

'Y' CABINET TALK BY WEATHERFORD IS WELL RECEIVED

Leader of Christian Group Centers Speech on Questionnaire by Will Durant.

"The job for these three cabinets is not to act as errand boys; but to help make this place a better place in which to live, or to so set the trend so as to make it easier to live here in a better manner," declared Dr. Willis Duke Weatherford in his final speech made during his sojourn here before a joint gathering of the three Y. M. C. A. cabinets Monday night in Gerrard hall. A large crowd attended the lecture.

The speaker said that the way to make this locality a better place in which to live was to know something about religion, to watch for a chance to help, and to be prepared to help, which he gave as answers to the subject of his speech, "What do You Think of Religion?"

Cites Types of Students

Dr. Weatherford gave a very concrete example of the three attitudes generally held by college students toward religion. In Cornell University, taken to be one of the nation's representative institutions, it was found that the first group consisted of those interested and active in religious activities, the second of those opposed to it, who were the most vocal and vociferous in denouncing it, and the third, constituting the great majority, composed of those who were indifferent.

"Students are indifferent to religion because they know so

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TRAINED PUBLIC OFFICERS NEEDED STATES COATES

Law Professor Condemns Rotation of Government Office-Holder as Ineffective.

Opening the year's program on "Public Affairs," Professor Albert Coates of the law school addressed the North Carolina club on the aims and work of the Institute of Government, Monday night in the library. Professor Coates was introduced by Professor S. H. Hobbs, of the rural social economics department, and began his talk by commenting on the effect the almost constant rotation of holders of public offices has on the work of those departments.

"These officers," he explained, "are not born with a knowledge of the powers and duties of the offices to which they are elected... their private occupations and professions do not teach them the powers and duties of public officials; the uncertainties of political life do not offer them incentives to study the responsibilities of a public office before they seek it; the democracy which clothes them with the public trust does not provide them with training to fit them to discharge it."

Aim of Institute

It is to remedy this condition, he said, to bring to each government officer the methods, practices and techniques arising out of the initiative and resourcefulness of other officers in similar offices in this and other states, to collect the steadily ac-

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JOHN WILKINSON HITS DEMOCRATS IN CHAPEL TALK

President of Republican Club Is Greeted by Cheers and Cat-Calls in Freshman Assembly.

John Wilkinson, speaking in behalf of the Republicans on the campus, was received by freshman assembly yesterday in a very boisterous manner as he attempted to speak on the policies of the present Republican administration. At various times during his talk he was greeted by "boos" and cheers that prevented his being heard.

The first part of his address was devoted to an attempt to prove the Democratic contention that the Smoot-Hawley tariff bill was responsible for the economic depression was entirely wrong. He then outlined the measures that were passed by the Democrats during the last session of Congress for relief from the depression.

In conclusion he said that the state, during thirty years of Democratic government, had degenerated rather than advanced, and that every man, woman, and child in the state owed \$162 for state bonds, four times as much per capita as any other state in the Union.

BOULANGER WILL PLAY FOR DANCES

Columbia Broadcasting Orchestra to Furnish Music at Coming Festivities.

Couples will dance to the strains of music by Charlie Boulanger and his Columbia Broadcasting orchestra at the annual fall German club dances November 18 and 19 in the Tin Can. A partial list of the dance places at which this orchestra has played includes: Trion Ballroom, Granada Cafe, Chicago; Youngs Restaurant, Park Central Hotel, New York City; Convention Hall, Million Dollar Pier, Atlantic City; Asbury Park Casino, Asbury Park, N. J.; Ship Cafe, Milwaukee, Wis.; and other well known places.

The German club dances are scheduled for November 19 from 4:30 until 6:15 and from 10:00 until 1:00 and for November 19 from 11:30 a. m. until 1:15 and from 9:30 until 12:00. Anyone wishing to join the German club should see Milton Barber, secretary, at the Zeta Psi house any day at 1:30 to 2:00 or at 7:00 to 8:00. The club has made a special arrangement this year permitting a small number of freshmen to attend the dances. Fifty first year men out of those who first apply will be considered for membership.

There will be a meeting of the German club Thursday at 1:30 in Gerrard hall to elect dance leaders. The committee announces that no member will be allowed at the dance November 18 or 19 unless he has a membership card, which may be obtained from Milton Barber at the Zeta Psi house.

DAILY TAR HEEL STAFF TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON

Meetings for four divisions of the editorial staff of THE DAILY TAR HEEL have been called for this afternoon in Graham Memorial.

