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WHEREFORE PRIDE IS JUSTIFIED

The members of the school of engineering were "showing off" the other night. Their evening of Open House to the students, faculty and townspeople was not an ostentatious show; on the other hand it was a delightfully entertaining, as well as dignified, presentation of what is housed in Phillips Hall, of which the rank and file of the student body is generally ignorant. From the stunts of the physics department at the beginning of the personally conducted tours through the building to the final wind-up in the refreshment room, the trip through the various laboratories and classrooms was one of fascinating instruction.

The school of engineering has every right to be proud of itself. With four major departments conferring degrees in chemical, civil, electrical and mechanical engineering, this branch of the University is one of the best. It is recorded that Hinton James, the first student to register in 1795, was a distinguished engineer after having completed his course here.

After nearly one hundred and thirty-five years of ups and downs the school of engineering was permanently established as a branch of the University of North Carolina in 1922. Since that time the four major departments, named above, have filled out and with an excellent faculty, care in the acceptance of students, and commodious laboratories complete in every detail, the school has come to be recognized as one of the best schools of its size in the country.

The best recommendation that any technical school can have is the demand for its graduates by the larger electrical and engineering corporations. Students graduating from the engineering school of the University of North Carolina have jobs awaiting their acceptance with one of the largest electrical corporations in the world, one of the officials recently wrote Dean Braune. The credit of establishing such a nationally recognized institution in so short a time goes

largely to Gustave M. Braune, dean of the school.

The pride of the members of the school of engineering is amply justified.

THE SENATORS PLOT

(D. D. C.)

The Di Senate's amendment "providing that the University registrar be authorized to withhold the grades of any senators who owed the Senate" absence fees, etc., is pathetic, amusing, and pernicious.

The gentlemen who have been trying to secure an audience for their oratory are desperate. They have reason to deplore the lack of interest in campus debating. It is to be lamented that this University, which boasts of leadership in the South, is infected with so lethargic a student body. Alas for the entire human race when men cease to crave an audience for their chatter and prefer the silent drama to the eloquence of our so-called literary societies!

We read with a chuckle that the austere senators have "authorized" the registrar to collect their fees. How gleefully the registrar must welcome this generous dispensation of authority! No doubt this new officer, this publican to the Di Senate, will be a person of some importance. Will his services be given for the honor which his position entails, or will he receive "tips" from his exalted patrons? Since no man can serve two masters, perhaps our institution, with all its dignity, may lose its registrar to any handful of students whose organization, despairing of its lost charms, gladly embraces coercion of its members.

Yet, we hardly believe this. Inasmuch as the Di Senate is wholly a student enterprise, devoid of faculty supervision, a respectable university should not become its tax collector. If the registrar may be hired out to unpopular enterprises of questionable value, we know 402 campus organizations which would appreciate his services. If he may withhold scholastic credit for delinquency in purely student-conducted activities, we respectfully believe that he should award credits for proficiency in those pursuits. We know many students who would clamor for course credit on their "student activities" at N. C. C. W., Sweet Briar, Salem, etc.

Since when has the University consented to nurse gasping organizations in which it has no part, over which it has no supervision? Whence comes this sudden paternal interference?

Now for the validity of this Di amendment. We regret that it is necessary to remind the senators that the vote was miscounted. The president, who may vote only in case of a tie, added his ballot to pass the amendment by the required three-fourths majority. According to parliamentary procedure, no such amendment may be passed or killed by the vote of one man. And the president of the Senate may vote only when the balloting is equally divided, that is, when no three-fourths majority is needed. So say the rules of the national and state senates, after which organizations the Di is supposedly modeled.

Hence, the Di Senate is yet without a collector. Patronize our want ads.

Council New Mayor

Light Vote in Village; Force Office on New Executive.

In an election featured by the coyness of the candidates, who were almost without exception coerced into permitting themselves to be voted on, Zeb P. Council of the University Printery received 155 votes to 21 for J. T. Harris and one vote each for W. S. Roberson and R. A. Eubanks and is now mayor of Chapel Hill.

