

## HONORARY FRAT WILL INITIATE 9 MEN TONIGHT

Tau Beta Pi, National Engineering Organization, To Hold Ceremonies At Library.

### BANQUET LATER AT INN

The initiation of Tau Beta Pi, national engineering scholastic fraternity, will take place at 7:00 tonight at the library. Following this a banquet will be held at the Carolina Inn.

At the initiation tonight, nine men will receive the honor of becoming members of this organization which carries the recognition of outstanding qualities of character and scholarship. The nine men who will be initiated today are W. D. Merritt, instructor in engineering, John B. Pittana, a senior in the school of engineering, C. P. Hayes, George Thompson, Aubrey Parsley, G. J. Quinn, Norman L. Bryan, all juniors, C. P. Hayes, graduate of the school of engineering in 1925 and now vice-president of the Carolina Steel Co., and R. M. Casper, graduate of the school of engineering in 1925.

### Rodman to Speak

W. S. Rodman, vice-president of the American Institute of Electrical Engineering and professor at the University of Virginia, will be the principal speaker at the banquet in the Carolina Inn. This banquet will take place at 8:30, immediately after the ceremonies at the library.

Membership in Tau Beta Pi carries with it a distinct honor for the engineering student, for the members of the engineering profession have become acquainted with the fact that the men selected for membership possess outstanding qualities of character and scholarship.

The University chapter, Beta of North Carolina, was organized in the winter of 1928, and since then there have been four tappings. The last one of these, in which the men to be initiated tonight were tapped, was held Tuesday night.

## TO PRESENT OLD-FASHIONED PLAY

Green, Steele, Coffin, Jones and Others Completing Plans for Two Performances

(By Philip DeVilbiss)

Such an array of celebrities as has been gathered by The Imperial Stock Company for their production of "Thorns and Orange Blossoms" at the Playmaker Theatre May 2 and 3 has seldom been seen in this vicinity. Paul Green and Wilbur Daniel Steele, leasees for the company, have declared their intention of not going out of the village for either set or costume materials. When questioned concerning the play, Mr. Green stated that he emphatically believed it would prove even more popular than "The No 'Count Boy."

"Thorns and Orange Blossoms" is a dramatization of Bertha M. Clay's internationally-known novel of that title. The all-star cast will be costumed in the dress of the period—the early 1880's. The play consists of four intensely dramatic acts and calls for ingenious adherence to the interiors of the period. Howard Mumford Jones, member of the Society

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## Building and Loan

Twenty-first Series Now Open; Over 600 Shares Sold This Month

Over 600 shares of the Orange County Building and Loan stock have been sold since the opening of the twenty-first series on the first of April.

The number of shares authorized in this series is limited to 1000. Shares are issued in units of \$100, and may be bought by installments as low as twenty-five cents a week. The interest begins to accrue as soon as the first installment is made. The shares are tax-free, and have yielded about seven per cent in the past; sometimes over.

Headquarters of the association are at the Bank of Chapel Hill. W. O. Sparrow, the secretary, explains the operation of the association and its investment advantages to those who inquire there.

## MEDICAL ALUMNI GATHER THURSDAY

Meet At Pinehurst As Part Of State Medical Society Program.

Alumni of the school of medicine in the University will hold a buffet luncheon at the Carolina hotel in Pinehurst April 29 as a part of the program of the meeting of the state Medical Society.

This luncheon is being sponsored by Dr. Frank C. Smith of Charlotte, who is president of the medical unit of the University Alumni Association, and Dr. Calvert Toy of Chapel Hill, secretary of the medical unit. Approximately one of every four physicians practicing in North Carolina are former students of the University medical school. Many of these have signified their intention of attending the Carolina luncheon.

This would swell the attendance at the luncheon to a maximum number, for during the 40 years of the medical school's existence approximately 1300 students have matriculated. Of these, 78 per cent of the native North Carolinians have returned to serve their native state. Five hundred and fifty are now practicing medicine in this state, which is approximately 25 per cent of the active profession in North Carolina.

In the past 30 years, students of the school have headed the list in examinations by the state board of medical examiners 22 times.

