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PARAGRAPHS

We wonder why they don't have a *Jigme and Plasque* performance.

Add to outstanding events of the year: "Reviewer Praises Carolina Playmaker's North ern Tour Bill."

How come, we ask when reading the announcement, Queens College picking a May Queen in November?

One thing Miss Cobb forgot to mention in her story of the arboretum—it's an extremely handy place in the summer time.

When the *News and Observer*, esteemed house organ, commends the stand of the *Raleigh Times* on a question (which they did recently), it is time to make a check mark on the board.

Announcement comes that Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen, daughter of the Commoner, will run again for Congress. Not trying to vie with the also-ran record of her daddy, is she?

We learn that Queens College, an institution of pre-destination-leanings, is "suffering from a severe case of political fever" and dirty politics. Which makes us hopeful that the fair sex will yet become able politicians.

Possibly the law students who played heroes in a farmhouse fire last week were just being good lawyers and looking for a hot suit to result from the blaze.

GIVE US AN OLD TIME PEP MEETING

The Tar Heels will play Davidson in the new Kenan Memorial stadium, Saturday afternoon. In addition to the fact that this is the first game to be played in the new stadium, the affair might break a persistent record that has held this season, barring one exception.

There has been much comment of late on the quality of the spirit of the student body. One anonymous writer has sent in an embittered diatribe that damns him who would even suggest that we have here at Carolina a true spirit of unity, a spirit to back the team to win. This is a bold charge to make; it is exaggerated and lacking in restraint. However, we are forced to admit that the spirit to win, to back the team has not been all it could be. There is no intention to leave the impression that the student body in general hasn't backed a losing team in an admirable fashion. They have. But there is a place for a more determined spirit to make the team come out of the game victorious.

The gameful statement "lacked the necessary punch to put it across the goal line" rings in our ears after reading a report of games played this season. Yet more nearly the true solution to our defeats.

When the Tar Heels meet Davidson Saturday they will face a team that has more fight than sheer football prowess. The Carolina team will

need every member of the student body backing it until the final whistle blows to win. And the Carolina student body can give the team the spirit to win in face of every odd!

The tendency towards indifference on the part of the students towards the football team is discernible. How it may be remedied is far from us to say. One thing that has left the student body lukewarm in yelling is the fact that the Cheerios do the yelling at the games now and the students outside the cheering section yell when they wish: they feel no obligation to yell and do so only when the urge is spontaneous, often rarely. It is another piece of over-specialization.

What the student body needs is to get together, give a number of hell-raising yells, be told that Carolina is going to win, and go home believing it as firmly as they know that the bell will ring at 8:30 next morning.

Mr. Cheerleader, give us an old time pep meeting before Saturday!

OPEN FORUM

WHY DELAY THE PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION?

Editor of TAR HEEL:

Almost a year ago at a mass meeting of the student body held in Memorial Hall a resolution was adopted to call a constitutional convention to draw up a written code by which the student body should be governed. So far, no action seems to have been taken by officials to carry out this resolution.

Never before in the history of the University has there been such a wholesale suspension of students as there was here last winter. Thirteen boys were found guilty of gambling by the student council and required to leave the University after a bitterly contested fight. The vote of the student body to support the action of the council meant the life of student government here. Not only this, but it proved that the student body has faith and confidence in the men it had elected to determine the fate of wayward students. If the thirteen gamblers had been allowed to remain here as campus citizens, it would have been the blackest of dark spots in the history of the University. The case brought to light a serious flaw in student government as it is practiced here, namely, that the student council has no code to follow when a student is brought before it for any offense.

A case similar to the one mentioned is apt to occur at any time and cause another general disturbance and disagreement among the accused, the officials, and the student body at large. Is it that the duly elected president of the student body feels that he is not capable of calling the convention and seeing the matter through that has caused the delay, or isn't the student body entitled to what it has openly asked for?

T. W. J.

MONTHLY MEETING OF A. PSI D. HELD

Psychological Fraternity Hears Two Papers on Pertinent Subjects.

The Gamma Chapter of the Alpha Psi Delta, psychological fraternity held its regular monthly meeting in Peabody Building Wednesday evening, November 9. The program of the evening consisted of two discourses followed by a social hour for general discussion and questions. Mr. J. R. Patrick gave "A Summary of Experimental Studies on Sleep." Mr. G. B. Johnson reported "A Study of Musical Talent in Negroes."

The study reported by Mr. Johnson has been carried on over a period of several years and is revealing significant facts as to the type and extent of musical talent in the negro race. One of the principal tests used in the study was Seashore's Music Test which is designed to measure the various constituent capacities which are necessary for musical appreciation and performance.

Mr. Patrick gave the essence of the most important experimental studies on sleep reported in the current psychological bulletins and in published text books.

The following new members have been added to the fraternity this year: Messrs. A. Bayroff, L. M. Brooks, J. W. Crew, J. R. Steelman, R. B. Vance, J. L. Weller, Dr. E. R. Groves and Miss Mabel Bacon. There are now thirty-four active members in the local chapter of the fraternity.

The Alpha Lambda Tau fraternity announces the pledging of Haywood Miller and Junius V. Fisher, both of Salisbury, N. C.

A press stand with accommodations for 700 newspaper representatives is included in the plans of the Olympic stadium at Amsterdam.

