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## COMMENCEMENT INVITATIONS GO ON SALE TODAY

Samples of Two Types of Invitations Will Be Displayed at Y and Pritchard-Lloyd's.

Commencement invitations will go on sale today at chapel period in the Y. M. C. A. The sale will close Friday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. Samples will be on display in the Y. M. C. A. and at Pritchard-Lloyd drug store.

Two types of invitations will be used this year. One is made of blue leather with a picture of the Graham Memorial on it, and sells for 50 cents each, or 45 cents if a half-dozen or more are purchased at a time. The other type is made of cardboard and will cost 25 cents, or 20 cents if one dozen or more are taken.

Deposits of 25 and ten cents apiece are required, respectively, on placing orders for the leather and cardboard bids. The rest of the price is payable on receipt.

### Saunders Leads Vespers

President Arlindo Cate announced yesterday that the vespers services tonight will be conducted by J. Maryon Saunders, alumni secretary, at 7:00 o'clock in Gerrard hall. All members of the senior class are requested to attend.

Saunders will discuss the duties and obligations of University seniors when they become alumni.

A change in the program for senior week was announced yesterday by Cate. Permanent class officers will not be elected after tonight's vespers, as originally scheduled, but tomorrow night after the services.

## COBB DELIVERS ELISHA MITCHELL SOCIETY TALK

Dr. Collier Cobb, former head of the geology department, addressed the Elisha Mitchell Scientific society last night on "North Carolina Granites in Art."

Nearly half the area of North Carolina is covered with high grade granites valuable for structural and ornamental purposes, Cobb revealed. North Carolina granite has been used in some of the most attractive buildings and statuary in Washington, including the Buchanan monument made of pink granite from Salisbury, and the new national museum.

## GROUP TO STUDY INDIANS OF STATE

Society Will Be Organized by Archaeologists of North Carolina.

For the formation of an organization to promote archaeological and ethnological study of the North Carolina Indians, a meeting will take place in Graham Memorial building Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

This meeting is the result of letters written by Guy B. Johnson of the University social science department to some 50 persons who might be interested in the organization of a society of this kind.

Those who are assisting in bringing about the organization of this society are Douglas Rights of Winston-Salem, secretary of the Wachovia historical society and curator of a large collection of Indian relics from the Piedmont section of North Carolina; Burnham S. Colburn of Biltmore, who has in a pri-

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## LITERARY CRITIC DISCUSSES WORK OF BEST WRITERS

Mrs. Becker Well Received by Audience in Gerrard Hall Last Night.

Current novels of exceptional interest were discussed last night in Gerrard hall by May Lambertson Becker, well known critic of *The Saturday Review of Literature*. Mrs. Becker had recently attended a library conference in Greensboro and journeyed to Chapel Hill especially for last night's address.

By rapidly, yet inclusively, sketching the plots of several of the season's more important fiction works and interspersing with these summaries humorous anecdotes on literary affairs, Mrs. Becker kept a good-sized audience thoroughly interested for the better part of an hour.

### Praises Stribling's Work

She congratulated the Pulitzer prize committee on its choice of T. S. Stribling's *The Store* as the best American novel of the year, commenting that the book represented work in progress as it was part of an excellent trilogy. At the same time, Mrs. Becker regretted that Ellen Glasgow's *The Sheltered Life* did not receive the award, as most critics expected it would. She considers the Virginian novelist the creator of one of the most important groups of American fiction.

### Henderson and Shaw

With a preliminary bow to Archibald Henderson as the official biographer of Bernard Shaw, she launched into a rapid fire review of *The Adventures of the Black Girl in Search of God*. In estimating the volume, the Metropolitan critic advanced the startling theory that it indicated that Shaw, arch-atheist of the generation had come home to God. According to Mrs. Becker, "H. G. Wells writes the best first chapters of any living novelist and Somerset Maugham the best first pages." Wells, she feels, has lacked the power recently to carry his excellence through more than half a novel. However, his latest work, *The Bulldog of Blup*, was warmly praised by Mrs. Becker as a significant attack on super-aestheticism.

### Kind Word for Lewis

"You can't compress Sinclair Lewis any more than you can the telephone book," said Mrs. Becker in regard to *Ann Vickers* which she regards as an indication that the Nobel prize winner has not lost his power. Still, she does feel that his latest work is inferior to many of his earlier efforts.

Other books commented upon during the lecture were *Union Square*, by Albert Halper, *Hardy Perennial*, by Helen Hull, and *One More Spring*, by Robert Nathan.

### Inter-Fraternity Announcement

All members of the old interfraternity council who are expecting to have girls for the council banquet Friday night are requested to see Alec Webb at the S. A. E. house before Friday night for arrangements.

