

# Meredith Students Attend Conference

Approximately 300 students from North Carolina colleges met at the First Baptist Church in Sanford on April 26-28 for the annual B.S.U. leadership training conference. The theme for the conference was "Our Witness to the Campus." Meredith students attending the conference were Jo Robinson, Jean Strofe, Jane Maynard, Martha Bone, Betsy Green, Jane Murray, Sara Fagan, Joy Goldsmith, Penny Hutchinson, Betty Lou Hoyle, Nancy McGlamery, Nancy Young, Lela Cagle, Hazel Wiggins, and Judy McLamb.

Speakers for the conference included Reverend Warren Carr, pastor of the Watts Street Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.; Dr. Jack R. Noffsinger, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Gainesville, Florida; Dr. Joseph Martin Dawson, former pastor of the First Baptist Church, Waco, Texas; Dr. William Hall Preston, associate in the south-wide student department, Nashville, Tennessee; and Reverend Sam Hill, Jr., graduate student, Duke University Divinity School, Durham, N. C. Dr. Maxine Garner, Meredith faculty member, led a Bible-centered meditation Sunday morning. Meditation

periods led by Dr. J. Allen Easley from Wake Forest College preceded each session.

Helpful to the incoming council were the workshops in which officers received training in their various duties. Sara Fagan and Miss Garner led in these workshops. Other Meredith students assisting in the program were Nancy Young, who presided for one session; Nancy McGlamery, who gave a talk on "Listen"; and Lela Cagle, who sang in the B.S.U. choir.

Hazel Wiggins of Meredith was elected publicity director of the state B.S.U. for the year 1957-1958. Other officers elected were Jimmy Powell of Wake Forest, president; George Peacock of Campbell, general board representative; and Ivey Heath of U.N.C., choir director. These officers and the other new council members were recognized in an impressive installation service. In the same service the retiring president, Ronnie Crow of State, presented Dr. Bruce E. Whitaker, state B.S.U. secretary, with a small gift in behalf of the North Carolina Baptist students, in appreciation for his service.

the relays, the faculty won the student-faculty volleyball game, after which individual challenges in such things as head-standing, hopscotch, checkers, scrabble, bridge, croquet, tennis, and four-leaf clover finding contests provided fun for all. After the faculty-student softball game was won by the faculty, everyone gathered in the court for a picnic supper served buffet style. With the announcement of the winners in each of the events, several of the celebrities were refreshed by a somewhat unexpected dip in the fountain. The group settled down for group singing and Play Day was officially over.

## Freshmen and Transfer Counselors Chosen

The new counselors for the year 1957-1958 have been chosen. With Miss Maring as sponsor they are as follows: *Freshman Counselors:* Ann Allred, Kay Banner, Carolyn Barrington, Helen Booe, Martha Bone, Lillian Brandon, Gail Carter, Eleanor Cox, Doris Dixon, Rosemary Edwards, Ann Freeman, Belinda Foy, Dora Ann Fuller, Lois

## EXAMINATION SCHEDULE IS POSTED

M W F.....	3:00	Saturday	May 25	9:00 a.m.
M W F.....	8:30	Saturday	May 25	2:00 p.m.
M W F.....	9:30	Monday	May 27	9:00 a.m.
M W F.....	11:00	Monday	May 27	2:00 p.m.
M W F.....	12:00	Tuesday	May 28	9:00 a.m.
M W F.....	2:00	Tuesday	May 28	2:00 p.m.
T T S.....	2:00	Wednesday	May 29	9:00 a.m.
T T S.....	8:30	Wednesday	May 29	2:00 p.m.
T T S.....	9:30	Thursday	May 30	9:00 a.m.
T T S.....	11:00	Thursday	May 30	2:00 p.m.
T T S.....	12:00	Friday	May 31	9:00 a.m.
M W F.....	4:00	Friday	May 31	2:00 p.m.
T T S.....	4:00	Saturday	May 25	9:00 a.m.

