

Carolina Gets Lion's Share Of 170 Southern Fellowships

For the second year in a row, the University of North Carolina has walked away with the lion's share of 170 grants awarded by the Southern Fellowships Fund, leading all institutions in the nation.

UNC was the top choice, with 35 graduate scholars electing to do advanced research or study or take advanced teacher training at Chapel Hill. Last year UNC also was first in the fellowship choices, with 27 students coming to Chapel Hill of 136 grants made.

Second in line in this year's selections was the University of Texas. Nineteen of the fellows named chose that university. Duke University was third with 15, Tulane was fourth with 10, Oklahoma University, Columbia University and Harvard University were tied for fifth place, six electees going to each of these universities.

Ph.D. Aspirants
Ninety-four persons in Southern colleges and universities received fellowship awards for graduate research or study leading chiefly to the doctorate degree. Of these the 94 selected to attend the following institutions:

University of North Carolina	15
University of Texas	10
Columbia University	5
University of Florida	4
University of Oklahoma	4
(Cornell, Harvard, Syracuse, Wisconsin and Yale, each have three, and 29 other institutions were chosen by one or two students.)	
Teaching Fellowships	
Seventy-six persons were awarded college teaching career fellowships for next year, and these and the institutions they selected follow:	
University of North Carolina	20
Duke University	14
University of Texas	9
Tulane University	7
Vanderbilt University	6
15 other institutions	21

Outstanding Scholars
The Southern Fellowships Fund which is an agency of the Rockefeller Foundation's General Education Board makes awards to outstanding graduate scholars in southern institutions. These selected may attend any college or university in the nation, or in some cases may attend institutions in foreign countries.

The fellowship awards for ad-

vanced study or research range in amount from \$1,500 to \$3,200, with additional sums to cover tuition and fees. Stipends for teaching fellowships are \$1,000 for the first year, with extras for tuition, fees and for dependents.

Since those selected choose the college or university most likely to equip them best for their future careers in the academic world, the fact that the University at Chapel Hill was picked more frequently than any other institution in the country is significant of the regard which graduate students hold the graduate and research and teacher training opportunities at Chapel Hill.

Significance
The meaning of the grants and the recognition that has come to the University was heralded today by Dr. Louis Round Wilson, Kenan Professor and author of the book published yesterday "The University of North Carolina—1900-1950." Professor Wilson said, "The importance of the presence of these scholar and students in the University lies in the fact that from the beginning the University has the opportunity to select a specially qualified group for its teaching program and for its fellow institutions in North Carolina and in the region. This importance is accentuated by the flood of students that the University will have to take care of in common with other institutions, all of which are going to be confronted with securing instructors, and in view of the competition of industry and the federal service."

Research Triangle
Dr. Wilson added that the University of North Carolina, in collaboration with other institutions of the state, have got to "man the Research Triangle." The decisions of this high percentage of doctoral candidates and prospective college teachers to come to the University and other institutions in this state is a gratifying sign, he declared.

Dr. Wilson also recalled the message of former President Harry Woodburn Chase in 1930 to the Board of Trustees: "The University of North Carolina has attained a position among the significant institutions for higher education in America . . . At precisely the time when the State and the South are being brought into competition in such definite ways with the remainder of the country, the University has come into a position in which it can offer to Southern youth a training that does not shrink from measurement by national standards."

Legislature
An effort is being made now to maintain the standards, declared Dr. Wilson, the reputation which the University at Chapel Hill holds in the eyes of scholars in the South is a reflection of these standards.

The General Assembly, now in session, has programs before it for strengthening the graduate program and raising faculty salaries at UNC, a prime purpose being to put the faculty salary scale here on a firmer foundation which would enable the University to hold on to faculty members who might be tempted to leave for higher paying jobs at other institutions.

Sigma Xi Picks Hotelling Head

Dr. Harold Hotelling has been elected president of the Carolina chapter of the Society of Sigma Xi for 1957-58, succeeding Dr. George O. Doak.

Dr. Hotelling, who is professor of statistics and associate director of the Institute of Statistics here, was chosen at a business session last weekend, following the annual initiation, at which 37 full members and 30 associate members were admitted.

Other new officers are Dr. Thomas Butler, professor of pharmacology, vice president; and Dr. Virgil I. Mann, associate professor of geology, treasurer. Dr. Walter H. Wheeler, assistant professor of geology, was re-elected secretary.

