

WEATHER FORECAST:
COLDER THIS AFTERNOON
AND TONIGHT

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J. C. BYNUM DIES IN DURHAM AFTER SEIGE OF ILLNESS

Funeral Services Will Be Conducted at Presbyterian Church Here Tomorrow Morning.

Professor Jefferson Carney Bynum, member of the University geology faculty, died at Duke university hospital yesterday morning at 2:00 o'clock after a lingering illness of several months which followed an attack of bronchial pneumonia last November. He suffered a stroke of paralysis Sunday and a relapse Monday.

Professor Bynum had been an instructor in the geology department for eleven years, and was popular among students.

Professor Bynum was born at Bynum, October 4, 1894, son of Luther B. Bynum and Nora Heathcock. He was graduated from the University in 1919. Bynum received recognition in basketball and track, and was elected to Golden Fleece honorary society, while a college undergraduate. He was a member of Pi Kappa Phi social fraternity and was connected with Omega Delta, now defunct literary organization. He served in the United States infantry in 1918 as a lieutenant and instructor in military tactics at Potsdam Technological college, Potsdam, New York. He won his master's degree in science in 1926.

From Potsdam, Professor Bynum went to Mexico in 1919, as a petroleum engineer. There he contracted sleeping sickness, the effects of which never left him. He returned in 1921 and married Miss Ruth C. Sisson June 25, that year. He served in a lumber firm for the following year, before turning to teaching.

Bynum spent his summers in study and travel, doing advance-

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S. H. HOBBS ASKS STATE PAPERS TO AID NEWS LETTER

Journal Suspended as Economy Measure May Be Published As Weekly News Column.

Daily newspapers of North Carolina have been given an opportunity to save the University News Letter, fact-reporting agency of economic, social, and civil affairs and statistics in the state, Dr. S. H. Hobbs, editor of the bi-weekly, announced yesterday. The News Letter was announced discontinued last week as an economy measure. Taking note of generous financial assistance offered by state journals, and considering a contribution of a monthly page of space offered by the Carolina Motor Club Magazine, organ of the Carolina Motor club, Hobbs and the extension department of the University, by whom the paper is published, yesterday appealed to principal morning papers of the state in request of subscription for a weekly two column department. Letters were mailed through the University press office, under the direction of R. W. Madry.

If the plan is approved by newspapers from whom the department space has been solicited, the Letter will be submitted also to afternoon papers for publication Saturday afternoons.

KOCH APPOINTED KENAN PROFESSOR

At the semi-annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the University in Raleigh yesterday, Professor Frederick H. Koch, director of the Playmakers, was made Kenan professor of dramatic literature.

The Kenan professorships at the University are considered a mark of distinction. They were endowed by members of the Kenan family which have been active in the work of the institution for many years.

Professor Koch, graduate of Ohio Wesleyan and Harvard, came to the University fourteen years ago to instruct in dramatic work. He has established the Carolina Playmakers with a view towards promoting folk drama in North Carolina.

BOND AND ADAMS READ PAPERS TO PHILOLOGY GROUP

Dr. Urban T. Holmes Presides Over February Meeting of the Philological Club.

The February meeting of the Philological club was featured by the reading of literary papers by Dr. Raymond Adams and Dr. Richmond P. Bond of the English department. Dr. Urban T. Holmes of the French department presided over the gathering.

"Walden and New England Life in the '50's" was the subject of Dr. Adams's paper. He advanced the opinion that Thoreau was a kind of "backyard" hermit who, contrary to popular opinion, evinced a decided interest in the economic and social questions of his time through his writings.

In his reading Dr. Bond discussed "The Critical Theory of Burlesque Poetry in the Eighteenth Century," in which special emphasis was placed upon the development of the four types of burlesque poetry: travesty, Udtibrastic, mock-heroic, and parody. This paper was in the nature of an excerpt from a volume by Dr. Bond, *Burlesque Poetry, 1700-1750*, which is scheduled for spring publication by the Harvard university press.

Discussion of Racial Problem Tabled by Phi

Discussion on the bill—Resolved: That the south is taking and has taken the wrong attitude toward the negro race—which came before the Phi assembly Tuesday night, proved so intense that it was tabled for discussion at the next meeting.

Speaker Edwin Lanier called a special business meeting for Friday night.

Phi Mu Alpha Luncheon

At a luncheon of Phi Mu Alpha musical fraternity yesterday in the banquet hall of Graham Memorial, President John Clinard reported on the convention of the eastern chapters of the organization which met in New York City last December. Dr. H. S. Dyer presented a report on the Galli-Curci concert which the fraternity sponsored.

