

NEWS BRIEFS

Russian Action At UN Declared Bad Precedent

Russia Boycotts Iran Discussion

New York, May 8—The Iranian case still is the number one headache facing the UN Security Council. In a 48-minute session this afternoon—which was boycotted by Russia—the council voted to keep the case on the agenda until Iran can confirm reports of the evacuation of Red army troops from the country. This action came only after Australia's delegate—Paul Hasluck—called on the group to decide once and for all whether it can legally act in the absence of one of its permanent members.

Second Time

It was the second time that Soviet ambassador Gromyko had boycotted the council, and Hasluck warns that these Russian tactics may be establishing what he calls a "very dangerous precedent." He says it may take the world court to decide the issue. The resolution for delaying action on the Iranian case was submitted by U.S. delegate Stettinus. He called for a complete report from Iran as soon as possible. But, in any event, as complete a report as possible by May 20th.

Committee Grants EM Terminal Leave Pay

Washington, May 8—The House Military Affairs committee has approved a bill to grant terminal leave pay to discharged enlisted men. A majority of the members of the House have indicated they will vote for the bill, which would give ex-GI's up to four months pay for the furlough time they accumulated but did not take before their discharge. The privilege now is extended only to officers.

Government Restricts Manufactured Gas Use

Washington, May 8—The government has authorized a return to the rationing of manufactured gas, and government authorities have appealed to state authorities to restore the war-time dim-out in 22 eastern and midwestern states for as long as the soft coal strike lasts.

Truman Celebrates Birthday and V-E Day

Washington, May 8—President Truman observed two anniversaries today. He celebrated his 62nd birthday at a luncheon with his cabinet, and he marked the first anniversary of V-E day with a proclamation, asking the American people for support in taking unselfish advantage of every opportunity to build a just, secure and peaceful world.

US Ammunition Dump Swept by Big Fire

London, May 8—A raging fire is sweeping an American army air force ammunition dump near the little English town of Elven-den in Suffolk. Explosions have been touched off which are continuing.

Siamese Girl Twins Born in Portland, Or.

Portland, Oregon, May 8—Hospital officials have announced the birth of Siamese twins, to the wife of a lumber camp worker. The twins are both girls, and their bodies are completely joined.

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Legislature Ignores Council's Decision

May Queen Will Reign On Saturday

Are you dating a queen for the May Frolics? Who knows, you might be the lucky man who has a date with one of the 14 lovely senior girls who will reign over the May Day pageant Saturday afternoon.

Names of the queen, her two maids of honor, and the eleven attendants will remain a carefully guarded secret until the climax of the pageant when the queen is discovered as the elusive spirit of May.

Story of the play centers around Rip Van Winkle's dream that he wakes up in May Day land, where all the people are searching for the spirit of May. Such characters of folklore and fiction as the Reluctant Dragon, Bugs Bunny, Snow White, and Little Red Riding Hood will be represented in the pageant.

The event will begin at 5 o'clock Saturday in the theatre. In case of rain, it will be held Sunday at 5 o'clock in the theatre.

Dance Committee Issues Rules of Conduct For Frolics Weekend

The University Dance Committee has issued the following rules in regard to conduct at May Frolics. Any girl desiring to leave the dance hall with the intention of returning must be accompanied by a chaperone during her entire stay from the dance.

Anyone showing signs of drinking or other misconduct shall be dealt with according to the discretion of the University Dance Committee. A person giving a wrong name is automatically suspended one additional quarter to the one in which the offense was committed.

Anyone bringing intoxicating beverages on the dance floor is automatically suspended indefinitely.

No smoking whatsoever and no refreshments of any kind will be allowed on the dance floor.

Coed Senate Votes For Present Status

The Coed Senate voted, Tuesday night, to let its present membership continue until next year with the exception of WGA officers excluded by the Legislature. Blanch Jacobi was elected to act as chairman of the budget committee until arrangements can be made with the Student Legislature for handling of funds.

YMCA Forum Meets

The Y Supper Forum will be tonight at 6 o'clock at the Methodist church and the topic will be "Carolina Tradition—Good, Bad or Indifferent." Speaking for the faculty will be Marion Saunders, Alumni secretary of the University. Larry Barry and Olive Ann Burns will present the student's views on the subject.

Poplin Enters Running For Tar Heel Editorship

Co-Sports Editor Announces Candidacy As Independent In Coming Elections

Carroll Poplin, co-sports editor of the Daily Tar Heel, has announced his candidacy for the post of editor of the Daily Tar Heel on an independent ticket.

Candidates Are Invited To Public Forum

Democratic Nominees Here Wednesday

Invitations have been extended to the three Democratic nominees for Congress from the Sixth Congressional District to appear here in a public forum next Wednesday, May 15 at 8:00 p. m. in Memorial Hall.

Mr. E. Earle Rives and Mr. D. E. Scarborough, candidates from Greensboro, have already accepted the invitation and a reply from Representative Carl Durham of Chapel Hill is expected soon.

Acquaint Voters

The purpose of this forum is to acquaint the voters of this district with the attitudes of the respective candidates relative to vital legislation. The program is being sponsored by the following organizations: Chapel Hill Chapter of the American Veterans Committee, Chapel Hill chapter of Americans United for World Government, Association of Carolina Scientists, Carolina Political Union, and the Southern Conference for Human Welfare, UNC Chapter.

Student Advisers Will Meet Tonight

Junior girls selected as student advisers for next year are reminded to attend the group's first meeting tonight at 7 o'clock in the Roland Parker lounge of Graham Memorial, according to Tommie Holden, chairman of the student adviser program.