Old Well Pix

Jerry Oppenheimer, recently elected president of the Old Well, said yesterday that Old Well pictures are now available in 306 South Building.

He urged all recent initiates to stop by Dean Mackie's office to pick them up, reminding them that the pictures have been paid for from initiation fees.

Stewart Is Winner Of MedAward

The annual awards have been made at the School of Medicine in connection with Student-Faculty Day.

The William deB. MacNider Award went to Edwin Lewers Stewart, a second year medical student of Greenville, S. C.

This award was established by the second year class of 1950. It consists of public commendation of a sophomore medical student who is elected by his classmates because he possesses various intangible traits of good character which were typified by Dr. "Billy" MacNider. Dr. MacNider was a teacher and physician at UNC for 31 years.

The Professor Award, established last year went to Dr. A. Price Heusner. This award is voted each year by the members of the senior class of the School of Medicine to the professor who has contributed most to their education.

The Professor Award went last year to Dr. John T. Sessions Jr. of the School of Medicine.

The winner of the MacNider Award last year was Benjamin E. Thompson of Rocky Mount.

UNC Professor Speaks Before 3 Thousand

A University of North Carolina sociologist will address some 3,000 delegates Wednesday, May 22, at a National Conference on Social Welfare slated to be held in Philadelphia.

Dr. Reuben Hill, research professor in family life with the Institute for Research in Social Science here, will speak on "The Changing American Family—Its Challenge for Social Welfare."

Dr. Hill will present the highlights of the many rapid changes that are taking place in present-day family structure and community life, with specific reference to implications for social work.

The six-day conference will run from May 19-24, having as its theme "Expanding Frontiers in Social Welfare." This will be the 84th annual forum.

Other North Carolina delegates include Dr. Weston La Barre of Duke University, where he is associate professor of anthropology, and Dr. Ellen Winston, North Carolina's Superintendent of Public Welfare.

Dr. La Barre will speak on "Social Work as a Force in Producing Cultural Change" and Dr. Winston will participate in discussions on "The place of Welfare Agencies in the Total Community Planning."

Piano Virtuoso To Play Here

Lily Keleti, Hungarian born virtuoso of the piano, will play as guest recitalist at the Piano Clinic for Teachers and Students to be held here this summer.

Dr. William S. Newman, who will direct the clinic, announced that the clinic is fortunate indeed to have the internationally renowned Miss Keleti participate in the clinic. The session will be held from June 24-27.

The clinic, sponsored by the UNC Extension Division, is designed to help teachers and students who wish to keep up to date in the piano world.

Miss Keleti is professor of piano at Portland (Oregon) University, having first taught piano in this country at a West Virginia college. She has concertized widely in Hungary, France, Germany, Austria, Spain and Italy.

A holder of many degrees, Miss Keleti is a graduate of the Marie Therese State Lyceum for Women of Budapest, the Hungarian State Royal Academy of Music, the Hungarian State Franz Liszt School of Musical Art and has studied with such famous personalities as Isidor Philipp and Mischa Elman.

Since 1951, when Miss Keleti came to Portland University, she has been acclaimed one of the leading pianists of the times. Her technique has been described as "impeccable," "superb," "stunning" and "phenomenal."

Miss Keleti's first months in the United States were not pleasant ones. She had to work in a costume jewelry factory where she earned only \$25 per month. But even during these trying times she continued to practice every day.



Meg Markley, Glamour Fashion Editor puts the final touches on the boxy jacket of Sarah Van Weyk's suit. Miss Van Weyk has been selected as one of the ten best dressed college girls in America and will appear in the August issue of Glamour magazine.

Yale Honors Dr. Peters

A volume of the Yale Journal of Biology has been published in memory of the late Dr. John P. Peters, father of Dr. Richard M. Peters of the faculty of the University of North Carolina School of Medicine.

The articles are written on subjects in the field in which Dr. Peters was interested. All of the articles were prepared by investigators who were trained in Dr. Peters' laboratory at New Haven.

The book was edited by Dr. Louis G. Welt, professor of medicine of the UNC School of Medicine. The young doctor is an associate professor of surgery here.

The volume of the journal that was recently published in book form originally appeared in December.

The various authors of the articles contained in the book have refused to accept royalties. Instead, the money will go to the John P. Peters Memorial Fund. This fund will be used to stage annual memorial lectures at Yale University.

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