

Durham Meets Asheville In Fight For State Title

TINCANTONIGHT

Asheville Downs Winston-Salem For Western Honors.

GAME WILL BE HARD FOUGHT
Bull City Lads Are Present Champions And Will Put Up Strong Fight To Defend Title.

By virtue of Asheville's defeat of Winston-Salem and Durham's downing of Goldsboro, the Eastern and Western high school basketball champions of North Carolina will battle for the State Championship crown tonight at 8 o'clock in the Tin Can.

One of the hardest fought games of the year is promised when the two sectional championship quints meet tonight. Durham, last year's champion, defeated the Goldsboro lads to the tune of 43-25; but the score is not a fair indication of the straining struggle the champions had to put up to retain their Eastern laurels. At the end of the first half, after the far Eastern team had forged ahead several times, the score stood 24-20, and the final results was a matter of interrogation. The cards stacked up about the same in Thursday's game between Winston-Salem and the mountain city lads. The twin city lads forged ahead in both the first and third quarters, but on a whole Asheville's quint was the better of the two.

The two teams that meet tonight for the State honors have both already won the coveted cup. Durham has won the prize three times—in 1916, 1918 and 1925. Asheville on the other hand can boast of only one win, 1923. Durham has won the cup more times than any other high school in North Carolina; the Western losers of Thursday night, Winston-Salem being next with two wins to her credit. Goldsboro entered the final sectional contest for the first time this year.

More interest has been indicated in the series this year than at any previous time since the inception of the contest by the University in 1915. The furiously fought elimination group battles began four weeks ago with an entrance enrollment of 115 accredited schools of the State. Since that time due to wins and forfeits the teams were narrowed down to four contestants—Winston-Salem and Asheville in the Western territory, and Durham and Goldsboro in the Eastern hinterland.

Until the contest this year the teams entering the contest had always been under the century mark.

In addition to the accredited high school contest of the State honors being conducted under the auspices of the University of North Carolina, a non-accredited high school contest is going on, and the University's sister institution.

CHASE'S DECISION GLADLY RECEIVED

Hundreds of Messages Sent to President by Friends.

PHILOLOGY CLUB WRITES

Faculty Club Sends Dispatch Written in Seven Different Languages.

Alumni and people all over the state have shown their deep appreciation of Dr. Chase's decision to stay at his post at the University of North Carolina by sending hundreds of messages to the President since his decision became publicly known.

The general tenor of the messages is expressed in the following message received from a prominent alumnus: "One of the most significant and heartening things in connection with your decision is that in deciding to remain in North Carolina you did so fully aware that you were making a personal sacrifice financially and that the days ahead are perhaps even more critical than those through which you have already so successfully guided the destiny of the University."

The Philological Club of the University, a group of faculty members, sent the following dispatch to the President yesterday: "The Philological Club of the University of North Carolina meeting on the evening of March second, having heard of your decision to remain as head of our University, desires to express most heartily a deep sense of satisfaction in your decision, a renewed confidence in our institution's continued progress under your leadership, and a logical personal attachment to yourself." This communication was signed by John T. Booker, Walter D. Toy, and William M. Dey, committee, and was written in seven different languages.

April 1 Set For Spring Election

The general spring elections for student body officers will be held on Thursday, April 1. Regular election booths will be set up and each student will be forced to cast his own ballot.

Nominations for student officers will be made in chapel on Monday and Tuesday night, March 29 and 30. Class officers will be nominated on Monday night, March 29.

MUNRO SPEAKS TO JOURNALISM CLASS

Lectures On Policies of the Christian Science Monitor.

STRESSES ADVERTISING

"Truth In Advertising" Is Policy of the Boston Paper.

Mr. Munro, of the staff of the Christian Science Monitor of Boston, addressed Professor Johnson's Journalism One class, some members of the Tar Heel editorial force, and about 25 visitors in the Di Society Hall, Thursday morning, on the editorial and the advertising policy of the Christian Science Monitor.

Mr. Munro, who is in the State for the purpose of appointing a staff of native writers to prepare the Christian Science North Carolina supplement which will appear early next fall, has been connected with the advertising and editorial staffs of the world famous Boston paper since 1908 in the New York Office. Mr. Munro, after informing his audience that he is the descendant of the first president of the University of North Carolina's Board of Trustees, went into a little detail telling that the forthcoming North Carolina edition of the paper, will be a compendium of essential economic, historical, political, religious, and physiographic features of the State, which are to be intelligently interpreted by sympathetic native historians and writers.

