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Eberle Plays Piano Recital

On Monday evening, October 14, at 8:00 o'clock, Mrs. Mary Hanchette Eberle will give a piano recital in the auditorium. Mrs. Eberle, who joined the Meredith music faculty in 1944 will present the following program:

- Intermezzo, op. 118 no. 1 in A
Brahms
- Intermezzo, op. 119 no. 1 in b
Brahms
- Intermezzo, op. 119 no. 2 in e
Brahms
- Intermezzo, op. 119 no. 3 in c
Brahms
- Rhapsody, op. 119 no. 4 in E
Brahms
- Etude Op. 25 No. 6 in g#..Chopin
- Nocturne op. 15 no. 2 in F#
Chopin
- Fantaise-Improptu op. 66 in C#
Chopin
- Variations and Fugue in B Flat
On a theme by Handel, op. 24
Brahms

LITTLE THEATRE TO STAGE PARTY

Freshman, transfers, and all Little Theatre pledges will receive invitations to the annual Meredith College Little Theater Party which is to be held in Phi Hall on October 19 at 8:00 p.m. in honor of all new students. Elsie Corbett is chairman for the party.

There will be original song presentations, a production of a play by the freshman and many interesting games which will carry out the theme "So you want to be an actress?" Refreshments will be served.

The Little Theatre has a membership of seventeen this year and boasts a list of 116 pledges.

Former Dean Dies in Raleigh

Dr. Joseph Edwill Burk, academic dean at Meredith last year died Sunday, October 6 at his home after an illness of several months. A native of Texas, Dr. Burk had served as dean and president of Ward Belmont College in Nashville, Tenn., before coming to Meredith.

Born in Galveston in 1863, Dr. Burk was the son of the late Joseph E. Burk and Mrs. Marie Deloche Burk. He was married in 1917 to Isabella Foster of Claremont and Williamsburg, Ohio. She survives with two daughters, Margaret Alice and Mrs. Joel Bennett, and a brother, Dr. William Burk of San Antonio, Texas.

Dr. Burk had been identified with college education since 1914. He was graduated from Southwestern University, and did graduate work at Southern Methodist. He won his Ph.D. at New York University.

Funeral service was held Monday at Edenton Street Methodist Church, where Dean Burk formerly taught a Sunday school class, and a memorial service was held Wednesday at the college chapel exercise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller announce the birth of a daughter, Olive Brett, on September 29, 1946. Mr. Miller is the new Public Relations Executive for Meredith. The new daughter has already been enrolled in the class of 1963.



Pictured above are the recently elected Freshman Class officers. Front row, left to right: Mary Lee Rankin, President, and Kathleen Faulconer, Vice President. Back row, Winnie Mae Fitzgerald, Secretary, and Doris Concha, Treasurer.

COOPER DISPLAYS VERSATILITY AS MUSICIAN AND PHOTOGRAPHER

By FRANCES ALEXANDER

Their number is small who succeed in becoming accomplished in two of the arts. Among that number we find Dr. Harry E. Cooper of the Meredith College Music Department. Not only is Dr. Cooper a superb musician, well recognized for his excellent organ technique, but also he has long since proved his talent in photography, an art which he has for many years taken up for a hobby.

In an attempt to unearth the background and reason for the musician's interest in photography, your reporter received a playful response from Dr. Cooper to the effect that when he was twelve years old he won a five dollar prize in a newspaper contest, and he has been trying to do it again ever since. It seems that he has been interested in photography all his life, and he still has in his possession the little second-hand camera that he bought from someone for three dollars when he was twelve. Though he has investigated, read about, and experimented with photography for quite a number of years, he has never had any formal training in the field.

Dr. Cooper's "specialty" is portrait work, but he is by no means restricted to it. He has taken hundreds of pictures of Meredith College students, activities, and campus scenes which the students are privileged to admire and enjoy all through the year. Every spring Dr. Cooper covers the flowers of the campus with color film, the cherry trees and the gardens being highlights.

The photography hobby took on new interest and significance when Robert, Dr. and Mrs. Cooper's son, was born. He, being the first, was the subject of hundreds of films and consequently was well-trained at an early age to combat the uncomfortable feeling of camera-shyness that so often comes over young men. Robert, who is quite well-known on the Meredith campus, recently had another part in Dr. Cooper's favorite hobby. This past summer Robert became quite interested in bird-life, and so Dr. Cooper worked with him in getting pictures of birds on the wing. When asked about the success of the shots, Dr. Cooper modestly replied that since he had heard of a professional who averaged six good shots out of ten thousand, his average was not too bad!

Dr. Cooper has four excellent cameras for his work. These four include a 3 1/4" x 4 1/4" Graflex, a 3 1/4" x 4 1/4" Speed Graphic, which he uses for indoor flash pictures, a 5" x 7" Karona View camera, and a Zeiss Contax, which is a fine miniature camera with several interchangeable lenses, good for action shots.

Annual State Fair Reopens Oct. 15

Raleigh welcomes the return of the annual North Carolina State Fair, which will be held this year for the first time since 1941. The fair will run October 15-19, under the management of Dr. J. S. Dorton. Between \$75,000 and \$100,000 will be spent on its production and there is an expected fair attendance of 500,000.

The gates at the fair grounds outside of Raleigh will open at eight a.m. Tuesday, October 15. The horse races at two o'clock that afternoon will be the main event of the day. The special feature on Wednesday will be

Jack Kochman's "Daredevil Drivers." A vocational judging contest will be held at ten a.m. Thursday and horse races in the afternoon. Friday is young North Carolinians' Day, with all elementary and high school students admitted free. Automobile races are to be featured on Saturday, the last day of the fair. The midway will remain open until twelve each night. In addition to the usual agricultural exhibits, with livestock showings, and farm products displays, women's clubs from over the state will feature flower shows. This year for the first time, there will be a special Army display, lasting throughout the week. Plans providing for a year-round exhibit have been considered, but nothing definite has yet been decided.

