

## Y WILL SPONSOR FOREIGN SERVICE CONVENTION HERE

Junior-Senior Cabinet Plans for State Student Volunteer Meeting in February.

At the meeting of the junior-senior Y cabinet last night tentative plans were made to hold the State Student Volunteer Convention here the middle of February. The convention will be attended by about 250 delegates from all the colleges in the state. It will last three days.

The student volunteers are students who are interested in all kinds of foreign service. They are sent out by the church boards, the Y, and all such organizations. It is distinctly an organization of youths and every profession is represented. Mr. Comer says of the organization, "It goes on the norm of sharing life and rendering service."

A preliminary committee-meeting to consider plans for the convention will be held in Winston-Salem October 18. The Carolina delegates to this meeting are B. C. Moore, Sam Gorham and Doug Kincaid.

The sophomore cabinet meeting was devoted to a discussion of their program. They plan to hear two speakers a month and to discuss the substance of the talks at their third meeting.

The freshman friendship council decided to revive the "Hello" tradition on the campus. Pat Patterson, senior advisor of the club, suggested the motion to the council and it was adopted by the 60 freshmen at the meeting. Patterson told the group that the spirit around the campus was growing more and more like that of less friendly colleges. The group decided to try to speak to everyone on the campus and create a spirit that prevailed at the University some years ago.

Dr. G. T. Schwenning gave a short but interesting talk on individuality. He stressed the idea of being yourself and not becoming a "stamped" or "trade-marked" person.

Several committees were appointed and the time for their respective meetings announced.

## EXPERIMENT IS TRIED OUT WITH FRESHMAN CLASS

This year an experiment was tried in the romance language department in order to facilitate the placing of freshmen. Placement tests were given in French and Spanish. Formerly, a student entering with 2 units credit in French could normally take course 3. These tests show just what work the student can do. They showed in many cases that the preparation of the freshmen was so good that he could take a course higher. This will prevent the waste of time by the student in taking a course he already knows.

The professors in the department think that these tests will prove valuable in placing the freshmen where they belong, both to the advantage of the student and the professor.

## Cheerleaders!

All persons wishing to try out for cheerleaders' jobs are asked to attend a meeting in Kenan stadium at 4 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of trying out for the squad.

## Senior Smoker

A program combining the appearance of R. B. House, executive secretary of the University, and Ty Sawyer and his Carolina Buccaneers, will feature the initial senior smoker of the year at Swain hall tonight at 9:15 o'clock.

## INCREASE MADE IN ENROLLMENT

Graduate School Members Found To Represent Twenty-Three Different States.

According to Dean W. W. Pierson, the enrollment of the graduate school in the fall quarter is encouraging. The number is 223 as opposed to 204 of the corresponding time last year. This enrollment shows an analysis that the students came from twenty-three states, and shows also academic training in undergraduate work drawn from one hundred institutions. Eighty of these graduate students already have masters' degrees. There are sixty-eight women and 155 men. The departments in which enrollment is heaviest are: English, fifty-two; history and government, thirty-two; chemistry, twenty-five; education, nineteen; sociology, eighteen; romance languages, sixteen; economics and commerce, eleven.

From June 1929 to June 1930, there have been 731 different registrations in the graduate school; 454 in the summer session of 1929, and 277 in the regular academic session. In the summer session of 1930 there was a marked growth in enrollment, the number being 578, or an increase of 124 over that of the preceding summer quarter.

Since June 1930, therefore, the graduate school has had an enrollment of 801 students. The University, through the school, has awarded during the last year, 115 degrees, a greater number than ever before. Of these twenty-seven were Ph. D. degrees.

Mr. A. C. Howell, associate professor of English, is the new assistant to Dean W. W. Pierson. Dr. R. C. Mills, Ph. D., who is economics professor and dean of the faculty of economics in the University of Sydney, Australia, is a Carnegie visiting professor in the school, assigned to the University of North Carolina for the fall quarter of 1930. Dr. Mills will give lectures to the students in the department of economics, the school of commerce, and the department of history and government.

## Phi Mu Alpha Makes Plans For The Year

Meeting Sunday night for the first time this year, Phi Mu Alpha, musical fraternity, made plans for its work in the near future, with the purpose of identifying itself prominently with University musical activities. The meeting was held in the music building.

At present, the fraternity has 29 active members, including five faculty men: Dr. W. M. Dey, of the French department, Professor Fred McCall, of the law school, and Professors Dyer, McCorkle, and Kennedy, of the music department.

The next meeting will be in the form of a smoker, to be given sometime early in November.

