

ALUMNAE COLUMN

OFFICERS

President—Mrs. J. Wilbur Bunn, Raleigh.
 Vice President—Mrs. Randolph Butler, Rocky Mount.
 Recording Secretary—Mrs. W. L. Wyatt, Raleigh.
 Commencement Speaker—Mrs. E. B. Earnshaw, Wake Forest.
 Alumnae Secretary—Mae Grimmer, Meredith College.

RADIO PROGRAM INCENTIVE FOR MANY MEETINGS

The alumnae program broadcast over station WPTF, Raleigh, 6:15-6:45, on Friday, February 5, concluded the Founders' Day exercises of Meredith College in commemoration of its thirty-third year of operation. While Meredith does not have an alumnae homecoming on Founders' Day, the college was carried to them by means of this broadcast.

The College Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Ethel Rowland of the voice department, opened the program with two lovely numbers, "Rain" and "Dawn," by Curran. After these, Mrs. Maude Davis Bunn, president of the general Alumnae Association, extended greetings to the alumnae. This was followed by a violin solo by Miss Mary Brockwell, of Goldsboro, accompanied by Miss Virginia Branch, of the college music faculty. Then came the reading of telegrams, and messages received during the day from chapters, clubs, groups, and individual alumnae. Following these President Brewer spoke. Dr. Vann's beautiful "Alma Mater," dear to the heart of every alumna, was the concluding number.

The fact that in approximately forty communities in North Carolina and several centers in other states, alumnae held meetings in honor of Founders' Day to hear the special broadcast, gives evidence that the Meredith spirit prevails throughout alumnae ranks. The variety of messages sent by former students from within and without the State, and from those who in their student days knew the college as Baptist Female University, Baptist University for Women, and Meredith College, gives further evidence of their loyalty to and love for the college.

Messages were received from the Asheville Chapter, alumnae of Boone, Charlotte Chapter, Sampson County Chapter, alumnae of Edenton, Columbus County Chapter, alumnae of Port Lee, N. J., Pitt County Chapter, Henderson-Warrenton Chapter, High Point Chapter, alumnae of Ithaca, N. Y., Kinston Chapter, alumnae in "House Beautiful," Louisville, Ky., alumnae of Mars Hill, Mount Gilead-Troy Chapter, Norfolk, Virginia, Alumnae Chapter, alumnae of Raeford, Richmond County Chapter, Rocky Mount Chapter, Wake County Chapter, Washington, D. C. Chapter, alumnae of Wilmington, Winston-Salem Chapter, Durham Chapter, Mrs. Mae Hinson Porter, of Rockingham, Grace Francis, of Hendersonville, and Mrs. Lillian Allen Hart, of Fayetteville, Ark.

NEW JERSEY ALUMNAE MEET

On December 5, 1932, Mrs. Edna Earle Hinton Porter entertained several Meredith College alumnae at her home in Port Lee, New Jersey.
 Mrs. Fannie Paul Malpass was guest of honor. And other alumnae enjoying the evening were Mesdames Beulah Rowland VanSant, Elma Fleetwood Moore, Thelma Fleetwood Moore, and Misses Emma Louise Kehoe and Bernice White. The husbands of the married members, together with Mr. Harold Ludus and Mr. Donald Hartman, completed the gathering.

During the evening the musically artistic guests rendered a beautiful program, recalling some of our favorite recital numbers. This was followed by refrains of the Alma Mater, Astro and Phi songs.
 Delicious refreshments were served in two courses.
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HIGH POINT CHAPTER

The High Point Chapter of Meredith Alumnae held its second meeting since organization at the Green Lantern Grill on January 16.
 Annie Belle Noel, '28, vice president, presided at the meeting. She read a letter from Miss Mae Grimmer, Alumnae Secretary, in regard to the Founders' Day exercises to be held on February 5.

Mrs. Charlotte Nelson Gift was elected president of the local chapter, and Mabel Andrews secretary, at a previous meeting.

The chapter voted to hold monthly meetings in the form of luncheons at the Green Lantern Grill.

NEW CHAPTER ORGANIZED
 The Richmond County Chapter of

Meredith Alumnae was organized on the evening of Friday, January 29, at the home of Blondie Morse, '31. Miss Mae Grimmer, Alumnae Secretary, was present and acted as chairman until the election of the following officers: Blondie Morse, president; Mrs. Maie Hinson Porter, vice president; Bruce Gore, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Agnes Cree Deane, chairman of program committee.

The chapter decided to hold a second meeting on Founders' Day at the home of Mrs. Porter, at which time a special effort would be made to have present all the alumnae of Richmond County. The meeting terminated in a social hour during which the hostess served a delicious salad course.