Baptist Students To Hold State-wide Convention November 1-3 in Durham

Denominational Teachers and Preachers To Address Convening Students

North Carolina Baptist students will find new ideas and new ideals at the B.S.U. Convention to be held November 1-3 at the First Baptist Church in Durham, N. C., where Rev. J. Winston Pearce is pastor. Registration will begin Friday, November 1 at 2:30 p.m. and last until 6:00 p.m. The registration fee for each student is one dollar.

Chosen for this year's theme is "To Live As Christ." Through discussions, book reviews, forums and addresses, this phase will be made more meaningful to all delegates. Numerous speakers have been chosen to take part on the program. Dr. Claude Broach, pastor of St. John's Baptist Church in Charlotte, will lead a forum discussion on "How to think about the Bible." Other forums will be: "Living an Effective Christian Witness," by Dr. Carl M. Townsend, of Raleigh, N. C.; "Baptist Principles and History," by Dr. Sankey Blanton of Wake Forest College; "The Need of the World for Missionaries," by Dr. George Sadler, Richmond, Va.; and "Christian Answers to Racial Problems," by Dr. W. C. Somerville (Negro), Washington, D. C.

The host church will give the students an informal reception Friday afternoon from 2:30 to 6:00 o'clock. There will be a talent parade of students from the different colleges to help the representatives get better acquainted. Frances Thompson, social vice president for North Carolina will have charge of the banquet which will be held Friday evening. The host church is planning to give the students lodging each night and breakfast in the mornings. Other meals and transportation will be paid by the individual students.

Rev. Charles Maddy from the First Baptist Church, Wilmington, N. C., will give an address Friday evening. Other speakers will be Rev. Warren Carr, Watt Street Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.; Rev. Archie Ellis, First Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.; and Miss Jenny Lind Gatlin, associate in the southwide student office in Nashville, Tennessee.

Glee Club, Choir Organize Again

The Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Beatrice Donley is making plans for the year's activities. A tentative list of the Glee Club members is as follows: Frances Alexander, Geraldine Bostic, Virginia Campbell, Doris Casey, Lucille Casey, Estella Cox, Christine Creech, Betty Davis, Charlotte Elaine Haight, Nancy Hall, Martha Hardee, Virginia Holcomb, Esther Hollowell, Dorothy Howerton, Christine Kornegay, Katherine Lewis, Harriet Littlejohn, Nancy Jo Massey, Jennie Lou Newbold, Peggy Parker, Elizabeth Stillwell, Joy Stillwell, Mary Virginia Warren, and Elizabeth Zimmerman. Emily Hine is accompanist. Activities for the year include guest appearances for public groups and the annual spring concert.

The choir made its initial appearance in chapel this year Friday, October 4. The following members have been selected: Faye Baker, Geraldine Bostic, Geraldine Brown, Catherine Campbell, Virginia Campbell, Sallye Carraway, Doris Olivia Carroll, Melver D. Cheek, Opal Clemmons, Pauline E. Cone, Estella Cox, Mary Frances Craig, Christine Creech, Evelyn Crumpler, Jean Daniel, Nancy Dickens, Ruth Eller, Frances Elrod, Obra Fitzgerald, Jean Fleming, Sarah Fleming, Susan Fleming, Jetta Funderburk, Madge Futch, Nancy Gates, Susan Graham, Gladys Gregory, Thelma Haigler, Nancy Hall, Martha Hamrick, Martha Hardee, Phyllis Harrington, Earline Harris, Billie Hart, Miriam Hill, Virginia Holcomb, Esther Hollowell, Sue Jarvis, Barbara Johnson, Doris Johnson, Christine Kornegay, Katherine

One of the Meredith students, Ruth Miller, will play the organ for the Convention. Four students will speak Saturday evening using as their topic, "Living Christ in Every Day Campus Living."

In this meeting, there is the common aim of uniting Christian students for the work of the Master. Everyone will have the opportunity to learn of new ways of worship and to receive inspiration which will benefit them in their school work. This Convention will serve as a means to help the students become acquainted with the Christian leaders in the various colleges in North Carolina. Meredith hopes to be well represented.

Lewis, Dorothy Loftin, Dorothy Maness, Viola Irene Manty, Nancy Jo Massey, Gloria Mayer, Sue McDonald, Jean McLamb, Martha Jean Modlin, Marianna Morris, Jennie Lou Newbold, Peggy Parker, Dorothy Lucille Patrick, Rose Marie Roberson, Lucille Sawyer, Iris Gray Scarborough, Frances Simpson, Frances Alda Smith, Forrestine Snyder, Frances Spruill, Joy Stillwell, Evelyn Straughan, Barbara Swanson, Helen Teachy, Doris Thomason, Frances R. Ward, Geneva White, Joyce Williams, Doris E. Williamson, Ruth Wyatt, Rose Marie Yarborough, Elizabeth Zimmerman. Officers of the choir are President, Martha Hamrick; Vice President, Peggy Parker; Secretary, Esther Hollowell; Librarians, Christine Creech and Evelyn Crumpler; and Accompanist, Martha Hamrick. In addition to its valuable contribution to the chapel worship services, the choir hopes to cooperate with the State College Glee Club for a Christmas Concert to be given at both State and Meredith.