

Chase Makes Appeal to Alumni In Effort to Increase Funds

State Appropriations Insufficient to Provide for Emergencies; Plan for Annual Giving Sought.

Announcement of a statewide effort to raise funds from among the alumni to supplement state appropriations for the support of the university, which was made last Sunday night by President Harry W. Chase, has been given wide publicity in the press all over the state.

The effort, Dr. Chase's announcement stated, will be directed toward stimulating a systematic plan of annual giving.

The undertaking, designed as the Alumni Loyalty Fund and directed and supervised by a loyalty fund council of 12 alumni, concerns itself with two objectives, the announcement stated. In the first place, it seeks large gifts for special equipment and endowments and, secondly, many smaller gifts from many individuals. It is planned that these gifts, particularly the smaller ones, shall build up flexible reserve funds to provide for emergency maintenance purposes and to supplement income from the state.

It is the second of the two objectives which will concern the loyalty fund council in the immediate future. A plan is now worked out whereby all University alumni are to be asked to give something to their alma mater every year, much after the fashion of their annual gifts to their church, their club, and other philanthropies. It was pointed out by Dr. Chase that such a plan will not work a hardship on any alumnus, yet these combined gifts, even though not large, will aggregate a total which will materially strengthen the university in its service to the educational life of the state.

Dr. Chase's announcement said that complete details as to procedure of the appeal would be announced within a very few days.

Dr. Chase emphasized the fact that the alumni loyalty fund will not become the chief support of the university, but

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ALUMNI DIRECTORS MEET IN SESSION

Plans Made for Meeting of General Assembly of Alumni Association.

The board of directors of the general alumni association met at the Carolina inn Saturday, at which time plans were made for the general assembly of the alumni association, which will hold its first meeting of the 1929-1930 session in Chapel Hill on November 27 and 28.

The president of the association, W. T. Shore of Charlotte, presided at the meeting Saturday. Business that had not been completed during the past year was settled, and plans for the coming year were discussed.

The members of the board of directors of the association who were present at this meeting were: President Shore, Vice-President J. F. Patterson of New Bern, Past President A. B. Andrews of Raleigh, John Kerr, Jr., of Rocky Mount; R. Grady Rankin of Gastonia, L. T. Hartsell, Jr., of Concord, R. A. Spaugh, Jr., of Winston-Salem, T. A. Devane of Fayetteville, Thomas J. Pearsall of Rocky Mount, and Henry M. London of Raleigh.

Entertainment Tickets

Season tickets for the entertainment committee will go on sale October first in the business office. \$3.00 each.
ADDISON HIBBARD,
Chairman.

DR. CARL TAYLOR DELIVERS SERMON

Dr. Carl C. Taylor, dean of the graduate school of State college, preached the sermon Sunday morning at 11 at the United church (Christian Congregational) on Cameron avenue.

Dr. Taylor, whose subject was "Religious Certitude in an Age of Doubt," chose as his text John 8:21-32. The verse that he preached on was "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:32).

"Religion," said Dr. Taylor, "is a reality—something that really exists in the lives of men, and any one who denies it or disregards it is blind to the world in which he lives. The function of religion," continued Dr. Taylor, "is to teach persons to understand life, and to help them set up ultimate goals for their life."

In closing Dr. Taylor said, "Doubt is the first step toward real certitude, for this doubt will lead to anxiety and anxiety will lead to seeking for the truth. Many men, some calling themselves Christians, do not test Jesus and test his way of life. They are certain of him. They fail to test his way of life and to believe in some of his great truths."

DIALECTIC SENATE TO MEET TONIGHT

The second regular session of the Dialectic Senate will convene tonight at 7:15 in the Di hall, New West building. The major portion of the meeting will be given over to the initiation of new members.

After the initiation ceremonies have been completed the hall will be thrown open to suggestions and discussions by all members—both old and new.

President Williams urges that a large number of bills and resolutions be put on the calendar for discussion, in order to enliven future meetings. In accordance with custom, the various standing committees of the senate will be appointed tonight.

Chapel Hill Alumni Club to Meet Friday

Carl T. Durham, president of the Chapel Hill alumni club, announces a meeting of the club Friday evening, October 4, at 8:30 at Smith building. Alumni of the university living in Chapel Hill are invited to attend. Those members of the faculty who are not alumni of the university are invited as guests of the club.