History Seminar

The members of the department of history met for their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night in 313 Saunders hall. Dr. H. M. Wagstaff read a paper on "The administration of Governor Tryon in Colonial North Carolina."

FAMOUS PLAYERS HAVE PERFORMED IN IBSEN CLASSIC

Carolina Playmakers Present "A Doll's House" Tonight, Friday and Saturday.

A Doll's House, which the Carolina Playmakers are presenting tonight, Friday and Saturday, has been played in America by practically all of the great actresses since its first introduction to this country early in the 1900's. Beatrice Cameron, (Mrs. Richard Mansfield) Minnie Maddern Fiske, Ethel Barrymore, Alla Nazimova, and numerous others have added to their fame through Ibsen's great character, Nora.

In Europe the part has also been in the repertoires of almost every great actress including Rejane and Elenora Duse.

An unusual incident in the history of this drama, and yet not so unusual for those familiar with the strange inconsistencies of theatrical history, was the production of *A Doll's House*, the "production" being only a single performance, in Louisville, Kentucky, by Mme. Modjeska in 1880, the year after the play was given its first presentation in Copenhagen. With the exception of this one performance, the play was not again presented in the English language until twenty years later, in 1899, when Janet Achurch and Charles Charrington played it in London, although in the meantime it had been constantly played in Scandinavia, France, and Germany. Modjeska called the play "Thora" and used a "happy" ending in her production.

Freshmen in Pharmacy Elect Officers for Class

The freshman class of the school of pharmacy elected its officers yesterday morning in the Howell hall of pharmacy. R. S. Whitley was elected president, Charles Neal vice-president, J. T. C. Hunter secretary, and J. D. Mitchell treasurer.

BOARD PROPOSED AS GUARDIAN OF STUDENT MONEY

Vote of Campus Will Be Taken February 9 on Auditing Bureau.

Following the editorial suggestion made by THE DAILY TAR HEEL citing the need for such a group, and according to its decision the Student Activities committee will submit to student vote February 9 the proposal that an auditing board should be created to bring about a more efficient business arrangement of money expended by students for activities.

Under the plan proposed, which will be submitted to the student union for ratification Tuesday, the board will consist of two faculty members appointed by the president of the University and three student members elected by vote of University students.

The work of the auditing board, according to the idea endorsed by the Student Activities committee, will encourage careful bookkeeping, eliminate student dishonesty, and allow a readjustment at the beginning of each new administration if such seems desirable by the reports which will be published. All waves of ill-founded gossip concerning graft such as those which swept the campus last fall, it is felt, would be avoided since the board will be composed of members of the faculty and students, with the president of the student union as an *ex officio* member and since the board will be capable of rendering efficient reports upon the financial status of the organizations concerned.

Such reports as the board would make, according to the proposal, would be presented to the student union through the medium of THE DAILY TAR HEEL. One of the first duties of the Student Activities committee after the spring elections will be to examine the reports and recommend any readjustment.

STUDENT COUNCIL DECISIONS

Deciding that in the case of an appeal made to the student body, a two-thirds majority of those voting will be necessary to grant the appeal, the student council is making known its decisions regarding matters of appeals, removals from office, loss of office, and campus election to supplement the material contained in the student government pamphlet. These decisions are as follows:

1. APPEALS: Under present policy, appeals from decision of the council may be made (1) directly to the student body, or (2) to a special committee selected by all the parties concerned. In the case of the former appeal it will, in the opinion of the present council, require a two-thirds majority of those voting to grant the appeal.

2. REMOVALS FROM OFFICE: Any student or students may at any time present reasons for the removal from office of any campus official before the council. If the council decides the grounds insufficient for removal, the question will be presented to the student body by the president of the student body, if petitioned by a number of students equal to at least one-fourth of the number of votes cast for that office in the last election. A two-thirds majority of the votes cast on the question of a removal will be necessary to grant the petition.

3. LOSS OF OFFICE: Any campus officer suspended for some disciplinary offense or honor code violation automatically forfeits his office. In case of failure to return to school for any reason whatever during any one quarter of the school year, or in case of withdrawal because of scholastic, financial, or other difficulties, he shall likewise forfeit his office. The student council shall call a new election to fill any vacancy which occurs in this manner.

4. CAMPUS ELECTIONS: The date for the annual election of all campus and class officials shall be the third Wednesday following the opening of the spring quarter. Nominations shall be made two days previous to the elections, and installation shall be two weeks from the day of the elections. The election of all campus and class officers including dance leaders should be announced two weeks before they are to take place.

