

N. C. E. A. MEETING HELD IN RALEIGH LAST WEEK-END

Meredith Education Head Gives General Review of Convention

According to Mr. B. Y. Tyner, Meredith Education head, "The teachers of the state carry on! Despite the existing financial conditions, between fifteen hundred and two thousand teachers and school officials gathered in Raleigh Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week to consider how most effectively to carry on the work of educating the youth of the state.

In the opening session Thursday evening President Erwin sounded the keynote of the convention in insisting that we go forward—economically, yes, but nevertheless forward. Among other things he pointed out that the United States spends annually \$1,500,000,000 on its 500,000 criminals in jails and \$2,500,000,000 on its 26,000,000 school children. It is estimated that it costs \$100 a year to keep a child in school and \$300 a year to support a criminal. Agreeing that reasonable economy in the budget for education is necessary, Mr. Erwin protested against 'a budget which is balanced largely at the expense of child opportunity in North Carolina.'

Every worthwhile convention has a theme running through it. At this time, the burden of the messages of such outstanding speakers and leaders as W. J. Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education, Dr. Douglas Freeman, editor of the News-Leader, Richmond, Va., Dr. W. D. Reeve, professor of mathematics (Please turn to page four)

President Makes Five Day Trip

Sunday, March 19, Dr. Brewer left the college for a stay of five days, returning March 25, having visited several points of interest in Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, and North Carolina.

He arrived in St. Louis, March 20, in order to make an official visit with members of the Junior Order of the United American Mechanics in Missouri.

From St. Louis, Dr. Brewer continued his trip to Louisville, Kentucky, where he spent a day visiting points of interest, particularly the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Here Dr. Brewer says he had the unexpected privilege of conducting the chapel exercises. While in (Please turn to page six)

EDITORS OF STUDENT PUBLICATIONS



NANCEY VICELLIO



GRACE LAWRENCE



EVELYN BARKER

EDITORS CHOSEN TO HEAD TWIG, ACORN, AND OAK LEAVES

Vicellio, Lawrence, and Barker New Heads of Publications

During the year 1933-34 Nancy Vicellio, of Chatham, Virginia, will edit the *Twig*; Grace Lawrence, of Apex, will head the *Acorn* staff, and Evelyn Barker, of Leaksville-Spray, will be editor of the *Oak Leaves*. These juniors who have recently been elected by the student body will be assisted by Cornelia Atkins, of Sanford, as business manager of the *Twig*, Emily Miller, of Raleigh, as business manager of the *Acorn*, and Gwendolyn Crowder, of Raleigh, as business manager of the *Oak Leaves*.

Through their various activities on the campus, these girls have proved their exceptional ability.

Nancy has been on the staff of the newspaper for the past two years, being Managing Editor of the *Twig* this year. In her sophomore year she was Circulation Manager of the *Acorn*. Besides being a member of the Classical Club, the Colton English Club, and treasurer of the Little Theatre Guild, she is vice president of the Philaretian Society. Nancy is also president of the College Department at First Baptist Church.

Cornelia has been serving this year as Assistant Business Manager of the *Twig*. She belongs to the Barber Biology Club and to the Little Theatre Guild. She will be a sophomore attendant on May Day.

During this school term Grace has been junior class editor of the *Acorn*. She was a reporter (Please turn to page six)

Mrs. Highsmith Speaks To Meredith Group

Mrs. J. Henry Highsmith spoke to the "Student League of Women Voters" Tuesday afternoon in the blue parlor at Meredith College. Mrs. Highsmith was introduced by the president, Martha Salisbury. She talked on the subject "Women in Government." She explained the organization of the Council of Women, of which she is secretary, which is formed for the purpose of introducing legislative measures favored by women. In conclusion Mrs. Highsmith said the aim of the council was not only to pass protective legislation but to make living sound and healthy.

Helen Dozier Gives Recital in Piano

Thursday, evening March 16, at 8:30 o'clock, Miss May Crawford presented Helen Adelia Dozier in her piano graduation recital in the college auditorium. The program, which was one of unusual variety, included the following numbers:

Arietto di Balletto, Gluck-Joseffy; Novellette, Op. 21, No. 7 Schumann; Hungarian Dance, No. 7, Brahms.

Sonata, Op. 27, No. 1, Beethoven; Andante, Allegro. Adagio con espressione. Allegro vivace.

Requiescat in Pace, Schubert-Liszt; Valse, Op. 34, No. 1, Moszkowski.

Allegro Scherzando from Concerto in G Minor, Saint-Saens. (Orchestral accompaniment on a second piano by Miss May Crawford.)

Following the recital a reception was held in the college parlors.

Marshals for the recital were: Mae Campbell, Corine Butler, Ernestine Hayer, Stewart Howard, Ruth Tucker.

Unusual Varieties Offered in "Milestones"

"What could be lovelier than a night in June"—meaning, of course, the accessories that belong with this night? It has been rumored by many that the play *Milestones*, which is to be presented tonight by The Little Theatre is offering the equivalent to this marvelous night. The so-called accessories are present even though the night in June isn't.

Picture if you can Mary Carter Nooe (in her high heels—to give height) waxing very melo- (Please turn to page two)

Seniors Will Stage Barrie Production

Daily practices under Dr. W. C. Horton's direction are fast preparing the cast of the senior class play for their presentation of Barrie's "What Every Woman Knows," to be given next Saturday, April 8, at 8:30 o'clock.

The selection of a Barrie play has received the acclaim of many faculty members and students.

"What Every Woman Knows" is one of the most popular of the Barrie plays, and the characters chosen from the senior class are showing fine talent in the rehearsals now under way.

The date, April 8, was chosen in preference to the usual date, directly preceding commencement, so that seeing the play will not conflict with study for examinations, as has been the case heretofore. Tickets, 25 cents each, are now being sold.

Sunday School Holds Study Course Week

A week of study course was sponsored by the Sunday school during this past week and was one of the most successful ever held at Meredith.

Mr. Perry Morgan, secretary of the North Carolina Sunday School Board, taught a class on "Daily Vacation Bible Schools"; Mr. L. L. Morgan, traveling secretary for the Sunday School Board, held his class on "Building a Standard Sunday School"; and the "Young People's Department of the Sunday School" was taught by Mr. W. A. Harrell.

These classes were held twice daily during chapel in the morning and at night after dinner. This was necessary in order to (Please turn to page three)

Hazel Martin Gives Graduating Recital

A varied program was given Friday evening, March 24, at 8:30 o'clock, when Miss Ethel Rowland presented Hazel Virginia Martin in her graduating recital in voice in the college auditorium.

Elizabeth Lee was accompanist for the evening.

The following program was presented:

Se Florindoe e fedele, Scarlatti; O del mio dolce ardor, Gluck; O Sleep, Handel; My Heart Ever Faithful, Bach.

Aria from Gle Ugonotti—"Lieti Signor," Meyerbeer; Du bist die Ruh, Schubert; Am Grabe Anselmo's, Schubert; La Statue de Tsarkoie-Selo, Cui; Je sais attache des Rubans, Dourlens.

Bird Songs, Curran; Page's Road Song, Novello; Spanish Love Song, Kountz; Animal Crackers, Hageman; The Morning is Calling, Terry.

Following the recital a reception was held in the college parlors.

Marshals for the recital were: Mabel Yarborough, Virginia Garnett, Annie Vee Powell, Loretta Nichols, Myrtle Watkins.

College Calendar

April 1-2—Hospitality weekend.
April 1, 8:30—Little Theatre Play.
April 4, 6:45—International Relations Club.
April 8, 8:30—Senior Play.
April 13-18—Spring Holidays.