baptism which John used as a symbol of the acceptance of the doctrine which he taught. In applying this theory of attracting attention to our college, Mr. Martin declared that our attraction was the New Meredith and that the Meredith girls of the past, present and future demand that we should do all in our power to bring this project before the people as a whole.

(2) Say something to awaken folks. This was the next point in our program as Mr. Martin outlined it. He cited the fact that the people who had heard John went back to their homes with a desire to find out and know more about the Christ of whom

spoke. "Never try to fool folks." This is the third precept that was laid down for, as, John didn't claim to be other than what he was. He admitted that he was a prophet, he declared that he was Christ. Mr. Martin brought out the utter futility of trying to deceive people. He said: "He who thinks he can fool folks is the bigger fool for thinking so."

The fourth and last point of the program was "Always live and labor to be able to say 'There is one among us greater than us that ye know not.'" Mr. Martin concluded his remarks with a tribute to Meredith as a Christian college. Then the choir gave a fitting close to the program by singing "Hark, Hark, My Soul."

The occasion of this special program was the meeting immediately after chapel, at which plans for the sale of the New Meredith bonds were discussed. Many of those attending this meeting were present at chapel. Much to our surprise we were not asked to sing the Alma Mater but the reason for the omission was made plain later on when we were called upon to sing it at the exercises which took place after the luncheon.

### A Drowned Man

A man went to bed and during his slumber, the pillow slipped, the bedspread, and he fell through the sheet into the spring and drowned.

Lucile Woodall: "It's a sure thing, I don't see any good killing myself getting up this old English."

R. Honeycutt: "Maybe that's the good of it."

"Don't you believe every woman should have a vote?" asked the sweet young thing.

"No," replied the young man. "But I believe that every woman should have a voter."

Returning from a Meredith date, the State man was approached thus:

Donald Allison: "Who won?"

Leslie Andrews: "Won what?"

Donald Allison: "The wrestling match."

## Alumnae News

Mae Grimmes, '14, of Cape Charles, Virginia, spent several days at Meredith last week, visiting Miss Lula Horn of the music faculty.

Mrs. S. J. Everett (Margaret Shields, '02), Mrs. Ralph Monger (Hassie Ponder, '08), and Elizabeth Lovill, '12, attended the New Meredith Rally which was held here on April 5 in order to boost the sale of bonds.

Barre Crichtett, '23, returned from New York recently for a visit with Martha Lowell, '24, an Alumna-son-to-be.

### ENGAGEMENT OF LOSSIE STONE, '08

Pittsboro, April 7.—On Saturday afternoon from four to six Mrs. Walter N. Johnson and the faculty of Pittsboro School, gave a reception in honor of Miss Lossie Stone, whose engagement to Mr. George H. Brooks was recently announced and Mrs. William Connell, of Washington, D. C., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Johnson.

The home of Mrs. Johnson was artistically decorated with spring flowers with yellow predominating in the scheme of decorations and refreshments. Mrs. John Linder met the guests at the door. In the receiving line were: Mrs. Walter N. Johnson, Miss Lossie Stone, Mrs. William Connell, Miss Blanche Lindley, Miss Nell Swann, Miss Margaret Large, Miss Ann Brown, Miss Belle Rawls, and Miss Burwell Patterson.

From the receiving line the guests were ushered into the dining room. —News and Observer.

### JOHNSON-PARHAM ENGAGEMENT

The approaching marriage of Miss Katherine Campbell Johnson, of Greensboro and Thomasville, and Benjamin Wingate Parham, of Oxford, was announced yesterday afternoon at an informal luncheon given

by Mrs. Charles F. Lambeth, sister of Miss Johnson.

Only a small group of intimate friends were present at the luncheon, covers were laid for eight, those present including, besides the honoree, Mrs. Archibald Johnson, of Thomasville, and Mrs. W. G. Webb, of Oxford, and Misses Georgiana Bird, Susie Myers and Kathleen Hall, all of Thomasville, and Miss Lois Johnson, of Raleigh. The color scheme of white and yellow, set by the mass of jonquils and spirea which formed the centerpiece, was carried out in the five-course luncheon.

Miss Johnson's flowers were a corsage of Parma violets and valley lilies. No formal announcement was made, but the placards carried the initials of the affianced pair. The wedding will take place in June.

Although Miss Johnson's home is in Thomasville, for several years she has been regarded as a resident of Greensboro also, through her connection with the first Presbyterian church, where she has been soloist. Mr. Parham is an attorney of Oxford but he, too, is well known in this section, as he practiced law for some time at Thomasville before going to Oxford.—Greensboro Daily News.

Mr. Harris, who had recently bought a new car and had just been learnt to drive, came in late one night very tired and worn out. He began snoring as soon as he went to sleep. His wife became irritated and said: "John, John, will you turn over?"

Mr. Harris: "O let me alone, I was just in high."

Mr. Boomhour to Physics class on the way to the power-house: "What are those boxes up there on those high poles?"

B. Martin, earnestly: "Reformers, sir." (Transformers).

"Your teeth are like the stars," he said.

The maiden's face grew bright.

"Your teeth are like the stars," he said.

"They all come out at night."

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## College News

Frances Haywood spent a very pleasant week-end with Geradine Gower at her home in Clayton.

Joy Beamon spent a very enjoyable week-end in Clayton as the guest of friends there.

Mrs. O. Joe Howard, of Hickory, visited her daughter, Frances, last week.

Ruby Honeycutt visited friends in Raleigh the past week-end.

Beulah Stroud was the week-end guest of friends in Wake Forest.

Jennie Mae Hartsfield spent a most delightful week-end in Wake Forest.

Ruth Shaw Briton visited friends in Raleigh Sunday.

Gladys Cox was the week-end guest of Mrs. Daniel Boone of Rocky Mount.

Miss Kathrine Covington of Wadesboro has been visiting her sisters here recently.

Helen Plybon and Dot McBrayer spent a very pleasant Sunday in Raleigh.

Miss Margaret Fleming attended the recent meetings of the Rotary Convention here with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White of Greenville.

Miss Elsie Thompson of Lumberton was a recent visitor at the College.

### What Education Does.

The following are taken from examination papers:

"The needle of a compass always points north because—else it is broke."

"A sound is wire that is tight, and when you hit on it it makes a sound."

"A canal is a clear spot of water in a river, and they are used for to drink."

"Magellan got five ships to take him around the earth. He got kild. One ship blow to the shore by storm; the other ship drowned, the next got shot to pieces and two of them sailed for home and one little ship went around the earth."

—Girlhood Days.

Dr. Winston: "What is nitrogen made of?"

Mr. Kelly: "Wind."

Lib Purnell: "When your State man broke the date did you call him or find out why?"

E. Ezell: "I called him about everything I could think of."

Some of us want to know why Daisy Holmes and Isabelle de Vlaming are seen sweeping each other's rooms every morning.

Billy: "Mother, do you say *water a horse* when he is thirsty?"

Mother: "Yes, dear."

Billy, picking up a saucer of milk: "Well, I'm going to milk the cat."

Helen Elliott in the practice hall calling Marguerite Blackstock loudly.

M. B., walking out of a room thinking of the telephone: "Hello."

### Not Exactly

Housewife (showing pictures to her new maid): "Nellie, these two here, are fine silhouettes of my great grandparents."

Nellie (very much astonished): "Oh, was they negroes, ma'am?"

—Miss U. G. P.

### He Knows

Teacher (to language class): "How should a quotation begin?"

Paul: "With a capital letter and a double comma."

—Girlhood Days.