Those present were Mrs. Ruby McIntosh McNair, Mrs. Vannie Hawley Byrd, Mrs. Maie Hinson Porter, Mrs. Jewell Henry Reynolds, Mrs. Agnes Cree Deane, Misses Loretta Seawall, Bruce Gore, Blondie Morse and Mae Grimmer.

FAYETTEVILLE ALUMNAE MEET

The Fayetteville Meredith College Alumnae met at the home of Mrs. T. M. Hunter on Stedman street on Founders' Day to listen in to a special radio broadcast for the alumnae over WPTF, celebrating the thirty-third anniversary of the college.

A spirited meeting was held immediately after the program with Miss Edith Hall presiding. At the suggestion of Miss Hall, the alumnae voted to organize a local alumnae chapter, and the following officers were elected: Miss Mattie Belle Rogers, president, and Miss Lucille Martin, secretary and treasurer.

Those meeting with Mrs. Hunter were Mrs. R. B. Case, Mrs. O. L. MacFadyen, Miss Blanche Rogers, Miss Mattie Belle Rogers, Mrs. A. S. Lawhorn, Miss Edith Hall, Miss Mildred Youngblood, and Miss Lucille Martin.

Other alumnae in Fayetteville are Mrs. E. J. Wells, Mrs. Allen Poe, Mrs. Fannie Jones, Mrs. G. S. Quillen, Miss Annie Lou Rogers, and Miss Nita Highsmith.

SCOTLAND NECK CHAPTER

The local chapter of the Meredith Alumnae and a few guests had a delightful meeting Friday evening, February 5, in the dining room of the hotel. The special alumnae program broadcast over WPTF was heard, and then a dinner was attractively served.

Mrs. Raymond Madry was elected president and Mrs. E. H. Leggett secretary.

Those present were Mesdames R. C. Josey, Sr., R. C. Josey, Jr., L. H. Kitchin, L. L. Cherry, Billy Clark, W. H. Kitchin, E. H. Leggett, C. J. Shields, W. H. McDowell, Raymond Madry, J. A. McDowell, S. A. Dunn, Claude Kitchin, James A. Pittman, Misses Bessie Futrell and Geneva Benthall.

HENDERSON-WARRENTON CHAPTER

Meredith College alumnae members of the Meredith Chapter here, together with several invited guests, held their regular February meeting Friday, February 5, at the home of the president, Mrs. W. W. Parker, and observed Founders' Day. The feature of the gathering was the special radio program broadcast over WPTF for the alumnae.

The hostess served a tempting salad and hot chocolate, candy and salted nuts before the business meeting, which was short in order to hear the radio program at 6:15 p.m.

Members of the local club present were Mesdames W. W. Parker, M. C. Miles, K. H. Patterson, W. H. Kimball, M. B. Garrett, N. T. Harris, Clyde Hight, L. E. Turner, H. P. Protheress, Henry A. Dennis, all of Henderson, and Mesdames H. A. Moseley, Walter Gardner and W. D. Rogers, of Warrenton, Misses Lillian and Bessie Evans, of Henderson. Invited guests were Mesdames R. H. Duke, Kermit Combs, Ralph Thompson, W. D. Daniel, Jr., C. E. Page, Al. B. Wester, H. L. Candler and Miss Mary Speer of the Dabney school, and Misses Sorrell and Baucom of the Middleburg school.

The next meeting of the chapter will be held with Mrs. Walter Gardner in Warrenton.

NORFOLK ALUMNAE

Miss Louise Mays, president of the Norfolk, Virginia, alumnae chapter, entertained the local alumnae at a birthday supper at her home on Webster Avenue, in Portsmouth, on Founders' Day. The special alumnae radio program broadcast over WPTF at 6:15 was well received.

Those present besides the hostess were Mrs. Phyllis Mays Nottingham, of Exmore, Virginia, Mrs. Martha Liv-

ernon Trantham, Mrs. Mary Little Henley, Misses Ruth Liverman and Margaret Broadhurst, all of Norfolk.

GREENSBORO ALUMNAE MEET AT TEA
 Renewing the bonds of college loyalty about thirty alumnae accepted Mrs. Annie Craig Phillips' hospitality and met at tea at her home on Cypress street to celebrate the thirty-third birthday of Meredith College on Founders' Day.

Miss Netta Liles reviewed the life of Thomas Meredith, the founder of the College, and Mrs. Grace Olive Lane gave bits of current news. The Alma Mater was sung by the alumnae, who represented classes from 1907 to 1930.