P. L. Burch, superintendent of buildings for the University, with 127, R. D. W. Cannon, professor of history, with 121, and B. S. Thompson, contractor, with 117 votes were chosen councilmen.

Mr. Council did not want to be mayor. W. S. Roberson, for several years chief executive of the municipality, refused to be run. Mr. Eubanks was an up-and-coming candidate until he found it out and had his name withdrawn. Louis Graves early in the season was nominated and declined without thanks.

Benefit Lawn Party

The Young People's League of the Chapel of the Cross will give a benefit lawn party on the lawn back of the Parish House on Saturday evening, May 7, from 7:30 to 10:30. Ice cream and cake will be served.

From 50 to 75 pupils a year receive scholarships from the Nicaraguan Government for education in foreign countries, principally in the United States.

Reception and Tour Given Club Women

More than five hundred delegates to the State Federation of Women's Clubs, which is convening in Durham this week, motored to Chapel Hill Tuesday afternoon for a tour of inspection, and were entertained at a floating reception at the Woman's Building from four to six o'clock.

The Chapel Hill Woman's Club and the Woman's Association of the University were joint hostesses to the visitors. The first floor of the woman's building, which was attractively decorated with baskets of spring flowers and potted plants, was thrown open to the reception of the guests.

Girls on the front lawn greeted the ladies upon their arrival and directed them to the door where they were met by a receiving line composed of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Chase, Mrs. M. H. Stacy, University Advisor to Women, Mrs. A. M. Jordan, president of the Chapel Hill Woman's Club, other officers of the Woman's Club, and the Deans of the various schools in the University.

Mrs. Collier Cobb and Mrs. Walter D. Toy presided at the two tables arranged for punch. Officers of the Woman's Association assisted in serving punch and cake.

Co-eds conducted the visitors about the building and surrounding campus on a tour of inspection.

BOOKS OPEN TO RESERVE ROOMS

Present Occupants Must Apply Before May 20 to Keep Room.

The following notice regarding room reservations for the fall quarter of 1927 has been issued by the business office of the University:

"The dormitory room books for the fall quarter are now open for reservation for the present occupants. Those who wish to occupy the room in which they are now living will please call at the Business Office in South Building, and make their reservations and deposits. After May 20, all rooms on which no deposit has been made will be open to any one desiring it. Until May 21, no deposits will be accepted on any room except from the student now living in the room. Therefore, unless you are going to live in the same room next fall, do not come in until the above date."

Law Classes Hold Annual Elections

Hall President of Third Year Class; Smith Heads Second Year Men.

The annual election for the various officers of the second and third year law class were completed Thursday and Friday morning. The third year class officers selected on Thursday were: C. W. Hall, president; F. P. Parker, vice-president; and John C. Kesler, student council representative from the law school. The president of the senior law class also acts as president of the Law School Association.

The second year officers were elected on Friday morning and the following men received offices: Jimmie Smith, president; Thomas C. Hoyle, vice-president; and John C. Rodman, secretary-treasurer.

Organ Recital at Episcopal Church

C. James Velle, of Elon, Will Play Sunday Night.

Sunday night at 7:30 C. James Velle, director of music at Elon College, will give a pipe organ recital consisting of nine numbers at the Chapel of the Cross. Roger's Minstrel Suite and a Grieg nocturne are the features of the program. Compositions of Palestrina, Couperin, Franck, Saint Saens and Grieg are also on the list.

This is number twenty-six of a series of pipe organ recitals sponsored by the Episcopal church. These recitals have been splendidly attended, and it is hoped that those interested will note the change in the hour, from 5:00 to 7:30.

Mrs. Bain Gives Dance in Honor of Visitors

Last evening at the country club, the second private affair of the week was given by Mrs. C. W. Bain. The dance was in honor of Miss Sally Horton, Miss Jane Gillard, and Miss Elizabeth Henderson. Miss Horton and Miss Gillard are nieces of Dr. and Mrs. George Howe of this city, and are their guests for the week-end.

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BROOKS TO SPEAK

Hon. A. L. Brooks, of the Greensboro bar, will speak to the law students of the University, Monday, May 9, at 7:30 p. m., in the law building. He will speak on "Argument of Case before Court and Jury."

