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CLASS OF '31 MAKE THEIR DEBUT AS ACTRESSES

STUNTS CLEVER AND ORIGINAL

ENGLISH MAJORS DIRECT STUNTS—GOOD ACTING

The class of '31 gave their opening theater performance Friday night in the Meredith auditorium. The audience was very enthusiastic and gave the young actresses a good send off. The performance was given for the benefit of "Better Speech Week." The only admission was better speech and the absence of slang.

The first stunt was under an able director, Miss Laura Mabel Haywood. A kind old grandmother read to her young grandson "The Burial of Ain't and Git." By means of a screen with a light behind it the audience witnessed the burial.

The next stunt was under the direction of Miss Pauline Huff. A poor freshman had violated the laws of the accusative case and was brought to court. The defendant was found guilty and after many heart-rending sobs the court was dismissed. The case was upheld by able lawyers and the jury seemed very fair in their verdict.

Misses Sarah Cooke and Miriam Daughtry directed the third stunt. The little demons—(bad English) were making the two college girls use slang but while they were reading of the future and how it depended on the English of the younger generation, "Good English" came and waved his sword. The little demons fell dead.

The fourth stunt was under the direction of Misses Alice Dowd, Gwyn Lenoir and Bessie Gill. The first scene was at the railway station where the Woman's Club met old "Mrs. Bad English." The next scene was at the Hickville school and Mrs. Bad English was making a speech. Because of her many errors the pupils, mothers, and the teacher drove old Mrs. Bad English away with brooms, erasers, books, and sticks!

The next stunt was directed by Miss Pauline Freeman. Mary, quite contrary was watering her flowers. The weeds outgrew the flowers but by the aid of Mother Goose the weeds, (which were bad English) were destroyed and Good English ruled her garden.

Miss Martha Medlin directed the next stunt, in which a college room was shown. Slang and bad English filled the room. A girl's aunt visited them and at her suggestion they decided to improve their English.

Miss Madeline Moore directed the stunt of "The English Shop." On one side the clerk sold slang and bad English on the other complete sentences and good English. Two customers bought the goods. Two years later the one who purchased the bad goods asked the other if she could get some

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Marion Fiske Elected S. G. President

ONE OF MOST POPULAR AND BEST ALL ROUND GIRLS IN LIMELIGHT AGAIN

HAS HELD IMPORTANT OFFICES BEFORE—PRESENT PRESIDENT OF JUNIOR CLASS

Miss Marion Fiske of Moyock, one of the most popular members of the class of '29, has again been thrust into the limelight by her election to the office

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MISS JOHNSON ENTERTAINS

MEREDITH GIRLS AT-TEND DELIGHTFUL TEA

Several of the members of Miss Mary Lynch Johnson's Sunday school class considered themselves quite fortunate in being guests at an informal tea on Saturday afternoon at her home on Ashe Avenue. The guests were received by Mrs. Farmer, sister to Miss Johnson and a former Meredith graduate. After a few minutes spent in delightful conversation, the sudden

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SENATOR REED TO SPEAK IN CHAPEL HILL

PROMINENT IN POLITICS

Chapel Hill, N. C. (CP)
Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, a leading Democrat in national circles, will speak here on the afternoon of March 27 in response to an invitation

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THE BIRTH OF ST. PATRICK

On the eighth day of March it was, some people say,
That Saint Patrick at midnight he first saw the day;
While others declare 'twas the ninth he was born,
And 'twas all a mistake between midnight and morn;
For mistakes will occur in a hurry and shock,
And some blamed the baby and some blamed the clock—
Till with all their cross-questions sure no one could know
If the child was too fast, or the clock too slow.

Now the first faction-fight in auld Ireland, they say,
Was all on account of St. Patrick's birthday:
Some fought for the eighth—for the ninth more would die,
And who wouldn't see right, sure they blackened his eye!

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Katherine Maddry Goes to Charlotte

STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT REPRESENTS MEREDITH AT "COLLEGE DAY" IN CHARLOTTE

OUR PRESIDENT TO MAKE SPEECHES—TO BE ENTAINED BY MEREDITH ALUMNAE

Katherine Maddry, President Student Body, left Monday night to represent Meredith at "College Day," which will be observed at Charlotte on Wednesday of this week. This special day is observed each year, and is sponsored by the A. A. U. W. of Charlotte, for the purpose of interesting High School students in college work. Olive Pittman went as Meredith's representative last spring.

