

DEAN M'CORMICK RELATES SCIENCE TO MODERN LAW

New Psychological Methods of
of Detecting Crime Explained
in Last Pre-Law Lecture.

Dean C. T. McCormick of the law school delivered the concluding lecture of the pre-law series before a large group of law students and faculty members last night in the first year room of the law building. In the beginning Mr. McCormick stated that he chose as his subject, "Science in the Court Room" because he could speak freely about science, since he was not handicapped by any of the doubts that come from knowledge of the subject. He also stated that at the outset to observe that it is the criminal—the enemy of society—who has done most to make the lawyer learn the lessons of science.

Law and Science

He said, "while scientific data of any conceivable kind may come before a court in innumerable kinds of litigation, and especially in litigation over patents and under the food and drugs acts, yet the scientific facts with which the average lawyer is most likely to have to reckon with in the courtroom, are those which concern the detection of some type of criminal wrong-doing."

Mr. McCormick explained the ones which seemed to him to be the most important, which are: (1) the microscopic examination of dust and fragments found at the scene of a crime; (2) the identification of fire-arms and bullets; (3) identification of hand-writing and type-writings; (4) finger-print evidence, and (5) the detection of conscious lying or deception by psychological methods. In discussing the last one, he said: "I will mention only briefly a field where the science of psy-

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NINETY-NINE TO GRADUATE FROM DAVIDSON JUNE 1

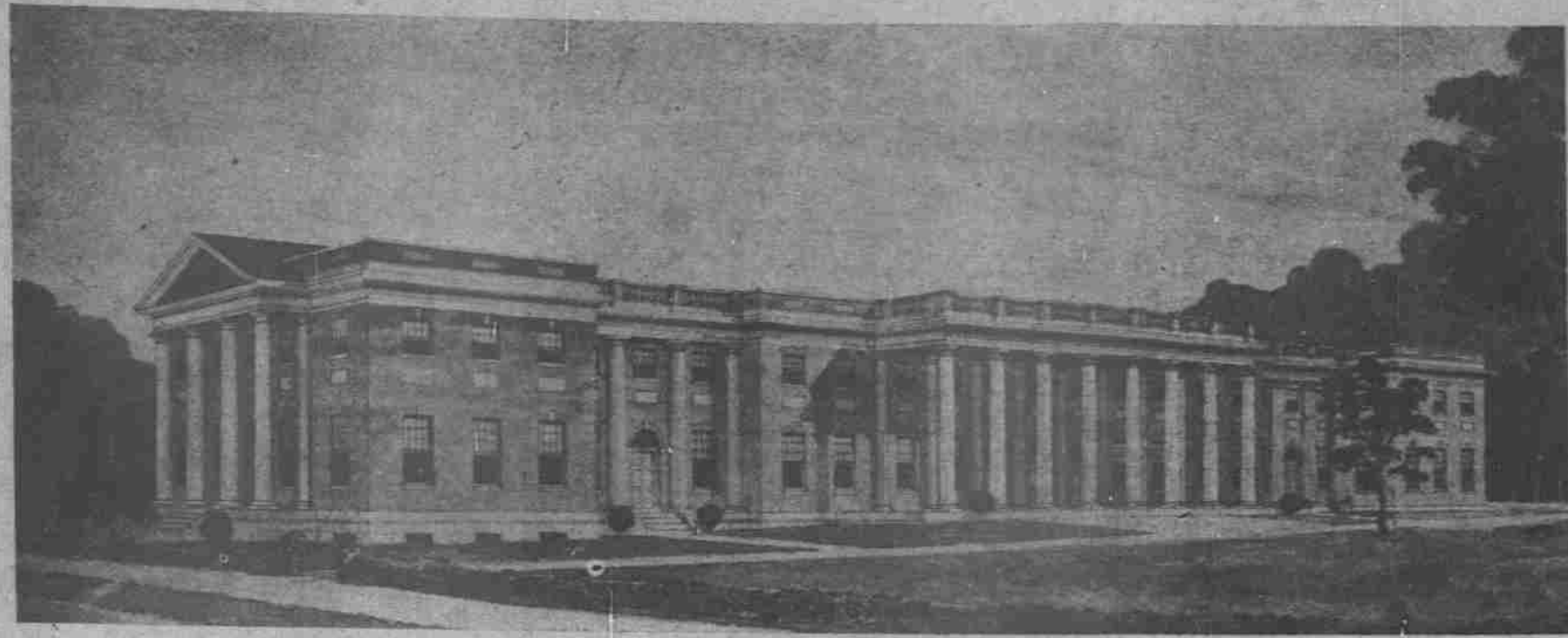
The program for the ninety-fifth commencement in the history of Davidson college will begin Monday, June 1, and will continue through Wednesday. The ceremonies are to be opened with the baccalaureate sermon by one of America's most noted divines, Dr. John Timothy Stone, president of the Presbyterian Theological seminary in Chicago. He will deliver the address to the seniors Sunday week, and in the evening Dr. James L. Fowle, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Chattanooga, Tenn., will preach the final sermon before the Davidson Y. M. C. A.

