

## U. D. C. WILL HOLD STATE MEETING AT CHAPEL HILL

Koch Will Produce Historical Play, "Agatha," by Jane Toy, As Feature of Program.

### TO CONVENE OCTOBER 9-11

The state U. D. C. convention will be held here October 9, 10, and 11, it was announced yesterday by Mrs. W. S. Bernard of Chapel Hill, general chairman of the state convention.

Among the features on the program of the convocation will be a historical play, "Agatha," which will be produced by Professor Frederick H. Koch, director of the Carolina Playmakers.

Written by Jane Toy of Chapel Hill, the drama has its scenes laid in Hillsboro in pre-Civil War days.

The University band and glee club will also put on entertainment for the benefit of the visitors.

### Visiting Delegates

Representatives of other state organizations who will visit Chapel Hill while the U. D. C. is in session, as announced by Mrs. Bernard, are: Mrs. A. M. Waddell of Wilmington, president of the North Carolina Colonial Dames; Mrs. J. S. Welborn of High Point, state regent of the Daughters of the American Colonies.

Mrs. J. H. Belk, of Charlotte, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution; Mrs. J. J. Yates of Asheville, state president of the Confederate Memorial association; and Mrs. W. R. Absher of North Wilkesboro, state president of the American Legion Auxiliary.

## English Professors Conduct Researches On Absence Leaves

MacMillan, Adams and McClamroch Pursue Studies While Away from University.

Three members of the English department are among those professors who have been granted leaves of absence by the University in order to do research study elsewhere.

W. D. MacMillan, associate professor of English, is at present in the British Museum making a study of David Garrick as a dramatist and in relation to the life and culture of the eighteenth century.

MacMillan will remain in England until November or December and then will go to the Huntington library in San Marina, Calif., where he has a research fellowship to work on the same subject.

Raymond Adams, assistant professor in the English department, has a general education board fellowship and is now writing a life of Thoreau, while staying in Concord, Mass., across the street from the writer's former home.

Assistant Professor McClamroch has been granted leave for two quarters in order to prepare an undergraduate course in modern poetry.

### NO SOPH ASSEMBLY

There will be no sophomore assembly tomorrow morning but the second year men will meet Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock in Gerrard hall instead.

## Chapel Hill Merchants Favor Board Succeeding Johnson

Local Business Men Agree in Opinion That New Executive Board Of Recovery Administration Will Represent More Fairly Independent Merchant; "Six Heads Are Better Than One."

A consensus of opinion among the merchants of Chapel Hill indicates that they favor the appointment of the new NRA executive board, headed by President Roosevelt, over the former one-man authority of General Hugh Johnson.

In a series of interviews by the DAILY TAR HEEL yesterday, the merchants almost without exception indorsed the new set-up.

"Six heads are better than one," said Manager Berman of Berman's Department store. "After all, Mr. Johnson has his own business. I believe the board will give the small merchant fairer representation."

"Let a board handle it," said Ed Montjoy, manager of the local A. & P. store. "I believe in equal representation for all concerned."

C. R. West, superintendent of Pender's store here was hearty in his indorsement: "I feel confident that the new appointments are an improvement. I believe there is less chance of six men being wrong than there is when one man is entirely responsible."

**More Fairness Expected**  
D. O. Tatum of the Andrew's "M" Store was a bit dubious: "The board is not far enough advanced to be certain; however, I imagine it will be more equal in representation."

City Manager John L. Caldwell added a final opinion: "I am and always have been an admirer of Mr. Johnson. I think, however, that the logical thing was done. One man was used for the organization of NRA and the board was appointed to continue its efficiency."

## UNIVERSITY FERA QUOTA IS FILLED

Last Job Is Taken Friday, Lanier Announces; 289 Applicants Have Been Placed.

Two hundred and eighty-nine FERA positions, the University's full quota, were filled this week, according to Edwin S. Lanier, Y. M. C. A. self-help secretary. The last vacancy was filled late Friday.

Over 700 men applied for work through the office during the summer. Increased appropriations from the FERA have permitted the department to provide forty-eight more positions to students that it did last year.

### Variety of Jobs

At present Carolina men are at work under FERA in almost every department in school. The general type of work being done varies from labor on buildings and grounds to clerical and research jobs in the different school departments.

