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### PARAGRAPHS

Once again the plea arises for the completion of Graham Memorial. As it stands now the building is another of the paradoxes of nature—an unfinished structure in memory of a man whose work was noted for its thoroughness.

In the College Humor straw vote, ballots were marked for Will Rogers and Texas Guinan. Evidently somebody is ready to "give the little girl a hand."

Since hearing that the Playmakers will broadcast over radio and probably for the Vitaphone, our latest ambition is to hear the door slam in "Job's Kinfolks" or the eggs frying in "Fixin's."

Now that the co-eds are planning to have athletic events of their own, we wonder what sort of costumes the feminine cheerios will have to wear?

The committee on Physical Education suggests having gym compulsory for freshmen and sophomores with credit granted. That might make it worth while to trudge through the snow on stormy days.

We wonder if the campus respected the honor code's mandate to "think it out alone" during the recent straw vote on the presidential candidates.

### And the Greatest of These Is—Which?

With the report of the Faculty Committee on Physical Education there comes up again the question of the three outstanding needs of the University along the line of its building program. Undoubtedly we need a new gymnasium. The present one is inadequate for the physical welfare of the student body. The freshman class alone must be divided into numerous sections before it can find space for exercising, and the major part of all other classes never sees the interior of the gym—except perhaps at Grail dances.

At the same time Graham Memorial stands in neglect, a silent reproach to any further building expansion prior to the completion of what is already begun. Nor can it be denied that the need for such a building is seriously felt. A center for student activities and student life, an appropriate place for meetings of all kinds, a building large enough to provide for those times at which many

students want to get together—such a building should indeed receive the consideration of the University and all concerned.

A third item on the long list of needs is a Fine Arts Building. That a University of the size, reputation, and actual merit of the University of North Carolina should fail to have the housing facilities for a much-needed School of Fine Arts is unfortunate. What few courses are now being offered along the lines of Fine Arts are so scattered through the curricula and through the various schools that they are scarcely known. What should be done is to unify them into one school, plan additional courses, and provide a building for a newly created School of Fine Arts.

There are the three items—each of which inevitably springs to the forefront in every discussion of a building program. When it comes to making a distinction, the difficulty is readily apparent. Each need is a vital one and it worthy of consideration. It is not a matter of which we shall have, for eventually they will all be here. There only remains, then, the question of which should come first.

## Speaking The Student Mind

### Proposes To Banish Hawkers

As I review the happening of the past Saturday there is but one blot that remains in my mind to mar what otherwise would have been a perfect college day. What I have reference to is the horde of non-student tradesmen that invaded our campus last Friday and Saturday, placed themselves upon every street corner, and pestered every visitor, alumnus, and student by their sales of football insignias.

They were not a part of the day; they were not a part of our University; and there were no bonds which brought them close to Carolina. Therefore, on a collegiate day of this type such visitors should be excluded from the campus and the sidewalks of Chapel Hill.

Their places should be filled by University students who are either in need of money to pay their college expenses, or else desire to earn spending money. Students of this type did offer for sale certain articles of this nature last Saturday, but they met with so much competition that they were forced into oblivion. For every student that one met on the way to Kenan Stadium with wares of this type, one met five or ten men from the "outside," each attempting to take his share of the profits from the student sellers.

The question that should come to our minds is whether or not our week-ends would be more enjoyable to all if only students were allowed to engage in a trade of this nature, and whether the type of men that invaded our campus last Saturday was desirable or not.

As a closing reminder we must also remember that in our student body there are more men needing work to defray expenses than at the present time can be attended to. Would it not be wise, then, if this field should be thrown open to students and no one else, with the sole purpose of allowing Carolina men to derive whatever profits there may be, and thus making it truly a University Day.

CRAWFORD B. MACKETHAN

### Theatre Tickets for Tar Heel Reporters

A pass to all the shows at the Carolina Theatre next week will be given the reporter on the Tar Heel staff who writes the best story for the three issues of the paper this week.

The editor and managing editor are interested in improving the quality of the news writing, and desire each member of the editorial staff to report to the Tar Heel office daily even though he may not be able to do any work every day.

The judging of the stories will rest in the hands of the editor, the business manager and the managing editor.

### D. K. E. Give Buffet Supper

The D.K.E. fraternity entertained with a buffet supper at one o'clock Sunday morning. The event was informal, and immediately followed the dance Saturday night at the Washington Duke Hotel.

About seventy persons were present at the supper.

Phi Kappa Sigma announces the pledging of Frederick Morgan Prouty of Chapel Hill. Prouty is the son of the Professor W. F. Prouty, instructor in the University.

## Di and Phi Were Formed By Lonesome Professor

Charles Wilson Harris, Young Professor With Elegant Literary Tastes and Courtly Manners Was Driven by Absence of Gaiety in Early Chapel Hill Life to Found Debating Society in 1775; Present Societies Outgrowth of This Organization

On January 15, 1795 the University of North Carolina formally opened its doors to receive students. As the winter was very severe and the roads almost impassible, Dr. David Kes, the presiding professor, found that he alone could not care for the student body with ease. Therefore, the trustees chose Charles Wilson Harris, an honor graduate of Princeton, to serve in the capacity of tutor of Mathematics. "Young Harris had a strong mind, elegant literary tastes, courtly manners, and weight of character," says Dr. Battle's *History of North Carolina*. He was deeply interested in social problems and was grieved to find that there was very little opportunity for social contacts at Chapel Hill. This element in his character undoubtedly explains his very conspicuous part in the organization of the two campus literary societies, the Dialectic Senate and Philanthropic Assembly.

