

Professor Reginald von Clock of the Physics Department has announced the completion of a time machine with which he plans to effectively obliterate the remaining weeks of this month.

The Daily Tar Heel

'To Write Well Is Better Than To Rule'

Draft Test Info

Applications for the draft tests to be given this spring will not be available until January 25 in Old Hanes Hall. Completed applications must be mailed by February 10.

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South Vietnamese Civilian Deaths Show Increase

(Editor's note: International attention has focused recently on reports of civilian deaths in North Vietnam due to U. S. bombings. Less attention is given to the deaths of civilians in South Vietnam due to Viet Cong terror tactics. Here is a sum-up of that situation.)
SAIGON (AP) — Americans call it terror. The Viet Cong call it war. Regardless of the name, it means death. Communist guerrillas range all over South Vietnam, from the Demilitarized Zone to the Mekong Delta. They kidnap, torture, maim and kill. They use bullets, bombs and knives.

Some of the victims are American servicemen asleep in billets. Others are Vietnamese government officials or employees. Many are rice farmers, housewives, children or other civilians.

National Police statistics show that the Viet Cong during the last three years have assassinated roughly 2,100 civilians because they were connected with the government or were too close to the terrorists' targets. The assassinations show a steady increase — from 479 in 1964 to 608 in 1965 to an estimated 1,000 last year.

Exact figures for 1966 are not available. The reporting system was changed and statistics were not tabulated from July 1 into October. National police recorded 253 civilian deaths from Jan. 1 through June. U. S. sources say the number of incidents increased with the Sept. 11 national elections. From Oct. 8 to Dec. 31, when statistics again were tabulated, 521 civilians were reported slain by guerrillas.

These deaths are distinct from civilian fatalities caused by conventional warfare — air raids, napalm drops, etc. No statistics are kept on these, but the best available information from U. S. and Vietnamese sources points to an average over-all death toll of 1,000 among South Vietnamese every month, due to action by both sides in the war.

A report to the U. S. Embassy on Viet Cong activities in the week ended Dec. 24

gives an idea of what the guerrillas do.

The 22 persons killed that week included two hamlet chiefs, two National Police men, one Hoi Chanh (a Viet Cong who surrendered to the government), and one rural construction cadre. The rest were civilians.

Of the 63 persons wounded, one was a National Police man and six were government employees. There were 97 abductions including a village chief, one hamlet chief and a chairman of a rural pacification committee. The others were civilians.

The report says: "On Dec. 20, a Viet Cong platoon infiltrated a hamlet in Quang Tin province, kidnaped a Hoi Chanh, forcibly carried him to another hamlet and shot him as an example for all the others."

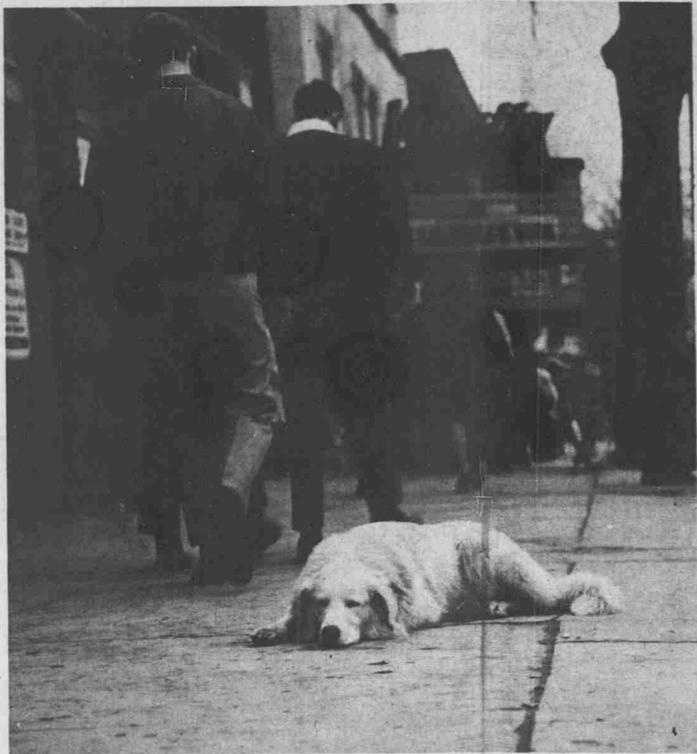
"In Hoa Da district in Binh Thuan province, a Viet Cong Guerrilla squad on Dec. 15 herded the local inhabitants together for a propaganda lecture and then deliberately executed one of the group."

