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HIGHER DEGREES TO BE GRANTED FIFTY STUDENTS

Graduate Board Accepts Five Applications for Master of Science and Forty-Five for Master of Arts.

At the meeting of the Graduate school administration board on January 14th, the applications of fifty graduate students for higher degrees were accepted. Forty-five master of arts and five master of science degrees will be given to these students at the next commencement in June.

The M. S. applications were received from Harry Braivard, Robert Herochel Belcher, Thomas Wilmer Richmond, Raymond Franklin Steinback, and Mrs. Stanley S. Stevens.

From the applications for M. A. the administrative board approved the following persons: Cecil E. Abernathy, Geneva Anderson, Homer Reid Baker, Ira Wilson Barber, Jr., Ethel Irene Baugh, Hope Buck, Olivia Hart Chamberlain, Mrs. Bernice S. Darden, Lila Mabel Davey, Charles Alexander Densar, Martha Elizabeth Edwards, Louise C. Egleston, William B. Figgat, Grace Genevieve Frazier, Victoria P. Gugir, William McKinley Gubbs, Margaret Ellen Hight, Edward Harold Hunnicutt, Richard O. Hursaker, Alice Freeman Jones, John Albert Lang, Virginia May Love, William Browne McQueene, Jr., Charles A. Maddey, Donald Frazer Martin, Jr., Andrew Clark Mathews, Rudolph Samuel Mathews, Jos. Rufus Moseley, Mrs. Charles Cleveland Neal, Jr., Elias H. Phillips, William O. Pucketh, Elizabeth Reynolds, Mrs. Claire Paulk Sartain, Wendell Wayne Smiley, Emily White Stevens, Stanley Scott Stevens, James William Stewart, Carrie May Stockton, Margaret A. Tufts, Kathleen Tyer, Ora Emily Upshaw, Mary Lucile Vest, Mitchell Preston Wells, Mary Ruth Williams and Henry H. zurburg.

Y Officers Attend Meeting In Raleigh

President Ed Hamer and Harry Comer, general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., attended a state-wide meeting of "Y" delegates from all the colleges of this state at Raleigh Saturday.

Dr. E. McNeil Poteat, pastor of the Pullen Memorial church of Raleigh, led the devotional period with a short address on, "The Fishermen of Men."

Reports of the various commissions of the different "Y's" on conferences and preparations were given. A brief summary of the Detroit convention was followed by a discussion of present day racial problems. The meeting was then adjourned for a luncheon, at which the cabinet at Raleigh was host.

The Honorable J. Stitt Wilson, who spoke here on Sunday, was the guest-speaker for the afternoon. His subject for discussion was the "Task of Modern Civilization" in regard to the institutions of property. After his talk, there was a fifteen minute forum on any questions which any of the members might want to bring up for consideration.

Dr. E. M. Poteat, Miss L. Ivan, of the *Raleigh Times*, Deans E. L. Cloyd and S. Brown of State College, and five girls from the East Carolina Teachers College were guests of honor.

Engineers Praise Original Founders

The local student branch of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers met for the first time this quarter in a business session Monday night in Phillips hall.

The chief business before the branch concerned the purchase of the photographs of several of the past presidents and honorary members of the society, all of whom have become famous in some phase of mechanical engineering work. Some of the specialists whose photographs were considered were active in founding the society in 1880.

While the pictures were flashed on the screen, D. A. Harrell and J. C. McLean, sophomores in the school of engineering, gave brief biographies of the subjects.

Members of the local branch finally voted for the purchase of a number of the pictures. They are to be placed in the design room, laboratories, and classrooms of the mechanical engineering department.

FOUR UNIVERSITY MEN WRITE FOR SOCIAL MAGAZINE

President Frank Graham Has Article in "The Annals" on The Industrial South.

The most recent issue of *The Annals* of the American Academy of Political and Social Science has as its topic "The Coming of Industry to the South." William J. Carson, Ph. D., assistant professor of finance at the University of Pennsylvania, and editor of this periodical says: "This volume of *The Annals* is designed to show the scope of industrial development in the South and some of its consequences. It analyzes many of the problems that have arisen as industries have grown and as communities in the southern states have changed from a predominantly agricultural industrial society. It describes many adjustments that are under way and obstacles that limit their progress, and suggests steps necessary for the progressive adaptation of economic and social life to industrial changes in the future. It also indicates essential features of a program to restore and preserve agriculture and at the same time promote the development of industry in a balanced economy."

The majority of the contents of this volume are by Professors in southern universities and colleges and other southern authorities. Of these, the number of articles written by men connected with the University of North Carolina is five; the universities which are represented by the next highest number of articles are the University of Virginia and the University of Tennessee, each having two.

