

ASTROS AND PHIS ENTERTAIN JOINTLY SATURDAY NIGHT

NEW GIRLS GUEST AT LOVELY

PARTY GIVEN BY SOCIETIES

PARTY IN NATURE OF SEA VOY- AGE MUCH FUN HAD ON BOARD GOOD SHIP "SOCIETY"

The members of the Astrotekton and Philaretian Literary Societies were hostesses to the new girls Saturday evening, September 18, on board the Good Ship "Society." Passports having been presented in advance to the guests, the sails were hoisted promptly at eight o'clock, and the Good Ship "Society" glided out upon a calm, peaceful sea, whose waters sparkled and gleamed in the silvery light of a full moon.

Sailor lads, in their spotless white uniforms, very courteously escorted the guests to the long, commodious saloon, where they were greeted by Miss Geneva Benthall, president of the Astrotekton Society; Miss Emily Cheek, president of the Philaretian Society, and the members of the two societies. Here the guests were introduced to their companions; chatted gaily for a while; or promenaded on deck according to their fancy. An orchestra from the city furnished delightful music during the whole voyage.

Suddenly the dinner gong sounded, and the dining salon doors were thrown open. The guests were seated at small tables, having at the head of each an old girl as hostess. A three course dinner was served, accompanied by iced champagne (ginger ale), by very efficient waitresses, neatly dressed in black with dainty white caps and aprons. Miss Lorena Helms very capably served as head waitress.

During the meal, the sailor lads kindly entertained with songs and dances typical of the sea, but were rudely interrupted by the entrance of fierce and bloody pirates, attired in the brilliant, barbaric manner of the searoomers of olden days. However, after several chill-producing songs and dances, they left with signs of friendship, returning later with a huge, captured treasure chest, containing bags of silver, which they generously distributed among the guests.

Other features of the evening's entertainment were *A Romance in Song* by three famous singers, and a song of the sea by one of the sailor lads. Mr. Perry Morgan, B. Y. P. U. Secretary for the State and a special guest for the evening, gave a very appropriate and much-applauded toast. Among the other distinguished guests were Dr. and Mrs. Brewer, Mr. Frank Leavell, of Memphis, Tenn.; Miss Winnie Rickett, State Junior-Intermediate B. Y. P. U. leader; Mrs. Perry Morgan, and members of the faculty.

The decorations and refreshments carried out a pleasing color scheme of lavender, white and gold—a combination of the "Phi" colors, lavender and white, and of the "Astro" colors, gold and white. Softly shaded lamps, together with the harmonious music of the orchestra, the fragrance of the flowers, and the brightly-colored

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DR. FRANK H. LEAVELL WELCOMED GUEST AT MEREDITH DELIVERS SEVERAL INSPIRING ADDRESSES DURING SHORT VISIT

We are very fortunate to have had Mr. Frank H. Leavell, Executive Secretary of the Inter-Board Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, here on our campus for three days, Sept. 18-21. He has lived in the dormitory, has been with us in the dining hall, and has entered into our school life as only one who understands students can. On Saturday morning at chapel, he spoke to us on *Keeping the Spiritual Apace With the Intellectual*.

The B. S. U. Council had a conference with him at 1:30 on Saturday afternoon, at which time a review was made of the work up-to-date. Mr. Leavell was very encouraging. He says he finds no problems confronting us—that the thing to do is to keep on doing. We have a more definite idea of the work before us in the departments we now have, and thus are able to make plans for the future along the line of Sunday school work.

The clear dawn of Sunday morning gave promise of a calm and beautiful day. At 7:30 a group of about fifty girls gathered in the oak grove for morning watch. Mr. Leavell, using the passage from John 14: "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid," brought us the message of peace in our lives each day. The life that is calm, that is peaceful, the life that is confident in the Lord is the one which is able to help another. A beautiful feeling of quiet strength came to us as we sat at the foot of those majestic trees, with the sunlight beginning to filter through the leaves, and realized that nature, too, was bringing us the message of peace.

At Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, at the eleven o'clock service, Mr. Leavell spoke on *The Student of Today: His Stand for God*.