## Senior Notice

The Procter and Gamble Company will have a representative in Chapel Hill on Tuesday, April 29. On the next day (Wednesday, April 30), the B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company will be represented here. Some time during the first week in May, the district manager of the S. H. Kress & Company will be here for his second visit this year.

Seniors who would like to have interviews with these representatives should see Henry Johnston, Jr., at 204 South building immediately.

## Wedding Supper

Mrs. James P. Miller gave a wedding supper last night for Dr. Arthur London and his prospective bride at the Carolina Inn.

## Entertainment Ballot

### LECTURES

- Richard E. Byrd, Explorer and Adventurer.
- Guglielmo Ferrero, Historian and Critic.
- Louis Untermeyer, Poet and Critic.
- Everett Dean Martin, Educator.
- Blair Niles, Devils Island Experiences.
- Morris Fishbein, Medical Superstitions Exposed.
- Joseph W. Krutch, Critic and Author.
- Darrow-Cannon Debate, A Bishop and an Atheist Debate Prohibition.
- Max Eastman, Poet and Critic.
- Edna St. Vincent Millay, Poet.
- George Russell, Irish Poet and Philosopher.
- Wythe Williams, Journalist and Traveler.
- Bruce Bairnsfather, World Famed Cartoonist and Humorist.

### DANCING

- Pavley-Oukrainsky Ballet, 9 Dancers and 5 Musicians with New Balletone Invention.
- Carola Goya, Recital Spanish Dances.
- Angna Enters, Episodes and Composition in Dance Form.
- Ruth Page, Solo Dancers from Metropolitan Opera Co.

### DRAMA

- Theatre Guild Repertory Company. O'Neill's "Strange Interlude."
- The Ben Greet Players. "Hamlet." "Twelfth Night." "Much Ado About Nothing." "As You Like It."
- Cornelia Otis Skinner, Original Characterizations in Costume.
- Frank Speight, Eminent English Actor in Dramatizations of Dickens.

### MUSIC

- Crook, Tenor Soloist.
- Lawrence Tibbett, Baritone Soloist.
- Boston Male Choir, Vocal Ensemble.
- Russian Symphonic Choir, Vocal Ensemble.
- Spalding, Violinist.
- Maier & Pattison, Pianists.
- Beggar's Opera, The Beggar's Opera.

### ART

- An Art Exhibit.

Please select ten attractions and number them on the ballot according to your first, second, third (etc) choice. Ballots may be left in the office of the Committee Chairman, Mr. Hibbard (South building) or at the Y.M.C.A. desk. All votes to be considered should be in the committee's hands by Saturday, April 26th.

## Flower Show Opens Next Thursday

The women of Chapel Hill are busy with preparations for the Flower Show in the Tin Can next Thursday, May 1, and the University and the village are to be treated to such a display of flowers as they have never seen before. And with the flowers will be Colonial furniture, luncheon and dinner table decorations, landscapings, and garden layouts.

The show will open at 12 o'clock noon and close at midnight. The admission fee is 10 cents.

P. L. Burch, the University's superintendent of buildings, has had some of his men build a room in the west end of the building. Here will be displayed furniture of the style found in American homes of the Colonial period, and sketches done by the art department of the Community Club will adorn the tables and shelves.

Outside of the entrance of the room, in a miniature garden, Mrs. Klutz, seated under a sunshade, will preside over the serving of lemonade and cookies.

The bleachers, where sit the spectators at basketball games and other athletic events, will be used for the display of cut flowers. But any exhibitor who so desires may bring a table or stool on which to place her flowers.

One of the exhibits takes the form of the decoration of breakfast, luncheon, and dinner

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## Sunday at the Airport

Extra Planes Coming to Martindale Field; Sponsored by Legion

Crowds are expected at Martindale flying field all day Sunday. Extra airplanes will be there, so that everybody who wants to fly can be accommodated. Cars will be on hand to take people to the flying field and back, free of charge.

Chapel Hill Post No. 6, of the American Legion, is sponsoring the day. C. L. Martindale, the proprietor, is giving a percentage of the proceeds to the ex-service men at Oteen hospital, through the Legion post.