Mrs. Phillips was elected general chairman of the local chapter. Other officers will be elected at a called meeting in early spring.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. Lester Lane, Mrs. C. A. McKeel and Miss Netta Liles, served dainty refreshments in keeping with the approaching Valentine's season.

Those enjoying the occasion were Mrs. J. Edgar Holt, Mrs. J. Lester Lane, Mrs. Clarence Powell, Mrs. C. A. McKeel, Mrs. W. F. Clegg, Mrs. Julius C. Smith, Mrs. J. S. Johnson, Mrs. Minnie Middleton Hussey, Mrs. Edward Rogers Goodyear, Mrs. S. A. Yates, Mrs. E. C. Tatum, Mrs. J. I. Wagoner, Mrs. Allan Hall, Misses Magdalene Monroe, Bessie Matthews, Paige Leonard, Lily Matthews, Netta Liles, Elizabeth Apple, Dorothy Satterfield, Pattie Marks, Lena Bullard, Mary Ferrell, Bess Norvell, Bessie Jackson, Annie Gibson and Ruth Jones.

WINSTON ALUMNAE MEET WITH MISS MASON

Miss Marguerite Mason, Mesdames Undine Futrell Johnson, Hattie Davis Futrell, and Elva Wall Davis were hostesses to the local alumnae on Friday evening, February 5, at the home of Miss Mason on Reynolda Road, the occasion being to celebrate the thirty-third anniversary of the opening of Meredith College.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. M. Kesler, Mrs. W. M. Johnson presided over the meeting.

After the special alumnae radio program was heard, the guests were invited into the dining room, where a delicious buffet supper was served.

Those present besides the hostesses were Mesdames Mangum Turner, Paul Walker, Frank Clinard, W. S. Christian, Tom Mewshaw, Cary B. Taylor, J. H. Early, E. L. Davis, and Misses Martha Davis, Katherine Johnson, Lillian Haislip, Mary Hendrix, Dorothy Davis, Pauline Tuttle, Louise Ledford, Katherine Seckler and Glenn Ward.

WAKE COUNTY CHAPTER

The Wake County Chapter of the Meredith Alumnae met in the college parlors Wednesday afternoon, February 10.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. C. O. Abernethy, Miss Mae Grimmer presided.

At the conclusion of the business session, the meeting was turned over to Miss Ellen Brewer, who introduced those on the program, the subject of which was "Introducing to Yesterday's Meredith, Miss Meredith of Today." Those taking part were Charlotte Makepeace, representing the Student Government; Elizabeth Stevens, the Baptist Student Union; Lottie Belle Myers,

the Philaretian Literary Society, Margaret Peacock, the Astrotekton Literary Society; Lucile Johnson, the Town Girls' Club; Evelyn Squires, the Granddaughters' Club; Velma Webb, the Athletic Association, and Prue Choate, the three student publications.

Mrs. J. W. Bunn, president of the general Alumnae Association, made an interesting talk, contrasting the organizations of "old" Meredith with those of today.

Mrs. Bunn's talk was followed by the singing of college songs by a group of students led by "Pat" Abernethy, and accompanied by Miss Virginia Branch of the music faculty.

The meeting terminated in a social hour, during which tea and wafers were served by the hostesses of the afternoon.

We extend deepest sympathy to Mrs. Rosa Hocutt Powell, Mrs. Berta Hocutt Scott, Mrs. Zelma Hocutt Dawson, Misses Olivia, Naomi and Alma Hocutt, in the bereavement of their father, Rev. J. D. Hocutt, who passed away at his home in Ashton, N. C., on February 8.

MARRIAGE

Beulah Evelyn Allen, '30, of Cary, and Mr. John Hilton Pone, on December 26, 1931. At home, Enfield, N. C.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kesler (Annie Mercer, '18), of Winston-Salem, announce the birth of a daughter, Anne Mercer Kesler, in January.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Potter (Crystal Davis, '26), of Hertford, announce the birth of a son on Sunday, February 7.

MEREDITH ALUMNAE LUNCHEON

The former students of Meredith College will have a luncheon on Wednesday, March 2, 1 p.m., in the dining room of Grace Methodist Protestant Church, Greensboro, North Carolina. Plates will be 50c each. It is hoped every alumna attending the annual W. M. U. meeting will be present at this luncheon. All those who wish a plate reserved, please write at once to Mrs. J. Lester Lane, 709 Asheboro Street, Greensboro, N. C.

MORE ABOUT COUPONS

The Octagon people have recently sent the alumnae office the encouraging news that we may count the coupon found in packages (tins) of Luzianne Coffee and Tea, and Votan Coffee. These Luzianne-Octagon certificates are valued at four (4) Octagon coupons each, and are so marked.

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