Then, launching into the main context of his talk, Mr. Munro said, "My few remarks this morning are to be purely on the ethical side of practical journalism. I am indeed grateful to be able to address men who contemplate entering journalism as a profession. In talking to you I feel a sense of modesty, for as yet I have no record of accomplishment on which to base such an assumption."

Mr. Munro then went on to inform his audience of the policy of the Christian Science Monitor, in regard to publication of news. He stated that all crime, vice, and personal destructive or non-essential copy was excluded from the sheets of the Boston paper. As a result of this high standard no man can be afraid to enter the Christian Science Monitor into his home. Following in the footsteps of the Boston paper scores of other papers have begun a movement to abolish sensational crimes and vice stories; for instance the Rocky Mountain News and the Des Moines Register are segregating all crime and vice news into a separate section or sheet on the inside of the paper. Only a few months ago a brilliant reporter on the Hearst New York paper, the American, uncovered the fact that the notorious bandit, Gerald Chapman, was passing under an alias and had a sister teacher.

DRAMATIC INSTITUTE HERE MARCH 24-27

Four Groups of Plays Will Be Produced by High Schools, Colleges, and Communities.

The third Annual Dramatic Institute of the Carolina Dramatic Association which is being sponsored by the Bureau of Community Drama of the Extension Division of the University will be held in Chapel Hill March 24-27, according to Mr. R. M. Grumman of the Extension Division. Professor Koch is chief of the Association, and Miss Ethel Theodore Rockwell is State Representative.

In addition to speeches by Miss Rockwell and Professor Koch, M. M. Smith of Columbia University will speak on the production of High School plays.

CHASE GUEST AT KIWANIS BANQUET

Notable Gathering at Banquet In Durham Thursday Night.

LAUDED BY SPEAKERS

President States That He is Happy to Remain in State.

After listening to expressions of gratitude and pleasure from a half dozen college presidents and representatives and other leading citizens at a large gathering assembled at the Durham Kiwanis meeting Thursday night in the Washington Duke hotel, Dr. Chase said that no one could be happier than he was at his decision to stay in North Carolina.

The occasion was one of rejoicing and general good feeling. Every speaker had a word of congratulation for the state and appreciation of the fact that Dr. Chase is staying here. Many flashes of wit and humor were heard, especially when Secretary Everett and Dr. Chase had the floor.

Other speakers were: lieutenant-governor J. Elmer Long, representing the state and Governor McLean; Chief Justice W. P. Stacy, President W. L. Potat of Wake Forest college; Dean W. H. Wannamaker, of Duke University; Dr. R. L. Harrison, of State College; Dean C. L. Hooker, of Elon college; Dr. D. H. Scanlon, representing Dr. W. J. Martin, president of Davidson college, who was kept from the meeting by illness.

Other guests included Dean Royster, head of the University graduate school; Chas. T. Woolen, University graduate manager of athletics, Judge W. A. Devin of Oxford; president J. M. Ormand, of Durham Lions Club; J. A. McMillan, alumni secretary of Wake Forest college; Solicitor L. P. McLendon, R. O. Everett, W. F. Carr, E. T. Rollins, Carl Council, R. P. Reade, Dr. W. R. Stanford and others.

Dean Wannamaker, of Duke, was very enthusiastic in his praise of President Chase. "We feel that his going would have been a calamity not only to Carolina but to the other institutions of the state as well," he said. We are in dan-

TAR HEEL TEAM WELCOMED BACK

Student Body Shows Appreciation of Team at Special Chapel Service.

GRAHAM IS SPEAKER

Student Body Will Buy Gold Basketballs for Members of Team.

The student body of the University showed in a very fitting manner its appreciation of the work of the Tar Heel basketball team at Atlanta, by devoting the entire chapel period Friday to a well-coming demonstration for the members of the southern championship team. The festivities were in charge of assistant cheer leader, Bob Hardee, and the chief speaker of the occasion was Professor Frank P. Graham. A collection was taken at the close of the service to buy gold basketballs for the members of the team and Coach Sanburn. Quite a

An Old Rusty Hairpin Is The Secret Of 1926 Win

By L. N. Bryan
A hairpin won the Southern Championship for the Tar Heels.

A startling statement, and withal a statement that may carry with it more than a grain of truth. At least to all true followers of the God of Superstition and Luck it bears all the earmarks of a truth. And therein lies a story that carries the threads of its narrative all the way from the athletic field of old Princeton, to the sun scorched jungles and plains of Central America, to the far-flung fronts of the Allied Armies during the World War, and back to Room 1120 of the Hotel Ansley in Atlanta.

