

## HIGH HONOR FOR THE UNIVERSITY AT MINNEAPOLIS

Is Elected President of the Association of American Universities.

VICE-PRESIDENT IN 1923

North Carolina and Virginia the Only Two Southern Universities Belonging to National Body.

The University of North Carolina has recently been selected to fill an office carrying with it very high honor and national distinction. At its annual meeting a few weeks ago in Minneapolis, Minn., the Association of American Universities elected the University to its presidency. Dr. Edwin Greenlaw, dean of the graduate school, represented this institution at the recent meeting.

Being a very exclusive organization, this means quite a distinctive honor to North Carolina. Only one other southern university has been admitted to the association, the University of Virginia. The membership is limited to 26 of the largest educational institutions of the nation whose standards are of highest excellence. Degrees conferred by members of the association are recognized through a sort of international agreement by all the leading colleges of Europe without question or qualification.

Dr. Greenlaw read an enthusiastically received paper on "Recent Movements Toward Cooperative Research in the Humanities" at the meeting just held. The paper was regarded with special interest since he is chairman of the research group of the Modern Language Association of America. Dr. Greenlaw stated that he heard many favorable comments on the recent organization of an Institute for Research in Social Science at the University.

The University was admitted to the association two years ago. Last year it was elected vice-president of the organization and Harvard was elected president. The meeting was held at the University of Virginia and Dr. Greenlaw represented this University.

Membership is based upon the record of research and standing of the professional schools. The excellence of the faculty, as determined by published works and distinguished service done, is also considered. Every year many applications are received for membership but few accepted. This year three were refused admission. An idea of the standard of membership may be obtained from a list of the members, which are the Universities of California, Chicago, Clark, Columbia, Cornell, Harvard, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Johns Hopkins, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Carolina, Northwestern, Ohio State, Pennsylvania, Princeton, Stanford, Virginia, Washington, Wisconsin, Yale, and the Catholic University of America.

## HOUDINI DESIRES TO BE ASKED QUESTIONS

Great Opportunity for Love-Sick Freshmen to Discover If All's Well.

There seems much excitement on the campus over the coming of Houdini, the world's most famous magician and mystifier, on Friday night, November 21. No greater interest is found in any phase of his performance than in the section which he will give to the answering of questions from the audience. Mr. Houdini has written to the authorities here, asking that they collect in advance of his coming any questions the public cares to ask concerning spiritualism, fortune-telling, sleight-of-hand performance, or anything in the realm of mystery study. All of these questions Mr. Houdini will answer from the platform at the close of his regular performance. A question box has been established in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. into which you may drop questions you would like to have him explain or answer. At other places this question discussion has been one of the most interesting parts of his program, and the Carolina audience is expected to ask a long list of them. Please get them in as early as possible so they may be passed on to Houdini.

Many were interested in noting that the University has taken the two ancient boxwood bushes which formerly graced the path at the Eben Alexander place and moved them to Manning hall, the new law building. The shrubs were pruned back and then transferred by means of a truck. They were dug from the ground, much care being taken to keep the dirt around the roots, and were dragged along the ground. It is hoped that the old bushes will thrive in their new home and form another link connecting the old University with the new.

## LAST GAME HERE



Captain Matthews, Star Tackle for Four Years, Plays His Last Game on Emerson Field today.

## GERALD JOHNSON FOR JOURNALISM

"Newspaper Work Completely Fascinates a Man."

CONSTANT AND GRINDING

And Financial Rewards Are Generally Very Meagre.

By LUCY LAY

"There is no life-work in the world that more completely fascinates a man, and from which you may get more amusement, more profitable contacts and more power than newspaper work," Gerald W. Johnson, head of the department of journalism, told a group of students Wednesday evening, in speaking on "Journalism as a Profession."

"Journalism can hardly be called a profession because a journalist is not independent; he can not fix his own salary and he does not limit the admission into the field; but a careful journalist is a craftsman, whose work differs from that of a profession because it often shades into a fine art," Mr. Johnson asserted, in bringing to his hearers a message of practical idealism.

Characterizing the financial returns at the beginning as better than medicine or law, he stated that they seldom go very high. But as North Carolina is a growing state, he pointed out the fact that the field of journalism is a growing one, which gives great promise in the near future to men who can be editors-owners. He characterized the work as granding, hard and constant, but the returns as greatly desirable and worthwhile.

In giving the necessary qualifications for a successful newspaper man he laid the first stress on the ability to work hard. The ability to listen and report carefully; the faculty of being able to observe and store away for future use any information which one may hear; an innate curiosity and all the knowledge which a man can pack into his head constituted the other requirements.

