

ANNUAL BSU CONVENTION BEGINS TONIGHT

Alumnae of 1952 Become Caseworkers, Teachers, Housewives, Secretaries

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Do you ever take time off to think about those girls who graduated last year and wonder who's married and in what type of work everyone is engaged? According to records compiled in the Alumnae Office, the majority of the 1952 graduates is teaching, and it seems that the primary grades have attracted most of these girls. Almost all of the music majors are teaching public school music. There are some girls in graduate schools, and the remainder are engaged as secretaries, caseworkers, archivists, dietitians, librarians, and of course, housewives.

As for the 1952 class officers, Dot Fisher, president, is secretary to the Director of Special Education in the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction here in Raleigh. The vice-president, Ruth Ann Simmons, now Mrs. Robert A. Shaw, is keeping house in Highland Park, N. J. Lynette Adcock, treasurer, is now the manuscripts assistant in the archives of colonial Williamsburg in Virginia. The secretary, Mary Evelyn Hensley, is teaching the fourth grade in Burnsville.

Marie Edwards, Student Government president, is teaching English in the Junior High School in Hampton, Virginia.

Last year's May Queen, Peggy Poole, now Mrs. Charles G. Buie, Jr., is teaching the third grade in Clayton while her husband is in Korea. The maid-of-honor, Asha Farrow Watson, is keeping house in Wallace and teaching commercial subjects in the local high school.

Nine more graduates are busy this year keeping house. Doris

Adlai Defeats Ike In Recent Voting

Adlai Stevenson defeated Dwight Eisenhower in a recent straw vote conducted by the Student League of Women Voters. Seventy per cent of the student body participated in this vote to give Stevenson a 236 to 158 lead over Eisenhower.

The political campaign began as interested groups held caucuses and distributed buttons for their favorite candidates. Many students showed their political stand by signs and pictures on their doors.

During chapel period on Tuesday, October 28, a panel discussion was presented. Pat Smathers and Betty Winchester spoke for Stevenson, while Sarah Caudle and Anne Hendrix defended the Ike side. Juanita Ipock served as moderator.

Four rallies, one in each dormitory, were held on Wednesday night.

This year the Student League of Women Voters has forty five members. In addition to conducting the straw vote last week, the League will also prepare and present a bill at the State Student Legislature which meets annually in Raleigh.

Ann Champion (Mrs. Jack Jolly) is living in Forest City; Jackie Creef Satterfield has moved to Norfolk, Virginia, to be with her husband, James; Faith Frye-Norwood and her husband, J. W. are residing in Lakeland, Florida, and Lois Pritchett Harding is living at Newport, Rhode Island, where Chester is now stationed. Another roaming army wife is Barbara Cox Harper, and Louise Horn Laney is with her husband in San Antonio, Texas. Jean Joyner Humbert is living in Asheville, and Mary Jo Shaw Harrison is in East Point, Georgia. Besides keeping house, Pat Sullivan Harned has a part-time musical radio program in Nashville, Tennessee.

Two of last year's graduates are expecting visits from the stork. Francene Barber, of Asheville, is expecting in December, and Virginia Harrison McGranahan, of Raleigh, is also awaiting the stork.

If one were to look for the 1952 editors of the three campus publications he would find the *Acorn* editor, Julia Presson, working as a continuity writer at WPTF here in Raleigh; the *Twic* editor, Jeanne Ramsey, out in Waterloo, Iowa working as program director for the teens at the Y.W.C.A.; and the *Oak Leaves* editor, Jane Slate, teaching music in Wilson. Jane is also studying for her B.M. degree here at Meredith and will finish in the spring.

Patsy Spiers and Mary Ann Westbrook are rooming together in High Point while teaching the third grade and the fifth grade respectively. Katherine Sites is also teaching in High Point and is rooming with Graham Scott.

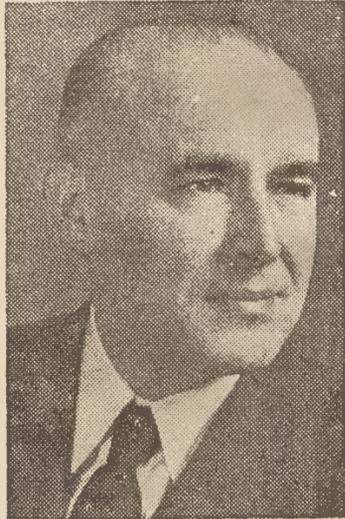
Virginia Rodwell and Janet Smith are both employed as dietitians this year. Ginny is with the Presbyterian Hospital in Charlotte, and Janet is in New Haven, Connecticut at Yale University.

Connie Bryne is working in

CONVENTION SPEAKERS



Miss Emily Lansdell



Dr. E. A. McDowell

STUDENTS URGED ATTEND VESPERS

Students who are attending vespers in the rotunda every night are finding there a pause in the rush of their college life which is very meaningful.