Upon a question submitted by the president of the Publications Union Board, it was the opinion of the council that the P. U. Board, an organization for financial control, does not have the power to judge whether or not editorial work of the campus publications is being efficiently performed.

Board Of Trustees Pledges Full Support To Emergency Funds

Graham Will Speak At Alumni Meeting

The Durham alumni group will meet February 10 to hear President Frank P. Graham describe the situation of the University with particular regard to the Emergency Student Loan Fund.

As a result of a conference between the steering committee of the Greensboro alumni club and Felix A. Grisette, director of the Alumni Loyalty Fund, the entire Greensboro alumni contingent is to gather February 9. President Graham will also address this meeting on the subject of University finances.

DRAMATIC GROUP WILL STAGE BILL OF THREE PLAYS

Tryouts for New Production Scheduled for Monday at 4:30 and 7:30 O'clock.

The Carolina Playmakers will follow *A Doll's House* with a bill of three one-act plays written in playwrighting courses.

The Common Gift by Elwyn deGraffenreid of Atlanta, Georgia, *The Loyal Venture* by Louise Wilkerson O'Connell of Chapel Hill, and *Bloomers* by Jo Norwood of Louisville, Kentucky, are the three plays chosen for presentation. The first two were selected by the play committee following the authors' reading the first term of this year, and the third play proved so successful in experimental production last quarter that there has been considerable demand to see it in a finished performance.

Try-outs for these three plays are scheduled for Monday at 4:30 in the afternoon, and again at 7:30 in the evening. Manuscripts of the plays will be in the reserve reading room at the library, and those who wish to try out are urged to read the plays beforehand.

Meyer Will Speak at Boy Scouts' Banquet

Dr. Harold D. Meyer, professor of sociology and national counselor for the Boy Scouts of America, will address scouts of Greensboro Monday, February 8, at an annual scouts' and parents' banquet at the Presbyterian church there. Meyer is a leader in scout activity throughout the state and is a principal in the semi-annual scout executive conferences here this month. The banquet is given by Greensboro scouts in honor of both parents, which is an innovation in the banquet field of entertainment for scouts.

Emergency Loan Fund Will Receive Program Proceeds

The entire proceeds from next week's Carolina theatre program, totaling \$40, will be turned over to the Emergency Student Loan Fund by Marcus Feinstein, University freshman, who publishes the program. The usual rate for advertising space has been doubled for this issue and the Orange printshop has furnished the printing gratis.

Di Appropriates \$25 to Student Loan Fund

The Di senate passed a measure Tuesday night directing the treasurer of the society to turn over the sum of \$25 to the student loan fund.

Resolution Expressing Faith in State and University Passed in Raleigh Meeting.

FUND COMMITTEE CREATED

Action Is Endorsement of Relief Program Now Under Way For Institution.

A resolution expressing the group's faith in the state and in the University and enlisting the services of all members to cooperate in the united effort of students, faculty, and friends of the University everywhere to tide the institution over critical times was passed by the Board of Trustees at their semi-annual meeting in Raleigh yesterday.

By this resolution the trustees, renewed their allegiance to the state, expressed their faith in it, pointed to a greater future of the University, and pledged themselves to help raise a student loan fund to keep hundreds of boys in school and to raise an emergency general fund to save much of the life of the University. This action is an endorsement by the trustees of work which is now under way to keep the institution up to former standards.

The resolution was offered by Stahle Linn of Salisbury, who is a member of the trustees committee on loan funds. The remainder of the committee appointed this morning were G. D. Mangum, Greensboro, W. F. Taylor, Goldsboro, John Sprunt Hill, Durham, and Kemp D. Battle, Rocky Mount.

The resolution follows:
1. The Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina, keenly sensible of the conditions in the nation and state, votes its cooperation with the state in the measures taken to preserve the credit of North Carolina.

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REPORT OF CHECK COMMITTEE GIVEN FOR FALL PERIOD

Six Hundred and Seventy-Five Checks Involving \$7,000 Are Returned to Students.

The report of the Student Council Check committee, of which William Medford is chairman, states that approximately 675 checks have been returned to students since the beginning of the fall quarter, and that these checks involved over \$7,000.

All but thirty-seven of the checks have been taken up, and thirty-nine letters have been written concerning dishonored checks. One student has been suspended as an indirect result of a bad check, while forty-three students have been placed on probation, which means that if one of them gives another bad check he will be summoned before the student council. Students who had bad checks against them at the beginning of the winter quarter were not allowed to register until they made good their bad checks.

The Student Council Check committee is now working in cooperation with the Chapel Hill Credit association. This association consists of twenty-eight members from different stores and firms in Chapel Hill who report on the payment of their customers.