

FOUNTAIN CHOSEN AMERICAN LEGION CONTEST SPEAKER

L. H. Fountain, Winner of Mary D. Wright Medal, Gets Place; Griffin Is Alternate.

L. H. Fountain, who has been chosen to represent the University in the oratorical contest to be conducted under the auspices of the American Legion at Raleigh January 20, and E. E. Griffin, selected as alternate, will meet the representatives of the other colleges throughout the state, competing for a first prize of seventy-five dollars and a gold medal. Other prizes that the Legion is offering in this annual contest are: fifty dollars to the second best speaker, twenty-five dollars to the third, and fifteen dollars for the fourth.

Both Men Experienced

Fountain, one of six competing for the honor of representing the University at the Legion contest, was the winner of the Mary D. Wright Memorial medal for debating this year. E. E. Griffin, the alternate, was the winner of the state Legion contest last year.

The speaker was chosen by a rather unique method. Every member of the audience, some seven or eight persons, and the speakers, themselves, voted on their choice by means of signed ballots. Speakers were not invited to consider themselves, but they rated the other speakers. Professors George McKie and W. A. Olsen analyzed the ballots, and made public the results of the balloting several days later.

The representatives from the various colleges in the state will speak in the final contest at the Needham Broughton high school in Raleigh. Their subject will be, "Public Education in North Carolina—Its Past and Future."

SALON ENSEMBLE TO GIVE PROGRAM

Fifteen Musicians Under Direction of Thor Johnson to Present Series of Programs.

The first in a series of concerts to be presented in the lounge room of Graham Memorial by the Carolina Salon Ensemble, under the direction of Thor Johnson, will be offered Sunday afternoon, January 15, at 4:00 o'clock, inaugurating a new plan of entertainment in the student union.

The first Graham Memorial program of the salon group will consist of works of modern French, Russian, and American composers in representative styles of composition.

Fifteen in Group

The salon ensemble has presented several programs on the campus during the fall quarter and has provided the incidental music for several Playmaker productions. The group of fifteen also made one out of town appearance last quarter, in Kinston. The present series of concerts in Graham Memorial will probably continue through the spring quarter.

The program on January 15 will include Lamar Stringfield's *Cripple Creek* from his suite *From the Southern Mountains*, and Herbert Hazelman's *Danse Moronique*, both of which were recently performed in Washington, D. C., by the National Symphony Orchestra.

Seven Alumni To Be Inaugurated Today

Seven University alumni will be inducted into high offices in the state government in the inaugural ceremonies at Raleigh today.

Hon. J. C. B. Ehringhaus, '01, will succeed Governor O. Max Gardner, also an alumnus, as governor of the state while Hon. A. H. Graham, '12, will become lieutenant-governor. Other alumni to be inaugurated today are: A. T. Allen, superintendent of public instruction; W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture; A. L. Fletcher, commissioner of labor; Stanley Wimborne, corporation commissioner; and D. C. Boney, insurance commissioner.

W. G. Clark, '95, was yesterday chosen president pro tempore of the Senate.

ENGLISH FACULTY MEMBERS ATTEND MEETING AT YALE

Modern Language Association Meets at New Haven During Christmas Holidays.

A number of University professors from both the English and romance language departments attended the forty-ninth annual meeting of the Modern Language Association of America at New Haven, Conn., December 29, 30, and 31.

Five Read Papers

Yale University was the host to more than a thousand delegates. Five Chapel Hill professors read papers on various specialized subjects. They were: Dr. Ralph Boggs, who spoke on "The Halfchick Tale in Spain and France," Dr. Sterling Stoudemire, who read a paper on "The Popularity of Soli's *Refundiciones of Siglo de Oro Plays*," Dr. W. L. Wiley, who discussed "Translations of Ovid in the French Renaissance," and Dr. George R. Coffman, who spoke on "Old Age from Horace to Chaucer: Some Literary Affinities and Adventures of an Idea," which concerned the experiences of a passage from Horace in its changes at the hands of writers during the Middle Ages, bringing in Chaucer's use of the passage in the *Canterbury Tales*. Dr. N. B. Adams, who was scheduled to speak on "The Year 1837 in the Theatres of Madrid" was unable to attend the conference on account of illness.

