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## NEWS BRIEFS

## UN Conference Hears Truman

## Delegates Begin Work in New York

United Nations Hall, Flushing, N. Y., Oct. 23—(UP)—President Truman has told the first full dress UN General Assembly on American soil that the fear of war must be erased. He said if it is not, the recovery of the world from its war wounds will be impaired. Welcoming the world diplomats at the site of the old World Fair grounds in Flushing, the President emphasized that if the members of the UN are to act together to remove the fear of war, their first job is to reach agreement on peace settlements. He said:

"The United States of America has no wish to make war, now or in the future, upon any people anywhere in the world. The heart of our foreign policy," he said, "is a sincere desire for peace."

The President declared that lasting agreement among the Allies cannot be imposed by one nation, nor can they be reached at the expense of the security, independence or integrity of any nation.

The New York City public—usually ready to give any notable a rousing welcome—today gave a cool reception to the delegates of 51 United Nations. There was only a brief flurry of ticker tape as the delegates traveled in motorcade down Broadway to the city hall. Some 175,000 persons thinly lined the route. And applause was weak and scattered.

## Churchill Says Russia Getting War Footing

London, Oct. 23—(UP)—Britain's wartime prime minister—Winston Churchill—indicates that he has reports that Russia has more than 200 divisions on a war footing in occupied Europe. Speaking as leader of the opposition in the foreign policy debate in Commons, Churchill told the house that these divisions stretch from the Baltic to Vienna, and from Vienna to the Black Sea. He also accused the Soviet Union of breaking its Yalta pledges.

## Red General Accused Of Stopping Message

Washington, Oct. 23—(UP)—The State Department has accused a Russian general of ordering the Bulgarian government to suppress a message from the United States to the Bulgarian public. The message was an appeal for fair elections in Bulgaria. The State Department now will try to send it by short-wave radio.

## Order Sweeps Ceiling From Many Food Items

Washington, Oct. 23—(UP)—Beginning tomorrow, the price lids are off nearly all foods and beverages including whiskey. Sugar and rice are the only major grocery items that will remain under OPA control. In a sweeping order issued today, price officials also took ceilings off all food and drink sold in restaurants. Both actions are effective at midnight.

## Airline, Pilot Chief Plan Meeting for Today

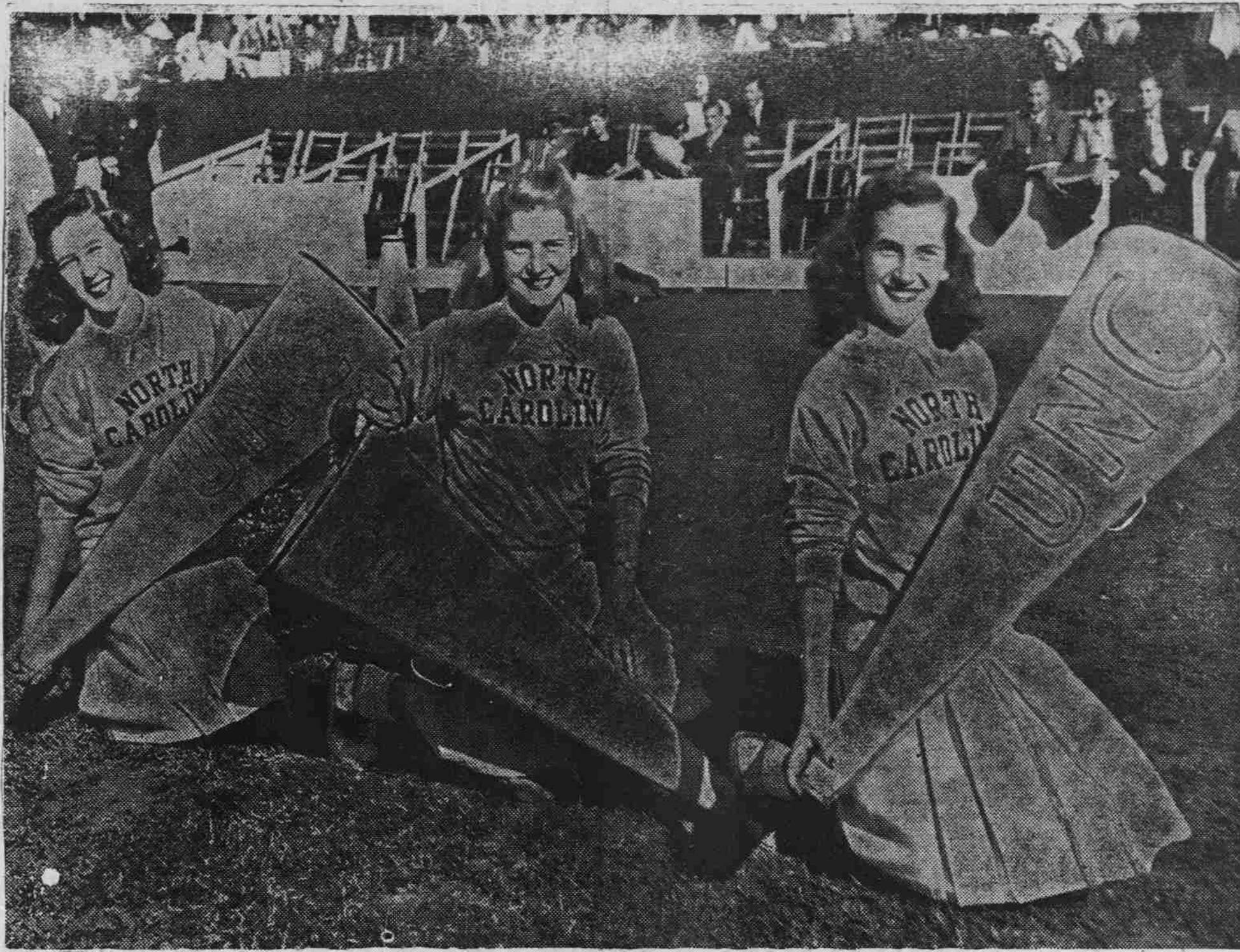
Washington, Oct. 23—(UP)—The National Mediation Board says the head of Trans-World Airlines and the chief of the striking pilots' union have agreed to meet in Washington tomorrow at 11 a. m. (EST). The conference will be held in the office of the National Mediation Board.

