**Thomas Concludes** 

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# Theater Play Hits Theory Of U.S. Gov't

"Androcles And The Lion" Prefaced As An Attempt To Suppress Propaganda

"It is quite on a par with attacking the American theory of government through the persons of soap-box politicians, windysenators, and grafting dry agents. Only that instead of being actually on a par, 'Androcles and the Lion' comes near to blasphemy," said one reviewer of the Playmaker's choice for the Forest theater production when it was presented by the Theater Guild.

In the preface to the printed edition of his play which will be given tomorrow and Saturday, George Bernard Shaw, "playboy and prophet" writes:

To Suppress Propaganda

"In this play I have represented one of the Roman persecutions of the early Christians. not as the conflict of a false theology with the true, but, as what all such persecutions essentially are, an attempt to suppress the propaganda that seemed to threaten the interests involved in the established law and order, organized and maintained in the name of religion and justice by politicians."

Although the comment on the subject matter and meaning of Shaw's comedy has varied with each production, reviewers have conceded that the play makes a splendid production from the theatrical standpoint, and every production has played to full

# Philosophy Club To Hear Bagby At

Psychology Professor Will Speak On "A Philosophy Of Education"

Professor English Bagby of the psychology department will of the dance committee and will address the last regular meet- be assisted by Joe Hough, Bob ing of the Undergraduate Philosophy club for the quarter this Joe Boak, Aston Beadles, Russ evening at 8:30 and will speak Sheffield, Cy Jones, Nick Patin the Grail room of Graham Memorial on "A Philosophy of rion Hutton, Bill Bell and Education."

Dr. Bagby's address will stress the variety of educational party, appointed a committee to institutions that are the foundation of a modern university, (Continued on last page)

#### **Bath Tub Singers Get Last Chance** To Exercise Voice

Last Community Sing Scheduled For 8 O'clock Sunday In Graham Memorial

Pete Ivey, Graham Memorial Names Of Those Listed To Atdirector, announced that there would be a final community sing in the lounge of the building at 8 o'clock Sunday night.

"It will be the last songial executive, "Len and I plan to evening in the banquet hall of ed his duties in the student unhave it the best of the series."

Only one guest artist is to apof the time will be devoted to wards, Fishback, Fink, Freudengroup singing. The program heim, Greene, Halperin, Hughes, for a nickel.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1937.

**Adams Given** 

**Give Contributions** 

tive work for the "Dictionary of

American Biography," Dr. Ray-

mond Adams of the University

English department has been in-

Biographical Articles

Henry David Thoreau, the na-

centric philosopher and natur-

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Will Merge For

**Combined Orchestras To Present** 

Program For Younger

Music Lovers

Thirty musicians from the

Carolina Little symphony of

Chapel Hill at Memorial hall on

Monday, May 24, at 2 o'clock

especially for children. De-

scriptive and imaginative music

of a type likely to appeal to

younger music lovers has been

selected for the program. This

will be the sixth in a series of

concerts for children which was initiated in 1932 by the music

department of the Chapel Hill

community club. It has been the

policy of the club to sponsor

these concerts through the sale

of adult tickets, allowing all

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ordinating Committee

Dr. E. W. Zimmermann, Ke-

Zimmermann Speaks

The afternoon concert will be

and at 8:30 that evening.

**Monday Concer** 

Fifty Musicians

In recognition of his distinc-

## Set For "Androcles and the Lion"



Pictured above is the setting for "Androcles and The Lion," the Shaw comedy which is to be given tomorrow and Saturday evening at 8:30 in the Forest theater. Measuring 70 feet in length of James Truslow Adams. and 25 feet in height it depicts the exterior and a portion of the interior of the famous Roman Coliseum.

# Party Groups To Serve For 1937-38 Given

Presidents Pitts, Cole List Student Party's New Set-Up

nounced Tuesday night by Pres- of paint off the columns that the Student party in the Graham Memorial.

Subject to revisions or additions, the committees are made up of 42 men. Mitchell Britt will be the chairman of the new executive committee.