If the first statement is true, then the University of North Carolina should honor one of the famous Poe family of Princeton just as highly as Old Nassau honors the immortal Johnnie Poe, the greatest of the line. But we are getting ahead of the story. Let us begin at the beginning.

The Flying Phantoms donned their wings of flame on Friday afternoon and breezed lightly over the prostrate forms of the Clemson Tigers, while the score-

Chase Speak In Chapel Monday

President Chase will address the student body in Chapel Monday on his decision to remain at Carolina. His speech promises to be of especial interest to the student body in that the students will be for the first time given the opportunity of hearing from the President himself regarding the reasons for his recent rejection of the Oregon University offer and the arrived conclusion that he would remain for the time being at least, at the University.

The Chapel Committee extends special invitations to the faculty, the local townspeople, and all members of the student body to attend the President's address.

That the President has turned down so tempting an offer and will remain at the University is indeed a thing over which the students rejoice. But they have had no chance to show him their real appreciation. And now that such an excellent opportunity is offered, they are urged to show their true feeling by turning out in a body on next Monday.

DURHAM DEFEATS GOLDSBORO QUINT

Fast Contest is Annexed By White Whirlwind.

FINAL SCORE IS 43 TO 25
Captain Warren Leads Team to Eastern Championship.

Playing a great brand of basketball throughout the entire game the Durham high school team, champions of 1925, won its way to the finals Thursday night in the Tin Can by defeating the Goldsboro quint to the tune of 43 to 25. The contest was far above the average high school exhibition and was very fast and interesting. In the first half the plucky little Goldsboro quint played on almost even terms with Durham but in the final period the pace set by the White Whirlwind was too much for them and they succumbed to their vicious attack.

The playing which was exhibited by both fives in the first half was about the best that has ever been witnessed in a high school contest in the Tin Can. Both teams passed the ball with lightning-like speed and shot with almost uncanny accuracy, many of the baskets being tossed from near the center of the court. Durham stayed slightly in the lead throughout the initial half and the score at the end of the period stood 24-20 in favor of the lads from the Bull City.

In the second half both teams began to play much rougher basketball and for five minutes neither quint was able to locate the basket. However, the Durham team soon began to locate the hoop and rang up goal after goal, literally sweeping the Goldsboro lads off their feet. With Chandler, Edwards, Warren, and White shooting almost at

INDOOR MEET TO BE HELD MONDAY

Third Annual Indoor Carnival Scheduled for Tin Can.

NO LETTERMEN ALLOWED

Is Backed By Intra-Mural Athletic Department of The University.

The second annual Intra-Mural Indoor Track Meet, to be staged Monday night in the Tin Can, will be a gala occasion if present indications prove true. Much interest has been manifested in the event among the campus athletes, who have been working hard in order to be in the pink of condition to meet the stiff competition, and the keen rivalry developed should furnish the spectators plenty of action and thrills.

The Intra-mural department, under the able management of Bidgood Wahman and "Beef" Butler, has assumed an important role on the campus and fills a real need. The Inter-fraternity and Inter-dormitory leagues in Tag-Football, basketball, and baseball provide those students not participating in varsity sports an opportunity to obtain the exercise they need and at the same time promotes a stronger school spirit. The Cake Race in the fall, a cross country run entered each year by a large number of students, the first hundred of which are presented with cakes donated by the ladies of Chapel Hill; the Winter Indoor Meet, and the Outdoor Meet in the Spring, are the feature events on the Intra-mural program.

The year so far proved an unusually successful one for Intra-mural activities and the meet Monday night is expected to prove no exception. Many entrants are expected for the various events and a large crowd should be on hand to witness the affair, which is one of the biggest of its kind of the entire year. A gold medal is to be given to the man scoring the largest number of points while prizes will be given to all finishing first, second, and third in the different events. The dormitory scoring the largest number of points will also be awarded a prize and the competition for this is expected to be unusually keen.

PROTEAN ACTOR TO APPEAR HERE

Zellner Will Present Feature Entertainment Thursday.

GIFTED CHARACTERIST

Scenes Include Sketches of Humorous and Solemn Characters.

