## Dr. B. Ratchford **Explains Banking** On Richmond Trip

On Wednesday, December 6, Mrs. Evelyn Simmons, a teacher in the economics department, accompanied several members of the money and banking class to the Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond, Virginia.

The vice-president and senior advisor of the Bank, Dr. B. U. Ratchford, whose daughter Julia attends Meredith, planned the activities for ship are Christian character, conthe group. Mr. Wyatt, the public structive leadership, service to the relations director of the bank, spoke school, and scholarship. to the group and showed them the new movie, "Money on the Move." Then a tour of the entire bank was made. The students were shown, among other things, the oven where six million dollars is burned daily. government and has formerly served The money which is burned is unfit as a freshman counselor and on the currency. They also saw the vault which contains reserves of currency. After lunch in the executive dining room, a discussion of monetary policy and decision-making problems followed.

Dr. Ratchford is in charge of the Economic Research Department of the Bank. He also edits the Monthly Review and other economic booklets. which the bank publishes.

Members of the class who went to Richmond were Nancy Campbell, Carol Galloway, Jane Parrish, Judy Pierce, and Jenny Winfield.

#### **CHRISTMAS TREE**

(Continued from page 1) Year." They added that they hope that the Meredith students will enjoy the Christmas present to the school.

# Silver Shield Taps Juniors

and Beverly Lipscomb were tapped president of the sophomore class, into the Silver Shield as associate and a participant in the freshman members. The full members are Frieda Farmer, president, Mary joys knitting and playing tennis. Lyon McKinney, vice-president, Sue Ennis, secretary-treasurer, Peggy Fish, and Margaret Houghton. The Silver Shield, our honorary leadership society, was organized in 1935 to foster a better spirit on the campus and to recognize outstanding students who have contributed to life at Meredith. Criteria for member-

#### Nell Cox from Burlington

Nell Cox is an English major from Burlington. She has two sisters and one brother, all younger. Nell is presently the treasurer of student Twig staff. She lists her hobbies as making scrapbooks and collecting stamps.

#### Beverly Lipscomb—Junior Class President

Beverly Lipscomb is the president of the junior class. In the past she

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On November 19, 1963, Nell Cox has been a freshman counselor, vicestunt. Beverly is a French major from Richmond, Virginia. She en-





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## Playhouse Plans Spring Play; Try-outs Scheduled for Feb.

Night," a comedy by William Shakespeare, to be held in the spring. Performances will be given on Friday and Saturday evenings, March 13 and 14.

major female roles, several smaller Pound Look" by James M. Barrie female parts, and approximately eight was presented in chapel on Decemmale roles. Try-out notices for the ber 9. Staged by Miss Peg Gorsage, play will be posted in January. February 3 and 4 have been set as the Playhouse, the cast was comdates for the try-outs.

will also be asked to sign on lists. Carlson.

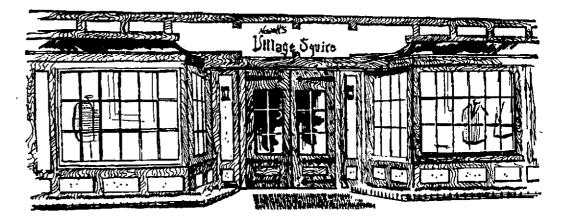
Margaret Rackley, president of The crew will be made up of the stuthe Meredith Playhouse, announced dents working on lighting, make-up, plans for the presentation of "Twelfth costumes, sound, scenery, programs, and publicity.

#### Second Play

The Shakespearean play will be the second production of the year Parts in the cast consist of three by the Playhouse. "The Twelve professor of English and director of posed of Brucie Tull, Edwin Blanch-Students interested in crew work ard, Eva Mae Foxworth and Elaine

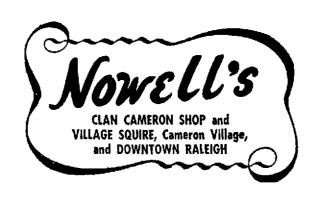
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