The topic for the year is "Dynamic Living in Christian Faith," and each month a phase of our faith is discussed. For the first month "The Nature of Our Faith" was the theme. Ways in which we can best live in our campus, local, and world communities were discussed. For the second month the theme is "Dynamic Living in and through the Church."

Those who are not attending vespers are missing a part of their college life that could mean a lot in their thinking and working.

the library at Fort McClellan, and Marlyn Morrisette Upchurch is here in our own Meredith library.

Two of last year's graduates are engaged in work at State College. Dru Morgan is an assistant in the Student Supply Store, and Honore Parker is working in the research division

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SIGMA PI ALPHA BEGINS YEAR WITH ELECTION, OPEN HOUSE

The first meeting of Phi Kappa Chapter of Sigma Pi Alpha, national honorary language fraternity, was held Thursday night, October 30, at 7:00 p.m. in the hut. Business included the election of the following officers for this year: Beth Morgan, president; Alstine Salter, vice-president; Doris Knott, secretary; Anne Moore, treasurer; Joyce Stephens, publicity chairman. Miss Lucy Ann Neblett was named sponsor for the organization. Keys were presented to those members who had not already received them.

Later in the evening the foreign students from State College and members of Alpha Chapter at State joined the Meredith students for an open house, which was an attempt to introduce our way of life to them.

SENIORS ELECT SUPERLATIVES

On Wednesday night, October 29, the senior class gathered in the auditorium to pick out its beauty, intellect, wit, versatility, and originality so that the girls selected could be photographed for the *Oak Leaves*. Ten Superlatives were chosen: wittiest, most athletic, most popular, friendliest, cutest, most intellectual, most attractive, most versatile, most original, and best-all-around town student.

The wittiest senior was chosen by acclamation. She is that tall-tale-telling Bernie Limer. Most athletic was also chosen by acclamation. She is that hog-calling Bess Francis. Jean Dula, president of the senior class was selected the most popular member of the class. The friendliest is little Phido's keeper, Connie Moore. One of the student teachers, Betsy Brooks McGee, was chosen the most intellectual. The cutest is that little Duke fan, Martha Baird. The tall, dark-haired Mary Ann Godwin, was chosen the most attractive member of the senior class. The New Jersey Navy-loving art major and *Oak Leaves* editor, Kitty Barbehenn, was rightly chosen the most versatile. Another one

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"Christ Must Reign" is Theme of Twenty-third Convention

Tabernacle Baptist Church will be host to more than 1,000 Baptist students in the Baptist Student Convention which opens at 7:30 Friday evening, November 7, and continues through the worship hour on Sunday morning, November 9. These students, representing more than forty colleges, business colleges, and nurse training schools of North Carolina, will follow the program theme, "Christ Must Reign," under the leadership of the following key speakers:

Miss Emily Lansdell, President of the Woman's Missionary Training School, Louisville, Kentucky; Dr. Edward A. McDowell, Professor of New Testament Interpretation, Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, N. C.; Dr. J. Neal Hughley, Professor of Economics, North Carolina College, Durham, N. C.; Dr. Robert L. Humber, Lawyer, Founder of the Movement for World Federation, Greenville, N. C.; Miss Maxine Garner, Director of Religious Activities, Meredith College, Raleigh, N. C.; Miss Ann Tunstall, Student at State College, Raleigh, N. C.; Miss Nan Leonard, Department of Religious Education, Wake Forest College, Wake Forest, N. C.; Miss Billie Russell, Associate in Southwide BSU Office, Nashville, Tennessee; Dr. J. A. Ellis, pastor of the host church, Raleigh, N. C.

Panel Planned

Miss Lansdell will speak Friday evening on "Christ Must Reign through Missions." Dr. McDowell will relate the convention theme to personal ethics, and Dr. Hughley to the social-economic field on Saturday morning. On Saturday afternoon, Dr. Humber will discuss the role of a Christian in government and politics.

Forums will be held following the keynote speeches to discuss the ideas presented and to answer any questions stimulated. On Saturday evening there will be a panel discussion with the main speakers participating. The floor will be open to students for questions that arose from the forums. This is the first time in the history of the convention that such a panel has been used.

Families of Raleigh churches are opening their homes to entertain student guests on Friday and Saturday nights. Meals will be taken in public restaurants. The registration fee is \$1.00 per person.

CHORUS BROADCASTS ON FOUNDERS' DAY

In celebration of Founders' Day, the Meredith College Chorus recorded a program for WPTF radio station to be broadcast at 6:30 p.m. Friday, October 31. The Chorus, under the direction of Miss Beatrice Donley and accompanied at the organ by Dr. Harry Cooper, sang "Lo, My Shepherd is Divine" by Haydn, "With a Voice of Singing" by Martin Shaw, and the College Alma Mater. Miss Carolyn Mercer of Raleigh, president of the Meredith College Alumnae Association, gave a brief greeting. President Carlyle Campbell also made a brief address.



Left to right are Sarah Coxe and Lillian Betts, keeping the polls, and Janne Dawson and Edith Bradley, voting in the Student League sponsored straw ballot.