An uncanny realism shines forth from the art of Zellner, the Protean Characterist, whose "Flashes from Life, Literature and History" will be a spectacular entertainment feature when he appears in the Playmakers Theatre next Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Mr. Zellner is one of the platform's most gifted characterists. He steps into his character in full make-up and costume and does the task with such lightning speed that he seems to be a sort of magician as well as an artist in character portrayal. His program is unique and colorful throughout. Vivid characterizations from life, literature and history, in full costume and make-up, appear in rapid succession with such startling fidelity to life, in such glowing color of exquisite scenery and lighting, that the audience is transported out of the reality of the present and into the realms of drama, romance and the colorful past of the ages.

Rolllicking comedy characters from life and literature are followed in close succession by vivid characterizations of famous generals, statesmen and immortal figures from the Scriptures. The scenes include characterizations from that ragged boys' hero, Huckleberry Finn, to Judas Iscariot and Moses. Zellner has spent years in careful research and in authoritative study of the physical and mental characteristics of these great leaders in order to present them with faithful correctness to the most minute detail. As a result, his performance brings with it the electric thrill of actually meeting these great men face to face.

A few newspaper comments on Mr. Zellner's performances follow: "The delighted audience responded hilariously to the wit flashed forth by the actor. Gold and blue curtains effectively lighted afforded a rich frame and background out of which the characters stepped. Most remarkable were the artist's rapid transformations."—Dubuque Telegraph Herald. "It is certain that no one present last

TAR BABY CAGERS END SEASON WITH MEDIocre RECORD

Seven Games Played Resulting In Three Victories and Four Defeats.

SATTERFIELD LEADS

Captain of Freshman Quint Leads In Scoring With a Total of 42 Points.

Due to the fact that candidates for the Carolina freshman basketball team were not called for until nearly a month after the other first year quints of the state had started practice, it was almost impossible to arrange an elaborate schedule and as a result the Tar Babies played only seven games, including a three-day jaunt into the Old Dominion state.

Coach Shepherd's men emerged victorious in three of the contests while they were defeated in four. However, the game with the Washington and Lee team was lost by the margin of one point and the defeat at the hands of "Ikey" Taylor's Duke Frosh was by the margin of a lone field goal. With the slightest break, these two games might have been on the right side of the ledger. The Tar Babies scored a total of 142 points to their opponents' 192.

In the opening game of the season, the Carolina team was defeated by the State yearlings by the score of 35-16. Coach Shepherd had only been drilling his men for about a week, while "Sammy" Home-wood had his team practicing several weeks before the Yuletide holidays. As a result, the Carolina team failed to show very much form and the visitors had very little trouble in trouncing them.

After this game, the team settled down to intensive practice for the next two weeks before going on the Virginia trip and when they left the team was very much improved. In the first game of the trip the Tar Babies were defeated by the strong Washington and Lee first year quint by the one-point margin of 30-29 in one of the fastest and most exciting games ever seen on the Lexington court. The next night the team did not display very good form and were beaten by the V. M. I. Rats, the score being 24-14. Captain Satterfield was the star of the contest, caging four field goals and one foul for a total of nine points.

On the next night the Woodberry Forest quint was played in Orange, Va., and the Tar Babies managed to nose out by the score of 23-21 in a game which was anybody's until the last minute of play. The margin of victory came just before the final whistle blew when Hackney tossed in one from the free throw line after he had been fouled as he was attempting to shoot. Hackney was the

ALPHA PHI GETS SIGMA PHI SIGMA

Local Group is Granted Charter By National Organization.

25TH NATIONAL ON HILL

Installation Will Take Place During Latter Part of April.

Tuesday, March 2, the local Alpha Phi fraternity received notice that it had been granted chapter charter of Sigma Phi Sigma, a national fraternity, making the twenty-fifth fraternity on the Hill.

Alpha Phi has been petitioning Sigma Phi Sigma since December 13, 1925, during which time the local fraternity members have been eagerly anticipating the results of their petition. The present governing board of Sigma Phi Sigma voted unanimously for the admission of Alpha Phi.

The Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity was organized at the University of Pennsylvania in 1908. Since its organization, this national fraternal society has grown slowly, having as its main purpose the wide establishment of few but very strong chapters. There are at present no chapters in North Carolina, and only two in the entire south, one of them being at the University of Missouri and the other at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. The national organization has thirteen active, and no inactive, chapters established throughout the country. Maryland is the nearest chapter, and the local chapter serves as a connecting link between Maryland and Alabama.

At the beginning of the present quarter Alpha Phi issued a very handsome petition, which has been duly circulated. A definite date for the installation of the new fraternity has not been decided