In considering the returns from journalistic work he first mentioned the amusement which comes to a man. "A newspaper man," Mr. Johnson stated, "finds his work so fascinating that it is said in the trade that he never gets the ink off his fingers. He sees and hears everything that goes on and participates in much of it. He gets profitable contacts with the wise and the learned, with the foolish and the wicked, for the whole drama of human existence is played before him on the stage. If a great or notorious person is in town, there is one person who must see him and that is the newspaper man."

But beside the personal reward, Mr. Johnson pointed out the great power which may be wielded so that the worker may be compensated by his service to others.

"He gives safety and sanity to the state—no less. The state in these days of democracy depends upon intelligent action by the masses of men, who cannot act intelligently without accurate information. Accurate information, too, means more than mere facts—it means truthful interpretation of the facts and lucid presentation of them.

"He gives light to groping minds. Vast numbers of people never read anything but the newspapers, so their idea of the great world of the spirit depends in large measure upon the idea of that world possessed by the newspaperman whose

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## FLYING SQUADRON MEETS CAROLINA ON EMERSON FIELD AT 2:30 TODAY WITH ODDS FAVORING THE KEYDETS

V. M. I. Has Triple Threat Man in Wyndam White—Will Be Closely Watched During Today's Game—Great Work Expected of the Same Jack Merritt That Clipped the Squadron's Wings at Richmond in 1922.

Carolina	V. M. I.
Epstein	L. E. Barkley
Matthews (C.)	L. T. Hope
Fordham	L. G. McCracken
McIver	C. Wilson
Jackson	R. G. Hammond (C.)
Hawfield	R. T. Clements
Braswell	R. E. Pillow
Devin	Q. B. Caldwell
Bonner	L. H. Foster
Underwood	R. H. Harmeling
Merritt	F. B. White

Much of the evidence upon which the final judgment of the Carolina football season will be formed will depend on the outcome of the struggle this afternoon with the "Flying Cadets" of V. M. I.

The Tar Heels have seemed on the verge of developing into a strong team all season, but have never quite made the grade. A victory this afternoon would argue well for success in the two remaining games with Davidson and Virginia.

Each team has the same margin, 10 points, of victory over N. C. State, but V. M. I. has been going strong all season while the Tar Heels played one of their best games against the Techmen. The Lexington crew has lost only two games, dropping a close contest to Georgia Tech 3 to 0, and losing to Virginia 13 to 0. Most of their other opponents have not, however, been very strong.

The hope for a Carolina victory seems to revolve around the possibility of the Tar Heels showing a better offensive than has yet been demonstrated this season. The Fetzer defense has been good all season. Against this the Cadets will throw a whirlwind offense built around one Wyndam White, passer, punter and ground gainer extraordinary. The V. M. I. fullback will, no doubt, be closely "covered" this afternoon. The Cadets have shown ability to gain through the line all season, while White has thrown

some passes for gains of 30 and 35 yards. State held the V. M. I. backs to 17 points and the Carolina defense would appear to be stronger than that of their Raleigh brothers. The Tar Heels should be able to stop the Cadets. Carolina must show a strong offense to win, however, for the Cadets have only been scored upon by three teams and have had only three touchdowns made against them.

The Carolina-V. M. I. scrap started back in 1893 when the Virginians won by a 10 to 4 score. In all they have played fourteen games with eight of them going to Carolina and five to the Cadets. One game resulted in a 3-3 tie.

Carolina goes into the game with the team in fairly good shape. Sparrow has about recovered from his strained shoulder but his wrenched instep may keep him from playing. The squad has been going through intensive practice during the past week, with special attention being given to the passing attack. Practice has been secret and the Fetzerites may show a few new tricks this afternoon.

Merritt appeared to have some of his old form with him last Saturday and will be watched with interest today. His work in the last quarter of the 1922 V. M. I. game probably saved the day for the Tar Heels. Carolina will look for a repetition this afternoon.

## THE SECOND SERIES FOLK-PLAYS ON SALE

Latest Volume Contains Five One Act Plays Written by University of North Carolina Playmakers.

A second series of the Carolina Folk-Plays is just off the press and contains five one-act plays that have been written and produced by the Carolina Playmakers. The book is edited with an introduction, "Making a Folk Theatre," a bibliography by Frederick H. Koch, professor of dramatic literature, and is illustrated with scenes from the actual performances.

The plays included in this series are: "Thista," by Elizabeth A. Lay, containing three men and two women. The play is about a young woman accused of witchcraft.

Thomas Clayton Wolfe's "The Return of Buck Gaven," the fate of a tender, but heroic, outlawed mountaineer. The cast includes two men and one woman.

