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Editorial

All aboard for the Press Association! Last call for delegates! Three cheers for Duke—we like it more than ever.

And speaking of publications, that reminds of of something we have been wishing to say for several weeks, but opportunity failed to present itself. It is concerning the lack of credit accorded those who devote the majority of their waking (sometimes sleeping ones, too) hours to work on year books, magazines and newspapers. There must have circulated a very distorted idea concerning work on a publication staff—if so, it should be corrected. In the first place, it lacks heaps of being all pleasure and no work to be a conscientious worker on any of the staffs—in fact, much of it is pure drudgery we are no more industrious than the average person and therefore enjoy hard work little more. In the second place, these publications are not our private property, neither are they run in our interest. They belong to Meredith, and are as vital a part of the college as any other organization on the campus.

Realizing this fact and because of our loyalty to and interest in our *Alma Mater*, we have enjoyed devoting all our energies toward making publications a success. However, no successors in our work will be found if the cooperation, appreciation and credit of students, alumnae and faculty are withheld. By this we mean more than mere appreciation in the abstract. No normal, sensible set of girls would work diligently for three years on a

LOCALS

Jake, one of our unfortunate chefs has recovered from his malady of small pox and has visited the college. He told Miss Rhodes to inform the girls that he was very sorry that he had caused them all to be vaccinated and that he hoped that he wouldn't have smallpox again.

Miss Nelle Baker spent the week-end at her home in Ahoskee. She was accompanied by Tillie Duvall, Mary Louise Huffman, Roberta Royster, Miss Katherine Mitchell.

Mrs. Price who has been visiting her daughter, Dr. Helen Price, has returned to her home in Swarthmore, Pa.

Misses Sarah Oliver, Musette Kitchin, Pauline Duckett, Janie Burns, Margaret Craig, Hesta Kitchin, Margaret Trotman, Pauline Kitchin, Leila Holding, Sara Cullom, Bruce Gore, Anne Simms, Kathleen Durham, and Grace Higgs, spent the week-end in Wake Forest, where Saturday night they attended a lovely party given by Miss Annie Renée Powell.

Miss Mary Frances Biggers was a visitor at the college the past week.

Miss Emily Carney spent the week-end with Miss Mary Louise Edwards.

Miss Ruby Worrell '31 has recovered from a serious attack of appendicitis.

The inauguration of President Gaines of Wake Forest attracted many over to the "big" city.

We hear that the Wake Forest Glee Club is making splendid strides. Here's to you Wake Forest! Why not give us a treat?

OPEN FORUM

We notice in the *Technician* an article entitled "The Freshman Problem." After reading this article, we realize that freshmen are a problem at other places as well as at Meredith. To quote a little: "Are the freshmen going to take this campus? The sophomores seem to have given up hope of controlling them." Here at Meredith there is the same problem. It would not be quite as noticeable if the fresh-

paper staff, to receive no visible, material reward in the end. No financial compensation is expected; however, a few hours credit given toward a degree and a few considerations shown, would go far in causing the staffs to feel that they were receiving the reward which usually follows faithful service.

This is the attitude which students of many of the leading colleges are assuming, and one which well deserves consideration by students and college authorities.

men were respectful to sophomores and juniors, but it seems that freshmen have formed a low conception of their mental superiors when they rush ahead of seniors without any apology and are in other ways disrespectful. It may seem to them a little thing, but "great oaks from little acorns grow," and if the seniors are no longer accorded the respect and honor due them, one of the "unwritten laws" of freshman training has been violated.

This, of course, does not apply to all of the freshmen. Some are models of all that freshmen should be, but others are not, and it is to the latter that we refer. "If the shoe fits you, wear it."

(SARAH BRIGGS '31)

Dear Sadie:

Time has collapsed or elapsed or something like that. Anyway I'm meanin' to say as what I haven't sent you no epistle in a pow'ful long time, so I has set myself down and took my pen in hand so I can commence.

Spring has come! And Sadie, these people is getting athletic, what ever that means. Anyhows one day a girl came up to my suite (sweet—you know) and ast me to come over to the courts. She said she'd meet me there. Wal, I took and put on my Easter dress 'cause I was all sot to meet a king and queen or least wise a jedge. She had told me where it wus, so I went. Lawzee, Sadie, it want nothing but a kinda chicken yard with the wire left off'n two sides. Some fish nets was strung across it and girls batted a ball at each other. Just as I came up one of 'em yelled, "Deuce." I was sorta shocked but kept quiet. Then one yelled "Ready?" 'Tother she yelled "Serve." Who ever heard of anyone not being ready for 'em to serve? Never served nothin' far's I could see. Then this here girl what ast me to come say where wus my racket. I done tole her I don't never make any racket since I got one of them there yell downs for making one the other night. She said she'd lend me hers. She give me two pieces o' wood with string run all between 'em and I walked out on this court. A girl she say, "Ready?" I says "For what?" She says "Are you ready?" I say "Sho!" She knocked a ball. Didn't come near me so I told her that wus allright to try again. She just looked at me and says, "Fifteen, Love." I says "How come you calling me love?" "She say, "Fifteen, Love!" I says, "What do love mean?" She say, "Love means nothing!" Love means nothing! Sadie, d' you get that? I looks at her then I draws myself up very dignified and I says, "Look here, girl I ain't gonna play no such ungodly game where people says Deuce and love means nothing!" I left. Do you blame me, Sadie?

I can't write no more. I'm going to see some body name Jim. Tell you 'bout that next time.

Yours with best love, and I'm telling you Sadie it ain't that new kind,
Myra.

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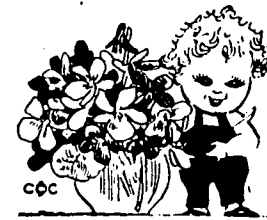
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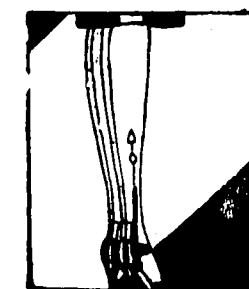
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