



# Student Council To Hold Reception In Phi Hall Tonight

Student Government Officials Headed by the Chief Marshal, Student Government President, President of the College and the Dean of Women Will Compose the Receiving Line

On the Saturday night of February 8 at 8:00, following the observance of Founder's Day on Friday, the Student Council of Meredith College will entertain the faculty, students and friends of the college at a reception in the college library and in the hall of the Philaretian Literary Society.

The receiving line will be formed in the library, with entertainment and refreshments in the Phi hall.

Those receiving will be Betty Fleischmann, chief marshal; Rachel Poe, president of the Student Government; Dr. Carlyle Campbell, president of the college, and Mrs. Campbell; Dr. Charles E. Brewer, president emeritus, and Mrs. Brewer; Miss Anna Mae Baker, dean of women; Miss Ethel English, faculty adviser of the freshman class, and the following members of the Student Council: Helen Byrd, vice-president; Gretchen Fanny, secretary; Mary Elizabeth Holloway, treasurer; Ann Taylor, Alice Falls, Mary Elizabeth Foster, Amelia Pruitt, Margaret Hine, Annie Laurie Overton, Rebecca Vaughan, Margaret Martin, Ellen Ann Flythe, Rachel Lewis, Nancy Nuckols, Rowena Daniel, Lucile Wyatt, Beth Perry, Virginia Maynard, Celeste Perry.

Punch will be served in the library by the following college marshals: Helen Swain, Mary Ann Canaday, Sara Mull, Mary Lois Overby, Agnes Graham, Nan Davis, Frances Buchanan.

Rachel Maness, editor of THE TWIG, and Catherine Scott, editor of the *Oak Leaves*, will stand at the library door and direct the guests upstairs to the Phi Hall, where they will be welcomed by Betty Brown MacMillan, editor of *The Acorn*, and Sarah Hayworth, president of the senior class.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake will be served by Sadie Allen, president of the B. S. U.; Juanita Stainback, president of the A. A.; Rosanna Barnes, president of the Little Theater; Addie Davis, president of the junior class; Carolyn Duke, president of the sophomore class; Charlotte Green, president of the freshman class. A program will be presented for the entertainment of the guests.

The color scheme of both decorations and refreshments will be maroon and white, the college colors.

## English Club Hears Reviews

Dr. Helen Price Gives Three Book Reviews and Miss Forgeus Gives Reading List

The Colton English Club met in the Browning Room on Thursday, January 30, at 6:45 o'clock. Those present included Dr. Helen Price and Miss Margaret Forgeus, guest speakers; Miss Margaret Kramer and Miss Elizabeth Clark, visitors, and 35 members. After the informal program, coffee and cookies were served.

The object of the meeting, to encourage more people to read, was carried out in the program. Dr. Price gave three book reviews, including: *Miss Minter, How Green Is My Valley?* and *A Godly Fellowship*. Miss Forgeus talked on lists of books for girls to read. Other book reviews were given by Loleta Kennan, Mrs. Myra Motley, and Lunelle Geer.

The club received a generous gift of about 75 magazines, 5 books, and \$5.00 for improvements for the Browning Room from Dr. Price.

## Broadcasts To Appear In Book Form

New Program, "No Politics," to Go on Air; Members of Congress to Conduct This

Publication of the Columbia Broadcasting System's "Invitation to Learning" broadcasts by Random House, Inc., one of the leading publishing firms of the country, was announced January 16 by CBS officials.

"Invitation to Learning," a cultural series of programs designed for new exploration of the great classics of the ages and the ideas they advanced, provides the title for the new book which will be ready for sale by May 15.

The Random House "Invitation to Learning" was planned to meet the demands of thousands of listeners throughout the country for copies of the broadcasts—listeners who enjoyed the stimulating discussions of such works as those of Plato, Euripides, Shakespeare, Rousseau.

Many of the requests came from ministers and professors of literature at leading colleges and universities—the ministers seeking ideas for their pulpits, the professors for classroom discussion. Nearly all suggested the compilation of the broadcasts into a book for constant reference and use as a textbook.

Twenty-six discussions on as many different great books from the broadcast's fall and winter series, together with one program from last summer's series, are to make up the 27 chapters of the new book.

