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Class of '33 Entertains Sophs of State, W. F.

Saturday night the Class of '33 of Meredith was hostess to the Classes of '33 from State and Wake Forest at a most entertaining party given in the society halls. The gallant sophs were met in the parlors and directed to the halls by their charming hostesses. The "getting acquainted" was carried out in a very unique way. A shamrock leaf with a number on it was pinned on each person as he entered the door. Then a card was given each one with questions on the back which were to be asked to the number indicated. Many new acquaintances were made and much fun resulted in answering these questions. After everybody knew everybody else, each person filled his date card. After the dates every one assembled in the Phi Hall where they were en-

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Excellent Organ Recital Given by Mr. Battin

The splendid organ recital given by Mr. I. L. Battin, head of the music department at Meredith, on Sunday afternoon, March 15, was again a concert which exhibited his unusual skill as an organist, and his versatile powers of interpretation in many passages of contrasting effects, some with thrilling brilliance, others with quiet tenderness.

The program was opened by Moquaine's "First Symphony," the *Allegro* of which showed complete mastery of the idiom of the organ and increased in interest from the beginning to the end, where it worked up to a thrilling climax of the joyfulness characteristic of the theme. The An-

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MISS MARTHA DAVIS of Winston-Salem is to be the president of the Sophomore Class next year.

Dr. Spilman Talks on Book of Revelation

Dr. B. W. Spilman is giving at Chapel exercises a very informing series of talks on the Book of Revelation. Quoting from the first two of his splendid lectures Dr. Spilman said "John was one of the first five selected by Jesus. He was converted near the Jordan when John the Baptist was preaching. Later Jesus selected fishermen while at their work on the Sea of Galilee and John was one of the four. From the large number of disciples Jesus selected twelve apostles and among the twelve John was one. He was one of the three always nearest Jesus. John was with Jesus when he raised the daughter of Jairus from the dead. He was on the mount of transfiguration and with his Master in the garden of Gethsemane. When Jesus was placed on trial before the governor John stood by while all the other apostles left him. He saw Jesus and talked with him many times during the time following His resurrection. He was present at Pentecost when the Holy Spirit came on His followers.

"After the Crucifixion of Jesus John took Mary, the mother of Jesus, into his home in Jerusalem where he had lately moved. James, the brother of John, was killed by the order of Herod and he himself and Peter were frequently in prison. Peter went into the far east to carry on his ministry while John remained in Palestine and later went into Asia Minor.

"John lived to be about a hun-

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Student Body Votes To Reduce Budget

As a result of a recent meeting of the Nominating Committee the budget has been reduced from \$14.75 to \$9.00. The cut was due to the careful planning of the members who are leaders of the organizations most effected by the budget. It was decided that membership in the B. S. U. should be made optional, and that it should be supported solely by the proceeds from the "B-Hive" and voluntary contributions. As a result of the reduction the *Acorn* will be published quarterly, while the *Twig* will appear only once every two weeks instead of weekly, as has been the

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MISS EDWINA MARTIN, of Winston-Salem, newly-elected president of Senior Class for 1931-32.

CAMPUS LEADERS FOR NEXT YEAR CHOSEN

Elizabeth Stevens, of High Point, daughter of Rev. Herman T. Stevens, well known Baptist leader, was elected last week as president of Meredith's Baptist Student Union for 1931-32. "Lib" is vice president of the Y. W. A. this year and treasurer of the Student Government. She is a member of many organizations and has proved to be a very active leader and capable officer during her three years at Meredith.

Next to the B. S. U. election in importance was the election of class presidents and publication editors. Prue Choate, managing editor of the *Twig* was elected editor for 1931-32. Prue has been a member of the *Twig* staff for two years. She is B. S. U. publicity director this year and has a real "nose for news." She's an actress, too—remember her part in the junior stunt? She's a really live wire and things are sure to hum next year. Lillian Aldridge has been elected editor of the *Acorn*; and Dorothy Taylor, of the *Oak Leaves*. Judging from the work they have done this year, it is safe to say the pub-

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Bride-Elect Honored With Lovely Tea

Misses Mary and Doris Tillery and Martha Galt entertained at a lovely tea Saturday afternoon from four until five-thirty in the parlors of Meredith College in honor of Miss Nell Paschal, a bride-elect of April.

Yellow and white was the color scheme carried out in the decora-

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Life of J. C. Harris Related by Dr. Spilman

At a joint meeting of the Philaretian and Astrotektion Literary Societies on March 16, at 6:45 p.m. in the College auditorium, Dr. B. W. Spilman, in a very interesting way related to the members of the societies, as well as to faculty members and others, the life history of Joel Chandler Harris, interspersed with Uncle Remus stories.

Joel Chandler Harris was born in Eatonton, Georgia, December 9, 1848. At an early age he went to work as an apprentice for Joseph Turner. He worked as type setter on a paper called *The Country Gentleman*. During his boyhood days on the Turner plantation Harris was often seen in the company of an old Negro, George Terrell, who told him a great many stories which were later included in the famous tales of Uncle Remus.

At the age of seventeen Harris obtained a position as telegraph operator at Macon, Georgia. A few years later he took charge of a printing office owned by James P. Harrison. It was while he held this position that he first met Uncle Remus, an ignorant, unlearned Negro gardener who often stopped at the printing office and told stories of "Brer Fox," "Brer Rabbit," and "Brer Ba'r."

From this position Harris moved to Savannah where he met and, in the spring of 1873 married, Miss Esther Laran, a French Canadian. After several years of married life, they were

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Meredith Trio Sings at Business Club Luncheon

Meredith College was highly represented at the American Business Club luncheon held in the Carolina Hotel, Monday, March 16.

Dr. Charles E. Brewer gave a very interesting talk on the origin and meaning of the American Business Club.

Meredith's well-known trio, composed of Misses Ruth Starling, Alma Dark, and Mary Lucille Broughton, was present at the luncheon, and sang several beautiful numbers. Miss Ruth Starling sang a solo, "He Loves Me," and Misses Alma Dark and Mary Lucille Broughton sang a duet, "When Twilight Weaves," by Beethoven.

Lucile Hamby Gives Graduation Recital

In her graduating recital last Friday evening, March 13, Lucile Hamby played a program which revealed unusual technical skill and interpretative ability. Her recital marked the culmination of three successful years of piano study with Miss Crawford.

The numbers of the program were varied and interesting, ranging from the "Allegro" from Beethoven's Concerto in C Major, to the light delicate final number, "The Maiden's Wish," by Chopin-Liszt. Lucile proved her ability to transport her audience with her through the changing moods of the compositions.

The "Allegro Con Bris" from Beethoven's Concerto in C Major opened the program and showed her superior musicianship from the quiet beginning to the brilliant Cadenza. Miss Crawford played the orchestral accompani-

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Little Theater Will Present "The Rivals"

At last the Little Theatre is to come forth and let the school know that it is still active. Just wait until you see this play which the cast, under the supervision of Dr. W. C. Horton, is working on. As most of us know, Dr. Horton is a splendid dramatic director; this was proved to the juniors and seniors in the presentation of "All of a Sudden Peggy" by the Astros in '28. Just a word about "The Rivals": this play by Sheridan is one of the most entertaining comedies ever written. All English students will be particularly interested in care-

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MISS RACHEL BIGGS of Lumberton has been elected president of the 1931-32 Junior Class.