Other reports from the provinces tell how the Viet Cong "killed 23 unarmed Vietnamese canal construction workers asleep in a Buddhist Pagoda . . . detonated a mine under a highway bus, killing 26 Vietnamese civilians, seven of them children . . . killed a Catholic Priest, a church officer and four other civilians, desecrated a church and destroyed its statuary and religious artifacts. . ."

These acts are not limited to the countryside where the government can't keep troops all the time. They sometimes happen in the heart of Saigon. A restaurant bombing in 1965 killed 42.

The Communist program is to "Fight the enemy, wear him down, annihilate him" by executing "Deep thrusts into the enemy's rear." They consider this to include such targets as government billets in Saigon. During 1966 they made four major raids on the living quarters of servicemen. Vietnamese civilians often take the brunt of the attacks.

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ZZZZZZ — right in the middle of the sidewalk too; Whitey better sleep with the cat habit and keep an eye open. When dogs sleep on sidewalks and the streets are full of term - paper minded students, you can be sure Chapel Hill is back to normal after Christmas, settling down for the pre-exam stampede back to the books.

Goldwater Picks Nixon In '68 Race

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — Barry Goldwater said yesterday his personal choice for the Republican nomination for president in 1968 is former Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

Goldwater, the unsuccessful candidate in 1964, arrived with his wife from Tokyo for a two-day visit to Formosa. He told newsmen at the airport their current far eastern trip might include a visit to South Vietnam.

He said he had been weighing the question of going to Saigon "and I expect we will." As for his political plans in 1968, Goldwater said: "I'm

going to run for the Senate." He said he and his wife were on a pleasure trip that will take them to Hong Kong Sunday and then on to Bangkok.

Asked by a Chinese reporter if he was interested in the situation in Vietnam, Goldwater smilingly replied, "I've got a hell of a lot of interest." "We feel we're winning and we intend to win in Southeast Asia," he declared.

Asked if he favored bombing the Chinese Communist nuclear installations on the mainland, Goldwater replied, "We wouldn't do it without provocation."

Salesman Wanted

Looking for an opportunity to make extra money? Want a chance to grow with a small progressive concern?

The DAILY TAR HEEL is looking for a reliable sophomore or junior interested in advertising sales. Job would start the first day of spring semester after a week training period. Must have own car and be able to have afternoons between 1 and 4 free each weekday. Previous sales experience desirable but not required, and applicant must be neat and able to deal with people. Sorry, but no applicants with below a 2.0 GPA will be considered.

Interviews will be held in the Business Manager's office, Room 202, Graham Memorial, Monday afternoon between 3 and 5:30, or call 933-1163 for appointment.

Tom Clark
Business Manager

Harpisichordist Appears Here

Next Wed.-Fri.

Ralph Kirkpatrick, one of the world's most famous harpichordists, will appear Wednesday through Friday in Hill Hall in the second of the 1966-67 Artist Seminars sponsored by the Music Department.

Kirkpatrick will present a recital at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Thursday evening at 8 he will give an illustrated lecture entitled "Materials and Methods of the Interpreter," and Friday at 2 p.m. he will conduct a master class for advanced keyboard students.

All events will be held in the main auditorium of Hill Hall and are open to the public without charge.

Acclaimed as the "ablest harpichordist in this country," Kirkpatrick is known throughout the world for his interpretations of 18th century music. He studied with Wanda Landowska in Paris and Gunter Ramin, and he commands international respect and admiration for his leadership in the revival of the harpichord.

A harpichord is a harp shaped, wire-strung keyboard instrument, immediate forerunner of the piano and resembling a grand piano, but producing its tones by plucking of its strings with quill or leather points.

Police Arrest 4 In Mass Thefts

By DON CAMPBELL
DTH Staff Writer

Three teenagers and an adult have been arrested by Chapel Hill Police in connection with thefts "amounting to several thousand dollars worth" of clothes, jewelry and other items.

The thefts — which took place during the Christmas Holidays — involved at least three Carolina fraternity houses.

