

## MOST FAMOUS OF SOUTH'S WRITERS MEET IN VIRGINIA

Henderson and Green Among Those Attending Gathering in Charlottesville.

Dr. Archibald Henderson and Paul Green are attending a meeting of Southern Authors at the University of Virginia today and Saturday. Practically all outstanding Southern writers will attend this informal gathering.

That all Southern authors should have a conference was the idea of President Alderman of the University of Virginia. A committee was appointed to call this meeting. Members of the committee include: Dr. Henderson, Paul Green, Thomas Wolfe, James Branch Cabell, DuBose Heyward, Stark Young, and Ellen Glasgow. A local committee was appointed to be in charge of the reception for the visiting authors.

### Henderson Suggests Theme

Dr. Henderson's suggestion that the general theme of the meeting should be: "The Southern Author in Relation to His Public," was adopted.

The committee invited a group of writers of the South that will represent all possible sections and different phases of authorship. Some authors born in the South, but now living elsewhere, and some living here but not born in the South were invited.

### Experimental Meeting

This meeting is entirely experimental. No effort has been made to select the "thirty best authors of the South" and there are no plans for the formation of any kind of organization. Authors will be free to direct their

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## BEERS ADDRESSES SIGMA XI SOCIETY

Dr. C. D. Beers of the zoology department gave a humorous account of his experiences and research work at the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute of Berlin at a meeting of Sigma Xi, honorary scientific society, which met at an informal supper in Graham Memorial Tuesday night.

At the meeting there were thirty-six members present, according to Dr. E. T. Browne, secretary-treasurer of the society. Three new members were introduced: Professor H. M. Burlage, of the school of pharmacy, from the Purdue chapter; Miss Esda Deviney, of the zoology department, from the Chicago chapter; and Dr. J. G. Douglass, of the geology department, from the Johns-Hopkins chapter.

## Eigenschenck Plays University's Organ

Edward Eigenschenck, who dedicated the new University organ last year, was the guest of Professor Nelson O. Kennedy, from Tuesday until yesterday. He practiced on the University organ during his visit in Chapel Hill. Approximately forty people listened to his playing, on the two occasions that he practiced.

He came here from Converse college, Spartanburg, where he had given a concert Monday, and left yesterday for New York, where he will give a concert on the Wanamaker's organ, Saturday. He has an engagement at Princeton, Sunday; another in New York, Monday; and one in Pittsburgh at Carnegie Tech, Tuesday.

## Student Tickets

Student Entertainment tickets are not being issued in room 203 South. They will not be distributed until next Monday, at which time all students in the college of liberal arts, the school of commerce, and the school of education may procure their tickets in the business office of the University in South building. Season tickets are, however, on sale at any time in 203 South.

## TAYLOR HEARD BY DISCUSSION GROUP

Fundamentalist Union Gathers Tuesday Night for First Session of the Year.

The Fundamentalist Union, a discussion group organized on campus last May, gathered for its first open meeting Tuesday evening in Graham Memorial, where it was addressed by Dr. Carl Taylor, lately deposed head of the graduate school in State college.

Dr. Taylor asked that he be allowed to avoid discussion and to take up the broader issue of the relation between freedom of inquiry and public opinion, which, he declared, were in constant conflict, the public represented by officialdom, admitting the right of freedom of inquiry only so long as it does not materially disturb the status quo. Under such a system, said the speaker, credulity becomes a virtue and doubt a sin, and the impact of new ideas on society as slight as the time when the activities of physical science were restricted by the church and state.

### Open Discussion

Taylor limited his remarks to a half-hour, after which the meeting was thrown open to discussion. It was commonly remarked that schools over the country are willing to permit inquiry along narrow academic or broadly philosophical grounds, but are inclined to hedge on matters touching the material interests of the community.

In addition several faculty members, the following students participated in the discussion: Lawrence Flinn, Vernon Ward, W. M. Hayes, Duncan, Proctor, Ervid Ericson, and Slate.

## Advisory Committee Formed By Graham

President Frank P. Graham has appointed a faculty committee of nine to advise him on matters of University policy throughout this year. This committee does not hold regular sessions, but meets at the request of the president, when he has a question to discuss. The committee for this year consists of the following members of the faculty: Allan W. Hobbs, dean of the college of liberal arts; Herman Glenn Baity, dean of the school of engineering; D. D. Carroll, dean of the school of commerce; W. W. Pierson, dean of the graduate school, and acting-head of the department of history; James Munsie Bell, dean of the school of applied science; Maurice Taylor Van Hecke, dean of the school of law; William Chambers Coker, Kenan Professor of botany; Dr. William Morton Dey, head of the romance language department; and Dr. Thomas J. Wilson, registrar of the University.