One of the most interesting articles is that by President Frank P. Graham on "Southern Industrialism: A Way of Economic Recovery and an Opportunity for Social Mastery"; in it he stated that we have the opportunity not only to install the new machinery seen on all sides and to utilize the new technique of our agricultural and engineering colleges but also to make active and real, nobler human attitudes than have yet characterized the history of in-

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MINOR IS CHOSEN FROSH PRESIDENT

Barrow Elected Vice-President, And McIver Treasurer, by Overwhelming Majorities.

At the runoff of the freshman elections yesterday Ike Minor of Atlanta, Georgia, was elected president of the class of '34, John Barrow of Zebulon became vice-president, and Gus McIver of Durham, treasurer.

All the victorious candidates won by tremendous majorities. Minor had 275 votes to Phipps' 188; Barrow received 300 votes while Tatum polled 162; McIver received more votes than any other candidate, 306 to Hudson's 154.

Evidently some of the freshmen refused to vote after their original candidate had been eliminated, as only 463 ballots were cast yesterday as compared to 564 votes balloted in the first election last Thursday.

All day youthful politicians stood in front of the Y. M. C. A. waving multicolored slips of paper, with their candidates' names printed thereon, attempting to convert opponents' votes into their own coffers. This method of electioneering seems to have been very effective, as the most widely advertised candidates were elected by very wide margins.

John Leake of Wadesboro was the only candidate who was elected last week.

National Playwriting Contest Now Open

The fourth annual National Playwriting contest conducted by the Drama League of America and the play department of Longman's, Green and Company is now open.

There are three separate divisions or contests for which different prizes are offered. The first of these divisions is a full length play, which may be of any number of acts or scenes and any theme. These manuscripts should be sent in to the state chairman for North Carolina, Professor Frederick H. Koch.

Then there is the one-act George Washington play that is to have a theme appropriate to produce during the celebration of the George Washington bicentennial in February 1932.

And lastly there is the religious play that must have a full-length, ethical, and non-sectarian plot, but that need not necessarily be based on Biblical incidents. All religious plays must be sent direct to Mrs. A. Starr Best, contest chairman, 828 Michigan Avenue, Wilmette, Illinois, before March 31, 1931.

The state judges will select winning manuscripts of each of the states not later than June 1, 1931, and forward them to the contest chairman for the national judges. The state judges are: Professors A. P. Hudson, E. E. Ericson, and Preston C. Farrar of the English department of the University of North Carolina.

The prize winning plays will

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FIRST YEAR MEN HEAR MR. COMER

"Y" Secretary Discusses Stitt Wilson's Ideas at Friendship Council Meeting.

The freshman friendship council had its regular Monday night meeting at seven-fifteen o'clock. After the routine was completed, President McLeod introduced the speaker for the evening, Harry Comer.

Mr. Comer cordially invited the members of the council to come to see him at any time, either in his office or at his home. He then launched into a discussion of J. Stitt Wilson's speech of Sunday, and urged the freshmen to think of an individual's right to property as a major revolution being enacted in our own time.

In the sophomore cabinet, Tom Worth, the newly elected vice-president, presided over the meeting. Since the speaker of the evening did not put in appearance, there was a round table discussion on optional attendance. The ten percent cut in professor's salaries was threshed out as well as the racial problems of the negroes.

The junior-senior cabinet had a short session, being addressed by Beverly Moore, the chairman of the Human Relations Institute. He gave a brief resume of the work done by the "Y" group towards getting the Institute here in the spring.

Maennerchoer Choir Perform Feb. 9th

The Maennerchoer chorus will give its performance on February 9 in the music building. The organization will be under the direction of Dr. Harold S. Dyer, head of the music department. The chorus numbers sixty to seventy men's voices. Probably some of the numbers will have an organ accompaniment. The pianist of the chorus is Harry Lee Knox, a freshman who has shown great promise so far this year. The chorus is something in the way of a new experiment and should have a strong cultural and musical effect on the campus.

Flute Recital

Lamar Stringfield, a flute player and composer of national repute, will present a recital in the Playmaker Theatre, January 30, at eight-thirty. Mr. Stringfield is a resident of Chapel Hill and is very well known in the state for his compositions and recitals.

Weekly Radio Talk

Mayne Albright, former president of the Philanthropic Assembly, will speak this afternoon at five o'clock over station WPTF. In his talk Albright will give the history, purpose, organization, and present status of the Di and Phi societies.

Meyer Ill

Harold D. Meyer of the sociology department is ill with influenza at his home on Pittsboro road.

