

Candidates' Views Noted

This year North Carolinians will have the chance to vote in presidential primaries for the first time. In addition to New York Republican Shirley Chisholm who spoke at Meredith College last Monday, the four Democrats entered in the May 6 primary are: former N. C. Governor Terry Sanford, Alabama Governor George Wallace, Washington Senator Henry Jackson, and Senator Edmund Muskie of Maine.

Former Governor Sanford, presently serving as president of Duke University, initially entered the race as an alternative to George Wallace. Called a "forward-looking Democrat" by Senator George McGovern, Democrat from South Dakota, Sanford feels that voters should have a Southerner other than Wallace among their choices. He holds the ideal of a progressive South, and insists he is a serious national contender.

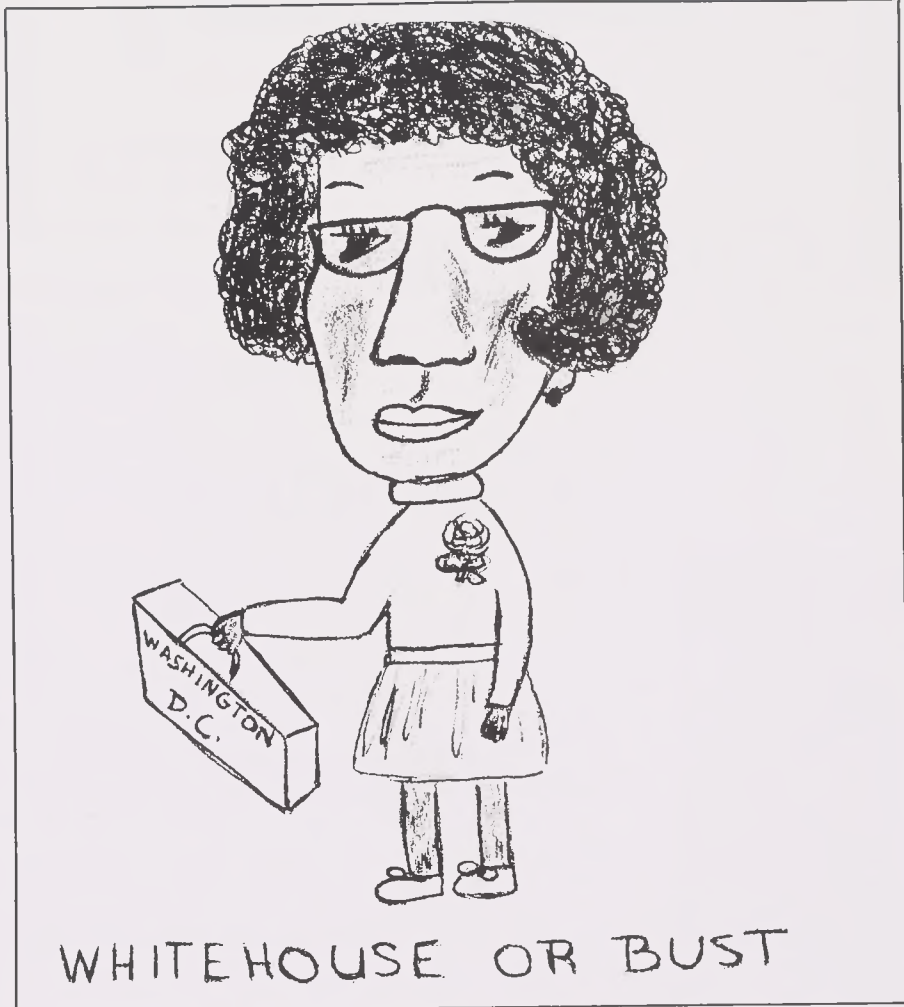
Winning 47 per cent of the vote in the recent Florida primary, Governor Wallace is also expected to do well in North Carolina. Although his anti-busing stand merits the most attention, Wallace is attempting a broader appeal in 1972. Attacking the entire liberal bureaucratic establishment, the Alabama Governor advocates more state and local control saying, "People are fed up with government and want to be left alone."

Suffering from being somewhat unknown, Senator Jackson is con-

sidered the Democrat closest to President Nixon. Solidly opposed to busing, Jackson supports the working man and believes he is the "common sense" alternative to Americans who voted for Nixon in 1968 and who are considering voting for Wallace in 1972. These are the "real majority" he says.

