

## Goldsboro High School Wins Aycock Cup In Debate Contest

Same Team Gains Honors for Second Consecutive Year.

### OTHER PRIZES AWARDED

Connor, House, Wilson, Carroll, And Coffman Act as Judges.

At the nineteenth annual final debate of the North Carolina debating union for the Aycock memorial cup, which took place in Memorial hall last night, the Goldsboro high school's negative team was awarded the judges' decision over the Winston-Salem high school's affirmative.

The Goldsboro team was composed of Miss Marion Weil and Ezra Griffin. Opposing them were Miss Helen Davis and L. C. Bruce of Winston-Salem. Individual medals were awarded to each of the four debaters by the University. This is the second consecutive year that the Goldsboro team has upheld the negative side of the query and won. Ezra Griffin, member of the winning team last night, was also a member of the victorious team last year.

A large number of high school and University students were in attendance at the final forensic contest, which brought to a close another successful high school week. Dean N. W. Walker, of the school of education, presided over last night's affair and E. B. Rankin, director of the University extension division, served as secretary. The judges, all prominent members of the University faculty, were R. D. W. Connor, head of the history department; R. B. House, Executive Secretary; L. R. Wilson, librarian; D. D. Carroll, dean of commerce school; and G. R. Coffman, head of the English department.

At the conclusion of the speeches, Horace H. Williams, University professor, made the presentation of the Aycock cup to the winning team, Goldsboro high school. The academic contest cups were presented to the winning schools by Dean Walker, while R. B. House awarded the cups and medals to the winners in the interscholastic track meet and interscholastic tennis tournament.

Preceding the debate, the University symphony orchestra, under the conductorship of T. Smith McCorkle, gave a recital of four numbers, taken from the works of four of the greatest composers of music.

Following the debate, all visitors for high school week, those who entertained debaters in their homes, and the officers and judges of the debates attended a reception in Bynum gymnasium.

### FRESHMAN FRIENDSHIP COUNCIL ACTS AS HOST TO VISITING STUDENTS

Under the leadership of Ed Lanier, advisor, and Graham McLeod, president, the Freshman Friendship council took charge of the entertainment and were official hosts to the 500 high school boys and girls assembled on the campus this week-end.

A survey was made of all the dormitories and fraternity houses and in this way lodging was obtained for the boys and principals of the schools. Members of the council acted as guides directing the delegates to and from their quarters.

### Phi Calendar Lists Three Resolutions

The calendar of bills to be discussed at the meeting of the Phi Assembly include two resolutions which were brought over from last week's meeting.

They are: Resolved: That prohibition be modified so as to legalize the sale of light wines and beers, and Resolved: That the Phi Assembly go on record as favoring the proposed consolidation of the counties of North Carolina.

Resolved: That the Phi Assembly go on record as opposing the plan adopted by Cornell College (Iowa), admitting unconditionally to the freshman class a small group of unusually capable students who have completed only three years of secondary school work is a new bill set for discussion.

## NORMAN THOMAS TO TALK BEFORE RELATIONS GROUP

1928 Socialist Candidate for Presidency Listed as Human Relations Speaker.

Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for the national presidency in 1924, will be one of the principal speakers at the second quadrennial Institute of Human Relations, which will be presented under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., May 3 through 9. Telegrams have been sent to Senator Robert LaFollette, Jr., of Wisconsin, and to Governor Gifford Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, but as yet their acceptances have not been received.

Besides Mr. Thomas, the list of notables includes: General Charles Summerall, recently retired chief of staff, United States army; Shailer Mathews, dean of the divinity school at the University of Chicago; James Myers, secretary industrial research, Federal Council of Churches; Fletcher Brockman, executive secretary, commission on friendly relations between America and the Far East; Harold J. Laski, of the London school of economics, and the 1930-31 Weil lecturer, who will speak the last three nights of the program; Dr. Mordecai Johnson, president of Howard University, said by many to be the most outstanding negro orator in America; and Benjamin E. Greer of Greenville, South Carolina, head of the Judson Mills and one of the most prominent textile manufacturers in the South.

The program will begin Sunday morning, May 3, when the four church pulpits of Chapel Hill will be turned over to Institute speakers, and that night the congregations of the churches will meet jointly in Memorial hall to hear Shailer Mathews.

An exhibit of books, maps, and literature relevant to the Institute topics will be shown in Memorial hall during the week of the sessions.

