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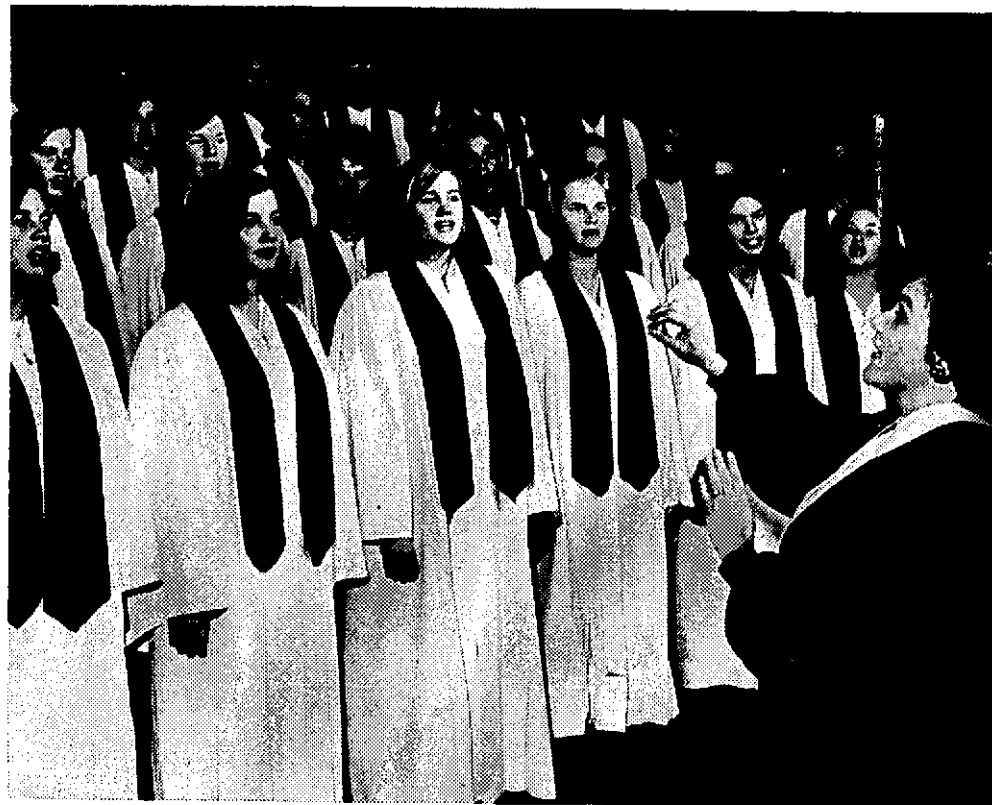
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Under the direction of Mrs. Charles Sullivan, the Meredith College chorus will make a spring tour to piedmont and western North Carolina schools and churches. The Meredith ensemble, directed by Miss Beatrice Donley, will also perform.

## Meredith Chorus, Ensemble Hold Spring Tour This Week Group Sings in Schools, Churches

The Meredith College chorus and ensemble are holding their first spring tour in more than ten years as they visit six churches and two high schools in piedmont and western North Carolina during the week of March 19-23.

Accompanying the group is Mrs. Charles Sullivan, voice instructor and chorus director, and Miss Beatrice Donley, associate professor of music and director of the ensemble. The chorus has forty-five members and the ensemble is composed of twelve vocalists. Accompanist for both groups is Miss Dorothy Jane Bostick, senior piano major from Wilson.

The tour opened Sunday morning, March 19, at Durham's Watts

Street Baptist Church. Sunday evening the group was at First Baptist Church, Greensboro.

Monday, March 20, they sang at First Baptist Church, Leaksville. Tuesday, March 21, they were at Reynolds High School, Winston-Salem, in the morning and at First Baptist Church in Waynesville, for an evening performance.

