

UNIVERSITY WILL TEST SOPHOMORE CLASS EDUCATION

American Council on Education To Foster Quiz on Achievements of Sophs.

The University, according to a statement made yesterday from the office of the dean of students, is to be included in a nation-wide examination of college achievement at the sophomore level.

Under the auspices of the American Council on Education on a subsidy of \$500,000 by Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., there has been set up a cooperative test service. This institution, under the chairmanship of Dean J. B. Johnston of the University of Minnesota, will provide for cooperative testing among the colleges and universities of the country.

This examination applies to the standard college curriculum of the first two years, the newer examination technique, such as the true-false questions and completion and comprehensive examination methods in general.

Every Third Sophomore

Because of the limitations in the University budget, it will be impossible to test the entire sophomore class. However, one out of every three sophomores on an alphabetical list will be asked to take this examination so that the University may get an accurate picture of the achievement of our sophomore class in comparison with that of the sophomore class in similar institutions throughout the country.

Further statement concerning the program will be made by Dean Bradshaw in assembly next Monday.

It is understood that the test has no bearing at all on the credit of sophomores, but it is being given for research purposes and for comparison with similar institutions throughout the country.

Students Interested

Wherever this examination has been given the students taking it have found it an extremely interesting experience because of the very comprehensive nature of the examination touching on many fields of study. The examination is essentially an achievement examination rather than an ability test. It is understood that the score of each student taking the test will be kept confidential but that each student may find out on inquiry his own score.

The present plan calls for the administration of the examination on two successive mornings of next week. If this plan is followed the sophomores involved will necessarily be excused from all classes on those days. The men selected for this new form of intercollegiate competition will be notified by mail not later than Monday evening.

Lexington Garden Club Will Be Shown Local Arboretum

The Lexington Garden Club will visit Chapel Hill today to examine places of botanical interest. Dr. W. C. Coker of the botany department, will conduct the visitors through the arboretum and the gardens at his home. Members of the Chapel Hill Garden Club will show them other private gardens around the village. Later, at her home, Mrs. H. R. Totten will entertain the group at tea.

World News Bulletins

Roosevelt Looks to California

California, which tipped the electoral balance to Woodrow Wilson with a dramatic flourish sixteen years ago, may now be destined to write another unforgettable page of Democratic history as arbiter of the fortunes of Franklin D. Roosevelt. In California the New York governor faces both Speaker Garner and Al Smith, his two strongest opponents, and a bitter fight is expected to develop.

Massie May Be Acquitted

Apparently deadlocked while defense and prosecution engaged in side maneuvers, the twelve men, striving for a verdict in the case of the state against Massie for a second degree murder charge, carried on yesterday after having given watchers a few tantalizing glimpses of courtroom drama. The defense believes that the jury now stands at ten or eleven to one for acquittal and offered to accept a majority vote, which was quickly refused by Prosecutor Kelley.

Japanese Officials Bombed

Five high-ranking Japanese army, naval, and diplomatic officials were critically wounded yesterday when a bomb burst among them as they sat in a reviewing stand watching a military parade in honor of Emperor Hirohito. All were in serious condition, but late reports expected all to recover.

Negroes Held for Attack

Three suspects were arrested in Shreveport, Louisiana, early yesterday after R. C. Fay told police two or three negroes had held up his car on the outskirts of the city and attacked his twenty-two year old girl companion. The girl was rushed to the hospital where her condition was pronounced as not serious and she was allowed to return home.

WASHINGTON AND LEE HAS MOCK CONVENTION

Washington and Lee University was little Chicago, April 26, as the student body in a mock democratic convention attempted to forecast the next party standard bearer.

Amid scenes of confusion in the convention hall delegates from forty-eight states heard the names of ten candidates placed in nomination.

The nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt received the greatest ovation. Speaker Garner and Governor Ritchie of Maryland were runners-up.

ART SICKLES ACTIVE IN LITTLE THEATRE WORK

Arthur D. Sickles, prominent member of the Charlotte Little Theater, played one of the leading roles in the production of *See Naples and Die* at the new College Street playhouse in Charlotte Wednesday night. Sickles also appeared in the production, *The Fool and Let Us Be Gay*. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina.

Prisons vs. Schools

The salary of the superintendent of prisons in North Carolina was recently reduced to six thousand dollars. The state superintendent of schools, who has charge of at least a million children, receives a salary of five thousand dollars.

Miss Marks in Greensboro

Miss Sallie B. Marks of the education department will attend a meeting of the Association of Administrative Women of North Carolina at Greensboro this week-end.

ERSKINE SAYS WALKING STIMULATES NOVELISTS

Laurie Erskine, novelist and short story writer, spoke to the journalism students at Minnesota last week on "Marketing of Free Lance Articles."