"Invitation to Learning" made its debut on the air last May 26. It was developed by Columbia's program department with the counsel of CBS's Board of Adult Education. The aim of the series was to stimulate reading or re-reading of the great books basic to world culture.

Three famous American scholars are heard regularly in the informal discussions. They are Huntington Cairns, attorney and literary critic, who is the chairman; Allen Tate, head of the writing division of Princeton University's Creative Arts Program, and Mr. Van Doren. Leon Levine, assistant CBS director of education, is director of the program.

Frequently guest speakers are invited to take part in the discussions. Among those who have appeared are Andre Maurois, famous French author; Paul Green, Pulitzer prize-winning playwright; Joseph Wood Krutch, dramatic critic of "The Nation," and Katharine Anne Porter, novelist.

### LITTLE CONGRESS TO GO ON AIR

A little Congress for the nation is to go on the air over the Columbia Broadcasting System, W. B. Lewis, CBS vice-president in charge of broadcasts, announced recently.

The program, a brand new idea in radio, is called "No Politics" and, according to Mr. Lewis, it will be just that—there will be a "Speaker of the House" in the little Congress to keep politics out, or try, at least.

Starting day for "No Politics" was Saturday, February 1, and the time 1:30 p.m., EST.

"No Politics" will follow the procedure of a session of Congress and its talent will be drawn from members of the national legislature themselves—officials versed in parliamentary rules.

For the nation's listeners, there will be all the fun—with the information, too—of sitting in on a

## Honor Rolls for Fall Semester Released

Three Make All A's; Forty-four on First Honor; Eighty on the Second Honor List

On Tuesday, February 4, 1941, the honor rolls for the fall semester were released from the registrar's office. According to these lists there were three students who made grades of A on all of their work. There were forty-four students on the first honor list, and eighty on the second honor list.

On that morning the list was read in chapel, and those making honor rolls were recognized.

The honor rolls are as follows:

- First Honor Roll**  
Anderson, Betty Lou  
Ayers, Virginia  
Barker, Elfreda  
Barrow, Anne  
Bowers, Evelyn  
Brown, Mary Frances  
Brunt, Margaret Cornell  
Butler, Eva  
Carlton, Alma  
Chappell, Lorraine  
Daniel, Rowena  
Davis, Addie  
Ellis, Jean  
Freeman, Agnes  
Fulton, Rachel  
Garner, Elizabeth  
Goodman, Martha Jane  
Hall, Huidah Jones  
Hampton, Evelyn  
Herring, Cornelia  
Hill, Mary Lassiter  
Jeffreys, Vivien  
Keys, Elizabeth Margaret  
Knight, Ione Kemp  
Lane, Dorothy  
Lawrence, Christine  
Lovelace, Rachel  
MacMillan, Betty Brown  
Matthews, Annie Mary  
Meigs, Esther  
Motley, Myra Sherman  
Nuckols, Nancy  
Penny, Daphne  
Perry, Celeste  
Poe, Rachel  
Riggs, Elizabeth  
Roland, Dorothy  
Snoak, Leette
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### HEALTH REPORT

Despite the widespread epidemic of influenza throughout the state, particularly among colleges, Meredith infirmary authorities report only 25 cases. Due to the special care in the treatment of these cases, no complications have arisen.

Two cases of mumps have been reported, one of which was a day student.

One case of chicken-pox is reported.

## New Resolutions: A Meredith Almanac or the Same Old Story

It seems that just as many resolutions are made at the beginning of a new semester at Meredith as there are at the beginning of a new year. While asking people their intentions—good and bad!—it seemed that every one had set some goal to be achieved during this semester. Just as determinedly as I resolve henceforth to get my *Twig* assignments in on time, have these others made their resolutions.

Dorothy Roland—To visit the girls more.

Annie Lide Gilbert—To use her head more.

Florence Olive—To study Greek more.

"Pat" Johnson—To make second honor roll and to do bigger and better things in the field of conquest.

Jane Butler—Nothing.

Betsy Powell—"See America First"—California or bust!

Marguerite Ward—To stay off the more childish things of life while at school.

Margaret Bunn—(blonde)—To eat less.

Virginia Lawrence—To work more during the semester so she won't have to cram so much at the last.

Lou Denning—To study more. (About what, Lou?)

