

## GRANVILLE WILL INTERPRET MANY FAMOUS PERSONS

"Dramatic Interludes" Will Be Given on Student Entertainment Program Tonight.

V. L. Granville, distinguished actor of the legitimate stage, will appear here tonight at 8:30 o'clock in Memorial hall under the auspices of the Student Entertainment Committee. Granville's program will consist of a costume recital entitled "Dramatic Interludes" which will be a representation, in costume and make-up, of the principal dramatic personages of all time. He will present his interpretation of such immortal characters as Job, Nero, Lady Wishfort, Andre, Asano, and many others equally renowned.

Granville will bring with him his own stage manager. Impersonations in wide variety follow each other in quick presentations. Granville has drawn considerable praise from dramatic critics in papers all over the nation. He elicited the following praise from the *Philadelphia Forum*: "It was by far the most remarkable performance of its kind that we have ever seen; to be able to create the illusion of so many and so different characters not only requires talent but genius."

### His Program

In the first part of the program he will give these characters which are listed with the plays from which they are drawn: the Narrator and Job, from *The Book of Job*; Strepsades, from *The Clouds*, by Aristophanes; Pernet, the archer, from *The Free Archer of Baignollet*, by Francois Villon; Hamlet, from *Hamlet*; *Prince of Denmark* by Shakespeare; Lady

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## PLAYMAKERS BILL FOUR NEW PLAYS FOR PRESENTATION

Second Public Productions of Year to Be Offered by Playmakers This Week.

Four new plays, *Creek Swamp Nigger*, *Davy Crockett*, *Four on a Heath*, and *Stumbling in Dreams*, written by students in Professor F. H. Koch's English playwrighting courses, will be presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of this week as the second public production of the Carolina Playmakers for this season.

The first of the plays, *Creek Swamp Nigger*, by Harry W. Coble, is taken from a ballad of the low coast negroes in Georgia. The ballad was originated when a Georgia negro, called "Bo-Cat," took his wife to the deep waters of Hell Gate, murdered her and threw her body into the water. The play is built around the same theme, with the scene laid in the Pee Dee section of South Carolina.

### Play About Crockett

The second production revives the character of Davy Crockett—adventurer, statesman, candidate for the presidency of the United States, and martyr of the Alamo—who has become little more than an obscure legend.

The author of the play, John Philip Milhous, is native to that part of the country which was in Crockett's time the Tennessee

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## DAVILA WILL ADDRESS INTERNATIONAL GROUP

K. C. Frazer, faculty advisor of the International Relations club, stated yesterday that all members of the club are urged and invited to attend the series of lectures to be given by Dr. Charles D. Davila. The lecture program is announced in this issue of the DAILY TAR HEEL.

## SPEAKERS CHOSEN TO PARTICIPATE IN IRISH DEBATE

Carolina Will Meet the University of Dublin in Forensic Battle on Nationalism.

In the try-outs, last Monday night, for the debate with the Irish debaters of the University of Dublin, John Wilkinson and A. S. Kaplan were selected to represent the University. The subject, which is "Resolved: That nationalism is a bar to peace and, or progress," will be debated Thursday evening, December 15, in Gerrard hall.

Those trying-out for the debate were Don Seawell, Bill Edleman, John Wilkinson, and A. S. Kaplan. The selection of Wilkinson and Kaplan was made by Professors W. A. Olsen, E. J. Woodhuse, and G. M. McKie, faculty representatives on the debate council.

Wilkinson holds the Mary D. Wright medal for debating and the Bingham debate medal. He was one of the speakers in the Oxford debate during his first year here.

Members of the team chosen to represent the University of Dublin are James J. Auchmuty, scholar, moderator, and bachelor of arts, of Longford, Ireland; and Garrett E. Gill, B.A., L.L.B., barrister-at-law, of the city of Dublin.

The Irish debaters are touring America and are debating with some of the leading universities and colleges of the country; and according to reports "Irish wit" is expected to play a part in the debate.

The foreign debaters will spend Thursday night in Chapel Hill, and will conclude their tour Friday night in a debate with George Washington University at Washington.

This series of Irish debates in America, this fall, is sponsored by the National Student Federation of America.

Each year Carolina conducts one foreign debate. The debate last year was with Oxford. This is the first time that the University has debated the University of Dublin.

## GEOLOGY MUSEUM TO OPEN NEXT QUARTER

The geology department plans to open a geological museum to the public next quarter in New East building.

The material for exhibition will not be completely arranged within the year, but collections will be added from time to time and loan exhibits of special interest will be shown for short periods during the year.