Chapel Hill Police Chief William Blake said Charles Wright, 23, of 303 West Main St., Carrboro was charged with possession of stolen

goods; Lewis Fuller, 17, of Jones Ferry Road, Chapel Hill, was charged with breaking and entering and larceny, and two 15-year-olds were charged with breaking and entering and larceny.

The names of the two 15-year-olds are being withheld by the police.

All four were arrested Thursday evening by Capt. C. E. Durham and Det. Howard Pendergraph, Blake said.

In addition to the fraternity thefts, one of the two 15-year-olds is charged with stealing two expensive watches from Hopkins Jewelers of Chapel Hill.

Blake said residents of Kappa Alpha, Phi Gamma Delta, and Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity House had reported articles of clothing and jewelry missing on their return from the Christmas holidays.

The investigation began early last week, Blake said, when a resident of the SPE House returned to his room the day after Christmas and found his alarm clock missing and some coins lying on his room floor.

Additional thefts were reported Monday and Tuesday. All those arrested had been reported seen near the frat houses, Blake said.

The investigation led to the home of Wright Thursday evening, Blake said, where suits, sport coats, shoes and jewelry were found. Wright was arrested there and the three youths were arrested shortly after.

Blake termed the thefts wearing clothing and jewelry taken from the fraternity houses when arrested.

Blake termed the thefts "definitely a conspiracy among the four." "They planned to sell the items," Blake said, "in fact a few of the items were already sold."

Blake said one of the items of clothing was recovered at Ft. Benning, Ga., and another in Okinawa.

"Apparently those items were sold to soldiers who were here during the holidays," Blake said. Most of the items have been claimed by the fraternity residents, Blake said, although there are a few sweaters still unclaimed.

According to Mrs. Charles Hopkins, of Hopkins Jewelers, the theft there with which one of the youths is charged, involved two Universal Geneve watches. One of the watches was white gold with six diamonds and valued at \$440.00 and the other — a 14-carat gold watch — was valued at \$275.00.

The watches were taken from Hopkins during the day of Saturday, December 17, and were not missed until closing time that evening.

Blake said the two 15-year-olds have been released to the custody of their parents. Fuller and Wright are being held in lieu of \$400 bond.

The four will appear in Chapel Hill Recorder's Court next Tuesday at which time it will be decided if the two 15-year-olds will be tried as adults or as juveniles on the felony charges.

KA President Fred Genung said yesterday that his .22 rifle was stolen and that at least two sweaters, two suits, and two pairs of shoes had been stolen from the KA's.

All missing items have been returned, he said. Charles Vinson, of the Phi Gam House, said four sweaters and some jewelry of his was taken.

"The big haul was in the room of Jack Pattisall and John Horne," Vinson said. Vinson said "more than \$400 worth of Pattisall's sport coats, sweaters and suits was taken."

Several of Horne's sport coats were taken, Vinson said, but that everything had been reclaimed. "They were pretty choosy," Vinson said, "they only took certain size clothes. 'What's more,' he added, 'they took all the sports coats out of one closet — and left two tuxedos!'"

SL Gives Loan For Book Sale

Student Legislative unanimously approved a \$1,500 loan Thursday night which will make a student-operated used book sale possible in February.

A new chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and a new speaker pro tempore were also elected.

The loan is to the Student Co-op Committee which is presently completing its plans for the sale.

The appropriation will be used for advertising and administrative supplies to be repaid until the Co-op is able to repay the sum from its profits.

The representatives elected Steve Jolly as chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and George Krichbaum as speaker pro temp.

The pair replaces Ed Wilson as speaker pro temp and Steve Salmony as Ways and Means chairman. Wilson and Sal-

mony, both UP, resigned before Christmas because they had moved out of their district.

Jolly and Krichbaum are both SP. Jolly was unopposed in the election and Krichbaum won over Frank Longest (SP) who was nominated unexpectedly.

Legislature also gave unanimous consent to four resolutions and a bill for student government office supplies.

The Resolutions: Approved the appointment of Bill Long as orientation chairman.

Congratulated the Glee Club for its successful European tour.

Asked that tickets to the ACC tournament in Greensboro be made available to UNC students in Chapel Hill.

Asked that students be allowed to secure basketball tickets to home games for their dates by presenting the dates' ID cards.

'Misguided Patriot' Jack Ruby Buried

CHICAGO — (AP) — The body of Jack Ruby was lowered into a grave today before a small group of mourners. It was in sharp contrast to the notoriety that surrounded Ruby as the self-appointed avenger of a martyred president.

