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# Flight Program Postponed Until Winter

## Enrollment Surges To All-Time High

### As 6,660 Pass Through Gym Tally Line

Veterans Compose Fourth of Students; Registration To Close on October 1

By Jo Pugh

Carolina begins classes today with an enrollment exceeding by 2,500 the peak pre-war registration. According to Chancellor R. B. House and Edwin S. Lanier, director of Central Records Office, 6,660 students had registered at 5 o'clock closing time yesterday afternoon. Registration will continue until October 3. The gymnasium will remain open today for late registrants and beginning Monday students must register in South Building.

In 1941, 4,108 students were registered for the fall term, this being the largest number of students enrolled at any one time at the University. During the war enrollment dropped, until in 1944, only 1,681 civilians were registered.

#### Block-Long Lines

Registration this week found lines of registering students stretched for several blocks as veterans, freshmen, coeds, and former students thronged into Woollen gymnasium to the registration booths.

No official break-down report has yet been received from the Central Records office, however, it is expected that there are 800 new men students and approximately 150 new coeds.

Ex-servicemen make up a large percentage of the student body and officials estimate that about 25 per cent of these veterans are married.

#### 100 Coed Vets

The women students total about 1,000, one hundred of which are veterans.

Dean of Students Fred Weaver said yesterday, "The challenge of this hour in the University's history is to meet the duty and promise of our state and nation to our veterans for a college education. . . . It has been a choice between straining staff and facilities far beyond optimum load on the one hand, and denying to hundreds of worthy boys the opportunity to get the education which they have earned and want, on the other. The University has elected to err, if err it must, on the side of the positive effort rather than on the side of closing its doors."

## DTH Requests Student Delivery Complaints

The Daily Tar Heel will be available to every student this fall if present plans for circulation are carried out. To facilitate delivery, students not receiving copies of the Daily Tar Heel are requested to call the circulation office, 8641, between 10 and 11 a. m.

Only 6,000 papers are being printed each issue because of a shortage of newsprint. For this reason students in sorority houses, fraternity houses and dormitories are being asked to share papers.

## Rushing Rules

For the benefit of new men and fraternity men, the following excerpts are taken from the Interfraternity Council Rushing Rules:—

1. There will be a semi-silence period on all new men until the first day of formal rushing (Sunday, November 3rd). This semi-silence specifies that:

- no new boy will be allowed on or in fraternity property.
- no new boy will be allowed on a fraternity-sponsored party.
- no money will be spent on new boys by any fraternity or fraternity men.

(d) all talk concerning fraternities is restricted from conversation with new boys.

(e) activities between new men and fraternity men will be restricted to Chapel Hill.

Any violation of these rules in fact or theory will be dealt with by the Court of the Interfraternity Council.

2. New Men are defined as those who have never been through a rushing period at the University.

All new men and fraternity men are cautioned to observe these rules so as not to jeopardize their rushing privileges. Copies of the rushing rules have been posted in all dormitories, fraternities and other meeting places on campus. Whit Osgood, President of Interfraternity Council may be reached at the Sigma Nu House for additional copies of the rushing rules.

## Official Claims Medical School Is Not Needed

Teacher Salaries Declared Inadequate

Graham L. Davis, member of the national committee for medical school-hospital survey, declared in a recent letter to the president of the state medical society Monday that Carolina would be better off if something were done about the "miserable salaries" paid its professors, than it would be if it gets the medical school which "the state doesn't need."

Davis, hospital director of the W. K. Kellogg Foundation at Battle Creek, Michigan, addressed his remarks to Dr. William M. Coppridge, president of the N. C. Medical Society in a 2,700 word letter. Davis is one of the two members of the national committee who voted against the proposal in July.

Establishment of a four-year school of medicine on the campus has been a subject of debate in this state since the seven-man national committee appointed by the state commission delivered its report to Governor Cherry in July.

The committee, with the exception of Davis and Dr. Victor Johnson of Chicago, approved the four-year school here provided that a hospital and health program to provide greatly enlarged facilities be carried forward, and that a practicable plan for financing medical and hospital care be established.

In his letter, Davis wrote that according to the University's own admission, it functions to a large extent, training professors for other schools because of the low salaries paid.

