

STUDENT FROM RALEIGH FOUND DEAD YESTERDAY

No Signs of Violence Discovered
On Body of John Nicholson;
Inquest Today.

John A. Nicholson, University sophomore of Raleigh, was found dead last night at about 6:30 o'clock in his room at the home of O. E. Michie. From all information that could be obtained last night, Nicholson died a natural death.

Dr. S. A. Nathan, local coroner, had no report of his investigations to make last night except that a formal hearing would take place today.

No Signs of Violence

There were no signs of violence on the body, but the possibility of suicide rumored here last night was investigated, the glass found by his bed being analyzed to discover any traces of poison.

The body, clothed in pajamas, was found about 6:30 last night when Michie, at whose home Nicholson roomed, went up stairs to the room to leave a note that the boy's mother had been calling him all day. Seeing the body on the bed, he called and upon having no response summoned Dr. W. E. Abernethy who pronounced the boy dead.

From all indications the youth had been dead since late Monday night or early yesterday morning. Mrs. Michie had called Nicholson from the bottom of the stairs, but receiving no response, she assumed he was out. The negro boy who cleans the room had looked in this morning, and seeing the youth in bed assumed he was asleep and did not enter.

ELECTION OF LAW LEADERS WILL BE MADE TOMORROW

Nominating Committee Will Select
Two Men to Run for
Each Position.

The election of officers for the law school association will take place tomorrow morning at chapel period in the first year class room in Manning hall. At this time the offices of president, vice-president, treasurer, and student council representative will be filled.

A nominating committee composed of third year men who themselves are ineligible for election has been appointed by the present administration; and this committee, after considering every eligible man in the other two classes, will nominate two men for each position.

Should there be any dissatisfaction with any of the nominees, then other nominations will be made from the floor.

The rising second year and third year classes are expected to call meetings within a few days for the election of officers for the respective classes.

LAW SCHOOL BANQUET

The annual law school banquet, the final event on the social calendar of the law school has been set for Friday night, May 13. No definite program for the affair has been announced except that it will be conducted along the usual lines of entertainment, consisting of speeches, skits, announcement of awards, and other features.

Thomas Believes That America Will Turn To Either Socialism Or Fascism

Noted Socialist Leader and Presidential Candidate Considers
Present Depression as Greatest Aid to Cause of
Socialism in Recent Years.

That the government of the United States within the next ten years will swing to either socialism or fascism was the belief expressed by Norman Thomas, noted Socialist, in an interview with THE DAILY TAR HEEL yesterday afternoon.

He went on to say that the present depression is doing more good for the cause of socialism than any other factor in recent years. It is waking the people up to the fallacies and inefficiency of the present system, he continued, and as soon as the public sees that the present system is failing to hold up under the existing strain, it will be much more willing to accept a new form of government.

That any movement towards socialism will be more than a gradual one, and when effected will result in several essential changes in Washington was his firm conviction. The form of government under the Socialist plan as he described it will lean toward the cabinet form of government, placing a great deal of authority regarding economic questions in the hands of an executive board representing the engineering and working classes of industry. The plan will also involve the establishment of an industrial body in Congress composed of much similar representation, while the executive will either be on the presidential or primierial form.

In regard to the possibilities of a fascist movement developing, Mr. Thomas doubted that such an action would be noticeable in the next few years. He gave as his reason for this re-

mark that there was not a strong enough demagogue in the United States today around whom the Fascists could rally. According to his description the leader must be a man who can appeal to the desires of the "little fellow" and at the same time be able to keep his finger in the pie of the "big boys." A man like Hitler in Germany or Mussolini in Italy is the type he pointed out as necessary for a successful fascist movement in this country. He went on further to illustrate his point by describing a poster he had seen picturing Hitler in one place eating with the lower classes and condemning the bankers and in another cartoon he was eating lobsters with the bankers.

It was Mr. Thomas's opinion that the man best fulfilling these qualifications in America today was "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, but he hastened to add that the Oklahoma governor would not consider himself with this group.

As to the chances of communism taking hold in this country within the next decade to any great extent, he seemed confident that nothing should be feared from this immediately. But as to this element gaining strength later on, Mr. Thomas was unwilling to make a prediction.

He did say, however, that there were certain ignorant and unlearned people in America today who feared the word "socialism" for no good reason, and that the sooner these people became educated to the doctrines and policies that the term implies they will no longer look upon the word as they now do.