The editorial board will gather at 2:30 o'clock; the city editors and desk men at 3:00; reporters, including sports men, at 3:30; and the feature board at 4:00.

University Colored Servants In Danger Of Losing Property

Excessive Assessments Resulting From Franklin Street Improvement Project Can Not Be Paid by Two Colored Janitors And Painter in Employment of University.

"Old Uncle Green" McDade is in deep trouble. He and two of his aged friends, who have been associated with the University their entire lives, are in danger of losing their homes due to the excessive assessments resulting from the Franklin street improvement project. Caught with "Uncle Green" in this difficulty is "Old Uncle Billy" McDade, janitor of Graham Memorial, and another old colored man known as Rick Taylor.

These three familiar figures in the University and community are threatened with the loss of their homes because of their inability to earn the money to pay assessment which was laid upon them four or five years ago. Each owns property facing Franklin street, and when the tax bill was passed they were assessed the \$7.70 per front foot.

Amounts Protested

This amount, it is charged, is several times that which was agreed upon in the petitions for assessment. "Uncle Green" declares he signed with the promise that the assessment was to be \$1.50 per front foot of property. He was upheld by the other victims when he said that the majority of the colored property owners were tricked into signing the petition by various forms of deception practiced by those circulating the petition for street improvements.

The most deceptive scheme that was applied to the task of getting colored property owners to sign the petition was ascribed to a certain pastor of the colored Baptist church at the time the project was started. This parson, according to McDade and Taylor, tricked his entire congregation into signing the petition by telling them that if they had their names on the

church roll and would sign the paper they would all be eligible to vote.

Served Alderman and Noble

"Uncle Green" McDade was born in Chapel Hill eighty-five years ago, on the very property which he is now in grave danger of losing. He was born a slave of a certain Patterson McDade, from whom he received his name. After the Emancipation he went to work for the University as janitor of Old East and Old West. He is proud of the fact that he waited on Dr. Edwin Alderman and Dr. M. C. S. Noble as students. When these men were mentioned to him, he apparently forgot his assessment woes and began to speak on his past experiences.

Rick Taylor has lived all the sixty-eight years of his life in the community. He has never left Chapel Hill except for three months on one occasion when he worked at a hotel in Greensboro. He has not waited on any of the students, as have the McDade negroes, but has served the University as painter. He proudly claims to have done almost all of the painting for the University except that of the last few years. He is now too aged and feeble to compete with other workers in his trade.

McDades Not Brothers

"Uncle Billy" McDade, who has been associated with the University for all of his seventy-eight years, is commonly known as "Green" McDade's brother. But, contrary to this belief, the two colored men are not any way related. This misconception is due to the fact that both belonged to the same master at the time of the Emancipation.

"Uncle Green" painstakingly explained that his young master

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Depression Leads To Self-Burial As Method Of Obtaining Money

Idea Conceived by Would-Be College Student in Time of Need Is Taken Over by Another Who Will Not Rise Until Roosevelt Is Elected.

Three weeks ago in Raleigh a would-be college student was struck by a motorcycle and an idea. The idea was that he would earn part of his first year expenses in college by the novel scheme of having himself buried alive and charging thrill-seekers for the privilege of looking at him through a pipe.

He got a friend to aid him in digging a five-foot hole and covering the box and to attend to the very necessary job of feeding him soup and orange juice through a tube. The friend also collected the offerings given by the curious. Business was brisk, but heavy rains came and, fearful of a cave-in, the self-dead student had himself reinterred.

Possible Fad

It seems now that the student may have started a fad which will reach the proportions of the one of a year or so ago, when every tree housed a long-time sitter.

For now, a mile from Raleigh on the Wake Forest road, there lies buried six feet deep a thirty-four-year old man who has a wife and baby. "Doc." Proescher, of "no place in particular,"

is the "dead" man. He declares that he will not allow his partner, T. Tunnell, to dig him up until Roosevelt is elected president of these United States.

He "went down" on Monday, October 31, and if he stays until the next president is selected, he will have been down over eighteen days.

Unemployed

"Unemployment" is the excuse he gives for his stunt. He hopes to earn enough through contributions to support his wife and baby.

His partner declares that food is severely rationed to the buried man as "he is so hungry he would eat a dead dog." Twice daily he is given one ounce of hominy and a half pint of milk. He is allowed as much water as he wants, however.

Above the grave, which has the protection of an open-sided tent, appears a "tombstone" with the following inscription:

HERE LIES
A
HOOVER GRAVE
WILL ARISE
WITH
ROOSEVELT.