At funeral services in a Northwest Side Chapel, Rabbi David Graubert termed Ruby "a misguided patriot."

"On the surface Ruby was an avenger," Rabbi Graubert said. "He was an avenger of blood who pursued the manslayer while the blood was hot. He was a misguided avenger — a misguided patriot."

News men, photographers and the public were barred from services in the funeral chapel and the cemetery. But a crowd of curiosity seekers — about 30 women, 15 men and 3 small children — gaped at the graveside rites from outside a high wire fence. They were joined by some 40 newsmen and television cameramen.

"There goes Jack Ruby," murmured one young woman as she watched the casket being lowered into the grave while she held in her arms an infant nursing from a bottle. The temperature was 34 degrees.

Jack Ruby, who started life in Chicago's Maxwell Street slum area 55 years ago, shot Lee Harvey Oswald Nov. 24, 1963 in the basement of the Dallas, Tex., Police station two days after an assassin's bullet felled President John F. Kennedy. Oswald was named by the Warren Commission as the President's slayer.

Ruby was awaiting another trial on the charge when it was discovered that he was suffering from cancer. He died Tuesday in Dallas.

About 30 mourners were in the funeral party, including Ruby's seven brothers and sisters. Six policemen stood guard near the canopied grave and others were stationed at the cemetery entrance. It was a cold, damp, gloomy day, and graveside services were brief.

Ruby's casket was covered

Asst. Dean Of Men Called Into Army

By STEVE KNOWLTON
DTH Staff Writer

Today is the last day for Bob Kepner as Assistant Dean of Men.

Monday morning at 6:10 he boards a plane for Fort Benning, Ga., to begin his six-month active duty for the United States Army.

Dean Long's 25-year-old assistant in charge of fraternities, traffic control and the orientation program has been in the Army Reserve unit for over a year and has just been called up to active duty.

"You know about that backlog of 125,000 men who are going to be called up? Well, I'm one of that backlog," Kepner said.

He said he applied for a deferment until the end of the school year, but his request was denied.

The announcement for his replacement, at least temporarily, is expected from Dean Long's office Monday.

Kepner will be missed, according to Long's other assistant, Fred Schroeder, "particularly just at this time. Some of his work will naturally have to be done by some of the rest of us for a while, perhaps to the detriment of our own jobs."

"Kepner has really done a fine job," he said. Kepner graduated from UNC in January, 1964 double-majoring in mathematics and political science, and received his M.A.T. in math in 1965.

In undergraduate school, Kepner was co-captain of the soccer team and tri-captain of the lacrosse team. He is a member of the Order of the Old Well and the Kappa Alpha order.

He taught algebra in a Fayetteville high school before returning to Carolina, where he was housemaster at Ehringhaus for a year until assuming his present position in the administration.

The Dean's office was closed late Thursday afternoon for a rather silent going-away party for Kepner, who prefers to be thought of as Bob.

Dean C. O. Cathey dropped by to offer his condolences and to offer his best wishes. "I'm really sorry to have to go, especially right in the middle of things," Kepner said. "But then," he added laughingly, "there's such a military attitude around here, I guess I'll hardly notice the difference."

Though away from the University, Kepner hopes to keep in touch with things here. He plans weekly correspondence with South Building and perhaps IFC head Lindsey Freeman.

And a DTH will be sent daily to Private Kepner, U. S. Army, Fort Benning, Ga.

BRAWN AND BRAINS
ST. LOUIS (UPI)—St. Louis football Cardinal quarterback Charley Johnson is working on his doctor's degree in chemical engineering. Understudy quarterback Terry Nofsinger has a master's degree in business administration.

Also, player Sam Silas is working on his PH.D. in therapy and Chuck Walker is studying education and history. Prentice Gault is pursuing a master's in biology, Chuck Logan in marketing, Dave O'Brien in mathematics, Dave Meggessy in sociology and Larry Stallings in civil engineering.



HE'LL BE SERVING Uncle Sam now instead of Dean Long—Assistant Dean of Men, Bob Kepner, left, has been drafted and will be leaving next week for Fort Benning, Ga. Here, Kepner and Dean of Men, William Long, share some parting words in front of South Building. "I sorta like the guy," quipped Dean Long.

—DTH Photo by Jock Lauterer