UNION DIRECTORS DETERMINE FEES FOR MEMBERSHIP

Fee of One Dollar Set for Upkeep
Of Graham Memorial With
Opening of Fall Quarter.

Tuesday night the board of directors of Graham Memorial passed an important resolution concerning membership fees in the student union. Membership fees will be placed on students starting September, 1932, but membership rules go into effect now.

The resolution states that the privilege of membership in the Graham Memorial Union is open to University students, members of the University staff, alumni, and trustees. A membership fee of one dollar per quarter will be charged students. One dollar per year will be the fee of faculty members, of trustees, and of alumni who are not members of the Alumni Association. Members of the Alumni Association will have no fee, as membership in it includes membership in the union.

Those people who are not included in the above groups, but who have contributed to the erection of the building, have life membership and pay one dollar per year.

Lear to Speak in Seminar

J. M. Lear, professor of insurance in the school of commerce, will discuss "Trends in the Investments of Insurance Companies" at the economics seminar which convenes this evening at 7:30 in 113 Bingham hall.

D. C. SHOEMAKER CHOSEN TO EDIT NEXT HANDBOOK

Business Manager Yet to Be Selected;
Editor Will Appoint Rest
Of Staff.

Donald C. Shoemaker has been appointed editor of the Y. M. C. A. handbook, Billy McKee, president of the University Y. M. C. A., announced yesterday. The business manager will be appointed and announced later. The editor of the publication has the privilege of selecting his own staff to aid him.

The book, known as the *Carolina Handbook*, is published annually by the Y. M. C. A., and is mailed during the summer to all freshmen who have enrolled for entry in the University in the fall. It usually contains a wealth of information valuable to those coming here for the first time, giving information about the various campus activities, explanations of the different organizations, and suggestions and hints about things of a general nature connected with the adjusting of one's self to life at the University.

Professors of Psychology Accept Summer Positions

Three members of the psychology department have accepted appointments elsewhere for the summer. Dr. Harry W. Crane will teach at Ohio State University, Dr. English Bagby will be at Columbia, and Dr. J. F. Dashiell will teach at the University of Southern California. H. N. De Wick will direct summer courses at Carolina.

CAMPUS GROUPS TO AUDIT BOOKS BEFORE TUESDAY

Seven Organizations Have Made
Reports to Board; German
Club and Grail to Report.

Tuesday, April 19, has been set as the date of the final reports of campus organizations to the University Audit board for the auditing of their finances, members of the group announced yesterday. Seven organizations have reported and eight others are expected to report before Tuesday.

The senior, the junior, and the sophomore classes, the Debate Council, the student union, the Athletic Council, and the Interfraternity Council have already reported, while the Law Association, the Student Entertainment committee, the Publications Union board, the freshman class, the Woman's association must have their reports in. The German Club and the Order of the Grail have been requested to report also under the recommendation of the Student Activities committee.

The Audit board, created by action of the student body last winter, is attempting to draw up a uniform report to be used by all campus organizations each year. Dean F. F. Bradshaw, R. H. Sherill, of the commerce school, are faculty members of the board while Mayne Albright, Francis I. Anderson, and John Clinard are the student members.

The board has set April 30 as the date when the accounts of campus organizations are transferred to the new treasurers.

VALUABLE GIFTS DONATED SCHOOL BY DR. ZOELLER

Recently Established Museum of
Pharmacy School Presented
Interesting Exhibits.

The recently established museum of the pharmacy school is the recipient of several valuable and interesting exhibits. The school is attempting to establish a museum of articles and instruments used in drug stores of an earlier period, and the exhibits add materially to the value of the establishment.

On April 7 Dr. E. V. Zoeller presented to the museum the following interesting articles: a pair of hand scales, a quassia cup, an old pill box, a Seidlitz powder cup, three orris root teething fingers, and a beautiful old-fashioned etched show bottle. He also gave to the library several old books and a number of unbound drug journals.

Professor W. S. Jenkins of the history department has loaned to the museum a valuable exhibit, consisting of a pair of hand scales in their old-fashioned wooden pestle, a pill box, and two graduates. These articles were owned and used by Dr. David Warlick Schenck of Lincoln from 1830 to 1850, and since that time have been in the possession of the family of Professor Jenkins.

Mr. Sam E. Welfare has given an old type prescription vial with blown-in lettering, and the pharmacy library has been further enriched by a gift of a number of books from Dr. I. P. Battle of Rocky Mount.

