

Eight Seniors Will Graduate

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biology major and plans to do social work, but she is not sure about a definite job as yet. Etta came to summer school for two summers and was president of the Student Government last summer. She plans to do graduate work later. Etta says, "I'm for anything that's time saving."

Audria Finney, Elkin, is a biology major. She will start teaching on Monday, January 31, at King's Mountain or Kinston. (She hasn't decided definitely which place.) She has attended two summer schools at Meredith. Audria plans to start her work towards a M.A. degree this summer at Carolina. During her junior year, Audria did substitute teaching at Needham Broughton High School and at Peace Junior College. When asked what she thought about the accelerated program, she said, "In a time of crisis such as we have at the present, I think a potential teacher should by all means graduate from college as early as possible in order to fill the classrooms which have no teachers. The world of tomorrow depends upon what the students are taught today."

Georgia, Audria, June, and Cornell are coming back to graduate with their class in June.

EXPANSION PROGRAM LAUNCHED JANUARY 11

The Meredith College expansion program was formally launched at a dinner Tuesday evening, January 11, here at the college. Faculty and administrative staff and important leaders of Raleigh and Wake County were invited to attend the meeting. The \$565,000 for the expansion program includes plans for the erection of three new buildings and additions to the endowment fund.

Mr. W. H. Weatherspoon, president of the Board of Trustees, presided at the meeting and explained that the Board had long felt the need for expansion and felt that now the time to march ahead had arrived.

Mr. George E. Lundy of New York, director of the firm which conducted an exhaustive study of the financial and educational strength and capability of Meredith, gave an encouraging report on the way Meredith measured up in relation to other colleges. He stated that for the past ten years Meredith has "stayed out of the red" and that 43.2 per cent of the Meredith faculty have their doctor's degrees as against 32.7 per cent of the average for colleges.

Dr. Campbell, president of the college, spoke briefly on the needs that would be met by the expansion program. The three new buildings will consist of a new chapel with music rooms provided, a new library, and a gymnasium with a pool.

The expansion program in relation to Wake County was presented by Mr. Claude Gaddy, chairman of the Wake County division of enlargement. Brief remarks were also made by Dr. Clyde A. Erwin, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mr. E. B. Denny, associate justice of the State Supreme Court, and Mr. M. A. Huggins, secretary of the Baptist State Convention.

Music for the occasion was provided by the Meredith College Glee Club and a vocal solo was rendered by Miss Beatrice Donley, director of the Glee Club.

CLUB NEWS

Science Club

The Barber Science Club met Tuesday night, January 18, at 8:00 in the science building. The general theme of the program emphasized modern developments in chemistry, physics, and biology. Speakers were Kitty Johnson, who explained modern methods for the treatments of burns; Mary Hill, who gave a report on synthetic vitamins; and Helen Bedon, who showed modern development in physics through electronics. The meeting was opened to the public.

Student League

The Student League of Women Voters held its regular meeting on Friday, January 14, in the blue parlour. Dr. Winston, of the sociology department, was the speaker. She spoke on the Equal Rights Amendment.

By selling cake on the campus, the Student League is planning to make money to buy a bond.

Annie Mary Matthews was appointed acting vice president, because Ann White, the vice president, is graduating this semester.