Other professors who attended the meeting were: Dr. R. B. Sharp, Dr. J. M. Booker, Dr. Raymond Adams, Dr. Dougald MacMillan, Dr. Gregory L. Paine, editor of the American literature section of the *Annual of Bibliography*, one of the most useful of the Modern Language Association publications, and Dr. S. E. Leavitt, the secretary of the section of Spanish literature of the Renaissance and golden age.

Dr. J. M. Booker left earlier than the rest of the professors from Chapel Hill who attended the conference, and was the University's delegate to the American Association of University Professors.

Buccaneer Staff Meeting

The editorial and art staffs of the *Buccaneer* will meet tonight at 7:00 o'clock in the offices of the publication in Graham Memorial building.

SHAW'S LETTERS TO BIOGRAPHER PLACED ON SALE

Archibald Henderson's Shavian Collection Will Be Sold in New York After Art Display.

Dr. Archibald Henderson, professor of mathematics, has a collection of George Bernard Shaw letters, postcards, books, and pamphlets which will be put on display at American Art Association-Anderson galleries in New York Monday. The collection will be sold January 16.

The books comprise an almost complete set of Shaw's first editions. A 54-page letter written in 1905 to Dr. Henderson in answer to a series of questions about Shaw's life and career is included in the collection. It is really a biography of the dramatist.

Shaw has long advised all his correspondents to keep his letters and to sell them for the best possible sum at the earliest opportunity and Dr. Henderson is taking the advice.

New Book Published

Recent Social Trends, the report of President Hoover's research committee, on which Dr. H. W. Odum of the University served as assistant director, has recently been published.

The book, in two volumes, makes a very comprehensive survey of social trends in the country and has an entire chapter entitled "Public Welfare Activities" by Dr. Odum.

GEORGE LAWRENCE ADMINISTERS HELP TO ORANGE COUNTY'S POOR

Welfare Officer Plays Part of St. Nick to Many Hundreds of Negro and White Families Which Find Themselves in Need of His Careful and "Slow-But-Sure" Handling.

By Starlin Whitaker

His fellow townsmen know him as "George," but to the innumerable persons about Orange county to whom he is known as "welfare officer" he is "Mr. Lawrence."

On a day's journey with him in Orange county, one soon learns that George Lawrence is more worthy of the latter title with emphasis on the handle. His being St. Nick in person to hundreds in both white and colored families has acquainted him with their problems, which present the tragic as well as the comic slants on individuals every day of the year and which also touch the the human heart, so deep-seated and varied are his duties to mankind.

While the so-called "depression" began with some only this year George Lawrence familiarized himself with that term long before it had been publicized. He began to hear stories of "hard-put," "out-of-work," "disabled," "helpless," and other such expressions early in his career as welfare officer. Depressions may come and depressions may go, but George Lawrence has been in one ever since the day he became a graduate student in the University; and although the way has been hard for him he has borne the depression well and in his darned sincere English drawl will tell you he likes his work.

Chose Welfare Work

It was while at Jackson Training school, at Concord, that he became interested in welfare. After having spent three years there, he decided that he was best fitted for social welfare work. He organized and con-

TICKET SALE FOR LECTURE SERIES TO START TODAY

First Discussion Sponsored by Student Expression Group Set For January 12.

Sale of tickets to the lecture series planned by five campus organizations originally banded together as the Council for Student Expression will go on sale this morning. Members of the executive committee of the old council will distribute season tickets good for the series of eight lectures and a ticket desk will be opened in the Y. M. C. A. building near the latter part of the week.

Miller to Speak

The two speakers for the first open forum discussion, scheduled for January 12, will be Dr. Broadus Mitchell, prominent young Johns Hopkins University professor and Dean Justin Miller of the Duke University law school. The subject is "The American Scene, 1932." Mitchell takes the place of Powers Haggood, first scheduled to appear on the program.

More than a dozen speakers have signified their intention to appear on the discussion platform at some time during the two months-long series. Both sides of every question will have ample elucidation.

Members of the committee who are selling tickets include Alton Lawrence, Bill McKee, Don Shoemaker, Vernon Ward, Bill Eddleman, and Don Seawell.

Wright Accepts New Position In New York

Rev. Thomas Wright, formerly assistant rector of the Chapel of the Cross and closely connected with University life, departed from Chapel Hill during the holidays for New York, where he accepted a new position offered him by the national council of the Episcopal Church. Wright's position is that of acting secretary for college work all over the country.