Anonymous Gift Of \$10,000 Is Added To Emergency Loan Fund

Dr. Murchison To
Address Assembly

Dr. C. T. Murchison of the commerce school will speak in assembly Thursday and Friday of this week on the subject "The Present Depression." Thursday his subject will be "The Affects and Causes of the Depression," and Friday he will bring out "Proposed Remedies for the Depression."

Dr. Murchison is considered to be very well informed on this subject. Upperclassmen as well as the general public are invited to attend these lectures.

NORMAN THOMAS SAYS CAPITALISM FALSE IN THEORY

Attacks Present Economic System as Cause of Unemployment and Suffering.

"No one has yet stood up and explained to me how to do away with unemployment under capitalism so long as capitalism holds to private enterprise and private property," said Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for president in 1928, when he addressed a packed audience in Gerrard hall yesterday at noon. His wisdom, interspersed with much humor, kept the audience in alternate moods of thought and laughter.

Thomas opened his speech by stressing the need of greater scientific objectivity in the social sciences. Unbiased, we must ask, "Why is this true?"

Waste of College Education

He said that if he were to write another chapter for Stuart Chase's *Tragedy of Waste* he would entitle it "The Waste of College Education." He deplored the number of "diplomaed morons," or "professional alumni," who have graduated from our colleges. The difference between the time and energy expended by college students and the results obtained testify to a great waste in college education.

No Automatic Markets

Thomas stated that the economic system of automatic working of markets is out-of-date. We now see that competition cannot regulate industry perfectly, nor is the modern quantitative economics so successful to which our present condition bears witness. Our applied economics would be funny, if they were not so tragic.

Russia Worth Considering

Thomas believes that we should recognize and deal with Russia, that our high tariffs should be lowered, and that the war debts should be cancelled, since in the last analysis the war debts would be paid by the workers in reduced standards of living. The cancellation of debts, (Continued on last page)

Dr. Spann Speaks Tonight

Dr. Meno Spann of the German department will deliver a lecture tonight at 8:00 p. m. in 206 Phillips hall on Goethe. This lecture opens the celebration of the Goethe centennial at the University. It will be illustrated by lantern slides.

Next week scenes representing phases in the great poet's life and works will be presented under the sponsorship of the Carolina Playmakers and the department of music.

Donor Hopes to Stimulate Interest of Others in Making
Similar Contributions.

RAISES FUND TO \$30,000

Set \$200,000 as Goal for Remainder of
Scholastic Year
And 1932-33.

An anonymous gift of \$10,000 to the University's Emergency Student Loan Fund was announced yesterday by President Frank P. Graham.

President Graham said the name of the donor was withheld by request and that the gift was made in the hope that other persons able to make such contributions might be encouraged to do so.

This raises the total so far contributed to the fund to \$30,000. The \$20,000 previously announced was contributed by more than 2,500 students, parents, faculty, trustees, alumni, and friends of the University.

The loan fund appeal was inaugurated at a meeting of 125 alumni representing all sections of the state who assembled here on January 29 to consider with President Graham and other University officials the critical need of the institution.

Set High Goal

Facing the bald fact that more than 500 University students who would have to drop out of college during the winter and spring quarters unless sufficient loan funds could be made available, this group of alumni set in motion the machinery for raising the amount needed. The goal set for the remainder of this scholastic year and the year 1932-33 was \$200,000.

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PHI BETA KAPPA MEN WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Number of Students Will Exceed
That of Last Year, Dr.
Wilson Announces.

Dr. T. J. Wilson, University registrar, announced yesterday that the annual public spring meeting of the Alpha of North Carolina chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, national scholarship fraternity, will take place in Gerrard hall April 28, at 8:30 p. m. Dr. E. R. Groves of the sociology department will make the address.

Preceding the public meeting will be a business gathering of the active chapter in the Y. M. C. A., and initiation of new members will immediately follow Dr. Groves' address. The initiation will be in Graham Memorial.

All announcements with elections, new officers, and other business will be made at the public meeting in Gerrard hall.

In regard to the number of students to be initiated, Dr. Wilson stated that it would probably exceed that of last year considerably. "There are more students with unusually high average grades," he said, "than have been noted in several years."

Nine on Infirmary List

Yesterday the infirmary list included Emma Frances Polhill, H. G. Connor, Mrs. W. L. Wales, Florence and Virginia Yancey, C. H. Fisher, N. M. Ross, T. W. Wilson, and E. S. Lupton.