The program of aid here is the result of activities of the Greater University student aid committee, which is represented in the Chapel Hill unit by Dean F. F. Bradshaw and Felix A. Grissette.

## Diners View Fire Without Alarm

Small Fire at Co-op Supplies Diversion Next Door.

A small blaze which started in the rear of the Students' Co-operative cleaners and broke through the wall of the Crescent cafeteria caused momentary excitement during the dinner hour yesterday.

The fire broke out at 1:31 o'clock and was quickly extinguished upon the arrival of the local fire-fighting unit ten minutes later.

The conflagration was caused by a faulty flue which became overheated and set fire to the wall of the Crescent cafeteria. Patrons of the cafeteria calmly continued their noon-day repast. Meanwhile the flames crackled away in plain view above the frame of a side window.

The property damage was negligible.

## 'R. U. R.' TRYOUTS OPEN TOMORROW

Cast to Include Nineteen Men And Four Women; Performance Set for Oct. 25-27.

Try-outs for "R. U. R.," Karel Capek's robot play, the first production of the Carolina Playmakers for the current season, will be held at the Playmakers theatre tomorrow at 4:30 and at 7:30 o'clock.

The performance will be given October 25, 26 and 27th with a cast of nineteen men and four women.

### Unusual Effects

In telling of the revolt of machine-made men against their human creators, "R. U. R." (Rossum's Universal Robots) offers an opportunity for unusual scenic and costume effects. Its unique characterizations challenge the originality of actors.

The New York Theatre Guild recently produced it with great success.

Try-outs are open to all students and copies of the play may be secured at the reserve shelf in the library. Students desiring to enter the try-outs should read the play and select any part that they would like to try. They need only read the script.

The tentative cast will be announced Tuesday morning, October 2, on the bulletin board at the rear of the Playmakers theatre. At least two candidates will be allowed to study each part and the final cast will not be chosen until the date of the first performance.

## Homecoming Group to Have Meeting Today

University Club Committee Will Convene This Afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the Homecoming Day committee this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the University club room. Jake Snyder, chairman of the committee, urges all members to be present as there will be several important announcements made and further plans outlined.

The members of the committee are: Irving Suss, Claude Rankin, Ed Joyner, Francis Fairley, Bill Dixon, and Tommy Irwin.

## Dynamite Blast Begins Federal Slum Clearance

Secretary Ickes Sets Off First Charge to Launch Clean-up in Atlanta District.

**CONSTRUCTION TO FOLLOW**  
Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 29.—(UP)—Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes today set off a charge of dynamite that blew a frame dwelling to smithereens and thus started the first slum clearance project in the history of the federal government.

The dynamite blast began the demolition program that must precede the construction of the Techwood and University projects, the first federal slum clearance projects.

**400 Buildings Doomed**  
Approximately \$5,000,000 will be spent here on the jobs. About 400 buildings are to be razed.

A busy day was scheduled for Secretary Ickes. Included on the program was a nation-wide radio broadcast. He also attended the Georgia Tech-Clemson football game as the guest of Dr. M. L. Brittain, president of Georgia Tech.

The slum clearance projects will give work to about 2,500 men for a number of months. Modern homes for 600 families will be provided at Techwood. The University project is for negroes.

## University Club Division Will Meet Tomorrow

Committee Will Plan Entertainments for Football Games.

To make arrangements for the entertainment at future football games here, the Game committee of the University club will meet at 7:00 o'clock tomorrow night in the Graham Memorial room of the club, Chairman Albert McAnally announces.

The following members are asked to be present to complete plans for a program to be presented between the halves of the Carolina-Tennessee game:

Roy Wilder, Irving Ruden, Charles Ivey, Joe Shull, DeWitt Carroll, and Walter Pijanowski.

## Dr. Murchison Faces Task Of Organizing Vast Bureau

Former University Professor Has Not Sought Headlines Since Appointment to Head Commerce Bureau But Has Busied Himself with Studying Foreign Conditions.

Although Dr. C. T. Murchison, formerly of the University economics department and now director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, has not often made the front page since his appointment to the high federal position which he now holds, this does not mean that he has been idle during his months in Washington. Dr. Murchison has been faced with the tremendous task of organizing some 20 divisions which constitute the bureau he now heads.