Monday of commencement week will be featured by the assembly of a distinguished group of Davidson alumni who are returning to Davidson from over twelve states for the initial meeting of a new alumni council, the outgrowth of a reorganization of the alumni association.

In the afternoon of the same day the final official class meeting will take place with speakers selected from the graduates making addresses to the assembled gathering.

The program for the week will be concluded on Wednesday with the awarding of degrees to ninety-nine seniors, the presentation of medals, and the conferring of honorary degrees upon six prominent men.

Architect's Drawing of New Student Center



Pictured above is the architect's drawing of Graham Memorial as it will appear when entirely completed. The center section, which will be finished during the coming summer, will serve as a student center and will possibly house the offices of the Daily Tar Heel. A committee of students and faculty members now have plans under way for dividing space in the building for next year, if it is considered wise to maintain the building at that time.

Definite plans have not been made for the completion of the wings. The estimated cost of the entire structure will be \$2,500,000.

EGYPTIAN RELICS GIVEN TO LIBRARY

Rare Archaeological Finds, Gifts
of M. P. Gilmour, Are
On Display.

A blue faience Egyptian necklace and an Egyptian copper mirror, both presented to the University as a part of a collection of archaeological specimens by Matthew P. Gilmour, '31, are being displayed in the main lobby of the University library.

The mirror is a disc of copper about three and a half inches in diameter which was originally polished to afford a reflection. The use of polished metal for mirrors was common before the employment of mercury for silvering a sheet of glass to provide a reflecting surface. This mirror is no longer polished, the surface being corroded with age. It is affixed in a wooden handle which is probably not original.

Rare Necklace

Faience is a type of pottery, being composed of a terra cotta base with a glass-like glaze. In Egypt it was made in a wide variety of colors, blue and red being the most popular. The necklace on display is blue and probably of a late period. It has suspended from it an amulet representing a scarab, or sacred beetle, which was identified with one of the Egyptian gods. The scarab was a popular type of amulet much used as a good-luck charm among the ancient Egyptians. This one appears to be of relatively late manufacture, no doubt being cast from a terra cotta mold and manufactured in considerable quantity. The necklace is exhibited in a case with colored photographs illustrating other types of Egyptian faience.

ASTRONOMY STUDENTS SEE SATURNALIAN RINGS

A telescopic view of the planet Saturn took place on the roof of Phillips hall from midnight until 1:30 A. M. on Monday night. Although the observation was not announced to the public quite a large number gathered on the roof where Dr. Karl Fussler of the physics department was in charge.

Even with the small telescope that the University possesses the rings around the planet were distinctly discernible.

With a larger telescope the results would undoubtedly have been more gratifying, and a clearer view of what is probably the most beautiful heavenly body next to the moon might have been obtained.

SIGMA XI SOCIETY HEARS STUHLMAN

Dr. John Couch Installed as
Newly-Elected President at
Fraternity Dinner.

The Sigma Xi society gave a dinner Tuesday night at 6:30 at the Carolina Inn. Immediately after the dinner the members taken into the society were initiated, the proceedings being headed by the retiring president, Dr. Otto Stuhlman.

Dr. John Couch and Ralph Bost, the new president and vice-president respectively, were then installed.

Stuhlman Speaks

For the first time in the history of the society here, the retiring president delivered a closing address. The title of Dr. Stuhlman's talk was "What Lies Beyond the Axioms of Rational Sciences."

The discussion that followed raised such questions as to the probable historical sequence of the development of the concepts of dimensional space and time. The question also arose as to whether there is a natural clock other than the one in the form of the atom as proposed by Einstein.

Another problem brought out in the address and discussed was the historical reason for thinking in terms of mechanical models of the physical universe. The reason for such thinking is due to the training that is more or less the same with all of us.

The speech also developed some new ideas in the flow of a gravitational field and showed that the flux of the gravitational field in time is synonymous with the mechanical force concept.

Universities Frown On Compulsory Training

Compulsory military training in the form of R. O. T. C. work recently received a setback in the form of a vote for optional drill by the faculties of Cornell and Ohio State universities. California is also rousing opposition in a petition arranged by the students and having 2,000 signers.

The resolutions are in neither case final, but must go to the boards of trustees of the various schools. Student agitation preceded the faculty resolutions in the two former cases, while in the latter the matter has not been brought to a vote.