### Applicants to Meet

Applicants for the medical aptitude test will meet Dr. J. N. Bell this afternoon at 5:00 o'clock in 206 Venable for the purpose of discussion the nature of previous examinations of the past two years. Friday, December 9, at 3:00 o'clock is the time set for this year's examination.

## COMMITTEE WILL MAKE STUDY OF SEMESTER PLAN

Dean Hobbs Heads Body Chosen To Report Findings on Proposed Change.

Appointment of a new faculty committee to study a switch from the present quarter system to a semester arrangement of the academic year was announced yesterday by President Frank P. Graham.

This committee will study the problem and make a report on their findings. Considerable comment has been aroused in regard to the feasibility of such a switch, and now definite action is being taken to make a thorough study of the proposition.

Dr. A. W. Hobbs, dean of the college of liberal arts, heads the committee. Other members are as follows: D. D. Carroll, dean of the school of commerce; J. M. Bell, dean of the school of applied science; N. W. Walker, acting dean of the school of education; H. G. Baity, dean of the school of engineering; J. G. Beard, dean of the school of pharmacy; W. W. Pierson, dean of the graduate school; G. R. Coffman, head of the English department; W. M. Dey, head of the romance languages department; J. W. Lasley, of the mathematics department; George Howe, of the classics department; W. C. Coker of the zoology department; T. J. Wilson, Jr., dean of admissions; C. T. Woolen, business manager of the University; and F. F. Bradshaw, dean of students.

## Group Chooses Universities On Excellence In Graduate School

American Association of Universities, of Which University Is Member, Awards Membership Only to Schools of Highest Scholastic Achievement.

The American Association of Universities, an organization of which the University became a member in 1922, is the Phi Beta Kappa of universities on this continent. Admittance to this select group of twenty-nine educational institutions is the goal of every progressive university.

From the program of the association, it is clear that when scholastic institutions rate each other, their graduate schools weigh heaviest in consideration. While the undergraduate work of universities is an important feature, in the eyes of the association it is the graduate school standard that gives the truest index to the calibre of the individual school.

University Prominent in Society During the ten years which it has held membership in this society, the University has served in the capacity of vice-president, president, and on the executive committee, and is, at present, on the committee on the classification of universities and colleges in America. The apex of its activity in the organization was reached last November when the annual convention was held in Chapel Hill in conjunction with the inauguration of President Frank Graham.

At this time Dean W. Whatley Pierson of the University graduate school, permanent delegate to the association, defined its work by stating, "Its purpose often leads the association to the consideration of the whole range of educational problems; since, if the graduate school depends

for good students on the college, just by the same token, the college depends on an efficient secondary school system. "Every educational division must rely on the graduate school for trained teachers and for research which quickens and expands knowledge. The graduate school, therefore, becomes at once the foundation and existence of the educational system."

The organization merely suggests educational reforms and is in no wise coercive. It also classifies the complex institutions composed of graduate, professional, and technical schools, and ranks the leading schools which give adequate preparation for graduate work. Basing their selection for membership on the general excellence of the whole complex institution, the association first nominates and then elects a school by a three-quarter vote. Upon being elected, a university appoints as many delegates as it wishes, but in the association it acts as a unit and holds office as such.

Conducts Social Research Aside from its interest in organized educational activities, the organization is concerned with research in governmental and social problems, in industry, agriculture, and business. It regards this research into the basic foundations of American civilization as the only scientific method of progress.

The thirty-third meeting, at Chapel Hill last fall, featured the speeches, "Opportunities for De-

## DR. HENDERSON IS MOVED BY ACTION TOWARD EINSTEIN

Local Professor Resents Action Of United States Consulate Against His Friend.

Dr. Archibald Henderson yesterday expressed deep regret about the treatment of Albert Einstein, his personal friend, by an official of the American Consulate in Berlin. Einstein had gone to the consulate to obtain a visa for his passport and was asked several questions concerning his political beliefs. Upon insinuation that he was a communist and an anarchist, Einstein became angry and proposed to call off his visit to America.

Dr. Henderson said that such an international figure as Einstein should be free from the technicalities of Ellis Island, and should not be bothered with politics; he should be entirely independent of petty regulations and politics when he was doing so much to stimulate the young people and investigators to make their contributions to knowledge.

Henderson added that it was undoubtedly a technicality that was hard for him to understand and believe, but the action taken by the American official is very humiliating to every citizen who desires that the United States take a leading part in the intellectual affairs of the world.

Dr. Henderson concluded by saying, "I am extremely regretful that the incident happened, and I hope that it will be cleared up satisfactorily."

## L. M. BROOKS SPEAKS TO Y. M. C. A. CABINET

L. M. Brooks of the sociology department addressed the senior cabinet of the Y. M. C. A. at the meeting Monday night. Brooks' address concerned problems and conditions of the southern negro. A short discussion followed the speech. L. L. Hutchinson led the program.