Lucy Cobb's "Gaius and Gaius, Jr.," a boisterous comedy of how a sudden and strange affliction chastened Gaius. It has a cast of five men and one woman.

"Fixin'" by Erma and Paul Greene, a tragedy of a poor farmer and his wife who revolted against the drudgery of the life she was forced to live.

"The Beaded Buckle," by Frances Gray, the last of the series, deals with what the dominating and aristocratic Mrs. Miller did when suspected of stealing.

The first series of folk-plays, edited by Prof. Koch, proved to be an overwhelming success and, from present indications, the second series will be a still greater success. Numerous orders are being received daily at the Playmakers' office for this second series of folk-plays. George Denny has announced that members of the faculty and students may obtain copies at the Playmaker business office.

PAST RECORD		V. M. I.	
N. C.	1893	10	10
4	1902	10	10
17	1903	6	6
28	1905	0	0
17	1909	4	4
6	1910	7	7
30	1914	4	4
3	1915	3	3
38	1916	13	13
7	1919	29	29
0	1920	23	23
20	1921	7	7
9	1922	7	7
0	1923	9	9
179		125	

## ANNUAL RED CROSS ROLL CALL TUESDAY

Goal for Chapel Hill is 750 With Prof. Stuhlman in Charge.

Prof. Otto Stuhlman, of the department of physics of the University, has been appointed chairman of the committee in charge of the Red Cross call for Chapel Hill, with J. F. Daugherty as assistant chairman. They will be aided by a number of volunteer workers who will make a house-to-house campaign.

The roll call will be held next Tuesday, Armistice day. The goal for the Chapel Hill chapter is 750 members. Last year 422 members were enrolled.

This community was brought in close touch with the work of the Red Cross last summer when it went to the relief of sufferers from the tornado in Chatham county. It was through the prompt aid of the Red Cross that the necessary clothing, medicines, bandages, and other supplies were rushed to the victims just as soon as the news of the disaster reached here.

The fee for an ordinary membership is \$1, but there are four other types of membership, with fees of \$5, \$10, \$25 and \$50. "We are going to give to every family the privilege of subscribing as a member," said Mr. Stuhlman yesterday, "and to every bachelor the privilege of taking a 'maintaining membership,' the fee for this being \$5."

"If this community were wiped out tonight by a fire, tornado, or any other disaster, a telegram to Red Cross headquarters would bring adequate assistance within a few hours," Mr. Stuhlman stated yesterday in commenting on the relief work of the Red Cross.

"It is hard to picture a happy, prosperous community such as ours laid

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SEASON'S RECORD		V. M. I.	
33	Wofford	0	0
39	Emory & H.	0	0
0	Ga. Tech	3	3
28	Roanoke	0	0
0	Virginia	13	13
17	N. C. State	7	7
25	Hamp-Sid.	0	0
142		23	23
CAROLINA		V. M. I.	
6	Wake Forest	7	7
0	Yale	27	27
6	Trinity	0	0
10	N. C. State	0	0
0	Maryland	6	6
7	Univ. S. C.	10	10
29		50	50

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## BATTERING RAM



University Fullback and Carolina's Best Bet in This Afternoon's Clash With the Flying Squadron.

## TOBACCO NUMBER STICKS TO TITLE

Otherwise, It's Neither Good Nor Bad.

NEEDS MORE RISQUE COPY

Literary Talent Not So Abundant on the Hill.

By THE CROSSROADS

The Tobacco number of the *Buccaneer* has made its appearance in Folster's reading room with a rather good cover illustration and a beautifully designed Lucky Strike advertisement on the back.

The most commendable feature of this issue is the fact that it is really what it purports to be: a tobacco number. The content has to do almost entirely with the weed in some way or other. The staff is to be congratulated for making the number title serve some other purpose than to explain the frontispiece. Even the national comics usually let it go at little more than that.

The opening picture in the Tobacco number takes as its caption, "A woman is only a woman but a good cigar is a smoke." We have felt that way a good many times, and this picture makes us feel that way again. The woman is plainly only a woman and a woman whom we would be glad to exchange any day for a sweet panatella. On the other hand, the cigar pictured looks to us like a two-for-a-nickel short filler; perhaps there isn't so much choice after all. If the cigar had only been made larger and more graceful, two desirable results would have been obtained: the cigar would have looked more inviting and more of the woman's face would have been covered.

The art work in the number is good on the whole. The cuts, however, would look much better if a little care and skill was exercised in the press work. Someone should jack up the printer. It seems a shame to have a well drawn picture ruined by poor printing.