Dr. Chase will be the principal speaker at the meeting, and except for a short business meeting, the principal part of the evening's program will be of a social nature. There will be no admission fee for the affair.

According to the census of 1920 nearly 90 per cent. of the women of the United States have been married.

DEBATE COUNCIL TO HOLD 9 MEETS

President Williams Says Interest in Speaking Reviving at University.

(By J. C. Williams)

All indications arising from present forensic conditions at the University of North Carolina point to a successful season in that phase of extra-curricular activity.

Greater interest is being shown in intercollegiate debating than usual. Fifty-nine candidates, including two co-eds, reported for membership in the debate squad at the organization meeting held Thursday night in 201 Murphey. This represents a twenty-five per cent. increase in membership over last year's squad. Eight of the fifty-nine have represented the University in other years and are wearers of the gold monogram. Among the newcomers are several with debating records behind them which are worthy of consideration. The winners of the Aycock memorial cup last year are members of the squad. Three ex-Mars Hill debaters reported for the organization meeting, and there are three more on the Hill who are expected to join later. In addition to these, there are a number of former high school speakers who, although they did not win the coveted Aycock cup, have had considerable experience. The two co-eds also participated in the forensic game before coming to Carolina. With the present squad enrollment exceeding even the fondest expectations, competition for places on the various teams this season is expected to be keen. Approximately fifteen debaters will be used in the course of the collegiate year.

The first debate of the year is expected to be a dual contest with N. C. C. W., or a triangular affair including N. C. State College. Such a proposition has already been presented to the Speaker's Club of N. C. C. W., and that organization has notified the Debate Council of the University that the suggestion has met its hearty approval. The proposition now awaits the approval of Dr. Foust, president of the college. At the next meeting of the debate squad, Thursday night at 7:30 in 201 Murphey, something definite about the matter will be known.

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ORCHESTRA FACES SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Rehearsal to Be Held Tonight in Person Hall.

The university orchestra will meet for organization and rehearsal tonight at 7 o'clock in Person hall. Professor T. S. McCorkle, director of the orchestra, invites all students and faculty members who have had experience in playing orchestral instruments to join the organization.

In the past the orchestra personnel has been composed of about equal division of faculty members and students. This year the indications are that the students will outnumber the faculty. The organization should be much larger this year than ever before, in view of the new material that has presented itself to the director. The orchestra has approached the proportions of the little symphony in past seasons, but there has always been a shortage of strings.

As in the past, the organization will study various standard symphonies, overtures, and concert pieces from the best field of orchestral literature. It appears also that for the first time in the history of the organization, it will be possible to arrange a concert tour away from Chapel Hill. Many invitations have come to the orchestra from time to time, but they have had to be declined. It is practically certain, though, that certain arrangements can be accepted this season.

The orchestra last year numbered 38 players. It is hoped that the number this year will be 50 or 60. The instrumentation has been almost entirely completed, making possible the playing of the best type of symphonic music.

2615 Students Here For Opening Quarter

That the registration of students this fall may surpass the record of 2631 made in 1927 was the hope voiced yesterday by Dr. Thomas J. Wilson, registrar. By 11 o'clock 2614 students had registered, 110 more than last fall, and 14 short of the record.

The registration in the graduate school was 210, the largest in the history of the university.

Spain produced more than 7,000,000 tons of coal in the last 12 months.

Law and Commerce Faculties Undergo a Number of Changes

Yackety Yack Notice

There will be a meeting of the Yackety Yack business staff tonight at 9:00 o'clock. All old and new members please be present.

B. Moore Parker
Business Manager

HISTORY STUDENT FAINTS ON CLASS

(By Milt Wood)

It might have been the humidity, it might have been from natural causes, but many believe that the term assignment was to blame.

At any rate, after Professor Frank Graham had made the term assignment including a 2,000-word thesis and 100 pages of collateral reading per week, B. W. Roberts, junior, fainted and was revived only after several minutes yesterday morning.

Fellow students in the class carried Roberts out of the room to an adjoining office and administered first aid until a physician reached the spot. He was later taken to the infirmary where he is reported to be weak but recovering.

Two physicians were summoned by telephone and students were sent out on the campus to look for others, so that four doctors appeared on the scene at the same time.

