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Stunt Night

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Juniors Win First Place In Annual Stunt Night

Classes Present Unique Stunt in Contest for Cup

The annual Stunt Night, held each year under the auspices of the Athletic Association, marked the culmination of weeks of practice and energy. This occasion took place on Saturday night, October 26. Each of the college classes presented a stunt which was judged by five disinterested persons on the basis of originality and on presentation, and a silver loving cup was presented to the class excelling in their parts. This year the cup went to the Junior Class, while second place was awarded the Sophomores.

The Junior stunt was entitled *Springs of '99*. It presented a situation of 1999 in which people were made of springs, and all their actions were automatic. The "winder" was lost by the keeper of the key; therefore, the principal action of the plot consisted in the search for the key, the excitement of which was augmented by the fear of the

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Tea For New Faculty Members In Parlors

Outstanding among the social events of the faculty department was the tea given Wednesday afternoon, from four until six, by the members of the old faculty in honor of those who have been added this year—the new faculty. The setting for this occasion was the college parlors, which were cleverly decorated with fall leaves and other decorations suggesting Halloween.

Receiving at the front entrance were Dr. Julia Harris and Dr. Delia Dixon-Carroll. Miss Mary Lynch Johnson ushered the guests to the parlors, where they were met by Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brewer and Dean and Mrs. J. Gregory Boomhour. At the head of an informal receiving line were Misses Grace Lawrence and Caroline Biggers, who introduced the guests to the new members of the faculty, composing the receiving line. These were stationed in the chaperone's parlor.

The tea table, placed in the rose parlor, was appropriately decorated with yellow cosmos. Softly burning yellow candles lent a mellow glow to the scene. Miss Ida Poteat presided over the tea table, assisted by Misses Galt, Mary Tillery, Virginia Branch, Mary Spruill, and Mrs. Blalock, who served tea, ices, cakes, nuts, and candies.

The heads of the various departments bade the guests goodbye as they passed through the blue parlor.

Many friends of those connected with the college, and many who were interested in Meredith, called during the evening.

Classical Club Holds First Meeting of Year

The Helen Hull Law Classical Club held its first meeting of the year last Thursday afternoon in the social room of first floor B. The meeting was opened with the new president, Ellen Bradsher, presiding. Pearl Jones, secretary, called the roll and announced the amount of the club dues for this semester.

Vida Miller, program chairman, was in charge of a very unusual and interesting program based upon the topic, "Greek and Roman Mythology." Sara Elizabeth Jenkins discussed the "Origin of Ancient Myths and Legends." Elizabeth Ayscue described the Tarpeian Rock, giving numerous historical and legendary facts about its past. Margaret Craig gave a very vivid characterization of the chief Greek goddess, Hera, relating various myths in which she played the leading rôle. A synopsis of the Greek myth, "Echo and Narcissus," was presented by Lillian Aldridge. In conclusion, the members of the club sang several Latin songs.

Delicious refreshments, consisting of salted peanuts, Eskimo pies, wafers, and marshmallows, were served by Blanche Obenshain and Ellen Bradsher.

The second Thursday of each month was decided upon for the regular date for the club meeting. All members, both old and new, were urged to be present at the next meeting.

Play Day To Be Held In Greensboro Soon

The first week-end in November has been set aside as Play Day at N. C. C. W. in Greensboro. This is the second annual meeting of this organization to be held there. It is an old custom in other sections of the country, but is new to the South. The first Play Day was held last year in Greensboro, and was such a success that it is now an agreed annual custom.

At this time student representatives from fifteen colleges come together for a day of sports and mass games. Each delegate chooses two groups of sports which she prefers from the following three: Hockey and soccer, baseball, and individual challenges, which include tennis, stunts, quoits, croquet, and archery. The players are then chosen for each team and the games begin.

One of the main objectives of Play Day is to give opportunity for keen friendly rivalry between groups (and not colleges); there are no ancient grudges to stir up bitterness, and no traditional ill-will to be fostered by rooters. It gives the girls a wonderful chance to play *with* rather than *against* each other; it is to play for play's sake!

The program for this year's

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ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION REVISES CONSTITUTION

Important Changes Are Voted by Student Body at Recent Meeting

Several important changes and additions were made which the members of the association are asked to note in the following copy of the constitution:

Article I—Name

The name of this organization shall be the Meredith College Athletic Association.

Article II—Purpose

The purpose of this association shall be to promote interest in athletics and to develop good sportsmanship.

Article III—Membership

Section 1. All members of the student body are automatically members of the association.

Sec. 2. Membership fee is included in budget.

Sec. 3. Members are entitled to admission to all athletic events and to the use of all equipment maintained by the association.

Article IV—Organization

Section 1. Officers. The officers of the association shall be a president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer.

Sec. 2. Nomination of Officers. Follows regular order of college nominations.

Sec. 3. Election and Qualifications of Officers. Officers shall be elected from the following incoming classes: (a) President, Senior; (b) vice-president, Junior; (c) treasurer, Sophomore; (d) secretary, Sophomore.