Pre-Elections Prom Tonight Features Carolinians Band

The Pre-Elections Prom, sponsored by the Student Union, with music by Jim Marshall and his eight Carolinians, will be held from 8-11 o'clock this evening in the main lounge of Graham Memorial, according to Director Martha Rice. Midnight permission for coeds attending the dance was not granted, since 2 o'clock permission will be given for the May Frolics dance tomorrow night.

Candidates Present

Campus big-wigs, politicians, and candidates from both student parties will be on hand for the gala occasion, which will be highlighted by the introduction of all nominees for top offices in the coming elections. Master of ceremonies for the introductions, scheduled to take place during the 10 o'clock intermission will be Ben Kistler, who will present nominees for presi-

The first independent candidate to run for an office in this year's elections, Poplin is a junior, majoring in journalism.

A native of Winston-Salem, Poplin was sports editor of the semi-weekly Tar Heel from June, 1944 until June, 1945 and since last fall has been co-sports editor. Poplin has been treasurer of the Publications Union Board, sports editor of the Carolina Mag in 1944, and sports editor of the Yackety Yack in 1945.

Before entering Carolina, Poplin was a reporter on the Winston-Salem Journal and he handled high school publicity and wrote a weekly Boy Scout column for the Journal.

Poplin was also active in high school publications, being managing editor and sports editor of the high school paper, sports editor of the high school annual, and a member of the honorary high school journalism society, the Quill and Scroll.

Operator Is Needed At Radio Studios

The position of radio operator at the University Radio Studios is open, according to announcement from Jane Grills, head of the radio center.

The job requires a knowledge of audio equipment and the operation of a simple control panel. Anyone with these requirements is requested to see Miss Grills at the radio studios in Swain Hall this afternoon.

The position will require about two hours per day and will continue through the summer. The person filling the position will be paid on an hourly basis.

Vance To Present Issue For University Action

Fiery Debate Precedes 19-10 Rejection Of Unanimous Council Recommendations

By Westy Fenhagen

The Student Legislature last night overrode by a 19-10 vote the unanimous recommendation of the Student Council that a re-vote be held among Marine and ROTC students on the ratification of the student constitution and student body president Charlie Vance immediately indicated that he would carry the matter straight to the University administration for action.

The issue was over 118 votes cast in Lenoir Hall last week which were nullified by the elections committee on the grounds that no checkoff list was available. Vance and the student council contended that the servicemen "were being denied their rightful opinion on the constitution."

Davidoff Gets CPU Gavel

Volkov, Tillet And Pittman Elected

On Sunday night the Carolina Political Union elected Jerry Davidoff, Anatole Volkov, Sara Tillet and David Pittman as chairman, vice-chairman, secretary and treasurer, respectively, for the coming year. All the officers are rising seniors and will assume office in two weeks.

Davidoff, who succeeds Bill Crisp as the gavel man, entered the Union in the summer of 1944, and has served as secretary for the last year. He is an American history major, president of the Amphoteroben, former member of the Tar Heel staff and councillor in Lewis dormitory. He has also been a member of the Dialectic Senate and contributed to the Carolina Mag.

Volkov, a physics major, has been an active member of the Union for two years, and is a founding member of the Association of Carolina Scientists.

Sara Tillet has served as Chairman of the United Carolina Party, and been active in YWCA work, in addition to being a member of the Coed Senate.

Five Music Majors Featured in Recital Thursday Evening

Five students in the music department will be featured in a voice recital in Hill Hall here tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

They are Andy Griffith, Mt. Airy; Rex Coston, Winston-Salem; Ed Easter, Lexington; Nina Thomas, Tampa, Fla., and Carl Perry, Schoolfield, Va.

Griffith will sing a group of Italian songs and will be accompanied at the piano by Carolyn Bowman of Shelby. Coston will sing selections by Wolf assisted by Mrs. Margaret Kolb, Chapel Hill. Easter will sing a German group by Schubert. William Waters, Roanoke Rapids, will accompany Miss Thomas as she sings a group of French songs, and Charles Stevens, Mount Gilead, will accompany Perry who will sing a group of English songs.

Student Party Nominee

Announcement of the Student Party's nominee for student body President will be made in tomorrow's Daily Tar Heel.

Speaker of the legislature Doug Hunt stated late last night that "the legislature would be willing to meet the student council on any grounds" and that it was his opinion that "students can handle their own affairs."

Jimmy Wallace, in a fiery speech, told the Student Council "to put up or shut up or else keep their slimy mouths shut" and added that "frankly, I would be scared to see the constitution go before a student vote again."

Hunt told the legislature that the holding of another election would be "a mockery and a farce" and added that he "questioned the right of the student council to veto an election" and asserted that in this case, "the council has usurped its authority."

Special Meeting Called

Charlie Vance, president of the student body, called a special meeting of the student council at 11 o'clock Tuesday night after the legislature had voted to accept the elections committee report turned in by Jack Hester and Jack Lackey.

At that meeting, a motion was unanimously passed by the council nullifying the constitutional vote and recommending that the legislature hold a re-vote for those Marines and ROTC students who voted last week in Lenoir Hall but whose votes were tossed out because of the absence of any checkoff list.

Decision in Balance

It has definitely been established that the 118 Lenoir votes which were tossed out would have swung the final election in the other direction and the constitution would have been defeated by almost the same narrow margin by which it was approved.

"The students whose Lenoir Hall votes were destroyed have the right to be heard and if the legislature declines to heed the recommendation of the student council, then the case will be carried to the administration," Vance said yesterday afternoon.

Student Interests Hurt

Vance conceded that jurisdiction over election procedure lay with the legislature but emphasized that unless the Marines and ROTCs were allowed to cast their legal votes that "the best interests and fundamental rights of the student body would thereby be ignored."

Vance added that there had been numerous rumors circulated on campus concerning irregular See LEGISLATURE, Page four