Rachel Poe—To quit punning for

## First Election Held Today

Addie Davis and Gretchen Fanny Run for President of Student Government

Addie Davis of Covington, Va., and Gretchen Fanny of Scotland Neck, have been nominated as candidates to serve in the office of president of the Student Body for the year 1941-42.

Both girls have been very outstanding during their college careers. Addie has twice been president of her class, and has also taken part in other college activities. Gretchen is now serving as secretary of the Student Government Association and she, too, has taken part in many other activities.

A new type of election is being tried this year at the college that has never been used before. It is based upon the regular State elections, and follows them as closely as possible. There is a registrar and two judges of elections selected from each class to preside over the polls during elections. There will be four polls, one for each class. When a student goes to the poll to vote, her name will be checked in the registrar's book, and she will be given a ballot on which she will check the name of her candidate, and then drop the ballot in the ballot box.

Thursday, February 6 was registration day. No student who failed to register that day will be able to vote in any election during the year.

## Martha Olive In Accident

On Sunday, January 26, Martha Olive, of Wade, N. C., a member of the junior class, was badly injured in an auto collision which occurred about twelve-thirty o'clock. Martha was at home for the week-end and she and her father, Mr. J. L. Olive, were returning home from church when the accident occurred. They were driving around a "blind curve" when they had a head-on collision with another car.

Mr. Olive was not seriously hurt; however Martha received several injuries; her jaw was hurt, one tooth was partially knocked out, and her ankle was badly sprained. Both were rushed to a Fayetteville hospital where they received treatment and are now able to be at home in Wade.

Martha is expected to return to Meredith in about two weeks.

## Music Recital Given Here

Miss Eide Appeared in Cello Recital; Miss Phelps Accompanied on Piano

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The program opened with the "Sonata in A Major" by Beethoven. This number was followed by four varied movements entitled "Sonata for Violoncello and Piano," a novelty selection by the Russian composer, Shostakovich. In this selection Miss Eide showed great dexterity in bow handling and brought out one large and allegretto parts to a great advantage.

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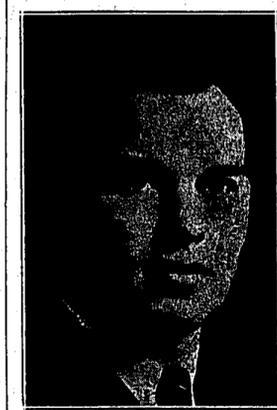
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# Religious Emphasis Week To Be Feb. 10-14

### Religious Leader



E. L. HONTS

## Founder's Day Is Celebrated By College

Friends and Alumnae Join In Celebration of 42d Birthday of College

Public exercises commemorating the chartering of Meredith College in February, 1891, were held at eleven o'clock on Friday morning, February 7th, in the college auditorium. Mr. Gerald W. Johnson, a member of the staff of the Baltimore *Evening Sun*, was the chief speaker.

The alumnae of the college sponsored a broadcast of greetings to the college from former students, which was given over the Raleigh Radio Station WPTF from four-fifteen to four-thirty o'clock on Friday afternoon.

Also in celebration of the college's forty-second birthday anniversary and Founders' Day, members of the college faculty, the trustees, and the administrative staff received at a tea given on Friday afternoon from five to six in the college parlors. Though no invitations were issued, the patrons, friends, and former students of Meredith were invited, and many attended.

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Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Charleston, West, Va., to be at College In Observance of Religious Emphasis Week, and Will Speak Daily In Chapel, Morning Watch, Family Altar, Evening Services; Services to be Arranged.

## Look Sponsors Picture Contest Of Student Life

Five Hundred Dollars First Prize to be Given for Best Story and Campus Pictures

Fifty dollars per photograph is at least five times as much as American picture magazines usually pay for their material, but that's the price that *Look Magazine* is offering to pay the winner of its \$1,000 picture-story contest. For the first prize in this contest is \$500, and a picture-story told in three photographs can win it.

Any duly registered student of a junior college, college or university in the United States and its possessions, or in Canada, is eligible, providing he is not a *Look* employee or related to a *Look* employee.

All types of subject matter can make picture stories. Sports or studies, research or recreation—all have picture potentialities, as a glance at any issue of *Look* will prove.