Roberts fainted at 11:12 a. m., shortly after the class in history 7 had taken up. Professor Graham had just finished outlining on the blackboard what he expected students to do during the term, when Roberts fell over on his left side, his arms stiffened, and his face went pale. It was at first believed that he had suffered a heart attack.

Other students in the class although not visibly affected by the assignment of work outlined by Professor Graham, fared better than Roberts. The class was not resumed during the period.

STUDENTS SLOW TO REDEEM Y PLEDGES

With Y. M. C. A. pledges collected from only half the student body, Harry F. Comer, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., yesterday morning was considering sending boys through the dormitories to collect pledges.

The number of men coming to the business office in South building has been growing smaller each day, until yesterday only one man appeared during the whole morning. Mr. Comer wishes to call the attention of the campus to this failure to redeem pledges made at registration, which is probably due entirely to neglect.

The amount collected up to 12 o'clock yesterday was approximately \$1,200.

Phi Assembly Plans Smoker for Tonight

The second meeting for this quarter of the Phi society will be held in the regular meeting place tonight at 7:15 o'clock. At this time all new men and old men desirous of joining the society are urged to be present, as the doors of the society will be open for the receiving of new members. Immediately after the meeting there will be a smoker for both the old and new members of the society.

Vacancies Filled by New Men; Several Added to Staffs.

Several changes were made this year in the faculty of the law and commerce schools. The majority of the new men are replacements to fill the vacancies caused by resignations or leaves of absence, and several new men added.

R. J. M. Hobbs, A. B., LL. B., succeeds R. A. McPheeters as professor of business law. Mr. Hobbs has been a practicing attorney in Greensboro and Gastonia for a period of ten or twelve years. He completed the law course at Columbia university law school under the deanship of Justice Harlan F. Stone of the United States supreme court. Mr. McPheeters has accepted a position as assistant trust officer with the Wachovia Bank & Trust company of Winston-Salem.

Professor Earl D. Strong, head of the department of economics and commerce at Grinnell college, Iowa, takes the place of Professor John B. Woosley, who is on leave this year at Chicago university doing research work on bank taxation.

Professor V. E. Levin succeeds Professor H. A. Haring. Mr. Levin has been professor of economics at Simmons college, Boston. Dr. Haring goes to Lehigh university as associate professor of marketing.

R. S. Winslow has been appointed instructor in economics to succeed Professor Cutler, who goes to Columbia university as a member of the department of economics. Mr. Winslow comes to the university from the university of Illinois where he has been instructor in economics.

H. L. Macon has been appointed instructor in economics. Mr. Macon has been a graduate student and research assistant in

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Farris Announces Pending Election

In chapel Monday morning the matter of electing a cheerleader was called to the attention of the student body by President Ray Farris.

Farris announced that nominations for the office of cheerleader would be held in chapel Tuesday morning and that election would take place on Wednesday. He added also that the election would be by ballot, and not by mass vote as previous announcements had stated.

In a short statement in chapel Farris asked that the students consider the qualifications of each nominee and the endeavor to elect the most able man. Commenting later, he said, "I hope very much that the student body will come out and vote in the election of a cheerleader. The position is one of the most important on the campus."

In order to acquaint the student body with some of the men interested in the office of cheerleader, Farris called to the platform those students who assisted in leading the cheering Saturday. They are as follows: Ashley Penn, George Biggs, Lloyd Bass, Allen Crossen, Paul Carter, Sam Glaberson, George Brown and Jack Barret. Farris then gave these men an opportunity to show their resourcefulness and ability by turning the remainder of the chapel exercise over to them.

Federation of Women's Clubs

PROGRAM FOR TODAY

All business sessions to be held at the Carolina Inn

- 11:00 A. M. Meeting of Executive Board, at Mrs. R. D. W. Connor's home.
- 1:00 P. M. Luncheon, given by Mrs. R. D. W. Connor for the Executive Board and Board of Trustees.
- 2:30 Meeting of Board of Trustees, at Mrs. Connor's.
- 2:30 Conference of District Presidents, Mrs. J. M. Hobgood presiding; North Parlor, Carolina Inn.
- 2:30 Conference Department Chairmen, South Parlor, Carolina Inn.
- 4:00 Registration of Delegates, Carolina Inn.
- 4:00 Trip around Campus, Courtesy of Community Club. Tea in Extension Library, Courtesy of Miss Nellie Roberson.