As to the copy material, we can do little more than the literary society critic who reports that the debate has been up to standard. There is nothing startlingly good nor is there anything exceptionally bad. College comics are much of a pattern. It is even hard to discover wherein lies the difference between a comic which is called good and one which is called otherwise. The nearest which we can approach to defining the difference is—"pep." We are not exactly sure what that is; but as far as college comics are concerned, sparsely covered female figures and humor more or less risqué are two of the components. Still if the *Buccaneer* was to adopt a policy of printing this kind of stuff, the girl's schools—we mean the faculties of the girl's schools—would have it shortly on the Index Expurgatorius and the state press would be calling attention to the depravity of the University student body.

On the other hand, the circulation of the *Buccaneer* would increase and a good time would be had by all. If faculty intervention could be staved off, the *Buccaneer* would soon enjoy the popularity and the circulation which the old *Tar Baby* boasted. This is said entirely in the light of campus comment and our opinion as to the desires of the *Buccaneer's* reading public.

If the literary and artistic talent that should be present in a University of the

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## FROSHES FOUGHT TO A 7 AND 7 TIE HERE YESTERDAY

Tar Babies and State College Cubs Fight to a Hopeless Deadlock.

STATE SCORES EARLY

Carolina Is Held for Downs Under Shadow of Goal Post But Isor Finally Goes Across.

Playing mostly a defensive game, the Tar Babies held the N. C. State Freshmen yesterday afternoon to a 7-7 tie.

State displayed unusual strength on the offensive, and showed good accuracy in forward passing. The little Wolfpack tried seven passes and completed four of them for a total gain of 67 yards. Carolina tried five and completed none.

Carolina made twelve first downs as compared with State's eight.

State's touchdown came about three minutes after the game started. The teams had exchanged punts. Carolina was penalized 15 yards for tackling a man after he had signalled for a fair catch. McDowell made three yards, and Dixon first down. A pass, McDowell to Watkins, netted fifteen yards. McDowell made eight yards and there remained only five yards to the goal line. Honsucker carried the ball across and Frazer kicked goal. The rest of the half was taken up in a punting duel between Isor and McDowell.

In the third quarter Carolina took the offensive, and by mostly end runs she rushed the ball to State's fifteen yard line. State was penalized five yards. Ferrell made five yards, but failed to gain on the second down. Isor made one yard and then State determinedly held the Tar Babies for downs, and kicked safely out of danger. Again in the fourth quarter Carolina took the offensive. Receiving the ball, Isor and Simpson, by end runs, advanced it to State's fifteen yard line. Simpson made first down and Isor carried it across, Shepherd kicking goal.

McDowell, State's captain and quarterback, was the outstanding player for the visitors, while Isor did splendid work for the Tar Babies. Shepherd played most of the game for Carolina with his left shoulder badly hurt.

Line-up and summary:

U. N. C. Fresh (7)	Position	State Fresh (7)
Bowles	L. E.	Watkins
Pugh	L. T.	Campbell
Davis	L. G.	Bynum
Block	C.	Fountain
Duncan	R. G.	Hodges
Moorehead	R. T.	Kilgore
Cheatham	R. E.	Einwick
Shepherd (C)	Q. B.	McDowell (C)
Isor	L. H.	Frazer
Tenney	R. H.	Honsucker
Ferrell	R. B.	Dixon

Substitutions: For Carolina, Simpson for Tenney, Wilkins for Shepherd, Block for Pugh, Pugh for Moorehead. For State: Brantley for Dixon, Evans for Honsucker, Fitzgerald for Einwick, Wilson for Campbell, Einwick for Fitzgerald, Eubanks for Fountain, Mooney for Bynum, Ridenhour for Honsucker, Evans for Ridenhour.

Referee: Blount (U. N. C.)  
Umpire: Alexander (LaPayette.)  
Headlinesman: Rowe (N. C. S.)  
Time of quarters: 12 minutes.

## Library Circulation Has Shown Big Increase

The University library records for October show that the circulation of books increased more than 50 per cent over October, 1923. The figures for last year were 7,938; for the past month, 12,807.

This rise is out of all proportion to the increase in student enrollment. One contributing cause, perhaps the only one that can be clearly defined, is the fact that this year the history department in its elementary courses has concentrated its required reading in a few books and has purchased a dozen or more copies of each title. In former years a student often became discouraged and quit after calling for two or three books that were almost sure to be out; now he is reasonably certain of obtaining the first or the second title he asks for.

Mr. George B. Logan has been transferred from the Education library to the main building, to be reference librarian. He will assist students with their problems by suggesting books, and will be glad to give bibliographical aid to members of the faculty.