### T. E. P. Pledges Joe Sugarman

Tau Epsilon Phi announces the pledging of Joseph Sugarman of Newark, N. J.

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## PLANS ARE NEAR COMPLETION FOR CLASS DANCE SET

Junior Prom Opens Series in Tin Can Friday Night; Senior Ball Saturday Night.

Preparations for the annual Junior-Senior dances to take place here Friday and Saturday of this week are nearing completion. The Tin Can, in which the three dances that make up the series will be staged, has been appropriately decorated for the occasion and bids to the dances are being given out.

Three dances will make up the series, the first being the Junior Prom, which takes place Friday night, 9:00 to 1:00 o'clock. At this dance the nine dance leaders elected by the class will lead the figure.

Saturday afternoon there will be a tea dance from 4:00 to 6:00 o'clock, and that night the Senior Ball will take place from 9:00 to 12:00 o'clock. The figure at the senior dance will be led by the nine leaders from that class.

### Dance Leaders

Clyde Boyles, president of the junior class, will be the leader of the Junior Prom, and his assistants will be John Barrow, Stan Heist, Alex Andrews, Cliff Glover, Alan Smith, Red Rankin, John Womble, and Jimmie Nowell. Senior leaders will be as follows: Arlindo S. Cate, president, leader; B. Cabell Philpott, John S. Gorrell, Charles G. Rose, Harry M. Hodges, E. C. Daniel, George Phillips, and B. Perry Collins, assistant leaders.

Bert Lown and his orchestra have been signed to furnish the music for the dances. Lown's orchestra has filled a number of important engagements throughout the country among which was a lengthy one at the Biltmore hotel in New York. At present he is playing at the Coconut Grove restaurant of the Park Central hotel in New York. The band played for a series of dances at Sweet Briar College last week-end.

## Junior-Senior Bids May Be Had Today

Today is the last day on which bids to the Junior-Senior dance set may be purchased by students other than juniors and seniors. The sale of the invitations will be continued in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. at 10:30 to 11:00 o'clock and 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock today.

Juniors and seniors will obtain their bids in the 'Y' lobby tomorrow and Friday. Invitations will be given out to the members of these classes at chapel period on these two days and also from 1:30 to 5:30 o'clock tomorrow and 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock Friday. As previously announced, seniors will be required to pay a fee of 50 cents in order to receive their bids.

### Infirmiry List

Fourteen students were confined to the infirmiry yesterday. They were: Hue Porter, W. J. Jervey, W. A. Houston, Louise Pritchard, Vance Young, Kenneth Byerly, L. B. France, Frank Smith, M. J. McGill, George Stronock, W. E. Collier, F. D. Higby, L. T. Hammond, and C. A. Frazier.

## PRESIDENT ANNOUNCES DIPLOMA FEE REDUCED

Because of prevailing economic conditions, the diploma fee for this year has been reduced to \$5.00, it was announced from President Graham's office yesterday. All students who have paid a \$10.00 fee will be refunded the difference upon application to the business office.

Candidates for degrees at the June commencement who have not already paid the diploma fee are urged to do so at once, and to file in the registrar's office an application for the degree. This information is needed at once by the engravers, if diplomas are to be ready on time.

## ASSEMBLY PICKS SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Former Governors Max Gardner and Cam Morrison on List Approved at Session.

After the list of nominations for University trusteeships had been subjected to severe criticism and had undergone several changes, the general assembly yesterday elected 34 trustees of the institution. The original list of trustees, offered a few weeks ago, contained the names of seven members of the committee which drew up the list and also the names of 11 legislators and several blood relatives of assemblymen.

A substitute list carrying the names of nine legislators, two brothers of legislators, and including that of former Governor O. Max Gardner, whose name was left out of the original draft, was presented at a joint legislative session yesterday, where it met great opposition.

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## MISS BERNHARDT COMES HERE FOR CONCERT TONIGHT

Former Opera Star Will Present Program of Songs by Well Known Composers.

Louise Bernhardt, nationally acclaimed contralto and former Chicago Civic Opera star, is presented at 8:30 o'clock tonight in Memorial hall as the final feature on the student entertainment program.

Tickets for the program, other than student entertainment tickets, have been reduced to 50 cents and are on sale in the office of Dean A. W. Hobbs today.

### Former Opera Star

In addition to winning first prizes in two national musical contests within the past few years, Miss Bernhardt has appeared in Chicago Civic Opera and American Opera presentations. She has presented some 80 concerts during three coast-to-coast tours, being popularly received in every performance.

Miss Bernhardt is noted for her dramatic ability, with which she enlivens her concerts, as well as for her charming stage presence and talented voice.