**Individual Members** 

Members of that committee include DeWitt Barnett, Bert Premo, John Dorsey, John Graff, Roy Clark, Sid Schiller, Harry Gatton, Pete Burkhimer, Jack Fairley, Charles Rider, Last Regular Meet John Podwika, A. S. Katzenburg, Stuart Ficklen, James Adams, Jim Davis, A. C. Hall, Professor Cooper Addresses Joe Wilson, Don Benton, Bob Wheat and Phil Walker.

E. R. Dickerson is chairman DeGuzman, Bernard Nordan, terson, Jack Scattergood, Ma-Courtland Dawson.

Bill Cole new leader of the submit plans for party organization to the next general meeting of the group. This commtitee consisted of Bob Dalton, chairman; Joe Wilson, Ed Dickerson, Charles Robinson, Marvin Ruffin, Fletcher Ferguson, and Jesse Grier.

## Wigue And Masque Members Will Meet Craig Tells Reporter How our work."

tend At Nine O'clock

The following new members of the Wigue and Masque club ham Memorial janitor and presare asked to attend an impor- ident of the Orange county night the campus who worked during Talk To Concern Work Of Cofest of the year" said the gen- tant meeting at 9 o'clock this school student body, had finish-

Graham Memorial: Arnold, Aid, Boyd, Branca, pear on the bill, and all the rest Britt, Bluestone, Daniel, Edwill be made up of old ballads Hilderman, Hilfman, Hinton, and lyrics, and will take some key, Monroe, Myers, Murnick, of the audience back to the dear, Mease, Olsen, Rowell, Rosen, dead days of their youth, to the Roughten, Schneeweis, Souther- all our unlearned colored folks the teachers. days before Mr. Hearst sent our land, Sarratt, Soposnick, Stein, on the campus together and boys to Cuba, and you could get Schallert, Schiller, Scroggs, "the biggest schooner in town" Speack, Turner, VanCise, Wallach.

## Old Well Gets Face Lifted By Swift Artizans

Painter "Pop" Recalls Days When Landmark Was Only Water Source

The old well in front of South building is having its face lifted. Three major committees to Swift-working artizans from the handle all business for the Stu-Buildings department are chipdent party next year, were an- ping and burning countless coats ident Tom Pitts at a meeting of house the drinking fountain, and soon the shelter will blossom forth radiant and spotless for the summer school students.

"Time was," said a grizzled painter addressed by his fellows as 'Pop', "when this well was the only source of water for the whole university. There was just these four buildings on the

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## **Bob Dicks Chosen New Leader For** Next Year's AIEE

Chemical Engineers At Final Meeting

In the last regular meeting held Tuesday night the local chapter of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers elected Bob Dicks as president for the coming year.

Other officers to serve next year are Charles Mallison, vicepresident; John Glenn, secretary; and Robert Barnes, treas-

school at State college, (Continued on last page)

# **Shelby Foote** Given Award **For Collection**

Sophomore's Library Is Chosen As Best In Contest

awarded the first prize of 15 George Parsons Lathrop, son-in- conflict. dollars for the best private li- law of Nathaniel Hawhorne; brary collected during the past George Ripley, founder of the year by the library award com- Brook Farm community, and mittee yesterday.

Sexton Layton was given the turalist. second prize of 10 dollars and Dr. Adams is recognized Walter F. Illman, received the throughout the country as an third prize of five dollars. authority on Thoreau, the ec-

Judges The judges were Professors alist of New England. Besides the community." A. R. Newsome, of the history his edition of Thoreau's "Waldepartment; R. B. Downs, of the den" in 1930, he is the author of library department; and H. K. Russell, of the English department.

Miss Nora Beust was chairman of the library award com-

The winning library is built around a special interest in literature, and composed chiefly of fiction and Shakespeare.

This is the second annual student library award contest. Last year the first prize was awardanonymous person. The third Greensboro, and approximately two awards are provided by an 20 from the University music anonomous person. The third school will make up the personprize is made up of five dollars' nel of the combined orchestra worth of books given by the that is to play two concerts in Bull's Head.