The climax of the day came at vespers Sunday evening. The devotional was conducted by Mary Frances Biggers who read Psalm 19, after which Dr. Brewer led in prayer. Dorothy Turlington very beautifully sang "Pass It On." Following this, Mr. Leavell spoke on *The Essentials in Building a Successful Christian Life*. The first thing necessary in building a Christian life is to have a plan. How few students know definitely what they are going to do after receiving a diploma. It is while we are in school that we so much need a plan, an end toward which to direct our studies. After a plan, one needs practice, even as an organist must go through with the tedious exercises if she wishes to attain true success. But

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FORMAL OPENING OF MEREDITH COLLEGE AT CHAPEL SEPT. 10, 1926

WELCOMED BY PASTORS OF RAL- EIGH BAPTIST CHURCHES

DR. C. E. GREAVES SPEAKER OF OCCASION

Friday morning, September 10, the first formal exercises were held in the chapel. The auditorium was crowded with students and friends of the college. Among those present were Mr. Elliott, Mr. Mooneyham, Mr. Early, Mr. Dowell, Mr. Blalock, and Mr. Morgan. Mr. Morgan, in behalf of the B. Y. P. U. president, welcomed the new girls into the various unions. Mr. Early invited the attendance of the Meredith students at Pilot Mills Baptist Church in behalf of his son, Rev. Waldo Early.

After the singing of a hymn, Mr. C. F. Hudson conducted the devotional. The reading of the Scripture was followed by a solo by Miss Wallsworth, a new member of the faculty. Dr. Brewer then introduced the pastors of the various churches of the city, each of whom made a short talk welcoming the Meredith students to his own particular church. Dr. Ellis of Pullen Memorial Baptist Church and Dr. Hudson of the Southside Baptist Church each spoke. Mr. M. A. Huggins, the Secretary of the State Board of Education, represented Dr. O'Kelley, the pastor of the First Baptist Church, who was away from the city. Following this, Miss Parsons sang.

Coming as a fitting climax to the welcome speeches from the representatives of the various churches of the city was an address by Dr. Chas. E. Greaves, pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church. He first gave the Meredith girls a welcome to his church and Sunday school, and then he delivered a very inspiring message. The main theme of his talk was a person's reaction to his environment. In this discussion Dr. Greaves brought out the effects of social, spiritual, and

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FIRST MEETING OF B. Y. P. U.'S. HELD IN AUDITORIUM

QUESTION OF BIRMINGHAM CON- FERENCE PRESENTED

The first meeting of the B. Y. P. U.'s of Meredith College was held Wednesday night at 6:45 in the chapel. This meeting was one of great interest and enthusiasm, there being some 300 girls present. After the devotional, which was led by Annie Belle Noel, Mary Asque, general president of Meredith B. Y. P. U.'s, in a few well chosen words, welcomed both old and new girls, and urged that they all take part in the work this year. Following this, Mary Frances Biggers gave those present a brief sketch of the All Southern Baptist Student's Conference which is to meet at Birmingham October 28-31, and insisted that as many of the Meredith girls as possible make their plans to attend this student conference. Next, the presidents of each union were introduced and they extended to the new girls a cordial welcome and invitation to join their union. After the benediction the girls dispersed, each girl finding her way to the union she wished to join.

B. S. U. AND S. G. ASSOCIATIONS ENTERTAIN IN HONOR OF NEW GIRLS

UNIQUE PARTY GIVEN IN

GROVE BY LIGHT OF BON FIRE

MEREDITH FACULTY A SOURCE OF PRIDE

LARGEST FACULTY IN HISTORY OF COLLEGE

So often do we hear the expression, "The Faculty cannot make the school," that the student body, at Meredith at least, often is prone to put before the public eye its own activities and omit our faculty members entirely. In order to do ourselves justice, we must state that it is not through lack of respect or admiration for our respective eachers that leads us to make this error: only the busy life of college students, coupled with a tiny spark of selfishness, which demands that self be considered first, others second. Therefore, it dawned upon the members of this official organ of the student body that a complete list of the faculty of Meredith College might be interesting to the readers of THE TWIG in general. We would not *boast*, only *boast* our college. In doing this, though, we must admit that our faculty is most creditable and is one of Meredith's chief prides. We look upon these heads of departments, professors and instructors with the pride and reverence due such characters, and can truly say to them "We are proud of you." For general information, both to students and alumnae, we publish the following list which consists of the faculty of Meredith College, together with the room number and dormitory in which they live:

Miss Catherine Allen, 218 Elm St.
Miss Lena A. Barber, 325 C.
Miss Ruth Armstrong, 103 C.
Miss Caroline Biggers, 107 A.
Mrs. Saral L. Blalock, 222 C.
J. G. Broomhour, 218 Elm St.
C. E. Brewer, 216 C.
Miss Ellen Brewer, 209 C.
Dr. Dingly Brown, Capital Aparts.
Miss Annie Mitchell Brownlee, 223 C.
Miss Lucile Burris, 221 C.
E. F. Cannady, 114 Park Ave.
Dr. E. Delia Dixon Carroll, Nordell Hill.
Mrs. B. W. Cooper, 1 and 2 D.
Miss Evabelle S. Covington, 4 C.
Miss May Crawford, 225 C.
Miss Hattie Ferrell, 521 E. Jones St.
W. J. Ferrell, 521 E. Jones St.
Mrs. W. J. Ferrell, 521 E. Jones St.
L. E. M. Freeman, R. F. D. No. 3.
Miss Margaret Fargeus, 325 B.
Miss Martha Galt, Wilmont Apts.
Miss Julia Harris, 120 A.
Miss Nettie S. Herndon, 107 C.
Miss Connie Horne, 224 C.
Miss Mary Martin Johnson, 1620 Park Drive.
Miss Helen H. Law, 325 A.
Miss Beva McMillan, 112 C.
Miss Gladys Leonard, 225 A.
Mrs. Octavia Norwood, Infirmary, 4th floor B.
Miss Elizabeth Parker, 105 C.
Miss Emily Persons, 4 East Lane St.
H. Judson Perry, Bedford Ave.

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CLEVER STUNTS AND "GOOD EATS" MAKES FOR BIG SUCCESS

With a crackle and a sputter, a huge bonfire, east of the dormitories, lured both old and new girls out of doors the first Saturday evening of the new year where they were to enjoy an informal reception given by the B. S. U. and S. G. Association. Little tricks of introduction were tried with the serving of fruit punch, each old girl being asked to escort the girl next to her to the punch bowl.

Each dormitory presented a stunt revealing quite cleverly the spirit of that particular building. Dormitory A rendered a little skit, a parody on *Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here*. B was represented by Lena and Cynthia Weinberry in a song. Ruth Lilley led a snappy song of welcome for Dormitory C, and rendered two clever little jingles. One was especially good. "Dormitory A, Dormitory B, Dormitory B.

Change them around and you will see they spell clearly BAD."

D pulled some snappy college yells, which added the needed pep.

The party then went to the auditorium to enjoy an extraordinary program presented by world famous artists. The B. S. U. President, Mary Frances Biggers, as official announcer, presented first Monsieur Chevrolet de Coupe, a celebrated organist. He rendered a pleasing number. His technic was marvelous. By gently tugging the pigtailed of five unbobbed damsels, various and sundry tones were evoked which resulted in an unusual selection.

Mme. Lysterine Halitosis, world famous soprano rendered a vocal solo. She captivated her audience upon appearance holding them spellbound throughout her entire performance.

A puppet show was next presented by Mlle. Mayonnaise Extract de Vanilla. In her collection there appeared Maggie, and Jiggs being religiously brought up, Little Jack Horner with his Holiday Pastry, Little Bo-peep minus her sheep. Little Orphan Annie looking every inch the part of the crumb-brusher, and Old Mother Hubbard and her parasitic canine.

Mrs. Sears Roebuck then appeared in a pleasing little costume song. Mrs. Roebuck was formerly little Miss Bellas Hess.

The official announcer then presented Miss Chlorine Campbell Heintz, a pianist of great renown. Miss Heintz was granddaughter of the great Beethoven. She has given fifty-seven famous successes here in America. She will soon begin a tour of Europe during which she expects to give an equal number of recitals. Miss Heintz has the extraordinary talent of combining the classical with the jazz. Each selection was a real contest, Irving Berlin vs. Listz.

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