### Readers Famous Compositions

Included in her recital tonight will be *Adieu Forests* from Tschaikowsky's *Jeanne d'Arc*, *Jager Ruhe* by Schubert and *Kommt dir Manchemal* by Brahms. Other numbers are by Gluck, Caccini, Wolff, Massenot, Poldowski and Ravel.

Among the lighter numbers are *American Lullaby* by Rich, *Parodies* by Hughes, *Sea Poem* by Bibb and *Jasmin* by Dobson. Miss Bernhardt will be accompanied by Miss Mary Feller.

## Carolina Students Behave Oddly During Days Of Beer And Spring

Popularity of Marbles With Graduate Students Threatens to Have Game Exchanged as Spring Sport for Baseball or Tennis; Practice in Front of Smith Building Daily.

Are Carolina men cracking up? It's hard to say, but the combination of beer, spring, and a wild dancing week-end seems to have been a little too much for some of the boys. The police in Greensboro are fuming, Mrs. Whales over at the graduate club is contemplating psychiatry, the Blue Grass stables tremble for their stock, and the absent-minded professors remain absent-minded.

### A Horse! A Horse!

Hi! I Crave a Horse! Three point two couldn't have done it, because it takes more than that to make a man not only strongly desire to eat a horse, and not only really believe that he could eat a horse, but also to make demand in no uncertain terms over and over again that a horse be brought to him. Besides, he wanted a horse baked. His friends tried to dissuade him; he still wanted his baked horse. However, this paper knows of no eating establishment in Chapel Hill with baked horse on the menu, so it is most unlikely that the delicacy was served, either on the hoof or on the platter.

### Please Judge, Be Kind!

They didn't steal the auto, they didn't borrow it, and yet it wasn't theirs. In fact, they explained it satisfactorily to the

police, but John Law wanted a job, so he said they were transporting intoxicating liquor and let them out on bond. They will tell it to the judge Saturday. The story goes something like this:

In need of a ride to Greensboro, several Carolina students "borrowed" a friend's car. The friend knew who had the car and knew that it would not be stolen from him. But feeling that the borrowers ought to pay something for their transportation, he called up the police in Greensboro, gave them the number of the car, and the names of the occupants.

The police dropped charges of car stealing when they heard the story, but they discovered a little liquor, and decided that the judge must hear about it.

The boys got out on bond in time to see the last six innings of the game with Virginia, and, incidentally to meet their dates.

The jail, they report, has an elevator in it. But they confidently expect not to be taken for a ride.

### Tell Me, Professor, Do You Have a Vest?

Ask Roland B. Parker, instructor of freshman history, if he has a vest, and he'll probably tell you that he has one too many. A certain button worried him all through one class

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## Chemistry Student Given First Graduate School Degree In 1883

William Battle Walker First of Long Line of Distinguished Research Students at University; Master's and Doctor's Degrees Not Offered by School Until 1877.

"The leadership in the new research movement in the South is traceable to one institution and to certain men and women in it, the University of North Carolina," said Frederick A. Ogg, professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin, in his book *A Survey of Research in the Humanistic and Social Sciences* published in 1928. The first of a long line of scholars to carry out a prescribed schedule of work in the graduate school, the man to whom goes the credit of receiving the first Doctor of Philosophy degree is William Battle Phillips.

Phillips obtained the degree of Ph.B. as a member of the class of 1877. In the field of chemistry he excelled as an undergraduate, and following his graduation he worked as an assistant under Dr. Albert R. Ledoux, who had been selected by the board of trustees to head an experiment station at Chapel Hill to conduct research in fertilizers for the state agriculture department.

### Received Degree in 1883

The first doctorate was conferred on him in 1883. He had specialized in the fields of chemistry and geology. In 1885 Phillips was elected to the chair of agricultural chemistry and mining at the University. But since the University had not the

necessary appliances for instruction in this department, the entrance of Dr. Phillips to the faculty was postponed. He was said to be too young—he was 28 at the time—and not sufficiently trained for his august position. To prepare himself he spent a year studying at the School of Mines in Freiberg, Germany.

He attained professorial rank in 1886 and for two years was on the faculty. From 1891 to 1893 he was professor of chemistry and metallurgy at the University of Alabama. He held many other positions of trust, including the directorship of the University of Texas mineral survey, 1901-1905, and was president of the Colorado School of Mines, 1914-1916. Before his death in 1918, he had written over three hundred bulletins in scientific and technical productions on many topics.

### Research Established Early

Graduate work at the University may be said to have been started when in 1792 apparatus was purchased to facilitate research in physics and astronomy. No formal division of graduate study was established prior to 1876, although a plan for instruction designed for such establishments at least as far as the Master of Arts degree was contemplated in the

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