The requirements for eligibility to office shall be as follows: (a) Scholarship—the same as that of playing on a class team.

Sec. 4. Duties of Officers.

(a) It shall be the duty of the president to call and preside at all meetings of the association, to be an ex officio member of all committees, to approve all bills before they are paid, and to perform all other duties usually incident to the office. It shall be the duty of the president to appoint special committees when needed for special duties. On retiring from office she shall present to the incoming president a

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Officers of 1929-1930 Athletic Association

General Officers of Athletic Association

President—Dorothy Rowland
Vice-President—Bruce Gore
Secretary—Elizabeth Thornton
Treasurer—Velma Webb

Tennis Managers

Senior—Elizabeth Apple
Junior—Bruce Gore
Sophomore—Lottie Belle Myers
Freshman—Isabel Kinsey

Hockey Managers

Senior—Dorothy Gillie
Junior—Elizabeth Ayscue
Sophomore—Edwina Martin
Freshman—Jane Jones

Spirit of Rivalry Grows As Hockey Season Opens

Former Meredith Girl Gives Talk In Chapel

On Saturday morning, October 26, the chapel program was most interesting to the entire student body. Dr. Brewer announced that a girl who had graduated from Meredith twenty-six years ago would talk to us. When she was a student at Meredith she was Miss Maude Burke, but now she is Mrs. C. H. Dozier.

Mrs. Dozier expressed amazement that this could really be Meredith. Her first visit to 'new' Meredith brought her many surprises, as she noted the changes and improvements made since her graduation.

For over thirteen years she and her husband have been working on the mission field in Fukuoka, Japan. They are in charge of a mission school there. She is the only Meredith girl in the entire Empire of Japan who is working towards the advancement of the Kingdom there. And she prayed that soon many other Meredith girls could join them in their work, for people are depending on Meredith girls, she declared.

As a conclusion to the program, Mrs. Dozier joined with the student body in singing the Alma Mater. It was the first time she had ever heard it sung, but many times, she said, she and her daughter played and sang it together in Japan. Every girl's heart thrilled to the thought of having an Alma Mater that means so much to someone so far away on foreign fields.

Miss Brewer Talks At Vesper Service

One of the most enjoyable vesper services held this year was the one in the Rose Parlor on Sunday night, October 27. Several songs were sung and prayers offered in opening. The main feature of the program was a talk by Miss Ellen Brewer.

Miss Brewer's message to those who gathered for a period of worship and devotion was one entitled "Joys of the Road." The book, "An Anthology In Praise of Walking," she said, is a very thought-provoking work. Then Miss Brewer asked, "Do we associate the journey of life with the same joy? Do we see too little of it at the time?"

There are many beauties on the road. There are also people who miss these beauties. The seasons, the green freshness of spring, the warm summer suns, the multicolored leaves of autumn, the winter snows—some people do not see them. "So many beautiful things you pass right by," said Miss Brewer.

Then the companionships along the road were brought out.

"God never loved me in so sweet a way before;
'Tis only He who can such blessings send;
And when His love would new expression find,
He brought then to me and said,
'Behold, a friend!'"

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Classes Show Competition for Hockey Cup Will Be Strong

A nip in the air, the shrill of a whistle, the thud of a round wooden ball on a stick—and our first hockey season is here.

About one hundred girls have already signed up, and there are others coming in all the time. Those of you who haven't, take a whack at it; see what it's like. If you have forgotten to sign up with your manager, come out anyway when we are practicing and try out.

Watch the board for the time and place of practice. Unless a special notice is posted, the practices at 5 o'clock on the athletic field will continue.

To you girls who don't know the game, we'll tell you it's great. It is the very essence of fall's crispness and hard, clear blueness. There's the same thrill in it that you have when the football team is racing down the field.

Work on our new athletic field is in progress. It is on the west

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Practice Begins Now For Season of Tennis

Tennis rackets swinging; tennis balls bouncing; girls going to the tennis courts! And in October, when tennis season doesn't come until the last of April? Yes, indeed! Meredith is going to play tennis this year, and in order to make the season a successful one, the players are starting in time.

Those who play tennis say that it is one of the finest and most interesting of the sports, and they can do no more than invite the girls who have never played to come and see for themselves. It makes no difference how little one knows already about the game, or how narrow her previous experience in it has been, for Miss Anderson is giving instructions each afternoon and will be glad to arrange times to help anyone wishing to learn tennis.

Conditions seem unusually conducive to a lively year in this sport, as the courts are to be worked on and the back-stops moved considerably further back, which is an item that will add to the convenience and pleasure of playing. Also, tennis balls and rackets can be bought now right here on the campus, in the athletic office, for the same prices at which they are sold in Raleigh.

Miss Anderson and the girls who are already frequenting the courts each day are very enthusiastic over the prospects for the game on our campus. Girls, see your class tennis manager today and come on out, join in the fun now, and begin the practicing in November which will help to win for your class the cup to be awarded next May. It's the only way to victory!