Special rates will prevail all day. Posters have been up all week advertising the event. Special inducements are offered to the school children of Orange county. Rates for a flight Sunday are as low as \$1.50. The Legion post extends an invitation to people of Chapel Hill and the entire section to visit the field Sunday.

## DEBATE BY AIR HELD LAST NIGHT AT STATION WPTF

Speight, Lowenstein, and Hobgood Represent University Against Virginia in Second Annual Affair.

The second annual Carolina-Virginia radio debate was broadcast last night from station WPTF, Raleigh. The query was one which is at present very prominent in League of Nations conferences and big business circles; namely, "Resolved, That the thirteen-month calendar should be universally adopted." Carolina took the affirmative side of the question and was represented by W. W. Speight, A. V. Lowenstein and H. H. Hobgood. This was Speight's second appearance in radio debating circles. Last year he paired with J. C. Williams in the first Carolina-Virginia battle of the air, which was broadcast from station WRVA, Richmond.

The thirteen-month calendar is a subject about which the average person knows very little. The radio debate of last night was designed, therefore, as an educational program. This policy was instigated last year when the question of national advertising was debated at Richmond.

The debate last night was the ninth of the year. The tenth, and last, will occur when the local forensic artists journey to Boston to engage Boston University's representatives early in May. The University will be represented in this encounter by J. M. Baley, J. C. Williams and G. P. Carr. The query which will be debated is "Resolved, That the nations of the world should adopt some plan of complete disarmament of all forces, except those which are needed for police purposes."

## Two Initiated By Engineering Frat

Phi Zeta Nu, honorary electrical engineering fraternity, announces the initiation of J. S. Kirk, of Mocksville, and R. E. Hubbard, of Clinton. The initiation took place Thursday night.

Mr. Kirk is a senior and Mr. Hubbard a junior. Phi Zeta Nu is a local scholastic fraternity for electrical engineers, founded in 1919.

## ENGINEERS MOVE TO MAKE SCHOOL MORE SCHOLASTIC

Sophomores Approve Braune's Plan To Raise Standard By Increasing Course By Eight Weeks.

At a meeting of the special faculty of the School of Engineering held yesterday afternoon, changes were made in the curriculum which will make it possible to improve the scholastic content of the curriculum and to maintain a 24 week's period of contact with outside industry.

Under this plan, which will be put into operation at the beginning of summer school this year, students in the school of engineering will take two summer school periods of twelve weeks each, and the work during the junior co-operative year will be placed on a quarterly basis.

By the installation of this plan, which was approved by the sophomore engineers, the total time spent at the University during the four years required for the completion of the course will be increased eight weeks, and the scholastic content of the curriculum will be increased in proportion.

Speaking of the change, G. M. Braune, dean of the school of engineering said yesterday: "Under the new plan, the engineering curriculum of the University of North Carolina will have as much or more scholastic content than any other engineering institution in the country, and it provides in addition 24 weeks' contact with outside industry."

### Two Summer Sessions

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## 20 MEN ASSIGNED HOSPITAL DUTIES

Local School Receives List Of Appointments For Former Pre-Med Students.

The following is a list of the former University pre-med students who have received hospital appointments this year so far as the local school has been notified:

E. N. Boseman, U. of Pa., Geisinger Memorial Hospital; W. Bruner, U. of Pa., Washington, D. C. (name of hospital not known); J. M. Cook, U. of Pa., University Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.; E. W. Franklin, U. of Pa., Chestnut Hill Hospital, Philadelphia; A. C. Hill, U. of Pa., Winston-Salem Hospital, Winston-Salem; W. B. Hooks, U. of Pa.; Germantown Hospital, Germantown, Pa.; N. H. McLeod, U. of Pa., Germantown Hospital, Germantown, Pa.; E. O. Moehlan, U. of Pa., Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.; R. E. Nichols, U. of Pa., Bryn Mawr Hospital, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; C. W. Robinson, U. of Pa., Bryn Mawr Hospital, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; S. M. Carrington, U. of Chicago, Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich.; W. A. Cooper, U. of Chicago, Harper Hospital, Detroit, Mich.; W. P.

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