Mr. Brooks is one of the leading trial lawyers in this state. Within the past three years he has been connected with some of the most noted cases in the state, and has practiced in State and Federal courts.

Vocational Guidance Speakers for Chapel

Series of Addresses by Prominent Speakers All Next Week.

"The Making of Vocational Decisions" will be the theme of a series of talks to be made in Memorial Hall at Chapel period all next week. Prominent speakers who have already "made good" have been secured for these talks. Among them are Dr. E. D. Soper, vice-president of Duke University; Dean Patterson, of the School of Applied Science; Prof. Workman, of the School of Religion; Mr. R. B. House, Executive Secretary of U. N. C.; and Dr. Trabue, of the School of Education.

Both addresses and discussions will be a part of each day's program. The last part of each period will be devoted to questions from the floor.

It is expected that a large number of students, besides freshmen, will attend this series of talks. Attendance is not compulsory.

Tennis Team Defeats U. of Md. by Large Score

Shuts Out Maryland 8-0; Rained Out at Swarthmore.

A telegram from Caesar Cone, manager of the tennis team, which is now in the middle of its northern trip, announces that the boys from Carolina defeated the University of Maryland with a surprise score of eight to nothing Thursday at College Park, Maryland. This is the fourth game of the trip. The preceding game, which was to be played with Swarthmore was rained out.

The team was to play Catholic University at Washington yesterday, and the University of Virginia today, this game ending the trip.

GALLIC IRONY: The building in Paris which houses he Folies Bergere is now owned by a charitable institution and all profits go to the blind.—Detroit News.

DR. D. T. CARR
Dentist
Tankersley Building
Chapel Hill, N. C.

At Student Sunday School
Classes Tomorrow at 9:45 A. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Dr. A. C. Howell—"What Shall We Think of Christian Missions?"
Prof. B. B. Lane—"Roots of a Rich Life."

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Prof E. J. Woodhouse will speak to the student class.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Mr. Andrew Milstead—"The Way of Life—Repentance."

METHODIST CHURCH
Dr. Urban T. Holmes—"The French Moral Code."

Mr. J. G. Phillips—"The Persecution."
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Dr. George McKie—"Peter and the Risen Lord."

Kenan Stadium Will Not Be Completed by Thanksgiving

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complete now. Until this week tractors were used to haul the rocks and dirt from the blasting operations to the top of the high embankment that is being erected at one end of the ravine, towing big wagons of five yards capacity each, but trucks are being used for that purpose now. Fourteen trucks are in use at present. Operations are being carried on during a sixteen hour shift, beginning at six a. m. and stopping at midnight. Huge floodlights are employed at night. About 33 men are at work on the excavating job at present. A big rock-crusher is preparing the rocks suitable for making material for concrete work. The Teer company will sell the crushed stone to the T. C. Thompson Bros. Company, which has the contract for erecting the stands. About 6,000 yards of rocks will be removed and crushed, and then go back into the stadium.

Smaller charges of dynamite are being used now than were used when

LOST

Brown bill fold containing money, A. A. A. membership tag, and title card. Reward if returned to Tar Heel Club.

LOST

Dokie pin. Description: Tiger's head encircled by double crescent. If found please return to Ed. Tesh at 5 Vance and receive reward.

the excavating was first begun because of the complaints received on account of the concussions from the blasting, according to Superintendent Higgs.

A story has reached wide circulation on the campus that a certain member of the faculty called up the superintendent and complained of the jars resulting from the too-heavy charges of explosives used in the blasting. It is said that the superintendent immediately had 200 sticks of dynamite placed at a good depth, so as to produce an excessively heavy jar, but very little noise, and had it fired. He then called up the professor, who said that the blast was much less severe than those preceding it. Thereupon the superintendent placed a single stick of dynamite very near the surface and fired it, producing a large amount of noise, but practically no jar. The professor called up again and complained bitterly that the last blast jarred his house more than any of the others had.

It is said that fourteen windows were broken out in Old East dormitory by one blast last week. Swain Hall and various homes in Chapel Hill have reported broken china as a result of the blasts. Several windows have been broken out in the "Y."

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