Haigh, Miriam Hoffer, Penny Hutchison, Anna Fay Jackson, Jo Ann Kendall, Jackie Lewis, Mary Hanna Lewis, Martha Ann McKeel, Peggy Martin, Betsy Moore, Carolyn Pegg, Jane Reid, Page Sink, Connie Spivey, Bet Taylor, Ann Thompson, Dolly Sue Vernon, Jane Wagoner, Peggy Glyn Williams, Sue Wood; *Dormitory*

*Transfer Counselors:* Eunice Beal, Mary Fran Oliver, Katherine Renfrew, Shirley Strother; *Day Student Freshmen Counselors:* Donna Ellington, Edna Holoman, Hazel Wiggins, Jane Woodard; *Day Student Transfer Counselors:* Annette Graham, Janie Moore.

## INTEREST SHOWN IN HUBBELL CONTEST

Miss Sally Wills Holland, of the English department, has announced that five students have entered material to be judged in the competition for the Ruth Ann Hubbell Award. Miss Holland says, "There has been gratifying interest shown in so young a contest."

Three judges have been selected to evaluate the entries. They are Dr. Julia Hamlet Harris, former head of the Meredith English department; Mrs. Bernice Kelly Harris, Meredith alumna and writer of note; and an un-named friend of Miss Hubbell.

The contest, inaugurated last year, aims to recognize sustained writing of high calibre. A minimum of three compositions and a maximum of five is required of each contestant.

The winner will be announced on Society Night, June 1.

## A.A. BOARD HOLDS INITIATION SERVICES

Initiation services for the members of the Athletic Association Board for the coming year were held in chapel Thursday, April 25.

The officers for the incoming year include Margaret Creech, president; Tommie Bass, vice-president; Carolyn Barrington, secretary; and Bobbie Conley, treasurer.

The members of the 1957-58 board are Barbara Browning, social chairman; Ann Rackley, health; Juanita Swindler and Stewart James, publicity; Ann Finley, dance; Faye Little, badminton and tennis; Carol Insko, archery and golf; Cris Livingston, swimming and bicycling; Anna Faye Jackson, speedball; Eleanor Bowden, softball; Peggy Williams, basketball; Marjorie

Boyles, volleyball; Mona Faye Horton, Hoofprint Club; and Tommie Bass, president of the Monogram Club.

Mary Edna Grimes, the outgoing president, presented Margaret Creech with a miniature gavel. The new president administered the oath of office to her board.

## STRINGFIELD WINS PLAYDAY

Stringfield girls surprised nearly everyone by walking (?) away with top honors in the AA sponsored faculty-student Play Day held on campus Wednesday, April 24.

Promptly at 2:00 everyone assembled in the court for the crowning of the Duke Charles Turn and the Duchess Juanita (Peanut) Swindler. After an amusing welcome by Dr. Reveley, in which he suggested that students not be too careful to "pull punches" because the faculty are not deficient in "brain" if they were in "brawn," the students in each of the dorms, the faculty, and day students competed in a song fest and a cheering contest. In these events Stringfield tied the faculty in the song while the day students' clever cheer took first place. Afterward relays were run on the green, and amid wild cheering, Stringfield again came in first in every relay except in the suitcase race. Following

## Library Receives New Books

"We Pity the Plumage, but Forget the Dying Bird" is the name of a rare pamphlet by Percy Bysshe Shelley given to the Meredith library by Mrs. Charlotte Wester Cate, class of 1938, in honor of Dr. Julia Hamlet Harris, head of the English department from 1922-1952. The pamphlet, "An Address to the People on the Death of Princess Charlotte" by the Hermit of Marlow, is believed by one famous scholar to be the actual "editio princeps" of this tract and not a reprint from an earlier edition.

Also of interest in the library these days is the arrival of four volumes of the "English Historical Documents," a series of volumes dealing with the basic material of

English and American history. The object of the series is to make this source material more generally accessible. When completed the set will contain about twelve volumes and will be an authoritative work of primary reference. It will be most useful and helpful for students in the fields of English and history.

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