## Buildings Department Denies Sale Of Paddles Encourages Hazing

Manager Burch Declares That Paddles Are Sold for Fraternal Usage and Not in Conflict With School Rules.

Open forum letters in recent issues of the Daily Tar Heel have made statements charging the buildings office, a department of the University, with the practice of manufacturing paddles for the purpose of hazing in violation of rules and laws of the University and the state. Such an accusation, which the author of one of the letters asked to be proven or denied, if false, is a grave detriment to the morale of the students and the administration. With a non-partisan and civic attitude, the Daily Tar Heel has directed an investigation in order to present the actual facts, whatever they be.

The letter to the editor, published in the Open Forum column Sunday, October 4, opens with the following statement of the attitude of the writer, who signs himself "W. P.": "An open letter in the Daily Tar Heel of Thursday, October 1, leads us to believe that the buildings department of the University is making wooden paddles for sale . . . for the infliction of pain." The letter concluded with the challenge that "We" (obviously, the students) "would like to know the truth." He infers that the University seems to be actually sponsoring the making of the paddles.

The statements in the first letter, published on Thursday, October 1, in which letter "W. P." bases his own writing, are as follows: "They" (referring to the buildings department) "have been sort of working on the sly," and there is a broad insinuation that the work has resulted in "the most recent accomplishment of the department." This accomplishment, the letter boldly accuses, is "the making of paddles which are to be sold."

The writer is mistaken in saying the work has been sly

done, for there has been no effort to conceal the enterprise. The paddles are openly stored in the stock room, from which they are publicly sold, in apparent disregard for any ethical relationship to the laws and rules against hazing. "W. P." immediately detected what he seems to believe to be the flaw in the ethics of someone somewhere, for the buildings department is certainly a part of the University.

The author of the demands for explanations expresses surprise "that the University seems to be actually sponsoring the making of implements to be used for the said purposes." These purposes he refers to as "the mild form of hazing commonly known as 'initiations.'" "He calls attention to his belief that these mild forms have been tolerated by the University for some years, in spite of the fact that hazing of students is illegal in North Carolina."

Investigation on the part of the Daily Tar Heel in its search for the true facts of the case has proved that on October 6 there rested in the stock and supply room at the buildings office approximately 150 to 200 of the finished manufactured paddles. They were admittedly made in the carpentry department, under the supervision of W. G. Murray, carpentry foreman of the plant, and P. L. Burch, general manager. The paddles, which were awaiting sale, were of the standard variety. Special orders, however, in which there are certain specifications, such as holes bored neatly and symmetrically in the face, or requirements of a thicker and sometimes wider board, are often filled, admits Murray, supervisor of manufacture.

The standard paddle, which

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## Mrs. M. D. Kemp, '26, Dies In Petersburg

Mrs. Malcolm D. Kemp, '26, died last Wednesday in Petersburg, Virginia. Mrs. Kemp studied here for her A. B. degree while her husband was doing graduate work in the medical school. Later, she was employed in the bureau of correspondence, instruction of the extension division of the University. In 1928 Mrs. Kemp left the extension bureau to teach in the high school at Hurleyville, N. Y. At the time of her demise she was living in Winston-Salem where her husband is connected with the health center of that city.

### Additional Pledges

Kappa Sigma: Dave Ison, Atlanta, Ga.; J. C. Steele, Statesville.

Phi Kappa Sigma: Gilbert Taylor, Valle Crucis.

Phi Kappa Alpha: Parsons Howell, Ellerbe; Karl Sprinkle, Newport News, Va.

## Gwyn, Giduz Attend Educational Meeting

Professors Minor Gwyn and Hugo Giduz left this morning for Winston-Salem, where they will attend a meeting of the North Carolina Education Association.

Professor Gwyn will address the Latin teachers on the topic, "Comparison of the Old and New Type Latin Books," and Professor Giduz will speak to the French teachers on the topic, "An Analysis of the French Placement Tests Given at the University this Year."

### Zeta Beta Tau Banquet

Zeta Beta Tau fraternity is giving a banquet tonight at the Carolina Inn, in honor of the new pledges.

### Magazine Deadline

Deadline for copy submitted for publication in the next issue of the Carolina Magazine will be Tuesday, October 27.

## Coach Bob Fetzer



Fetzer, director of athletics and head track coach, will address the joint assembly meeting this morning.

