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Editorial

When THE TWIG staff for the year 1927-28 put out its first issue, it made a plea to faculty, students and alumnae for coöperation. With the same issue went a plea from the Editor to the Staff for whole-hearted coöperation. Although it is yet early in the season and a "good beginning often prophesies a bad ending," yet, to give honor where honor is due, the Editor wishes to express her appreciation and offer her congratulations to faculty, students and members of the staff for the splendid way in which they have responded. Members of the Faculty have been most accommodating in volunteering any information and assisting in every way possible. Particularly do we wish to thank Miss Platt, recreational director, Miss Brewer, who as alumnae correspondent is of invaluable aid to the student alumnae editor, Miss Laurence, who so kindly collects and gives to us all possible information from the office of the Deau of Women, and Miss Herndon who has consented to serve as Faculty Advisor of THE TWIG.

Nor has the student body failed to assist in our work. Whenever called upon you are always ready with the necessary time and information. The Freshman Class has been particularly prompt about turning in articles for publication.

And last of all comes a word of commendation for the members of the Staff. In the final crisis it is upon you that the weight of responsibility rests, and thus far you have proved yourselves equal to any task. With me you have caught our ideal for the year—that of making THE TWIG a real medium of expression for the Student Body, and a paper which will reflect credit for Meredith wherever it finds its way—and toward that goal you have worked.

Without the assistance and co-

SOCIAL NEWS

A privilege recently granted to the Senior class is that of going in groups of two unchaperoned to football games. Needless to say, this permission is gladly received by members of that class.

Among those who attended the game between State and Elon on Friday afternoon, September 23, the opening game of the season, were: Katherine Maddry, Mabel Claire Hoggard, Isabel McLeod and Mary Ruth Greaves. Miss Katie Dail, '26, who is teaching in Creedmore, was a visitor here Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mary Crawford, '27, who is spending the winter at her home in Goldsboro, spent the week end at the college. Mary was Editor of THE TWIG during her Senior year, and the present staff was particularly glad to have her back.

Circle No. 8 of the W. M. U. Society of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Brewer on Monday afternoon. We are always so glad to have the ladies from the city come out to our college.

Miss Dorothy Kellam, State Y. W. A. leader, is director of plans for the four-minute speakers. She has paid several visits to our college this week in the interest of the campaign tours which begin Sunday. We were surely disappointed on Sunday night when illness made it impossible for her to

operation of the Business Men of the city, THE TWIG as well as the other school publications, would be very likely to find itself at times, at least, financially embarrassed. The members of the staff realize this part very keenly, but perhaps members of the Student Body are prone to overlook and take as a matter of course this very vital fact. While we believe that we as a college give them something in return, yet it is a real kindness on the part of the merchants to give us ads. Due partially to their generosity and partially to the efforts of our splendid Business Manager, THE TWIG has secured quite a number of advertisements this year. We appreciate the interest and money the merchants have thus expended in our behalf, and there is but one way of letting them know it—that of trading with them. Look over THE TWIG, note what places have given us advertisements, and then make a point of doing your trading with them. *Trade with our advertisers!*

speak at our Y. W. A. meeting as was planned.

A comparatively large number of Meredith students attended the Memorial Service in honor of Dr. T. W. O'Kelly, which was held at First Baptist Church on Sunday Evening. Dr. O'Kelly was the pastor of a great number of our students, and all were glad to attend a service in memory of one so greatly beloved.

Misses Geneva Benthall and Blanche Stokes, graduates from Meredith, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Emily Cheek, '27 passed through Raleigh Sunday enroute to Columbia University, where she will take work leading to an M.A. degree.

Mr. H. L. Hester of Duke University, President of North Carolina Collegiate Press Association, Mr. John Anderson former Editor of State College *Agro-meeck*, and Mr. E. F. Adyette, Editor *Wataugan* at State College, will meet with the Editors of the Meredith Student Publications on Friday, September 30, in a conference concerning the N. C. C. Press Association, which is to meet with State and Meredith sometime in October.

The Philaretian and Astrotekton Literary Societies will give an inter-society reception in honor of the new girls on Saturday evening at eight-thirty. This is an annual event, and is always thoroughly enjoyed. Both new and old girls are looking forward to it with much pleasure.

Miss Ruth Liverman of Norfolk, former graduate of Meredith, offered a year's scholarship to Meredith to the Freshman of last year who should make the highest average. This scholarship is handled through the Honor Society, and is given for the purpose of increasing interest in that society. The scholarship last year was won by Marguerite Mason, of Greensboro. Miss Liverman is offering a scholarship under similar circumstances to the present Freshman Class.

REPORTERS FOR THIS ISSUE

Charlotte Curtis, Evelyn Jolley, Madaline Elliott, Annie Bell Noel, Margaret Craig, Sarah Briggs, Hesta Kitchin.

MARRIAGES

Jewell Askew (1927) to Henry B. Edwards, on July 1. At home, Shelby, N. C.

Cleone Cooper (1927) to Carey C. Mumford, on July 28. At home Skylands, N. C.

The article appearing in last week's issue of THE TWIG entitled "Student Government in 1907-08," written by Marguerite Mason, was rated upon as the best contribution for the week.

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