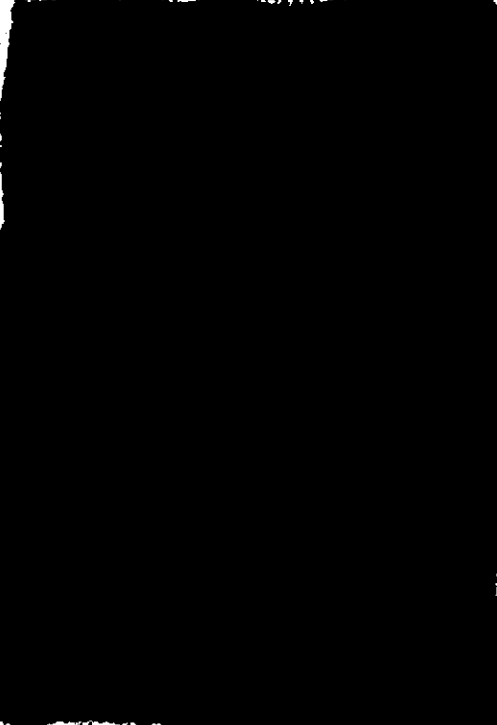
Sociology Club

The Sociology Club met on January 18, and Nat Woodward discussed the fee system in North Carolina. Ruth Rautenstrauch explained to the club the results of a study made by the social research class under Dr. Ellen Winston's supervision, on "Women in North Carolina Jails." The talk was illustrated by charts.

A business meeting of the Sociology Club was held last Tuesday at 6:45 o'clock in the Browsing Room. The officers for the next semester were chosen and reports were given from the various committees.

Those officers elected for the coming semester are Margaret Hollis, president; Ruth Rautenstrauch, vice president; Helena Baker, secretary; Isabel Dillon, treasurer, and Betty Miller, reporter.

Tomorrow's Business Women



She displayed several examples.

World Fellowship Group

The World Fellowship Group met Monday, January 10, in the B.S.U. room. The meeting was opened with reports from the prison farm, jail, mission, Pullen blind class, and work at the North Street Church. A program by Laura Frances Snow on "World Missions Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow" followed.

I.R.C.

The International Relations Club held its regular meeting on January 13 at 6:45 in the Hut.

During the meeting, plans were discussed for sending delegates to the Southeast I.R.C. Conference to be held at Woman's College on March 10 and 11.

Dr. Arthur Link, professor of history at State College spoke on "The Importance of Woodrow Wilson Today."

Refreshments were served and plans for the regular discussion group were made. This group is to meet on January 27.

Guess Who?



Did you guess that the picture in the last "Twig" was Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson? Well, it was. Now guess who this is.

MUSIC NEWS

It has been announced that the compositions for the contest in Greensboro have been turned in to Dr. Cooper. Those to enter the contest will be announced later.

The third in a series of Civic Music Concerts will be held Wednesday evening, January 26, at 8:00 in the Memorial Auditorium. The concert will be given by Miss Vivian Della Chiesa, lyric soprano.

The Glee Club is planning a visit to Camp Mackall in February. This is a result of an invitation from the Army staff of this camp, to give a concert to provide entertainment for the soldiers. The club is working on the numbers for the concert and is planning to give it February 24.

WINNERS IN LETTER-WRITING CONTEST



Shown above are Dr. Popham, Mary Susan Crump, Mary Alice Turner, and Don Gilkeson. Mary Susan won first place in the contest.

PLANS OF NEW CLUBS

The Creative Rhythms Club had its meeting on January 13. Plans were made for the recital to be presented in conjunction with the Folk Dancing Club. The date has not yet been set for the recital.

The program will include:

The Shostakovich Polka
Miss Cameron and Miss Forbes
Peter the Wolf
Waltz—Strauss
Spiritual

The latter three will be given by the clubs.

The Folk Dance Club is beginning a project of the history of American folk dancing from the "lancers," which was the first folk dance which the pioneers allowed their group to participate in, to the folk dances which have become typical of specific sections of the United States. Included in these will be singing quadrilles, round dances, play-party games, dances of the southern mountains, New England Contra-dances, Spanish-American dances, and the real cowboy squares. Along with the dances the girls are going to learn the appropriate musical instruments, the original accompaniments, the kinds of parties that were held, and the costumes of the period. The club's spring program will be the development and perfection of this specific unit.

SILVER SHIELD TEA

Raleigh High School seniors and Peace and St. Mary's seniors were the guests of the members of the Silver Shield at the tea given for them in the Hut, Wednesday afternoon, January 12, from 3:30 to 5:30. Members of the nominating committee assisted at the affair which was planned by the two new associate members, Annie Catherine Barden and Christine Webb. The refreshments served were hot fruit punch, cookies, and nuts.

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