### Studies Foreign Conditions

In accordance with the tariff act passed during the last session of Congress, intensive studies are being made of the special conditions prevailing in each nation which desires trade with the United States, so that negotiations may go forward for Reciprocal Tariff Agreements.

As far as could be determined, Dr. Murchison's department or his own position will in no way be affected by the resignation of

## Phi to Hear Smithwick's Inaugural Address

Initiation of New Men Will Follow Speech Tuesday.

Speaker Robert Smithwick will deliver his inaugural address before the Phi assembly at 7:15 o'clock Tuesday night in New East.

As the first initiation of the quarter will follow the address, all new men are asked to be present. Smithwick urges especially that the newly appointed initiation committee attend the meeting.

## MYSTERY WOMAN MAY BE WITNESS FOR KIDNAP TRIAL

Anita Lutzenberg Being Questioned About Her Connection With Lindbergh Kidnaper.

### TRIAL ABOUT OCTOBER 10

New York, Sept. 29.—(UP)—Concluding a day of rapid developments which was marked by the medical commission's examination of Bruno Richard Hauptmann presumably to consider his sanity, district attorney Samuel J. Foley announced that Anita Lutzenberg, mystery woman in the Lindbergh case, has been interviewed twice today and will probably be a trial witness.

Miss Lutzenberg, who is a voluntary witness in the case, is being questioned concerning her meetings with Hauptmann in the summer of 1932 while Mrs. Hauptmann was in Europe and her knowledge of the mysterious "John" named as his companion.

Foley also said that three psychiatrists will probably examine Hauptmann early next week. The district attorney's office, the state of New Jersey, and the counsel for the defense will each appoint an examiner.

Trial of Hauptmann on the extortion charge is expected to begin about October 10, although the actual date will not be known until after the prosecution and the defense counsel have conferred and selected a day satisfactory to both.

## STATE SYMPHONY TO OPEN SEASON AT DUKE TUESDAY

Henry Hadley, Noted Composer, To Conduct Concert; Alice Tully Is Guest Soloist.

### EXPECT BANNER YEAR

With Henry Hadley as guest conductor, the North Carolina Symphony orchestra will formally open the musical season at Duke University with a concert Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock in Page auditorium.

Alice Tully, operatic soprano and soloist, will present Gluck's "Divinit Dustyx" as another feature of the program.

Becoming widely known through a series of popular performances during the summer, the state symphony is believed to be entering its most successful season. The concert with Hadley conducting is expected to create particular interest.

### Well-Known as Composer

Henry Hadley has been one of the country's most prolific composers. His first overture, written in 1891, was performed by Walter Damrosch in New York. Since then he has written music in all forms for every combination, vocal and instrumental. His works in every field have been received enthusiastically.

At the age of 23, Hadley was made conductor of an opera company and since that time has conducted orchestras in every civilized country, a record probably unequalled.

### Soloist Returns from Study

Miss Tully has just returned to this country from Paris, to appear with the symphony orchestra.

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## Phoebe Barr Opens New Dancing Class For Children Here

Women's Class to Meet at 8:00 Tomorrow Night; Boys Will Have Daily Workout.

Phoebe Barr wishes to announce the re-opening of her dancing classes for men and women, and the commencement of new classes especially for children.

Mrs. Barr spent part of the summer studying with Ted Shawn at his farm-studio near Lee, Mass., and has brought back much new material to give to her classes. She also did some work in the Weidman school of dance, which at the present time is very popular in the theatre world, Weidman and his groups having been featured in successful musical productions in New York.

Mrs. Barr spent some time in New York studying dancing for children in preparation for the starting of her children's classes in Chapel Hill.

She hopes that the girl's class will be built up to the high standard set by the boys' group last year. She will be assisted in her instruction of the boys' classes by Harry Coble who has studied with her for two years, and who spent this past summer dancing under the instruction of Shawn. Foster Fitz-Simons, a member of Mrs. Barr's group for two years, is now a member of Shawn's famous Ensemble of Men Dancers.

At the end of the year there will be a concert dance recital featuring the boys' and girls'.

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