Proclaiming the medical school unnecessary, the hospital director said, "North Carolina has excellent resources now with which to carry out this program in the way of two endowed medical schools, and the sensible thing for the North Carolina Medical Care Commission to do is to ask their cooperation. But instead it gets all bogged down in an argument over another four-year medical school, fires its director and its really important work comes practically to a standstill."

Mr. Davis recently turned down the post as executive secretary of the North Carolina Medical Care Commission.

## Greetings from Dorsett

All Student Government officers join me in welcoming you to the University of North Carolina. They desire to help you in every way possible in making your stay in Chapel Hill an experience in democratic living which will be of benefit to you throughout your life. Keep in touch with your representatives in the legislature, on the honor councils, and in the dormitory and fraternity councils and let them know how you feel about any problems which may arise. Their goal is nothing short of making our campus government the finest and best. With your active participation and interest in student government their job will be easier.

The coming year promises to be one of great achievement toward a better university and a richer college life. All of us are proud to share it with you.

Dewey Dorsett, Student Body President.

## Graham Memorial To Sponsor Post Pep-Rally Hop Tonight

Record Crowd Expected at First Social Event To Be Held in Main Lounge of Student Union

Graham Memorial, the student union building, will be host to all students at a free post-pep rally dance in the main lounge this evening at 8:30. Jimmy Marshall's popular "Carolynians," a leading campus band, will be on hand to furnish danceable rhythms and specialty numbers for what is expected to be a capacity crowd.

The Pep-Rally dance will be the first social function sponsored by Graham Memorial in the fall quarter. As has been the custom during recent years, Graham Memorial is issuing a blanket invitation to each sorority and women's dormitory. Stag women and men are welcome, and urged to come by the director.

Tonight's frolic will probably be the first campus dance for which the "Carolynians" have played since last year. The orchestra is back at UNC after highly successful engagements at Carolina Beach and Atlantic Beach in North Carolina and Myrtle Beach in South Carolina. Featured vocalist is David Lineberger while Chick Burroughs comes through as scat singer.

## University Officials Deny 'Tin Can' Rumors

Late yesterday afternoon rumors were flying around the campus that the "Tin Can" had been condemned as living quarters and that as a consequence the married couples living in Whitehead dormitory were being evicted to make room for the students now in the "Tin Can."

These rumors have been officially denied by Chancellor Robert B. House, Dr. E. G. Hedgpeth, Mr. C. E. Teague, and Mr. J. S. Bennett, housing officials.

## UVA Now Working To Raise Subsistence for Veterans

By Dick Mottisman

The University Veterans' association under the direction of its newly elected slate of officers announced today that it is working toward the raising of subsistence allowances for student veterans. A petition was sent to Congress and a personal visit made by Jim Chestnutt, president of U V A, to Governor Cherry.

The organization under the leadership of Chestnutt, president; Ollie Beaman, vice-president; Art Friedman, secretary; John Temple, treasurer; and Hugh Wells, publicity chairman was effective in helping to prevent a rise in dormitory rents according to a statement by the U V A.

#### New Blood at the Helm

Wells stated that with completely new blood at the helm and an upward swing in membership the UVA has been wasting no time in its campaign for the betterment of the student veteran, the University, and the student body as a whole.

The UVA owns and operates a clubhouse located beyond Woollen Gymnasium on the Raleigh road. The clubhouse has facilities for entertainment of members and guests. As a part of the organization's entertainment program, a weekly social event is held.

In order to maintain the high standards and efficiency of the University the UVA is expending its influence toward the procurement of higher salaries for faculty members, increased classroom facilities and more dormitories. The organization is further planning a campaign to lower housing rates for married veterans on the campus.

#### To Join UVA

"Those veterans desiring to become a part of this vital organization," Wells said, "may do so by contacting any of the officers or procuring membership blanks at the clubhouse."

## Band Prepares For VPI Game

Professor Earl Slocum, director of the University band, has been holding tryouts for new members since September 23, with a view toward preparing the band for the football game with V.P.I. here tomorrow.

Tryouts continue through today, from two until five in the afternoon. First rehearsal took place last evening in Hill Music Hall.

Slocum has invited all freshmen and new students to audition. The band will furnish all larger instruments such as the tuba, baritone, alto horn, French horn, drums, and some saxophones. Uniforms are being issued in Hill Hall, however, each member is required to furnish his own pair of white shoes, white socks, and solid light-blue tie.