## Maritime Negotiations Are Now at Stalemate

New York, Oct. 23—(UP)—The maritime negotiations are reported again at a stalemate, dashing hopes of an early end to the shipping strike. The officials of the A. F. of L. Masters, Mates and Pilots union say they don't intend to come to an agreement until ship masters are given union security under the terms of the new contract.

## The Daily Tar Heel

THE ONLY COLLEGE DAILY IN THE SOUTHEAST



This highly decorative trio of young ladies will star in leading the "Beat Florida" pep rally and torchlight parade tomorrow evening. Shown above as they appeared in Baltimore Municipal stadium Saturday

to organize student body spirit for the Navy game, they are, left to right, cheerleaders Doris Nunn, Barbara Cashion, and Virginia Peele.

## University Club To Hold Torch Parade Tomorrow Night For Homecoming Game

## Cheerleaders Will Stage Pep Meeting With Yells, Talks by Sports Figures

By Bill Sexton

One hundred blazing torches—to be carried by the first arrivals at the Y court assembly point—will highlight the mass procession through town tomorrow evening. The University club, sponsor of the parade and pep rally following, expects to complete wrapping of the torches tonight, and all other plans for the homecoming week kickoff are now completed.

Led by the University band and cheerleaders, the procession steps off from the YMCA at 7 p. m. and will follow Cameron, Columbia, East Franklin, and Raleigh streets in a circular march. Oil tanks are to be placed at Memorial hall and Spencer dormitory to provide fuel for the lights, although students will have to bring their own matches.