On Wednesday, March 22, they performed at Tuscola High School, Waynesville and then went to St. John's Baptist Church, Charlotte in the evening. The group will return (Continued on page 4)

## Dr. Cochran Will Discuss Significance of Puritanism

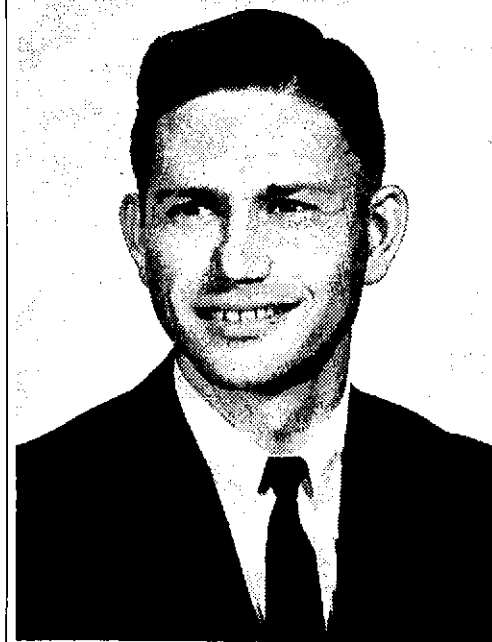
Dr. Bernard H. Cochran will deliver the Distinguished Faculty Lecture on April 4 at 8:00 in Jones Auditorium. His topic, "Anatomy of Puritanism," will include the nature of Puritanism and the Puritan movement as a whole.

Puritanism began during the Reformation in England in the reign of Queen Elizabeth I. Although Elizabeth was Protestant, there was a conflict between Protestantism and Catholicism. The Puritans contributed not only to religious liberty, but also to English literature in such great figures as John Milton.

Dr. Cochran will also discuss the myths and misunderstandings surrounding Puritanism. He will include references to American colonial thought and make contemporary application to this. His topic is significant because it has meaning in many areas, not primarily in religion.

Dr. Cochran, associate professor of religion, is presently on a leave of absence to study at Duke University, where he has been working in the area of Puritanism. He received his A.B. degree from Stetson University, B.D. and Th.M. degrees from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, and Ph.D. degree from Duke University.

This is the sixth in the series of Distinguished Faculty Lectures. In November of this year Dr. Mary Lynch Johnson spoke on "Words: Daughters and Sons of Earth and of Heaven." There will be a reception after the lecture to which all students, faculty, and guests are invited.



Dr. Bernard H. Cochran

## Lemmon Directs Campus Preparations for Special Occasion

## Inauguration Weekend Will Be April 14-15

Seven hundred invitations have been addressed and mailed. Approximately 200 Meredith students have been asked to help. At least 150 universities and colleges will send delegates. What is this crowd-drawing occasion? Inauguration weekend at Meredith College is drawing near!

The events leading up to the inauguration of President E. Bruce Heilman will begin on the morning of Friday, April 14, at 10:30 a.m. with a ground breaking ceremony for the Carlyle Campbell Library. This event will be followed by a reception in the Blue Parlor in honor of Dr. Carlyle Campbell. Friday

night at 8:00 p.m. in Jones Auditorium, the first performance by the Meredith Playhouse of *John Brown's Body* will be given.

Saturday, April 15, will provide a full day of activities beginning with the registration of guests from 8:30 until 10:15 a.m., to be followed by an informal coffee hour in the Alumnae House from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. At 10:45 the academic procession will begin the inaugural ceremonies, which will be held at the amphitheater.

The Honorable Mr. Brooks Hays, past president of the Southern Baptist Association, will deliver the Inaugural address. Following the morning ceremonies will be a luncheon in the court for visitors and at the lake for Meredith students. At 2:30 p.m. Dr. Heilman will be honored at a reception in the Blue Parlor. Beginning at 3:00 p.m. Dr.

Heilman's house will be open to the public until 6:00 p.m. Also at 3:00 will be a horse show for those guests and students interested in the equitation program. The second performance of *John Brown's Body* will be presented at 8:00 p.m.