Attempting to recover from a disappointing less-than-50 per cent victory in New Hampshire, Senator Muskie is trying to re-establish himself as the front-runner. Muskie has

not committed himself on the busing issue yet, although he did vote against a recent proposal for a constitutional amendment forbidding all forced busing. Muskie is known to be one of the earliest anti-pollution workers and says on Vietnam that if he were elected, "My objective would be as close to immediate withdrawal from Vietnam as soon as possible after I took office." His major backer in North Carolina is present Governor Bob Scott. GR



Promotion Set for Horner, Ledford

Dr. Sally M. Horner, assistant professor of chemistry, has been appointed chairman of the Department of Chemistry, promoted to associate professor, and granted a sabbatical leave it was announced recently. Dr. W. David Lynch, chairman of the Department of Music, has been granted tenure, and Dr. William R. Ledford, acting chairman of the Foreign Language Department, was promoted from assistant to associate professor at a recent Board of Trustees meeting.

Dr. Horner will be on sabbatical leave during the fall semester next year, doing research in the field of x-ray crystallography at Duke University. Dr. Mary Yarbrough, current chairman of the Chemistry Department, will continue on the faculty and will serve as acting chairman during Dr. Horner's sabbatical.

Dr. Lynch joined the Meredith faculty in 1969 as chairman of the Music Department. According to Dean Burris, the granting of tenure insures job security and protects the right of academic freedom.

Dr. Ledford joined the Meredith faculty in 1957 and became an assistant professor in 1964. He previously was granted tenure on the faculty and was appointed acting chairman of the Department of Foreign Languages in 1971.

Meredith Gets LTD

Meredith students are aware that our school maintains a car for faculty and student use, however no one seems to know much more than that. Here is the whole scoop.

Meredith has been provided with an LTD station wagon by a local merchant. Any student, faculty, or other school group may use it for any school-sanctioned activity. They need only to sign for it ahead of time in the business office in Johnson Hall. Availability is on a first-come-first-serve basis.

The only restrictions on the car are that it cannot be dominated by any one group, and it cannot be used for transportation to classes at State. It can be used by an individual under very special circumstances.

McLain to Visit India

Dr. Ralph McLain is one of seventeen scholars from the South selected to attend a Faculty Seminar on Indian Religion, Art, and History this summer in India. The group will leave around June 10 and return August 18.

Dr. McLain will visit New Dehli, Madras, Bombay, Nepal, Agra, site of the Taj Mahal, Benares, site of Buddha's first ministry, and other significant cities and villages. He also plans to visit some friends in the country.

The program of study will include lectures and discussions by important scholars from each of the great religions in India. Specialists in Indian history from primitive times to modern day will talk to the group. Also, specialists in various forms of Indian art such as painting, music, dance, and theater will address the group.

Dr. McLain had feared the trip would not be possible because of the India - Pakistan conflict and the United States government's cut-back of grants for educational study. He received official confirmation of the trip only three weeks ago. Now his only problem is how to cope with the 36 inches of rain which will be falling each month during the Monsoon Season while he is in India.

The study is sponsored by the Southern Atlantic States Association for South Asia Studies. The United States government has given a grant of over \$37,000 through the Office of Education to sponsor the trip.

Dr. McLain's selection for this study is another indication of the excellent quality of the faculty at Meredith College. The Meredith community wishes Dr. McLain a safe and exciting educational experience in India this summer.

Libber Stopped Trying to Kiss Elbow

Combat too - early marriages, which often lead to marital disruptions and too little vocational and educational preparation.

"Girls should learn to compete with boys — not just for boys."

These were the words of Mrs. Martha S. Grafton, speaker at Meredith's 30th annual alumnae seminary, Saturday, March 18. Past dean, professor, and occasional acting president of Mary Baldwin College, Mrs. Grafton spoke to the group of approximately 100 women and men.

She presented an overview of the women's lib movement, drawing episodes from history to support and encourage the movement.

"Women have never really been in charge, but they have had tremendous influence through their menfolks. Now they want to do it themselves," she said. With a smile,

Mrs. Grafton remembered her childhood envy of masculine roles and her futile attempts to kiss her elbow, a feat which would allegedly turn her into a boy.

As much as she is in favor of the liberation movement, Mrs. Grafton questions the feasibility of eliminating sex roles entirely from society. "Even communal living is not the answer. Look in the kitchen of a commune and see who stands there all day. It will be a woman," she declared.