Wright came to Chapel Hill after completing work in two institutions, Sewanee and Virginia Theological Seminary, at both places making an enviable record. While in Chapel Hill, Wright's work was connected with the fourth Province of the Episcopal Church with headquarters in Chapel Hill.

STUDENT LOANS TOTAL \$25,568 IN FALL PERIOD

Loans to 424 Students Exhaust Fund for Short Term Notes This Quarter.

Student loans totalling \$25,568.22 were made to 424 University students during the past fall quarter, according to a report issued yesterday by F. F. Bradshaw, dean of students. Individual loans, including both the long and short-term funds, averaged in amount approximately sixty dollars.

According to the report, there are apparently enough funds to meet the demand for long-term loans for the remainder of the quarter. The supply available during the final school session, however, will depend on the collection on previous loans and interests, and special gifts.

At the present, only funds for long-term loans are available. The Hogue and Seely funds, which supplied the necessary credit for short-term loans, have been completely exhausted. These lesser loans average in amount about fifteen dollars and need no other endorsement than the borrower's signature. Endowments and gifts are the only means of replenishing the supply.

Students have been urged in the past to try to secure loans in their own communities rather than from the University, due to the limited and inadequate funds of the school. However, an extensive loan work has been carried on through the office of the dean of students.

To secure University loans, students must obtain from the dean of student's office a blank note, which must be signed by the borrower and two other persons as security. The last two signatures must be certified as genuine by a notary public. The borrower must then get a letter from a register of deeds or a clerk of court stating that the two securities are worth the face of the note over and above homestead and encumbrances. The note, properly signed and executed, is returned to the dean of students, who then takes the necessary steps to complete the loan.

All notes bear interest semi-annually at the legal rate of six percent, such income being added to the loan funds. In order to comply with the terms of the donors of the various funds and to increase the number to whom these notes are of service, the

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JOHN J. PARKER SUCCEEDS LEWIS AS ALUMNI HEAD

Dr. Hubert Haywood and Ray Armstrong Chosen New Vice-Presidents of Association.

Judge John J. Parker of Charlotte, has been chosen to head the General Alumni Association of the University of North Carolina for 1933, succeeding Kemp P. Lewis of Durham, according to the results of a mail ballot by members of the association announced today by J. Maryon Saunders, alumni secretary.

A committee headed by Dr. Leonard E. Fields, Chapel Hill physician, opened and tallied the ballots.

Other Officers Chosen

Judge Parker, an honor graduate of the class of 1907, defeated Agnew H. Bahnson, Winston-Salem manufacturer, in a close race. Other officers elected were: Dr. Hubert B. Haywood, Raleigh physician, first vice-president; and Ray Armstrong, superintendent of schools in Goldsboro, second vice-president. Dr. Haywood defeated Carter Dalton of High Point, while Armstrong won from his classmate, Leo Carr of Burlington.

Dr. Foy Roberson of Durham was elected to serve with Ben Cone of Greensboro and Frank P. Spruill, Jr., of Rocky Mount, as alumni representatives on the University athletic council. Dr. Roberson, named for re-election, was the only nominee of the alumni nominations committee, though some scattered votes were cast for a score of other alumni.

The new head of the University alumni organization has been a member of the University's board of trustees since 1921, being at present a member

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GEOLOGY MUSEUM TO OPEN SUNDAY

Twelve Cases of Geological Specimens Will Be on Display as Museum Is Reopened.

Twelve cases of specimens will be on display in the geology museum in New East building when it is opened to the public next Sunday.

These cases, which were prepared by Dr. W. F. Prouty, E. N. Kjellesvig, Charles Lawson, and several students, include three exhibits of special interest. One is entirely given over to the display of various kinds of mineral quartz, while another shows several very artistic models of the more important Mesozoic Dinosaurs, together with bones from some of these forms. A third exhibit includes the skulls of many of the better known prehistoric and early specimens of man. This group was lent to the museum by Dr. J. B. Bullitt of the medical school.

To Open Every Day

The museum has been closed up to this time because of an insufficient number of cases and lack of funds for making arrangements, but beginning next week it will be open daily from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

Some time during the year special exhibit cases will show a collection of North Carolina minerals arranged by Colonel Joseph Hyde Pratt and a collection of arrowheads found near Chapel Hill.

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