## THREE STUDENTS TIE IN CONTEST

T. C. Bryan, Joseph Sugarman, and A. J. Buttitta Submit Name 'The Book Market'

The result of the contest to name the bookshop in the Y. M. C. A. building further substantiated the epigram that "all great minds run in the same channel," for the three successful contestants submitted the successful title, "The Book Mart." The book shop committee decided to change this to "The Book Market."

The victors in the contest were T. C. Bryan, a graduate student; Joseph Sugarman, a freshman; and A. J. Buttitta, a townsman. Since three individuals were victors, the prize will be \$2.50 in books for each of three men instead of the five dollars in books that would have accrued to a lone winner.

Other titles that the committee considered that ranked highly, were "The Gargoyle Book Shop," "The Venturer Book Shop," "The Pine Burr Book Shop," "The Swan Book Shop," "The Golden Book Shop," "The Glory Hole," (hiding places of the treasurers of medieval monks, "The Book Haven," "The Book Inn," "The Book Stall," "The Book Den," and "The Book Shelf."

The first business transaction under the new name was consummated shortly after the winner was decided upon. Professor L. M. Brooks, of the sociology department, purchased a book upon psychology.

## DATE NAMED FOR PRESS INSTITUTE

January 13, 14, 15, have been selected by the North Carolina Press association as the dates for the eighth annual North Carolina Press Institute. The convention will take place in Chapel Hill, at the Carolina Inn, as it has done every year in the past. M. F. Vining, director of the bureau of lectures and short courses of the extension division, is in charge of the arrangements for the convention.

Three nationally prominent figures in the newspaper world will be invited to address the institute during the courses of the exercises. A departure from the usual policy of the association will occur when the convention visits Duke university on Thursday, January 14. An inspection tour of the Duke university press plant, and a dinner, at which the Duke committee will provide speakers are planned.

## STUDENT FORUM MEETS IN FIRST SESSION OF YEAR

Rector, McClure, Case Elected to Represent Group on Graham Memorial Directors' Board.

At the first meeting of the Student Forum held in the banquet room of Graham Memorial Wednesday night, it was unanimously recommended by the sixty student representatives present that the game room be left open until 11:00 o'clock week nights and 12:00 o'clock Fridays and Saturdays.

This was the first meeting of the group, which was called to make suggestions as to the uses of the building, and to discuss campus-wide problems. The group is composed of ninety students, elected last week. There is approximately one representative in the forum for every thirty students. The president of the student union is presiding officer.

Beatty Rector, Spec McClure, and Wallace Case were elected at the meeting to represent the forum on the board of directors of Graham Memorial.

Discussion centered about the suggestion of a radio for the lounge and glee club and orchestra concerts for student entertainment. There was no answer given to the query as to whether dancing should be permitted in the lounge. The question is being left to the board of directors. It was decided that the next meeting should take place two weeks from the last, and a regular meeting date to be set at that time.

Thirteen dormitories and twenty-one fraternities had representatives at the first forum meeting. The following men represented their particular

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## BRADSHAW HEARD ON FRATERNITIES

Giving the good and bad points on the subject of "Fraternities," as he sees them, featured the address made by Francis F. Bradshaw, dean of students to the first year men in assemblage yesterday.

"Every loyalty has two sides," began the speaker. "A fraternity man should not only be loyal to that order but his class as well." The main thing he would have the freshmen remember was that the University is bigger than any fraternity or class on the Hill and that the welfare of the student's class and school is worth very much and probably more than merely being loyal to a fraternity.

## Playmakers Present 'Saturday's Children'

The first Playmakers production of the season, Saturday's Children was given in the Carolina Playmakers theatre last night. The Carolina salon ensemble under the direction of Thor Johnson rendered music for the evening.

The cast of characters was as follows: Florrie Sands, Jo Norwood; Willy Sands, Robert Crowell; Mrs. Halevy, Margaret Firey; Bobby, Elizabeth Perrow; Mr. Halevy, Edward Blodgett; Rims O'Neil, John Schon; Mrs. Gorlick, Marion Tatum; chauffeur, Red Rankin; and a lodger, Carlyle Rutledge.

This comedy on American life will be played again tonight and tomorrow night at 8:30.

## SOPHOMORES TO BATTLE

The authors of the three letters in Speaking the Campus Mind written by members of the sophomore class accusing the president and executive committee of unfairness in holding the election of dance leaders, are asked to meet with the president and executive committee tonight at 8:00 o'clock in Graham Memorial. At this time they will be given the opportunity to prove their accusations against the executive committee and the president, and to show just grounds why there should be another election.