

Committee votes for monthly convocation

The president's ad hoc convocation committee concluded a series of meetings Monday, March 11, and moved that convocation for the entire Meredith community be held regularly on the first Monday of each month, with attendance to be voluntary.

The committee's resolution has gone to President Weems for his consideration.

The committee also moved to retain the 10:00 a.m. hour on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for "convocation on Mondays, worship on Wednesdays, and departmental, Academic Council, or faculty standing committee meetings on Friday." With the first Monday of each month set aside for convocation, the remaining Mondays will be used as needed for SGA meetings, class meetings, etc., it was proposed. The resolution also provided for a permanent convocation committee to be set up to plan the Monday programs. It was proposed that this planning committee either be a sub-committee of the Cultural Affairs Committee (with

combined budgets), or that the new committee be a separate committee with its own budget. If the latter plan is implemented, then the chairman of the convocation committee would also serve on the Cultural Affairs Committee to help maintain continuity in planning.

The resolution noted also that the administration shall retain the right to plan occasional convocations "for significant events that are of unusual importance to the entire Meredith community."

The ad hoc committee also urged President Weems to consider the need for publicity for events and announcements of interest to the Meredith community and suggested that a weekly campus calendar be published in the *Twig*.

Writing contest announced

College and university students can win up to \$1000.00 (plus an expense paid, round trip to Hollywood, California).

Both graduate and undergraduate students between the ages of 18 and 25 are invited to enter the national DRUG ENLIGHTENMENT PROGRAM College and University Script Writing Competition for "The New Radio."

The competition consists in writing a half-hour, educational, entertaining, dramatic, radio script on the drug problem.

The DRUG ENLIGHTENMENT PROGRAM will use 13 winning scripts to produce a new, national radio series for public service broadcast.

13 cash prizes will be awarded: ranging from FIRST PRIZE of \$1000.00 (plus a one week, expense paid, round trip from home or school to Hollywood, California) to THIRTEENTH PRIZE of \$200.00.

There is no entry fee. Deadline for the competition is midnight, May 31, 1974.

Students interested in entering the competition should write to F.I.C.U., DRUG ENLIGHTENMENT PROGRAM, 1147 South Robertson Boulevard, Los Angeles, California 90035 and ask for the Information, Rules, and Official Entry Form brochure.



Give a hoot!
Don't pollute.

Honeycutt elected chairwoman

Chapel Hill - Loretta Honeycutt, of Benson, a Meredith College sophomore, has been elected co-chairwoman of the North Carolina Federal of College Republicans. Miss Honeycutt won office unanimously at the College Republican state convention held on the UNC campus on Saturday, February 16.

In Johnston County, Miss Honeycutt is Vice-Chairman of her precinct and a member of the Young Republican club and the Republican Womens club. As College Republican co-chairwoman, she will serve on the state executive board of the latter organization. She has also served during the past year as president of the Meredith College Republican Club.

Other officers elected were: Chairman, Steve Rader of Duke University; Vice-Chairman, Jimmy Myers of Wake Forest University; Treasurer, Mark Burnette of East Carolina University; Secretary, Jeff Taylor of UNC; and Assistant-Secretary, Jim Jorgenson of Campbell College. Regional officers elected were: Bill Turpit of Duke, Terry Nuhn of N. C. State, John Molen of UNC, Mike Morris of UNC-C, and Mike Long of Appalachian State University.

In other business, the convention adopted resolutions opposing public financing of elections, supporting the establishment of a four year medical school at East Carolina University, and calling for the resignation of N. C. Attorney General Robert Morgan.



This is the artist's tentative rendering of the 42,000 square foot proposed music building. The fund-raising campaign for the estimated 1.5 million dollars needed to construct the new building has already begun, and according to John Kanipe, the funds will be raised from outside sources.

Summer jobs available in Europe through Vacation-Work Ltd. program

"The best way to find out about a country is to work there," says Myena Leith, consultant to Summer Jobs in Europe and editor of Summer Employment Directory of the U. S.

"College students and other young people looking for an exciting and low cost way to explore Europe have an unrivaled opportunity to do this by joining the Summer

Scholarship fund open to journalists

ATLANTA, GA. - Aspiring young Southern newspapermen and women in need of financial assistance to attend the last two years of college have until May 1 to apply for Ralph McGill Scholarship Fund grants for the 1974-75 academic year.

The Ralph McGill Scholarship Fund was created to honor the late Ralph Emerson McGill, publisher of *The Atlanta Constitution*.

The Fund's Advisory Committee has stipulated that grants will be made in amounts not to exceed \$1,500 for a full academic year of college for each recipient. Awards will be based on journalistic interest and aptitude plus need.

Jack W. Tarver, president of *The Atlanta Journal and Constitution* and chairman of the Fund's Advisory Committee, said the group agreed that the amount of each grant would be based on the individual's own financial requirements.

Grants are available to qualified young men and women whose roots lie in the fourteen Southern states. Tarver said the Advisory Committee also will act as the selection committee. He said applicants must show an "abiding interest" and aptitude for newspaper writing and editing and successful applicants must convince the committee that they are determined to make a career of newspapering.

Jobs in Europe program."

Participants can work in a hotel in France, on an archaeological dig in Britain or with a family in Italy. In all there are 7 job categories available for periods from 5 to 9 weeks. Summer Jobs in Europe offers a job, a four-day orientation program in London, documentation and full back-up-service for only \$129.

Vacation-Work Ltd., who arrange the program, have 7 years' experience of finding jobs for Americans. Although based in Oxford, England, Vacation-Work has an office in Cincinnati where Myena Leith, with over 20 years' experience in the field of summer employment, is

consultant to the project.

"The program offers a unique opportunity to get to know the real Europe," says Myena Leith. "Placement can be made through May but the early applicants will be the most likely to get their first choice of jobs."

To give increased flexibility, travel can either be arranged by the individual or by joining special flights of BOAC, Britain's leading airline.

Students can receive a free "Summer Jobs in Europe" brochure with details of available jobs by sending a long, stamped return envelope to Vacation-Work Ltd., 266 Ludlow Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio 45220.

Overseas study venture offered by Kent State

Kent, Ohio - An overseas study program which is unique in nature in the nation is being offered by Kent State University in cooperation with three other concerned national organizations. The program is the Geneva Semester on the United Nations System. It is unique because of its topical oriented nature of the program rather than the area oriented nature of most other overseas study programs.

The Geneva Semester, with its emphasis upon the workings of the international organizations and their concern about the problems of mankind, begins with a one-week introductory session in Vermont at the School for International Training, where the students are introduced to cross-cultural aspects of the international system. The major portion of the study will be conducted in Geneva, the seat of the European headquarters of the United Nations and of a number of governmental as well as non-governmental international organizations such as ILO, GATT, WHO, ITU, WMO, and the Red Cross. The study will be conducted by professors from various institutes

associated with the University of Geneva as well as those from Kent State University. The French language is also included in the study in order to help the students to develop their knowledge of the language as well as to better be able to interact with the Swiss community. The final 15 days of the program will involve travel to many of the different international and regional organizations located in Vienna, Strasbourg, Paris, Brussels, and the Hague.

After a success with participants from various parts of the United States, the Fourth Geneva Semester will take place from August 19 through December 21, 1974. The program is open to sophomore, junior and senior students enrolled in good academic standing in any college or university in the United States. There are no requirements as to academic major.

Further information and application forms can be obtained from the Center for International and Comparative Programs, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio 44242, or call (216) 672-7980. The deadline for applications is April 30, 1974.