## Hazing Seen To Be Making A Last Stand At The Principal Colleges

N. S. F. A. News Service

All over the world during the few hectic weeks, the Class of 1934 has found itself alternately paddled and patted on the back. It has been deluged with advice from deans and from seasoned upperclassmen about where to eat and what courses not to take.

A few important facts stand out from the whirl, the first is that there are more freshmen than ever this year. Colleges in the middle west and on the Pacific Coast note that the business depression did not have its expected effect on the enrollment, as the class of 1934 will probably be larger than any previous one.

The attitude toward freshman hazing seems to be changing gradually. At the University of West Virginia, the Student Council has officially abolished hazing, and has provided instead for a Freshman Court to work with the Traditions Committee in enforcing freshman customs. Which means that freshman rules are under the charge of a definite group, and not any upperclassman (sophomores being traditionally the most ardent) cares to take a hand. Bucknell has gone still farther, and is attacking not only hazing, but the freshman traditions themselves. In a letter to the editor of the *Bucknellian* of September 18, a freshman declares: "I have not come here to revert to the antics of my pre-school days. My purpose is and has got to be serious." And this attitude is supported in an editorial in the same issue which denounces the time-honored green caps and compulsory acrobatics as "silly and childish."

But hazing is still far from a

lost art. At Park College, "originality and humiliation" are still the purpose of the freshman rules. The *Trojan* (University of Southern California) describes "some new and particularly effective ways of making the frosh respect their university," ranging from freshman tree-sitting contests to removing painted remarks from the sidewalks with only "bricks and elbow-grease." At Creighton, the freshman wears a green cap with a bright red bill; at the University of Wichita, garters with socks that do not match. The student in Holland who is a candidate for one of the University corps must shave his head and enter his clubroom by the window. The new Corps member, needless to say, is easily recognizable for several months.

An interesting device for helping the bewildered newcomer is the Harvard *Crimson's* Confidential Guide to Courses, which is a really frank appraisal from the student's viewpoint, of the value and interest of various fields of study. As a *Crimson* editorial puts it, "The faculty is amply represented in the catalogue and the various conferences with instructors. . . . This is a defined undergraduate opinion. It offers a means of ascertaining just how well the various instructors accomplish their aims as teachers." One has a mental picture of the Harvard faculty peering in trepid. The *Crimson's* very outspoken comments on certain courses; but in spite of its inevitable shortcomings, the Confidential must certainly be helpful to the harassed freshman facing, as he is so often told, "the whole field of knowledge."

## CORONER'S JURY ACQUITS NEGRO

Claude Reaves Is Freed In Accidental Shooting of Fletcher Strowd.

The coroner's jury reached a verdict that Fletcher Strowd young fourteen year old negro who was shot by a pistol in the hands of Claude Reaves, eighteen year old colored boy, met his death accidentally, and Reaves was freed following the inquest Friday afternoon.

Strowd was killed Thursday afternoon when the pistol with which the two were playing was discharged and a bullet entered the head of the younger negro. He died later in a Durham hospital where he was rushed following the shooting.

The jury reached its decision after more than three hours of testimony. Officers Hern and Sloan were among the witnesses and testified that when they arrested the negro he told them in an excited manner that he pointed the gun at Strowd and it went off.

Reaves testified that he removed the magazine from the pistol, which was an automatic, and did not know there was a bullet in the barrel. The pistol, he said, was near his hip when it accidentally went off.

Coroner S. N. Nathan was in charge of the hearing and J. A. Giles was attorney for Reaves, while John R. P. Carawan represented the family of the deceased.

## MILITARY SCHOOL MEETS THURSDAY

Enrollment for 1930 School Will Be Conducted in Davie Hall.

Captain D. B. Floyd, of Raleigh, will conduct the first meeting of the military troop school for this year in the annex of Davie Hall at 7:30 Thursday night. Captain Floyd, who is an officer of the regular army, has been secured to conduct these meetings every two weeks, beginning with the Thursday night session.

The purpose of this troop school is to study military subjects, and all those attending will be given credit toward a commission. Those who have already secured a commission in the reserves or who are working for a commission are requested to attend these meetings.

Members of the O. R. C., the Enlisted Reserve corps, the National Guard, C. M. T. C., and others who care to attend will be expected to be present at the first meeting, in order that the school may get underway as early as possible.

Persons desiring further information may see H. R. Totten in his office in Davie Hall.

## A. I. C. E. To Meet

The student chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers will hold its first meeting of the year this evening at 7:15 o'clock. Dr. A. M. White, the new head of the department, will speak on the subject, "What Is Chemical Engineering?"