On June 3, 1795 the Debating society was organized, officers elected and rules drawn up. The first officers were: James Mebane of Orange county, president; John Taylor of Orange county, clerk; and Lawrence Toole of Edgecombe, treasurer. The first members were pledged under seal to promote the best interests of the society and to obey its laws and mandates.

The society held its meetings on Tuesday evening each week. It was considered advantageous to divide the members into two groups. The two groups spoke and read alternately. The main feature of each meeting was a combination debate. Two members, one for the affirmative and one for the negative, were chosen to introduce the query. After they had stated their arguments, the hall was thrown open

for discussions relating to the queries. The group did not operate long under the name of the Debating Society, however. On June 25, 1795 Maurice Moore of Brunswick county moved that the society be divided. The motion was carried one week later. The new organization assumed the name of "The Concord Society." The cause of the new movement is not known, as no reason appears in the authoritative records. It is conjectured however, that it was a manifestation of party feeling. The name Concord and the substituted Philanthropic as well as the addition of the word liberty to the motto of the other society look in this direction. Before the division the number was so large that efficiency was impossible. It is probable, therefore, that a third reason for the division was to make two groups small enough to permit each person to take an active part in the meetings.

For a number of weeks men were allowed to belong to both societies, as they met at different times. The practices were eventually forbidden owing, undoubtedly, to the development of rivalry between the two organizations.

Eventually in recognition of the need of training in Parliamentary procedure both societies decided to pay special attention to Parliamentary rules. Hence the names Senate and Assembly corresponding to the two houses of the American Congress.

For many years the two organizations have been an instrument for moulding sentiment on the campus of the University. Men who have made good in business look back with fond recollections of their career in this organization where they were trained for life by a taste of life itself.

### Tennis Tourney Ends

Ed Yeomans Champ of University Intercollegiate Contest Today.

The Fall Tennis Tournament open to all students of the University was won this year by Ed Yeomans. The tournament began last Wednesday with 32 entries registered as aspirants for the trophy. Play continued through last Friday when Yeomans defeated Hendlin, runner up for the championship, in three straight sets, 6-1, 6-4, 6-2.

The Consolation Tournament was won by Liskin who defeated Trott in the finals 7-5, 6-1. Men running high in this tournament were: Wardlaw, Potter, Liskin and Trott.

The men participated in the tournament were: Schapiro, Rhett, Wolf, Wardlaw, Norwood, Trott, Watt, Eubanks, Hendlin, Cohen, Lassiter, Scott, Potter, Owens, Cochrane, Yeomans, Liskin, Goldberg, Bane, Abilson, Wilmot, P. Jarney, Waddell, Watterhouse, Eaton, Gray, Merritt, Don Graham, Yeargen, Whittington.

The first intercollegiate clash of the year for the University tennis team will be played off this afternoon on the local courts at 2:30 p. m. against Duke University.

### Co-Eds Organizing Basket Quintets

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Will Practice One Hour.

The first basketball practice for women students will be tomorrow night from 7 to 8 o'clock at the Bynum gymnasium with Dr. R. B. Lawson acting as coach. Beginning at that time, practice will be at the same hour every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday night.

At the last meeting of the Woman's Association held last year there was some discussion about starting a movement for some form of athletics, but no definite plan was decided upon other than leaving the matter to the discretion of the president, Myla Royall, and of Mrs. Stacy.

At first it was thought that the attic floor of Spencer Hall could be furnished for gymnastic purposes, but this plan was found to be impractical and so during the summer, arrangements were made to secure the men's gymnasium for an hour a night and Dr. Lawson was secured as coach for basketball.

Feeling at Spencer Hall is very much in favor of getting up basketball teams for intramural games and the officers of the Woman's Association are very anxious for the rest of the women students to show the same interest.

President Myla Royall urges all the women who are interested in basketball to be at the gymnasium tomorrow night.

### I DIE

john mebane  
Scatter your wreaths  
Over me.  
Spread your roses  
Over me.  
Breathe lies; closed eyes  
Cannot see.  
Shovel the earth  
On my bier.  
Plant a white stone  
On my bier.  
Shed tears; deaf ears  
Cannot hear.  
Hold Ritual  
Near my head.  
Sing psalter  
Near my head.  
Or cry—but I  
Shall be dead.

Now is the time to send the Tar Heel Home.

### LOST

Saturday in Kenan Stadium—Bill fold and money. Finder please address X-12, Tar Heel Office. Reward.

### LOST

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## TAR HEELS FACE FIVE MORE STIFF GAMES THIS FALL

Success of Grid Season Depends Upon Remaining Games to Be Played.

The Tar Heel football squad, having played just half of its 10 game schedule, now faces five more tough games with North Carolina Big Five and Southern Conference rivals. Three of the five games figure in the Southern Conference race, and three of them bear on the final state state titular ranking.

The first hurdle in the Tar Heels' path is Raleigh on Saturday of this week. Then comes South Carolina, Davidson, Virginia and Duke in succession.

Two of the five games still confronting the Tar Heels are carded for Kenan Memorial Stadium. The South Carolina Gamecocks, knocked off their lofty perch by Clemson's Tigers last week, come to the Tar Heel lair on November 10, and then the University squad takes on Davidson at Davidson on November 17.

### Does it rain on the Grand Banks?



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