

German, French Students Write Thank-You Letters

For a new realization of what real gratitude and thankfulness really is, stop by and take a look at some of the letters from the French law student or the German students who have received packages from the language classes here at Meredith.

Mrs. Freund, who teaches German and French in the college Modern Language Department and who is still in contact with friends back in her native Germany, has some interesting tales to tell of the sending of Christmas packages abroad by her language classes last year and this year also.

The letters themselves make interesting reading, too—don't worry, the German letters are thoughtfully written in English and the French letters aren't too hard.

Toni de la Chaise, who is a French commercial law student in Nancy, France, writes of French food, politics and current attitudes in his homeland; and his naive enjoyment of American food items sent to him explains one of his statements, "In France, to eat is not a problem but a religion," but food still remains a problem abroad for awhile, at least.

Toni has enclosed in many of his letters some newspaper clippings of a series of articles written by Jean Cocteau, a French movie producer, about his impressions of New York and the American people whom he observed while on a short visit to this country.

The packages to German students, which were sent this Christmas in socks, were sent first to a German professor in Karlsruhe who had taught Mrs. Freund's husband; and, after his recent death, to his wife, for distribution. The students who received the gifts this year wrote their thank-you letters in very good English, and all of them are strikingly sincere in their appreciation.

Juniors Are Guests At Frosh Breakfast

At 7:00 a.m., on May 17, the freshmen called for their big sisters, and escorted them to the chimney where a delicious breakfast was served. Such an occasion has been one of the long standing traditions at Meredith.

The freshmen committee chairmen for the occasion were as follows:

Barbara Cross, General Chairman.

Lucy Ann Liddy, Program Chairman.

Jessie Vann Cowan, Food Chairman.

Fannie Carr, Invitation Chairman.

Jean's Fashion Queen



Here's the girl you chose to be your fashion queen of the year—Lillian Gaddy! The two-piece white pique bathing suit with the gold-thread design has a button-on strap across the shoulders. Lillian suggests this would be a grand addition to that trousseau. Photo by Bernie Batchelor.

Music Scholarship Won By Nancy Hall

Nancy Hall, a member of the 1949 senior class at Meredith was awarded a \$500 scholarship for top prize in the "Stars of Tomorrow" contest. This contest for music talent is sponsored by Radio Station WPTF in Raleigh.

Nancy, a dramatic soprano, is the student of Beatrice Donley head of the voice department at Meredith. Nancy defeated the other three finalists on Saturday night, May 14. The contest has been running since last September.

Thane McDonald, of the Wake Forest music department; Dr. Harry E. Cooper, head of the Meredith College music department, and Dr. Frederick Stanley Smith were the judges in the contest.

FREEMAN DINNER GROUP

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Presentation of two gifts was made to Dr. Freeman by Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson, a sterling silver Paul Revere bowl, engraved with the words "L.E.M. Freeman, Meredith College, 1910-1949. In appreciation from the faculty and administration," and a pair of sterling silver candlesticks from the College.

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Student Legislature Passes Meredith Bill

At the annual meeting of the Student Legislature, which was held last Friday and Saturday, Meredith's bill to establish more Child Guidance Clinics in the state was passed by both houses. The bill was introduced in the House of Representatives by Shirley Powell and in the Senate by Lucy Currin.

Elsie Corbett of Meredith was elected Recording Clerk of the House for this session, while Emily Pool was elected Reading Clerk of the Senate. The Legislature was unusually late in convening this year because of the late adjournment of the General Assembly.

Other Meredith official delegates to the Legislature, which included college students from over the state, were Patsy Emory and Hazel Williamson. The bill introduced by the Meredith delegation was drawn up by a committee from the Student League of Women Voters with Peggy Benbow as chairman.

The Legislature considered such bills and resolutions as those concerning a world federation, matters of repealing certain segregation laws, the signing of a non-communist affidavit by students and faculty of state-supported institutions, the elimination of capital punishment, and the formation of new congressional districts in the state.

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Sophs Plan Picnic For Next Thursday

The last of the sophomore "six-weeks get-togethers" will be on the twenty-sixth of May, the official last day of exams. For this farewell social Betty Penny and Carol Parker, co-chairmen of the arrangements committee, suggested at the last sophomore class meeting that the class have a picnic, and the idea was accepted. Further votings by the class decided that the girls might bring dates and that the picnic would be held at Gresham's Lake. Transportation will be provided by dates' cars and a truck.

STUDENT DELEGATES

Elsie Corbett, Patsy Emory, and Shirley Powell were delegates to the House of Representatives, and Emily Pool, Hazel Williamson, and Lucy Currin attended the Senate sessions of the Legislature.

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