## COLLEGIANS ARE MORE QUIET NOW SO COPS CLAIM

But Ask "What's Going to Happen Thanksgiving?"; Expect Orderly Crowd, However.

"The boys have been quieter this fall than ever before," says officer Sloan of the Chapel Hill police force. Chief Featherstone voices his sentiments by saying, "We have had practically no trouble with the boys this year," but the chief uttered a sigh when he said, "What's going to take place Thanksgiving?"

The fact that the boys have been extremely well behaved this fall leads the cops to believe that the percentage of drinking at the game with Virginia will be reduced to a minimum. The chief says that every precaution is being taken to keep whiskey out of the stadium, and to keep what little does get through from causing the wrong impression in the minds of the alumni and the editorial writers throughout the state.

It will be recalled that two years ago such widespread publicity was given to the drinking here during the Thanksgiving holidays that dancing was suspended for a quarter, and the president of the State Anti-Saloon League came to Chapel Hill to investigate the rumors to the effect that whiskey could be had freely in and around the town. One state paper went so far as to say that whiskey flowed as freely as did the waters from the Old Well.

The fact that the students have been extremely quiet this fall has given the police more time to go out into the nearby communities where whiskey is made and to do commendable service in destroying the sources of the supply. This fall has yielded several arrests and there has been more whiskey captured than ever before.

The chief says the Durham police department will aid in keeping order for the Thanksgiving game. There will be a large number of student traffic directors chosen from the "Y" cabinet. The "Y" will also operate a lunch stand, information bureau, and a parcel checking room for the convenience of the visitors. Every effort is being made to have this one of the largest, most orderly, and best entertained crowds ever to attend an event in Chapel Hill.

## DAVISON WILL TALK TO MED STUDENTS

Dean of Duke Medical School Will Address Society.

Dr. W. C. Davison, Dean of the Duke Medical School and one of the foremost authorities on medical subjects in the country, will address the University of North Carolina Medical Society tomorrow night at 7:00 o'clock at the Medical building.

Although Dr. Davison's subject has not been officially announced, it is understood that he is to discuss the work of the various medical schools of the South in comparison to that in other medical schools of the country.

The lecture is not to be entirely technical in nature and officials of the Society stated yesterday that it would be of interest to the general public. They urged that all students and members of the faculty interested in any phase of medical work attend the lecture.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

TODAY

4:00 p. m. 215 Murphey Hall. Bull's Head Reading. Mr. Taylor will read from Kipling's poems.

8:30 p. m. City Auditorium, Durham. Westminster Choir, under auspices of Durham-Chapel Hill Concert Association, will present concert.

FRIDAY, NOV. 11

4:00 p. m. Carolina Playmakers begin Northern tour.

8:00 p. m. Episcopal Parish House. Meeting of Spanish Club.

10:30 p. m. Memorial Hall. Election of Freshman Class officers.

SATURDAY, NOV. 12

2:00 p. m. Kenan Memorial Stadium. Football. Davidson vs. Carolina.

9:00 p. m. Swain Hall. Grail Dance.

You can tell the leading candidates in Mexico. All the bullets enter him from behind.

We trust it will not interfere with the success of our new ambassador to Mexico that his name in the language of that country is manana.—New York Times.

## FIRST SOCIAL OF SOPH Y CABINET HELD ON MONDAY

Large Gathering Attends Entertainment; Lunch Counter Discussed.

The Sophomore Cabinet held their first social of the year Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. The largest attendance of the quarter enjoyed a program of group and individual songs.

The twenty-five members present sang several popular group songs, accompanied by "Red" Wood at the piano. Immediately following, Wood entertained the audience with three modern vocal selections, accompanying himself on the piano. Refreshments of sandwiches and hot chocolate were served.

During the serving of refreshments the problem of the lunch counter which is to be undertaken by the Sophomore Council was discussed. This counter will be located between Old South and Gerrard Hall during the Thanksgiving game with the University of Virginia. It will sell lunch boxes, cold drinks, candy, etc. This counter is in charge of Bobby Wilkins from the Junior-Senior Cabinet. Volunteers from the Soph group will erect the stand and take care of the selling. Those members who volunteer for this service will be given sideline passes to the game in order that they may not be inconvenienced by having to stay at the stand until only a short time before the game. This undertaking will be run along the same plan as the one of last year. It will partially solve the difficulty of overcrowded cafes and eating houses on the day of the game.

## CULBRETH SPEAKS IN CHAPEL MONDAY

Advises Students to Find Something Worth While in Life.

Dr. J. Marvin Culbreth of Nashville, Tenn., Religious Educational Secretary of the Methodist church, South, delivered a short but interesting talk in Memorial Hall, Monday morning. Dr. Culbreth has been closely connected with the religious work in the state schools for several years. Being a North Carolina man, and having spoken in several towns of this

state before, including Chapel Hill, he is well known here.

Dr. Culbreth touched upon the present condition of the men who offered their bodies to the government for experimentation in the spread of certain diseases. He used this as a basis for the stating of the outstanding idea of his talk.

"Unless a man finds something in life worth more than his body, he fails to attain the heights of nobility." Thus Dr. Culbreth rounded out the dominant thought of his talk.

Less—What do you hope to gain by kissing me?  
Jess—Another kiss.

"I don't choose," began the sullen pedestrian. And just then a flivver made him wish he had.

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