There will be delegates from N. C. C. W., Greensboro College, Converse, Sweet Briar, Coker, Randolph-Macon, West Hampton and numbers of other colleges. On Wednesday they will visit the various schools of Charlotte and those of near-by towns, where each will speak to the students on the importance of attending college, meanwhile, alluding to the many reasons why her own college is the one to be chosen.

Meredith is well represented. In addition to herself, Katherine carried with her greetings from our student body, a number of Meredith banners, views of our campus, copies of *Oak Leaves, Acorns, Twigs*, and a variety of things pertaining to Meredith.

Our representative is to be entertained by the Meredith Chapter of Charlotte Alumnae, and is to be honoree at a tea given by that group on Tuesday afternoon. We are trusting that Charlotte will have scores of future Meredith girls as a result of Katherine's visit.



Janie Burns Elected Senior President

ONE OF MOST TALENTED MUSICIANS AT MEREDITH

NEW PRESIDENT IS VERY LOVABLE—OVERWHELMING MAJORITY ELECTS HER

Members of the Junior class waited expectantly all day Monday for the 6:30 hour when their president for the coming year was to be elected. There were six candidates for this important office—all capable and well-liked. For several days before the election you could hear Juniors discussing these candidates and trying to persuade others that their favorite was the best one for the office. At last the fateful hour came. All the Juniors came into the social room eager, excited, and trying to speak one last word in favor of their chosen one. After the six candidates—Hesta Kitchin, Louise Craven, Pauline Newton, Sarah Mewborn, Sarah Cook, and Janie Burns had withdrawn, the votes were cast. A second vote was necessary and its outcome was an overwhelming majority for Janie Burns. Of course, we demanded a "speech" from our new president who blushing from and in her own attractive manner simply said, "I'm scared to death. Well, I certainly wasn't expecting it and I certainly do appreciate it." Her words were followed by a loud applause from the entire class which seemed to say, "We'll stand by you, Janie, through thick and thin, and we know you'll lead us safely through our Senior year."

It is useless to sing Janie's praise, for everyone knows her and "to know her is to love her." Her home is in Roxboro and we know that her town is justly proud of her. She has proved herself capable in more than one way during her three years at Meredith. She is one of the most talented music students here. She served Meredith and the denomination well in her "four-minute speeches" for the Centen-

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MR. DAVIS ARRIVES IN CITY

NEW PASTOR OF TABERNACLE WELCOMED

MAKES WONDERFUL IMPRESSION AT OPENING SERVICE

Mr. Gibson Davis, the new pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist Church arrived in the city last Tuesday to take up his work in his new pastorate.

The members of the Tabernacle Baptist Church welcomed their new pastor by showering Mrs. Davis and him with many gifts.

Mr. Davis conducted the regular Wednesday evening prayer service on last Wednesday. This is the second time that the members of the Tabernacle have had the privilege of hearing their new pastor; Mr. Davis spoke to the Workers Council Baptist last month. Those who were present at that banquet were very deeply impressed with the short message that he brought to them. At the prayer meeting service on Wednesday night he firmly established our good opinion of him. We feel sure that his stay will be a most successful one and will accomplish wonderful things for the work of the Kingdom.

Mr. Davis the Meredith girls welcome you!

Astro Play Saturday Night

PROMISES TO BE EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD

CHARACTERS TO BE CLEVERLY IMPERSONATED

The Astrotekton play, which is to be given Saturday, March 19, under the skillful direction of Miss Lucy Platt assisted by Dr. Horton of Raleigh, promises to be exceedingly good and is an event which we are eagerly awaiting. "Mr. Pim Passes By" is a comedy in three acts and is produced by special arrangement with Samuel French of New York.

The scene of the action is laid in Buckinghamshire, England, in a charming old-fashioned country home which the owner, George Marden, tries to retain free from anything modern, because it was "the house of his father and forefathers and good enough for him." His wife, Olivia, who was a young widow before he married her, knows the gentle art of managing him without his knowledge of being "bossed." She has decided to liven up the old place by new curtains and rugs but first has to overcome George's opposition. Dinah, George's niece and protégée, is very young talkative and

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