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REUNION CLASSES

Classes '03, '07, '08, '09, '10, '18, '26.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sterling Bridges, of Wakefield, announce the birth of a daughter, Edith, at Mary Elizabeth Hospital, April 2.

COMMENCEMENT NEWS

One of the Alumnae wrote us the other day that she did hope we would publish information about commencement in time for people to make arrangements to come. She said that some years she did not even know the date. I imagine there are others who are waiting for such news as this, and I do hope you will get this in time to make your plans to be with us. Our President is sending out a letter this week, but we are taking this additional opportunity to get the facts before you, in case one of the communications should go astray.

The dates this year are May 26-29, though we hope many of you can come in time for the Senior play on Friday night, May 25. We have been very much puzzled to know what to do about the date of the Alumnae meeting. There were comparatively few replies to the question in the Twig as to whether you wanted the Alumnae meeting changed from Monday to Saturday for the benefit of those who are still teaching in various schools. Most of the replies seemed to be for the change, but we imagine that you had in mind Saturday morning. That would be an almost impossible time here at the College, as we do not finish examinations until noon. And we wonder if you would be as enthusiastic about an afternoon meeting. Of course we have the Art Exhibit on Saturday afternoon anyhow. Since we cannot find out definitely what the preference of the majority is, and since the time now is so short, we decided that we had better have the Alumnae meeting Monday morning and the luncheon at one o'clock just as we have always done. At that time we can discuss the plan for the future, and those of you who cannot be present can have your vote. We do hope all of you can be with us, and we strongly advise your dismissing your schools if necessary! We want you to have the luncheon at the Mansion Park Hotel (Old Main Building) and to give you an opportunity to go over the old buildings. If you don't think we are planning a great time, just come and see!

In closing, let me remind you again how eager we are to have you come back this year. We do want to have a real family reunion, and we send you, one and all. Won't you please write us that you are coming so that we can know how to complete our plans here? We have plenty of room, and

you will need to bring only towels and bed linen. We can supply pillows, and blankets if they are needed. Please fill in the following blank and mail it to Caroline Biggers, Meredith College, Raleigh, N. C. If your plans are not definitely made yet, clip it and send it in as soon as you can, but please do not forget it. We should like to hear as soon as we can. If you have any preference about roommates, we are giving you an opportunity to state that too.

May we count you in for commencement?

When do you expect to arrive?.....

Have you any preference as to roommates?

May we reserve for you a ticket for the Alumnae Luncheon?

Signed

Address

PHI PRESENTS ORIGINAL PLAYLET

ARRANGED BY FRANCES FULGHUM

The Philaretian Literary Society presented a most clever and entertaining playlet at its regular weekly meeting on Monday night. This number was arranged by Frances Fulghum, Class of '30, with her assistants. It was a representation of the miserable life of Freshmen during sorority pledge week. Several of the Freshman pledges were called in to perform for the benefit of Frances and Anne Simms, and their respective dates.

Freshman Janie Burns, sleepy-eyed and tousled-haired, was the first one called in to furnish music on the piano while Frances and Anne casually "chatted" and listened alternately. Freshman Madeline Moore was made to "clog," while Freshman Pauline Freeman and Matilda Holleman who accidentally stumbled in the room, were drafted into making stump speeches for *Jiggs* and *Andy Gump*, respectively, as prospective nominees for President of United States. The discussion ended in blows over whether *Min* or *Maggie* would make a more impressive "First Lady." Freshman Constance Ellis was called in to bring "peace after the storm" by playing *Sweetheart*.

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IRENE THOMAS OF ROCKY MOUNT ELECTED SOPHOMORE PRESIDENT

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Secretary—Blondie Morse, of Rockingham.
 Treasurer—Elizabeth Ayscue, of Buies Creek.
 Sophomore Representative on Student Council—Vida Miller.
 Cheer Leader—Sarah Briggs, of Raleigh.
 As Freshmen, the Class of '31 has exhibited extraordinary ability, enthusiasm and college spirit. As members of publication staffs, in the different religious organizations, as well as in the other college activities, they have taken an active part. As Sophomores, under the leadership of these newly-elected officers, one feels that '31 will assume an even more prominent place on the campus, and will be real Sophomores.



VISIONS

MATILDA HOLLOMAN

Gee! but that old Latin was hard! The words look so unfamiliar—in fact, I don't believe they were really Latin. Oh, how heavy my eyelids were, they just wouldn't stay open, they just burned, and oh, how the yellow glow of the lamp added to the song of slumberland that rang in my head. Slowly but surely I'd soon sleep beneath the sandman's tree.

"Matilda, aren't you going to breakfast this morning?"

"Oo-oo, yes, I yawned but just remember, old roomie, I can go in one half an hour late. Laugh at that will you? So run along and eat your pancake and Karo."

"Gee, but it was good to be a privileged character, to snooze a half an hour later."

"Tilda, how you dated this afternoon?"

"Don't talk to me, Lib, I'm riding. I guess you remember that two of our number can ride with their "beaus." Well, we are exerting one of our privileges this afternoon."

"Say, are you going to the Carolina-State game this afternoon?" "Surely, I'll be right there, right on time and accompanied, don't worry."

"But when are you gonna study, old lady?"

"After every one of those Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors are fast asleep and after I've had a good time. I'll get my dearly beloved work, dearie."

Bang! "Visiting bell!" What—had I been dreaming? Wasn't I a Senior after all that? Well, "it won't be long now." That was just a long drawn out dream—just a long drawn out dream—just three short years and I can have my dream come true.

STATE Theatre

Today—Friday

NORMA TALMADGE

AS

"THE DOVE"

ON THE STAGE

SENORITA LUISA ESPINEL

PRESENTING

VIVID SONG PICTURES

OF SPAIN

Saturday

EAST SIDE WEST SIDE

ALSO

MISS DOLORES CROZIER'S

ANNUAL SPRING FROLIC

LAST KEITH BILL OF

SEASON

"HERO FOR A NIGHT"

Wednesday-Thursday-Friday

RONALD COLMAN AND

VILMA BANKY

—IN—

"MAGIC FLAME"

PROMINENT MEN TO BE HERE FOR COMMENCEMENT

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of Rochester, N. Y., will deliver the commencement address. Dr. Beaver has been pastor of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church, Rochester since 1909, and is connected with the seminary

there. He has written a number of books, and also writes for some of the papers. He is also a speaker at the summer assemblies. Dr. Beaver traveled extensively in Palestine last year, and soon after his return last May was engaged to deliver the address at Meredith this year.

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