Entrants should submit not less than ten photographs, no more than 50, accompanied by an explanatory story 2,000 words or less in length.

The contest closes April 15, 1941. Full details will be sent to any one requesting them. Address: *College Picture Editor, Look, Inc., 511 Fifth Avenue, New York City.*

## Plays To Be Given Feb. 18

Freshman Class to Present "Man With the Bowler Hat"; Society Plays Yet Secret

One of the big events of the year, the Society and Freshman plays, will take place on the evening of February 18. All three plays are under the auspices of the Meredith Little Theater. The freshman class is not in competition for the cup, which is to be given to the society whose play wins for three consecutive years. This play is not directed by students, as are the society plays, but by Miss Frances Bailey, head of the Speech Department. The cast of the freshman play, "The Man With the Bowler Hat," includes Betty Rose Prevatte, Page Rankin, Virginia Maynard, Suzanne Carroll, Betty Miller, Elizabeth McNeill, and Dorothy Turner.

Committee chairmen are: Astro-tekton—staging Alice Justice and Frances Snow; properties, Virginia McGowan; costumes, Margaret Hine, Philaretian—staging, Loleta Kennan; properties, Elizabeth Pruitt; costumes, Nancy Calloway. Freshman—staging, Rosetta Purvis; properties, Betty Knowles; costumes, Cornell Brunt.

### Song To Be Copyrighted

Before the song "Queen of Our Hearts" can be performed on Founder's Day, a copyright must be secured for it. This is necessary because the composer of the song, Mary O'Kelly, '26, is a member of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, who are at present waging a war in the music world. The composer is now Mrs. Arthur Pencock of Columbus, New Jersey.

Mr. Ernest L. Honts, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Charleston, West Virginia, will be the speaker during Religious Emphasis Week, February 10-15, on Meredith College campus.

Born in Eagle Rock, Virginia, he attended the public schools there, and was graduated from Eagle Rock High School in 1926. From there he went to the University of Richmond in the fall of 1926. In 1930 he received his B.A. degree from that institution, having majored in history and psychology.

While in college Mr. Honts was outstanding for his interest in extracurricular activities as well as for being an honor student. He was a member of his class basketball team and varsity track squad, for three years a member of the intercollegiate debate team, for two years a member of the Student Senate, and co-author of the University of Richmond Honor Code. Mr. Honts in his university days was president of the Forensic Council, the Ministerial Association, the International Relations Club, and the Philologist Literary Society. He was vice-president of the Y. M. C. A. and business manager of the dramatic club. Four honorary fraternities included him in their membership: Omicron Delta Kappa, a national honorary leadership fraternity; Tau Kappa Alpha, a national forensic fraternity; Pi Delta Epsilon, college journalist fraternity; and Alpha Psi Omega, honorary dramatic fraternity.

Mr. Honts received his degree of Master of Theology from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, in 1933 after having been a member of the Student Council and after having been active in the teaching deputation work of students. He was also student pastor for two churches: Forks of Elkhorn Baptist Church, Duckers, Kentucky, and Hillsboro Baptist Church, Versailles, Kentucky.

Mr. Honts was married to Miss Meville Ghoades in October, 1933, the same year that the members of the Baptist Church at Covington, Virginia, called him to be their pastor. For six years he and Mrs. Honts worked with the people there. When, in 1939, they moved to Charleston, West Virginia, they left behind a church which more than doubled its membership and its budget. Significant improvements had also been made in the church building.

It is from Calvary Baptist Church in Charleston, West Virginia, that Mr. Honts comes to Meredith College. Among the Baptist churches in West Virginia, Calvary Baptist Church ranks second in its gifts to missions and fourth in attendance at Sunday School.

During his stay on the campus Mr. Honts will follow the schedule below:

- 7:10 a. m. Morning Watch.
- 10:30 a. m. Chapel (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday).
- 5:00 p. m. Forum (Probably Wednesday and Thursday).
- 7:15 p. m. Evening Services—Auditorium.
- 10:00 p. m. Family Altar on halls.

Mr. Honts will be at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning, February 9, and at Pullen Memorial Baptist Church for the service that evening.

The B. S. U. Council is entertaining in honor of Mr. Honts at a formal reception in the college parlors from four-thirty till six o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, February 12. Faculty and student body are cordially invited.