In closing, she offered several suggestions to the alumnae. She urged women to take advantage of the freedoms of voting and running for office. Women should use ingenuity in the business world. She said, "You will need it if you switch from the heat of the kitchen to the heat of the professional world."

Union to Feature Snack Bar, Billiards

Construction of Meredith's student union, initiated in April, will near completion in July. The floor space, according to Business Manager Joe Baker, will be roughly equivalent to that of the two top floors of the library.

Housed in the spacious building will be many facilities now located in the Bee Hive area, and also will include some additional luxuries. The post office will be relocated, as will the snack bar and book store. Extended services of the book store will include the selling of gift items in conjunction with regular book sales.

The snack bar will have a menu more elaborate than the typical soda fountain. A small dining area will be included. It is hoped that student support will allow the snack bar to remain open at night.

The faculty lounge next to the snack bar will open into another room to accommodate group gatherings. Another lounge adjacent to the snack bar includes equipment for ping-pong and billiards. Facilities for playing records and tapes will be available. A television room and an upstairs fireplace also contribute to an atmosphere of relaxation.

Office space will be available to the staff of each student publication. The Director of Student Activities may have office space in the new union. Space also is allowed for displays and art exhibits around the center staircase.

The bottom floor will include the

continuing education center with a small auditorium. The assembly hall will have a seating capacity of a little over two hundred. This auditorium can be divided into two or three smaller rooms for meetings.

Meredith's new student union will be a unique campus building in that every element in it from actual structure to color coordination was guided by the architect. The furnishings, including a set of lockers, will be new. This newness is the direct result of the five million dollar development program. As the most modern phase of the building program, the new student union will, it is hoped, benefit all on campus.

Criminology Class Hears Speakers

Recent speakers to classes in Criminology, Sociology 352, included an employee of the jail inspection division of the Federal Bureau of Prisons, a spokesman for the North Carolina Department of Correction, and a prison inmate who is presently serving a life sentence.

Speakers led discussions of prison problems. They illustrated the conditions prevalent in many jails with actual slides. Devices sometimes used by prisoners as makeshift weapons were exhibited to the classes. The speakers urged students to become more aware of the penal system of their state and the problems it must cope with.

Wayne Oates to Address MCA On Student-Family Problems

"Student-Family Problems" will be the topic of the MCA Spring Forum, April 10-11. Dr. Wayne E. Oates, Professor of Psychology at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky, will be guest speaker. One of the country's leaders in the field of psychology of religion and pastoral counseling, Dr. Oates is very much concerned with the questions that students are asking. He will be speaking to such questions as: How can students accept a more liberal set of rules for personal conduct at school than at home? When should parents have the priority in decisions? How can students please parents but at the same time become independent from them in life style?

Monday afternoon, April 10, Dr. Oates will be speaking to various classes. At 4:00 in the Hut, a session will be held to begin to define student-family problems. At 7:30 in 103 Joyner, a short, dynamic play, *The Glass Wall*, will be given by students from Ridge Road Baptist Church, after which Dr. Oates will lead informal discussion on implications of the play. Tuesday morning from 9:30-10:30, a "Get-Acquainted Party" will be held in the Blue Parlor to give faculty and students an opportunity to talk with Dr. Oates.

A native of South Carolina, Dr. Oates received his B.A. and Lit.D. from Wake Forest College and his B.D., Th.M., and Th.D. from Southern Seminary. He has also done post-doctoral studies at Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University in N. Y. He has taught at Wake Forest, and at Union Theological Seminary. He is author of over twenty books, including *Anxiety in Christian Experience*, *Religious Dimensions of Personality*, *Christ and Selfhood*, *On Becoming Children of God*, *When Religion*

Gets Sick, and his most recent work, *Confessions of a Workaholic*.

The MCA considers it a real privilege to be able to present Dr. Oates to our campus. Each student is encouraged to take some time to share in these discussions which are being offered for her personal benefit. Consider this time well-spent.



Wayne Oates

Shirley Chisholm

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adequately with the economic plight of the American Indian, the migrant worker, and the blacks in urban ghettos.

She stressed an emphasis on international economic decisions as they affect the average citizen and stated, "I would also cut off financial aid to foreign countries which do not let their people breathe free."