Throughout the weekend there will be two art exhibits in Joyner Hall and special exhibits in Johnson Hall. The art displays will be those of senior art major Brenda Vaughan's exhibition and also an exhibit of the best paintings of the semester by various art students. The Johnson Hall exhibits will include one of the history of Meredith, one of Dr. Heilman's life, and a third one of the library plans.

Dr. Sarah Lemmon, chairman of the department of history, is serving as chairman of the Inauguration Committee.

## Scholarship Society Will Tap New Members

## Kappa Nu Sigma to Feature Dr. C. S. Sims As Lecturer

The annual Kappa Nu Sigma assembly program is scheduled for Friday, April 7, at 11:00 a.m. Dr. Catherine Strateman Sims, dean of Sweet Briar College and professor of history and political science, will deliver the address.

During the program new junior members of Kappa Nu Sigma, the Meredith honorary scholarship society, will be announced.

Dr. Sims was graduated with honors from Barnard College in 1934, where she was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. The following year she studied at the Institute of Historical Research of the University of London. She received the A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from Columbia University.

After serving as an instructor of history at the University of North

Carolina at Greensboro, Dr. Sims went to Agnes Scott College, where she was a professor of history for a number of years.

From 1960 until 1963 Dr. Sims was dean of the American College for Girls in Istanbul, Turkey. Her topic here will be related to her service in this position as she will speak on women and women's education in Turkey.

### INAUGURAL ISSUE

The publication date of the next issue of THE TWIG is April 13.

This issue will be concerned primarily with the inauguration of President E. Bruce Heilman, and any information related to the inauguration or to other events should be given to the editor by April 5 for publication in this issue of THE TWIG.

## Second Slate Balloting Held, Campus Elections Completed

On Thursday, March 16, the second slate election for student body officers was held.

Teenie Sink led the slate by capturing the chairmanship of the Legislative Board. The race for Student Activities Board chairman was thrown into a run-off between Patsy Burks and Judy Kornegay. This run-off election was held yesterday after the deadline for THE TWIG.

The run-off yesterday between Pam Pernell and Brenda Smith decided who will serve as chief counselor. Patsy James was elected treasurer of the Student Government Association, and Jean Levin was

voted in as president of Poteat Dormitory.

Elected to serve as vice-presidents of Poteat were Teesie Ayers, Beth Smith, and Susan Stone. Vice-presidents of Brewer and Faircloth dorms elected were Evelyn Carter, Ellen Derby, Janet Hamilton, Ann Henry, Kate Huggins, and Shera Jackson. An additional vice-president for these dorms was decided in yesterday's run-off between Mary Neil Senter and Ruth Ann Walters. Donna Hanson was elected to serve as president of Brewer or Faircloth, and the additional dorm president was chosen in the run-off between Becky Batson and Linda Sears.

Mary Owens was chosen to serve as vice-president of the Meredith Christian Association. A run-off between Ann Crockett and Mary Harper Freeman decided who will serve as college marshal.

Ellen Warren was elected editor of the *Acorn*, and Judy Ratley was chosen to serve as business manager of that publication. Other publication business managers elected were Suzanne Guthrie for THE TWIG and Jackie Boone for the *Oak Leaves*.

## Silver Shield Taps Four

On Tuesday, March 21, the members of Silver Shield, the campus honorary leadership society, tapped four new members into the society.

The new members, all seniors, are Margaret Hall, president of the Senior Class; Sandra Hobbs, president of the Nonresident Students;

Linda Wright, chairman of the Legislative Board; and Mimi Holt, editor of the TWIG. During the assembly period in which the tapping was conducted, Mr. Bud Walker, Director of Religious Activities, spoke to the members of the student body. Following his remarks, the new members were welcomed into the society.

Old members of Silver Shield participating in the program were Lynn Grumbles, president; Kay Cockerham, vice president; Beverly Scarborough, secretary-treasurer; Ellen Kirby and Kae Freeman, senior members; and Lynne O'Dell and Teenie Sink, junior associate members.