The local chapter of the Phi Alpha fraternity announces the pledging of Otto S. Steinreich of Newark, New Jersey.

Hobgood Announces Executive Committee

Hamilton Hobgood, president of the rising senior class, has announced the members of the executive committee for next year. They are: Sam Breen, chairman; T. W. Alexander, H. G. Bowman, L. P. Brooker, John Phil Cooper, George Dannenbaum, Jack Dungan, Ed French, Wofford Humphries, F. M. James, Harlan Jameson, Walter Mason, Graham Trott, W. E. Uzzell, and Craig Wall.

PLAYMAKER CLASS PUTS ON EXHIBIT IN PERSON HALL

An unusually interesting and novel exhibit of the work done by the students in the course of practical dramatics was on view to the public yesterday in Person hall. This showing, the Playmaker exhibit of abstract models and costumes, was prepared wholly by the members of Professor Samuel Selden's class in English thirty-six, a course in practical play writing and production.

In the array of models in miniature representing abstract ideas many subtle and delicate moods were portrayed by such subjects as: exaltation, mystery, oppression, and speed. Each of these topics was the attempt of the individual student to give his practical interpretation of the subject assigned to him to express.

Beside these abstractions were found many similar models prepared as concrete examples of the stage manager's art. Actual plays were the subjects of each of these miniatures. In making the scenes for these the student endeavored to give his own interpretation of the basic mood underlying the play and to express it in the coloring and arrangement of the stage properties.

The costume division of this exhibit is the result of the recent contributions to the Playmakers on the part of the persons in Chapel Hill and elsewhere of many period costumes and garments. Among these are found dresses of such forgotten date as to arouse reminiscences of the Victorian era. The majority of the costumes in this section have been received only recently.

Graduate Students To Take Examinations

The remaining oral examinations for doctors degrees are scheduled to be given by the various graduate departments on Friday and Saturday of this week and Monday of the following week.

The Friday examination will be that of James Ruey Patrick for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the department of psychology at 7:30 in 207 New West. Members of the graduate faculty in the division of mathematics and the sciences are invited to attend.

On Saturday the oral examination of Miss Mary Watters for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the department of history and government will be held in Saunders 313 at 9:30 A. M. Monday at 2:30 P. M. Charles B. Cauthen will also be orally examined for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the department of history and government. All members of the graduate faculty in the division of philosophy and political and social sciences are asked to be present.

VOTE TOMORROW DECIDES FATE OF STUDENT CENTER

Campus to Say Whether or Not
They Will Pay Dollar Fee
For Union Up-keep.

Tomorrow has been set by Mayne Albright, president of the student union, as the day on which the vote is to be taken to decide whether or not the student body will have the use of Graham Memorial during the coming year.

The election will take place in the Y. M. C. A. and the polls will be open from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. The question to be decided is whether or not the students are willing to pay a fee of one dollar a quarter for the maintenance and furnishing of the union.

Means of Financing

The student activities committee met several weeks ago, and it was at this meeting that the proposed plan of financing the up-keep of the building was brought up.

There will be no change in the present fee of the junior and senior classes as these fees have already been too large, but three dollars a year will be added to the fees of the two lower classes if the vote tomorrow is favorable. C. T. Woollen, business manager of the University, made out a budget of what he considered would be the necessary amount needed to furnish and maintain the memorial for the first year. It was from Woollen's estimate that the proposed fee of one dollar per quarter was worked out.

FRESHMAN GROUP CLOSES PROGRAM OF SCHOOL YEAR

This year's freshman friendship council met for the last time Monday night in the Y. M. C. A. lobby. Graham McLeod, president of the group, reviewed the council's activities during the past year, and then asked the president of next year's sophomore cabinet, John Acee, to take charge. Acee urged the members to continue their relations to the "Y" through the sophomore cabinet.

"Pardner" James, president of the "Y" was present and invited the group to join heartily into the "Y's" program for next year. James hopes to bring about an increased emphasis on the religious aspect of the program on the campus and is appealing at every opportunity for a larger number of actively participating students in the "Y" work.

After adjournment refreshments were served. "Red" Greene and "Slim" Medford were present for this part of the program. "Pat" Patterson was late. Mr. E. Carrington Smith of the Carolina Theatre was host to the group at the 9:00 o'clock show.

MÉYER IN GEORGIA TODAY

Harold D. Meyer, professor of sociology and supervisor of field work in the University of North Carolina, delivered the commencement address today at Georgia State Teachers college in Athens, Georgia.

Professor Meyer is a native of Georgia and was educated at the University of Georgia, where he received his A. B. degree in 1912 and his master's in 1916.