## Only Four Down

Those confined to the Univer-Dr. A. H. Cooper, professor sity infirmary yesterday includin the chemical engineering ed L. L. Hardison, Tommy gave Hines, Cornelia Gray, and Eloise Sheppard.

# Janitor Relates Growth Of School For Colored Folks

Orange County Night School **Became Organized** 

By RAY LOWERY

Charley Craig, colored Graion one afternoon three years the chance to receive. ago and was strolling by old Person hall watching the University students at their work when suddenly an idea kindled within his head.

give them a chance for an eduknow some practical ideas about

Charley's embryonic plan slowly began to take shape and develop into a reality. His idea was to establish some sort of night school for the negroes on the day and were anxious for

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A Reality

Janitor Craig carried his plan man professor of economics, will to Dr. Harold D. Meyer of the speak tonight to the Foreign gram of fellowship and spiritual department of sociology, who Policy league of the League of emphasis, the members of the was doubly enthusiastic over it. Nations association in the Gra- three Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. Dr. Meyer promised Charley ham Memorial at 8 o'clock. "I wonders," said Charley to that if he would obtain the stuhimself, "why we couldn't group dents he would supply him with be given in connection with the

Democracy" High Honors **Discusses Politics** Professor Invited To

McNair Lectures

Speaking on the "Spiritual Basis of Democracy" last night on the McNair lecture series. Dr. George F. Thomas of Dartmouth college stated that "though we do not expect the political scientist to determine

Topic For Last Speech

"Spiritual Basis Of

vited to contribute to the proour value and ideals for us, we jected "Dictionary of American do expect him, together with the History," under the editorship practical politician, to help us to formulate our values and ideals This is regarded as one of the in political programs and highest honors that can come to a worker in American litera- forms."

Referring to his first two lectures this week on the general Seven of the biographical ar- theme of "Spirit, Its Freedom ticles in the now complete "Dic- and Power," Dr. Thomas, an tionary of American Biogra- authority on the value theory, phy" are from the pen of Dr. said that "the human spirit has Adams; namely, those on Isaac a distinctive nature and a dis-T. Hecker, Frederick Henry tinctive freedom, but that is not Hedge, and Elizabeth Palmer complete until we have shown Peabody - transcendentalists; that it can manifest its nature Nathaniel Augustus Hewit, not- and exercise its freedom in the Shelby Foote, sophomore, was ed New England Catholic; sphere of social and political

#### Common Good

"Democracy can not rest on an individualistic basis," Dr. Thomas stated in giving his conception of democracy," but must have a sense of the common good of the community and a mutual respect amongst its members based on their sense of

He explained that the assumption behind the conception of ception of demcracy, "but must be defined in normative terms. "Politics, like morals, is a practical art which rests upon knowledge of human nature and its distinctive good. The exponents of the politics of power refuse to believe this."

Political Legalism

In considering the moral conception of politics and its application to democracy, Dr. Thomas explained that nothing could illustrate better the danger of political legalism than its tendency to guard jealously the legal rights inherited from the past, but to oppose violently all legal rights proposed to meet the changed conditions of the present.

The answer to legalistic conservatism, according to Dr. Thomas lecture, lies in a clear recognition of the sense in which law is related to morality.

### "Y" Cabinets To Sign Off With Meet On Hill-Side

Special Program Is Prepared For The Last Meeting Of The Three Y Cabinets

In keeping with a tradition of many years standing, the last At 8 O'clock Tonight formal meeting of all the "Y" cabinets for the year will take the form of a hill-side meeting in the Forest theater at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

With a specially prepared pro-C. A. cabinets are all expected Dr. Zimmermann's talk will to attend and bring their friends with them.

President Scott Hunter of the work of the co-ordinating com-That was the birth of the Or- mittee of the League of Nations Y. M. C. A. asked that members ange county night school for of which he is a member. The of the advisory boards also cation too. We all needs to University negroes which closed public is cordially invited to at- make it a point to attend the farewell meeting.