Illustrating from his own experiences Mr. Erskine, contributor to numerous popular magazines, stressed the advantages of exercise and observation as well as careful mental revision of material as a stimulus for writing. "I never write anything that I first do not arrange and revise in my mind," said Mr. Erskine. "Then I sit down and write, get up, walk a few blocks on the carpet, sit down and write. A good short story usually takes about twelve miles."

Biology Head Is Visitor

Miss Velma Matthews, head of the biology department of Catawba College, arrived Friday to spend the week-end with Miss Alma Holland of the University botany department.

The Philippines have been saved from the curse of independence again. This happened just in time for the little brown brothers to help us celebrate the birthday of G. Washington, an authority on the subject.—*The New Yorker*.

Article By Dr. Beers To Appear In German Scientific Magazine

From his research upon the genetic problem of the one-celled animal didinium, or the effect of food on the life history of the animal, Dr. C. Dale Beers, of the zoology department, has completed a paper, "Diet in Relation to Depression and Recovery in the Ciliate Didium Masutum." This work will appear in the *Journal of Protozoology*, published in Jena, Germany.

This is the outstanding research journal on the subject in the world, publishing only the results of original investigations in protozoology. Much of this work was explained in a series of articles by Dr. Beers, written for THE DAILY TAR HEEL.

Preparation of the paper has taken considerable time. Dr. Beers spent several months in Germany last year working upon the problem. He was at the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Biology, Berlin.

Gandhi has gained two pounds in prison, and Mr. Hoover has lost 27 pounds in the White House. The Germans refuse to worry about debts, and Germany's creditors walk the floor at night. What a world, what a world.—*New York Times*.

REPORTS OF AUDIT BOARD

YEARLY FEES FOR CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS

Table with 2 columns: Organization Name and Fee Amount. Includes Freshman Class, Sophomore Class, Junior Class, Senior Class, Athletic Association, Debating fee, Electrical Engineering Assn., Civil Engineering Assn., Chemical Engineering Assn., Entertainment fee (A.B.-Educ.-Com.), Publications Union, Law Association, Pharmacy Association, Student Government, Woman's Association, Student Union.

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS September 15, 1931-March 31, 1932

Financial statement for WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION. Receipts: Student fees \$538.93, Spring Dance 120.00. Disbursements: Meeting expenses \$12.95, Council expenses 1.15, Dance expenses—Spring 76.07, Furniture 406.94, Emergency Loan Fund 100.00, Yackety Yack 50.00.

Financial statement for STUDENT GOVERNMENT FUND. Receipts: Student fees 538.06. Disbursements: Travel \$112.00, Printing 98.09, Dues and fees 75.26, Pamphlets and Council Keys 115.39, Administrative expenses 24.20, Emergency Loan Fund 10.00, Yackety Yack 30.00, Miscellaneous 76.52.

Financial statement for LAW SCHOOL ASSOCIATION. Receipts: Student fees 459.76. Disbursements: Reception expenses \$36.50, Dance expenses 225.46.

Financial statement for STUDENT UNION. Receipts: Student fees \$6,320.84, Game room, etc. 1,405.51. Disbursements: Salaries, wages: Manager, game room, janitor, etc. \$1,954.41, Supplies and materials 336.87, Telephone 36.25, Light and water 483.56, Heat 48.63, Entertainment 141.00, Printing 25.75.

Financial statement for CLASS OF 1932. Receipts: Student fees 2,152.70. Disbursements: Smoker expense (2 smokers) \$173.50, Stationery and supplies 17.05, Refunds of dues to students 7.00, Yackety Yack space 1,738.00, Student Loan Fund 50.00.

Financial statement for CLASS OF 1933. Receipts: Student fees 2,406.54. Disbursements: Smoker expense (2 smokers) \$180.00, Stationery and supplies 14.50, Refunds and transfers of dues 20.60, Yackety Yack space 1,215.50, Student Loan Fund 35.00, Miscellaneous 5.25.

Financial statement for CLASS OF 1934. Receipts: Student fees 398.39. Disbursements: Smoker expense (1 smoker) \$117.00, Dance expense 195.75, Stationery and supplies 3.00, Yackety Yack space 150.00, Miscellaneous 16.50.

Financial statement for CLASS OF 1935. Receipts: From student fees \$456.59. Disbursements: Smoker expense (2 smokers) \$216.50, Ballots 4.00, Yackety Yack space 150.00.

Financial statement for STUDENT ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE. Receipts: Student fees \$6,071.74, Season ticket sales 1,270.25, Door receipts 716.92.

Financial statement for STUDENT ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE. Disbursements: Cost of attractions \$7,846.04, Entertainment 18.00, Attendants and janitor service 151.40, Printing and advertising 323.53, Lights and operator 21.00, Interest on overdraft 14.55, Telephone and telegraph 16.33, Miscellaneous 72.05.

Financial statement for STUDENT ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE. Deduct: Cash overdraft as above \$284.78, Unpaid invoices 5.00.

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