## Reporters Attention

The following reporters are asked to meet with the managing editor at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the Daily Tar Heel office: D. L. Cobbs, Phil Liskin, D. Edmunds, W. D. Tennant, Clayborn Carr, W. Powell, C. Roberts, F. Broughton, Frank Edmundston and Louis Slung.

## SEATS ORDERED FOR MUSIC HALL

Southern Desk Company Gets Contract for 792 Chairs To Be Delivered Soon.

The contract for the installation of the seats in the new music auditorium has just been awarded to the Southern Desk Company, of Hickory, which was the choice of the committee from bids of four other companies. This contract calls for delivery and installation by October 30, which will allow the final voicing of the organ to be begun at once by the factory expert, Jake Schaeffer. The dedication ceremony will take place soon after the voicing, and Professor Harold Dyer, head of the music department expresses the hope that everything will be in readiness for the exercises by the week of November 9.

The seats ordered are to be much more comfortable than the average theatre or auditorium seats and will harmonize with the French style interior of the hall. The panels will be constructed of full Jacquard velour, and the seats themselves of imitation leather set on a spring-structure. The back and side panels will be done in a selected design of contrasting colors, to conform with the rest of the color scheme.

The seat itself is to be 20 inches in width, 3 inches wider than the standard theater seat, and the committee, composed of Mr. Charles T. Wollen, Professor Dyer, and Mr. Weeks, of Atwood and Weeks, feels that it has selected the best seat in regard to comfort as well as beauty. Another added convenience of these seats will be a wire hat-rack set under each one, seated in hard rubber to prevent vibration. The total capacity of the hall is 792 seats, and shipment of the material is to begin soon.

## Senate And Assembly Meet Again Tonight

The Phi Assembly and the Di Senate will meet tonight in their respective meeting halls at 7:15. The program at the Phi will be the initiation of the new men. A report from a special committee on the re-organization and present status of the Di Senate is to be the chief part of the Dialectic society's program.

Persons desiring to join the Phi are requested to be present before 7:15 if possible.

## Philological Club Will Hear Adams And Howe

The Philological Club will meet in the lounge of the graduate club on Tuesday evening, October 7, at 7:30 o'clock.

Contributors to the program and their subjects are:

Mr. Raymond Adams, of the English department, "Transcendental Translations."

Mr. George Howe, of the classics department, "The Development of the Character of Aeneas."

## HENDERSON WILL ADDRESS CROWD AT CELEBRATION

University Professor Is Well-Versed in History of Battle of King's Mountain.

Dr. Archibald Henedrson will be a speaker at the sesqui-centennial celebration of the battle of Kings Mountain to be held today on the battlefield in York county, South Carolina. At this meeting, President Herbert Hoover will be the guest of honor and the principle speaker.

For many years the question was brought up as to who fired the first shot in the battle of King's Mountain. In an article to the *Charlotte Observer* Dr. Henderson gives as a record of the first shot an affidavit by Philip Greever who served in the company of Commander Campbell and who is supposed to have fired the first shot. The gun used was a heavy, long-barrel, smooth bore musket with a short curved stock. It is kept by a descendant living in Chilhowie, Va., and is a highly prized heirloom.

For fifty years the old battleground was silent and the dead slept undisturbed, but today people from all over the world come to visit the famous battleground where the independence of the American people was decided, for many say that without that battle American independence would not have been.

It was on that famous spot that Ferguson was killed and the British were forced to surrender. Ferguson had said when he stationed himself on the hill that the Almighty himself could not dislodge him. He had counted on being surrounded, but he had not taken into account the courage and strength of the mountaineers that faced him. When he found himself defeated he made an effort to break through the lines of Commanders Campbell, Shelby, and Williams, but this effort cost him his death. His second in command was forced to surrender. This checked Cornwallis's advance into North Carolina and determined the outcome of the war.

## SETTE COMMENDS U. N. C. FACILITIES

Professor Francis J. Sette, of the department of sanitary engineering at V. P. I. was in Chapel Hill over the week-end and visited the sanitary engineering laboratories of the University. While here Mr. Sette discussed the laboratory facilities and the organization of the sanitary engineering department. He seemed pleased with the equipment and said it was very modern and complete for college instruction.

Mr. Sette, who has been at the University of Porto Rico as head of the civil department, is now working with the Virginia department of health and is acting as head of the sanitary engineering department for V. P. I.

## Glee Club Trials

The first group of try-outs for the University Glee Club will end this Saturday, according to Professor Dyer, head of the music department.

## Buccaneer Meeting

The art and editorial staffs of the *Buccaneer* will meet at 7:15 tonight in the *Buccaneer* office in Alumni building.