#### Will Go To Knoxville

The band is scheduled to accompany the football squad to Knoxville for the game with Tennessee and tentative plans are set for shorter trips. In addition to the football band, Slocum plans to organize a concert band and begin rehearsals as soon as possible.

Harry Shipman, president of the band, has extended a welcome to all new students and hopes that those interested will present themselves for auditions.

## Housing More Important Administration Explains

Aeronautical Department Will Probably Open To Teach Primary Courses During Next Term

By Roy C. Moose

Plans for the installation of the flight training program announced last month for the fall quarter have been postponed until the winter quarter by the University Administration. In announcing the postponement it was stated that the more pressing

problems of housing and an unexpected increase in students for the fall term "have prevented them from devoting the attention necessary for the establishment of an aeronautical department this fall."

However, it was emphasized that the program is still under consideration and that the courses are expected to be available for the winter quarter.

During the summer term the administration had announced plans for the establishment of a complete Aeronautical Department for the fall term. Under the new department flight training would have been offered to students in the primary, multi-engine commercial, instructor, and instrument stages of flying. The cost of the proposed courses was to range from \$450 for the primary course to approximately \$1,000 for the commercial course. Flight training was planned in planes of from 65 h.p. to multi-engine aircraft at Horace Williams airport. In the case of veterans the training could be taken under the G. I. Bill.

At the time of the announcement, a poll was conducted among the students to determine interest in the program in which only thirty students responded favorably. Officials in South Building stated that the disappointing results may have prompted the administration to postpone the courses.

Although flight training will not be given this fall, the University is continuing to maintain Horace Williams airport. Students who have private planes and wish to bring them to Chapel Hill may arrange to use the facilities of the airport by contacting W. D. Nevil, maintenance foreman at the field. A small hangar fee will be required for the housing and servicing of the planes.

Mike Morrow, acting president of the University Club which has charge of all pep meetings, urged the entire student body to attend, in order to uphold the traditional Carolina spirit.

## Fetzer Announces Admission Policy Regarding Wives

Coach R. A. Fetzer, Director of Athletics at the University, announced last Wednesday that the Department of Athletics is making every effort to provide admissions for wives of students at home athletic events.

Although it is impossible to guarantee additional seating space for anybody at the Duke-Carolina game the following procedure has been announced to secure tickets for all other events:

1. Wives will pay the same fee as regular students. This is \$10 a year.
2. The wife will be granted the same privileges of admission as regular students, with the exception that the Athletic Association assumes no obligation to provide admission for the Duke game.
3. Applications may be made at the Athletic Office in Woollen Gym.

#### FRESHMEN MEET COUNSELORS

All freshmen are requested to meet counselors at 3:30 this afternoon (Friday) at the usual meeting place.

## Fraternities Closed To All Women Students

Until the new Coed Visitation agreement goes into effect, no coeds may visit the property or premises of any fraternity on campus. This rule applies to new and old coeds and graduate students alike. The temporary ruling was announced earlier in the week by Whit Osgood, President of Interfraternity Council.

The Interfraternity Council has taken over the responsibility for the visitation program, supplanting the House Privileges Board. The new agreement will be drawn up at the first meeting of the Council, and it will probably go into operation by the 4th of October. The Interfraternity Council will have complete charge of the program, and they will enforce and administer the visitation agreement.

## Dance Regulations

1. Conduct of all dances in the University shall be completely under the control of the University Dance Committee.

2. Chaperones for all dances given under the auspices of the University shall be selected subject to the approval of the Board of Chaperones.

3. The University Dance committee shall be empowered to suspend from all dances given under the auspices of the University, for a period at the discretion of the committee, any student, visitor, or alumnus for any misconduct whatever.

4. THE FOLLOWING RULES SHALL GOVERN CONDUCT ON THE DANCE FLOOR:

a. Any girl desiring to leave the dance hall during any evening dance with the intention of returning must be accompanied by a chaperone during her entire stay from the dance.

b. Anyone showing signs of drinking or other misconduct shall be dealt with according to the discretion of the dance committee.

5. All dances given under the auspices of the University shall close not later than one a. m., provided, that the last dance in the Commencement series shall close not later than two a. m. When any dance is given on Saturday night, it shall close not later than twelve o'clock midnight.