EXTENSION PLAN REPRESENTATIVES TO CONVENE SOON

Many State Schools Now Participate In Cooperative Program Of Colleges.

The North Carolina Association of College Extension representatives will meet at a short session in the Washington-Duke hotel, November 10. R. M. Grumman, director of the extension division of the University and chairman of the organization, will preside.

The group of directors organized September, 1930, and adopted for their purpose "to promote cooperative relationships among the institutions of higher learning in the state in the conducting of extension teaching; to encourage the development of general adult education; and to provide for an exchange of ideas and discussion of all phases of college extension work."

The following institutions are now participating in the cooperative program: Catawba College, Davidson College, High Point College, Lenoir-Rhyne College, North Carolina College for Women, N. C. State, Salem College, and the University of North Carolina.

FRESHMEN WILL ELECT OFFICERS

Secretary and Treasurer of Class To Be Incorporated Into One Office at Election.

Following the nomination of men for offices of the freshman class and speeches by the nominees in Memorial hall, the freshman election will take place November 16 in Graham Memorial.

Nominations will be made November 14 in the assembly period with Haywood Weeks, president of the student body, presiding. Speeches by those men nominated will be delivered the next morning in assembly.

The actual election in Graham Memorial with the student council presiding will take place from 9:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. The Australian or secret ballot will be used in the election. Three officers, a president, vice-president, and a secretary-treasurer will be elected, and will remain in office until next spring when a new group will be chosen for the ensuing year.

DEBATERS WILL MEET STATE GROUP THURSDAY

Debaters of the University will meet a State College group in forum debate on the subject "Which party should be supported at the next election?" Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in Gerrard hall.

The speakers for the University are Bill Eddleman, speaking for Roosevelt; McBride Fleming-Jones, speaking for Hoover; and John Jenkins, representing Thomas.

INFORMAL UNION DANCES TEMPORARILY STOPPED

The informal dances which have been given in Graham Memorial during the past two weeks have been discontinued until the Graham Memorial board of directors can make more satisfactory arrangements for handling the affairs.

The reason for discontinuance was because the floor was too crowded and proper control could not be exercised over the dances.

LARGER NUMBER TO HAVE PHOTOS IN YACKETY YACK

Increase Shown in Number of Juniors and Seniors to Have Their Pictures Made.

According to information released yesterday by Nutt Parsley, editor of the *Yackety Yack*, a large increase in the number of junior and seniors having their pictures taken for the University annual has been shown this year in comparison with last year.

This total will be increased today since the deadline has been set aside for the one day to allow juniors and seniors whose appointments could not be filled yesterday to have their pictures taken at the Wootten-Moulton studio.

Thus members of these two classes may have their photos made today in time for publication; but, as the material has to be in the hands of the printers tomorrow, pictures for the junior or senior sections taken later will be disregarded. All underclassmen will have until November 15 for their pictures to get into the fraternity sections.

Yesterday afternoon 754 pictures, 341 of seniors and 413 of juniors, had been made. This total was a marked increase over any previous year. Ninety-five were taken Monday to set a record for the number made in one day.

Indications are that this increase in number has resulted from the new plan inaugurated this year whereby the fees for these pictures are included in class fees paid at matriculation.

SPECIALTIES WILL ADD TO PROGRAM OF PLAYMAKERS

Players in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Will Present Extra Numbers; Follow Original Custom.

The presentation of *Uncle Tom's Cabin* by the Carolina Playmakers will be augmented by specialties put on by the actors in the play. At the time the play was originally produced it was customary for the actors to offer these diversions as well as act in the play. Miss Phoebe Baughan Barr, formerly with Ted Shawn's company, will direct these specialties.

The grand opening chorus will be a polka, authentic dance of the "fifties." At various intervals during the show the following entertainment will be offered: a song and clog dance by *Topsy* (Sue Sutherland); a breakdown, with guitar accompaniment, by Donald LaBowme and W. A. L. Bonyon; a novelty act by *Topsy* and *Eva* (Eugenia Rawls); a song, *I Got a Home in That Rock* by *Uncle Tom* (David McIlheny); *Pictures from Life's Other Side* will be sung by *Marie* (Mary Aileen Ewart); and finally *Ophelia* (Margaret Hervey) will sing, *She Is More To Be Pitied Than Censured for a Man Was the Cause of It All*.

These acts will be accompanied by Flow James. The faculty orchestra and Carolina Ensemble under the direction of Thor Johnson will offer incidental music during a number of the scenes.