## PROVED ORATORS AMONG THOSE IN LEGION CONTEST

Past Winner of Legion Contest And Wright Medal Speaker Among Contestants.

Nine contestants have entered the try-outs for the choice of a speaker to represent the University in the fifth annual state oratorical contest sponsored by the American Legion.

Although the date has not been announced definitely, it is probable that the choice will be made Wednesday, December 14, at 3:00 o'clock in Gerrard hall.

Two of the contestants have already distinguished themselves in public speaking at the University—L. H. Fountain, winner of the Mary D. Wright memorial medal this year, and E. E. Griffin, winner of the state Legion contest last year.

The final contest, when representatives of all the colleges in the state will meet, will be conducted in Raleigh in the Needham Broughton high school building, January 20, 1933.

### Annual Contest

The contest is sponsored annually by the American Legion for the promotion of patriotism and Americanism in North Carolina. The subject on which the contestants will speak, not longer than fifteen minutes, according to the rules laid down by the Legion, this year is "Public Education in North Carolina—Its Past and Its Future."

Four prizes are offered to winners of the state contest: a gold medal and seventy-five dollars to the best speaker, fifty dollars to the second best speaker, twenty-five dollars to the third, and fifteen dollars for the fourth.

Dr. George McKie of the English department and of the faculty committee on debating, is in charge of the preliminary contest which will be conducted here at the University.

## FRESHMAN EXECUTIVE BODY MEETS TONIGHT

The freshman executive committee will conduct its first meeting of the year tonight in room 215 Graham Memorial, at 8:00 o'clock. Frank Rogers, president of the freshman class, will preside.

Following is a list of the students appointed to the committee: Butler French, chairman; Russell Mickle, Jesse Parker, Harry Montgomery, David McIlhenny, William Hobgood, W. J. Moore, James McCachren, M. A. Britt, Thomas Hood, Mortimer Ellisberg, William Coan, Howard Hoyt, William Yandell, Donald Jerman, John Michner, Arthur Simkovitz, Simson Parker, John Walker, Cecil Pendelton, Pitt Hudson, W. A. Florance, Walter Gregg, Thomas Evins, William Wolcott, Joseph Shull, Jack Tolson, Alex Hanes, Henry de Vane, Jack Dunn, Carl du Pree, Philip Lawrence, Jack Clare, Dave Mosier, and William McCallum.

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## DAVILA'S CAREER VERY COLORFUL AND INTERESTING

Former President of Chile Who Speaks Here Tonight Successful Revolutionist.

Carlos G. Davila, who was first president of the Student Federation in Chile, will speak to University students in Gerrard hall tonight and tomorrow night on problems of relations between the United States and South American countries. He will discuss the Monroe Doctrine and economic problems. Further, each afternoon he will lead informal round table discussions at 4:00 o'clock in Bingham hall, which will be open to all interested students.

Tonight the subject of Davila's talk in Gerrard hall at 8:00 o'clock will be "The Monroe Doctrine." Tomorrow he will speak on "Economic Relations Between American States." Friday night he will address students on the subject: "Cultural Reciprocity Between the American Peoples."

In the informal round table meetings each afternoon he will lead a discussion of South American trade problems, investments, and currency. Davila is at present a visiting professor at Columbia University and is a past president of the Republic of Chile.

At chapel period Friday morning, Dr. Davila will speak on "Student Life In Chile," a subject with which his broad experience as first president of the Chilean Student Federation makes him well informed.

During the presidency of Ibáñez he served as an ambassador to the United States and was able to come into direct contact with the working of the Monroe

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## PHILLIPS RUSSELL TO GIVE COURSE IN CREATIVE WRITING

University Is One of Few Colleges in Country Maintaining Creative Writing Class.

Dr. George R. Coffman, head of the English department, announced yesterday that those students desiring to take the course in creative writing (English 53) under Phillips Russell during the winter quarter should arrange for interviews with Professor Russell at once, as the class is necessarily limited in numbers. The course is restricted to juniors and seniors.

English 53, to be given in the winter quarter, deals with creative and experimental writing alone, and no text-books are required. Experimental writing is done in all fields of composition, ranging from verse to fiction, and not excluding plain prose composition.

The University of North Carolina is one of a few colleges or universities in the country which maintains a class in creative writing.

Dr. A. C. Howell, of the English department, will repeat English 52 during the winter quarter. English 52 is an advanced course in expository writing, open to juniors and seniors, and sophomores who have completed the two required courses for the second year. English 52 is limited to twenty-

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