Eight Hundred And Two Votes Cast On Optional Attendance

YACKETY YACK STAFF INAUGURATES CHANGES

The present staff of the *Yackety Yack* has made a decided change in the make-up of the fraternity pages in this year's annual. In place of individual pictures of the members of a fraternity there will be a group with individual's names listed below. A reproduction of the fraternity coat-of-arms will be engraved on the top of the page opposite the first one; in the center will be the roster compiled as last year, and at the lower part a picture of the fraternity house.

Due to the fact that the old cuts are badly worn, and that several national fraternities do not allow reproductions of their pins, the *Yackety Yack* staff has adopted the absolute use of coat-of-arms.

LOYALTY COUNCIL GETS FAVORABLE REPORT ON FUNDS

Grisette's Annual Report Shows More Contributions Than Ever Before.

The annual report of Director Felix A. Grisette, the election of officers and the laying of plans for next year's activities constituted the chief items of business at the annual meeting of the Alumni Loyalty Fund Council which took place in the office of President Frank P. Graham Saturday night. Leslie Weil of Goldsboro, chairman, presided at the meeting.

The report of Director Grisette revealed small gifts from 2,054 alumni totaling \$40,163.66. In addition to these donations a conditional gift of \$50,000 to be used for a designated purpose, and a definite commitment for a large sum of money to be used for student loan purposes, probably \$100,000, were announced. It was further announced that three prominent University alumni had written the University in their wills during the year.

Mr. Grisette said that contributions had come from alumni living in 134 cities and towns in North Carolina, thirty-one states other than North Carolina, twelve foreign countries, and from sixty different classes. This wide participation of alumni is greater by 10 to 1 than that of any previous year in the University's history, despite the fact that 1930 was a year marked by a great financial depression.

Although the number of contributions was much greater, the depression of the year was very noticeable in the amounts of the gifts. Mr. Grisette announced that approximately 48 per cent of the contributions, or almost one out of every two, was for five dollars or less and that 16 per cent of the entire number were for only one dollar.

"When we take into account the fact that during previous years an alumnus seldom failed to give less than \$10, it is easy to see what our total might have been if this year's individual gifts had been as large as in previous years," Mr. Grisette said.

Allen J. Barwick, well-known lawyer and a graduate of the University in 1900, was selected to succeed Mr. Weil as chairman of the Council during 1931.

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MANY STUDENTS ARE AROUSED BY CAMPUS QUESTION

Overwhelming Majority in Favor Of Giving Privilege to Juniors And Seniors.

Methods Are Attacked

A Large Percentage Favor Faculty-Student Meetings Quarterly.

Eight hundred and two votes were cast in the four-day straw balloting on some of the important campus questions to make the largest number of persons taking part in any sort of campus-wide straw ballot in several years. Of this final result only eighteen of the group expressed their opinions as being opposed to optional attendance for the juniors and seniors.

The question, asking the students if they thought a general survey of educational methods and curriculum, was advisable, received the second highest number of votes with 740 advocating the survey to only forty-nine opposed. It is also easily seen that the majority of the students favor regular quarterly faculty-student meetings as a means of considering mutual problems. Of the total casting votes on this more than seventy-five per cent seemed to stand for these meetings, the actual number being 610 for to 113 against.

More than sixty per cent of the persons taking part in the ballot were not in sympathy with the present methods of instructing. When asked where the blame should be placed for lack of interest in class work practically seventy per cent of the voters named the methods as the fault while ten per cent of the entire number of votes placed the blame on the students, against twenty per cent accusing the professors.

Yesterday was the last day that the ballot would be held, and the officials of the *Daily Tar Heel* wish to thank those taking part in the voting by expressing their opinions.

Civic Club Plans Musical Program

Meetings of the literature and music department of the Community Club were scheduled for this week. The meeting of the literature department has been postponed from this afternoon, until February.

The music department will sponsor its regular monthly program tomorrow at 3:30 o'clock in room three of the music building. Mrs. L. M. Brooks will have charge of the program which will center around the subject "The Influence of the Indian on American Music." The lecture will be illustrated by local artists. Voice selections will be given by Mrs. George Lawrence, Mrs. Gustav Harrer, and Miss Lena Mae Williams. Violin compositions will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McCorkle and Mrs. A. S. Wheeler and Miss Mary Frances Odum will play several piano selections.

Mrs. Shine Is Better

Mrs. Hill Shine, who has been ill at her home on Rosemary lane for the last week with double pneumonia, is reported to be much better.

The Student Body Has Spoken

- For optional attendance 784; against 18.
- For faculty and student meetings quarterly 610; against 113.
- Opposed to methods employed 437; believe self to blame 34; believe professors disinterested 78.
- For an educational survey of education here and curriculum 740; against 49.