### Judge Winston Visits Here

Judge Robert W. Winston, who is the author of biographies of Andrew Johnston and Jefferson Davis, has just come to Chapel Hill from Charleston, S. C. He is staying at the Carolina Inn for a few days before going north.

### Photographs of Dance Guests

Jack Dungan, of the committee arranging for the junior-senior dances next week-end, requests that all students who are having young ladies to Chapel Hill for the affair bring photographs of their girls to the office of the Daily Tar Heel not later than noon today. A number of the pictures will be selected by a committee to be run in state papers Sunday.

Dungan also requests that each fraternity make out a list of young ladies the members are having here and turn it in at the Daily Tar Heel office. All members of the two classes are urged to hand in names in a like manner.

## Mary Dirnberger Exhibits Unique Costumes And Sets For Theatre

By Vass Shepherd.

The Playmakers' scene shop in Person hall served as the exhibition room Friday afternoon, for a number of original stage designs and costumes done in water color by Mary Dirnberger, now taking post-graduate work at the University.

Some of the most popular of the sketches were fantastic costumes for modernistic bacchanals. Of these, one of the most striking and perhaps the most native to the campus was entitled *Corn Likker*. This costume designated a fiery young female arrayed in scanty cornshucks, with a hammer in one hand—representing the hang-over, no doubt. On her head is an Indian head dress, while the fruit-jar motif was effectively carried out around the waist.

In Miss Dirnberger's interpretation of Shakespeare's *Midsummer Night's Dream*, the designer showed her wit by carrying the anachronisms in the manuscript in to the costumes. Thus one views the characters

arrayed in a mixture between classical Greek and seventeenth century English clothes. The effect is both unique and striking.

A novel stage design for Shakespearean plays was a model seventeenth century theatre which was to be placed on the stage. This would permit the enactment of scenes in front of the model stage, while the scenery and drops were being arranged behind.

The arrangements for lighting effects, and the ingenuity which the artist uses in producing her distances were one of the outstanding parts of the exhibition. One setting in the *Midsummer Night's Dream* permits three scenes to be played with the same stage arrangement, but the change in lighting produces three entirely different effects.

Miss Dirnberger graduated from the liberal arts school of the University with the class of '29. Until recently she has been in New York City, where her talent has won considerable recognition.

## IOWA STUDENT UNION IS CENTER FOR VARIED CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

First Unit of Million Dollar Building Has Furnished a Place for Social Diversions of Thousands of University Students.

(The following is the tenth of a series of articles in the PRINCETONIAN describing the purpose, financing and success of university centers throughout the country. It is reprinted through the courtesy of the Daily Nebraskan.)

The Iowa Memorial Union has been called the "Hearthstone of Old Gold," a name denoting the fact that it is the center of campus life and the cradle of college spirit at the University of Iowa. Since the completion of the first unit, started in 1924, the number who have used the building as their common meeting place has grown tremendously.

Vesper services, concerts and recitals have developed a cultural atmosphere, and in 1928 drew a total of more than 15,000 persons to the building. Dad's day convocations and similar occasions brought together about 17,800 persons during that year, while special luncheons, dinners and banquets attracted more than 29,000. Other functions for which the Union is used, such as balls and University organizations have brought tens of thousands more to its portals each year.

Lounge Has Varied Uses  
The building itself is a structure of white stone, overlooking the Iowa river. It is surrounded by well-kept lawns. An enclosed porch, running around the structure, serves as a lounge when parties are in progress in the main hall. A soda grill, cafeteria and cafe service and a

reading room are provided for the students' comfort.

Although only two units of the building have been completed, unnumbered facilities are offered. The lounge, which is 90 by 136 feet, is used for the making of contacts among the students, for the entertainment of students' parents and for concerts, dramatic readings, vespers, banquets, large parties and receptions. It also serves as headquarters for returning alumni.

Has Special Dining Service  
Two private dining rooms are available for group meetings at meal time. A grill is operated, in addition to a cafeteria, where meals are served every day in the week. Special grill service is offered for parties. Table d'hote dinners are served on Sundays.

Plans for the Iowa Memorial Union were first discussed in 1919, and a campaign to raise \$1,000,000 for a building was started that fall among alumni, students and other friends of the school. The drive was continued both on and off the campus among alumni and friends. By 1924, nearly \$600,000 had been pledged, and the board of trustees let the contract for unit one in September. The unit was dedicated in 1926. Each year, students added to the sum pledged until April, 1926, the contract for the second unit was let. It was finished in March, 1927. The next unit will be designed for a university theatre.

## State Senate Favors \$800,000 As University's Appropriation

### Staff Meetings

All persons connected with the reportorial and editorial staffs of the Daily Tar Heel will attend meetings of their respective staffs tomorrow. Attendance will be required, and those who fail to be present at the meetings will be subject to suspension from the staff unless a legitimate excuse is presented before the time of the meeting.

The editorial board will meet at 5:00 tomorrow afternoon in 104 Alumni building and the reportorial staff will meet at 7:00 p. m. in the same room.

## JUNIORS, SENIORS HEAR PLANS FOR WEEK-END PROM

Dance Committee Makes Formal Report for Affairs to Take Place April 24 and 25.

Meeting for the first time for such an occasion, the members of the junior and senior classes of the University assembled for a joint smoker Thursday night. The main events on the program were a talk by Coach Chuck Collins, football mentor, and a report of the dance committee made by Jack Dungan.

In spite of the fact that the smoker was called on rather short notice, over five hundred members of the classes participated in the meeting. Pat Patterson, president of the senior class, presided.

Coach Collins was introduced by Theron Brown, president of the junior class. His talk was on the subject of "Concentrated Athletic Activity."

In the business session of the smoker, Jack Dungan made the report for the committee on the junior-senior dances. According to the report, nearly four hundred prominent political and social leaders throughout the state have been invited to the affair. In spite of this, the balls are primarily student dances.

Johny Hamp and his Kentucky Serenaders have been engaged to play for the dances which will take place in the Tin Can, April 24 and 25. The junior prom will begin at 9:00 Friday night and will continue to 1:00 while the senior ball will take place between the hours of 9:00 to 12:00 the following night.

Dungan reported that the decorations will be furnished by Sam Breen, Mayne Albright, and R. C. Greene. Girls' names and their partners will be registered at the office of the Daily Tar Heel and will be printed in the paper. Clyde Dunn will select pictures of the young ladies who are expected to attend the affair. These pictures will be run in the state papers this week-end.

As a further report, it was announced that the concessions for the sale of cigarettes and drinks, have been given the Association of University Women, who will use the profits to aid women students in college.

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### Graham Speaks in Seaboard

President Frank Graham was in Seaboard yesterday where he spoke to the town citizens on the occasion of county education day.

Upper Branch of Legislature Votes for Increase Over House's Figure.

### COMPROMISE IS EXPECTED

Tentative Grants to Other State Institutions Are Also Appreciably Increased.

The State Senate voted Thursday, by a count of twenty-seven to eighteen to increase the University's 1931-1932 appropriations to \$800,000, or \$76,000 more than the amount set by the House. This appropriation is only tentative, however, as it is expected that the House will not agree to the proposed increase. Yet a satisfactory compromise may be effected by the two bodies.

The vote for the increase in appropriations was preceded by a heated debate which Senator Pritchett opened, making a plea for a \$76,000 increase over the amount decided upon by the House. He was immediately plied with numerous hostile questions from those who believed that the amount voted by the House was sufficient.

"Is not the State University trying to compete with Duke University?" asked Senator Gower.

"I am sure that nothing like that is in the minds of the state university officials," answered Senator Pritchett.

After Senator Pritchett concluded his address, Senator Umstead rose to second his request for the greater appropriation, saying that he believed many of

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## RADIO TALK MADE BY BILL SPEIGHT

Debate Council President Discusses High School Week over Raleigh Station

Speaking over radio station WPTF in Raleigh yesterday afternoon, W. W. Speight, president of the University debate council, made the first of this quarter's series of radio talks. His subject was "High School Week at the University."

Speight stated that the idea of high school week for debaters and athletic contests was first conceived by Dr. C. E. McIntosh, of the school of education, in 1913. Originally the annual events were sponsored by the Di and Phi societies, and are now sponsored by the societies and the extension division of the University. They are under the immediate direction of E. R. Rankin, head of the bureau of high school debating and athletics.

"This week marks the nineteenth and most successful year of high school contests," Speight continued. "Participants from all parts of the state are gathered here at the University to take part in debating, track, and tennis contests."

The speaker expressed the idea that the University looks forward with pleasure to high school week and welcomes at this time the hundreds of contestants of the many state high schools.

Speight concluded his remarks with the statement that not only in the encouragement of clearer thinking and harder playing in the annual contests but also through this opportunity of gathering at a centrally located spot do the schools of the whole state meet each other beneficially.