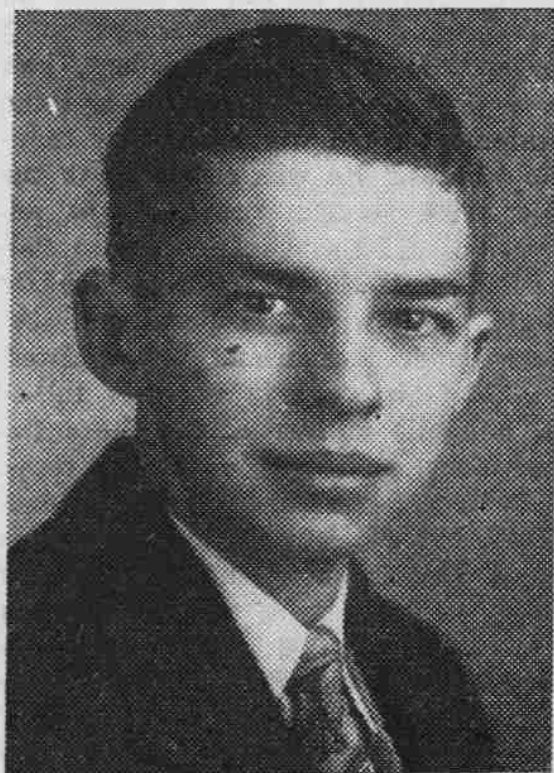
After the procession the cheerleaders will stage a pep rally in Memorial hall. The tentative program calls for speeches by as yet unnamed sports figures, introduction of the football squad, and yells and singing.

Meanwhile, the University club has completed regulations for the homecoming lawn display contest. Again urging every dormitory and sorority and fraternity house to compete for PiKA trophy, President Mike Morrow has announced the following rules yesterday:

1. Entry blanks must be delivered to Morrow at the Phi Delt house before 6 p. m. tomorrow. They must be accompanied by the \$1 entry fee.
2. Displays are to be completed before 10 o'clock Saturday morning, though entrants are asked to set them up Friday afternoon in order that greater opportunity will be given visitors to view them.
3. Cost of the displays may not exceed \$25.

## Young Democrats Elect Committees

Bruce Elmore, State YDC treasurer spoke on the aims and organization of the Young Democrat's club at a meeting of the local group this week, presided over the meeting which named James Taylor, president of the club, presided over the meeting which named the following committees: program, Dan McFarland, chairman, E. O. Brogden and Joe Travis; rules committee, Fletcher Mann, chairman, Peter Burkhiemer and Bruce Elmore; membership committee, Walt Clark, chairman, John Suratt and Harry Pratt.



ROBERT MORRISON

## Morrison Elected New Phi Speaker

Robert Morrison was elected to succeed Jim Taylor as speaker of the Phi Assembly at an executive meeting of the group Tuesday night.

Speaker Morrison urged the assembly to pursue a different policy from the Di and indicated that the assembly would penetrate into new fields of activity. The group also heard Al Lowenstein urge that the assembly direct its activity to "the vast field of work that is yet untouched by other campus organizations."

A. B. Smith was delegated to head a program to support efforts to bring the state-wide Student Legislature to the University for its next session.

All members are invited to bring guests to a Phi supper meeting at the Carolina Inn on Thursday afternoon from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

## Legislature Convenes Tonight

A regularly scheduled meeting of the Student Legislature will be held at 7:30 this evening in Gerrard hall, Speaker Charlie Warren announced today.

## Shepard Responds to Queries Concerning Veterans' Checks

## Regional Office Makes Effort to Insure Checks Arriving to All Students Before November 10

Responding to student queries concerning veterans' subsistence checks for the month of October, Colonel F. C. Shepard, Veterans' Adviser, estimated that 95 per cent of the veterans would receive their checks between November 1 and 3. The remaining students should get them by November 10 at the latest.

"In spite of the release by the War Department that checks will be delayed, I believe that Carolina students will receive theirs on time as the Regional Office at Winston-Salem has exerted every effort to insure that checks in this area will not be late," stated Shepard.

## Similar to Army Payroll

He explained that the Winston-Salem office makes up a payroll, similar to the army payroll, of all student education awards received before the fifteenth of each month. All

properly executed award applications of Carolina students were delivered to the Winston-Salem office on October 9. Therefore, all students whose award applications were correctly filled out will receive checks on time.

A few students, mostly from out of state, will probably not get subsistence checks until November 10 due to the time necessary for the award certificate to reach their regional office and return.

## Supplemental Roll Made

A supplemental payroll is made up See SHEPARD, page 4

## Always Ran Right into Cupid's Arms . . . .

## Roy Armstrong Dreams of Days on Railroad Giving 'Time and a Half for Overtime Pay

By Jo Pugh

"Who would have thought that Roy Armstrong's real name was Lee Roy Wells Armstrong! The very fact that he has kept this gives an insight into the character and personality of this coffee drinking son of Spencer, N. C., home of the famous train hospital. Yes, it's just plain Roy—no put on, no sham, no mockery; but gobs and gobs of overflowing merriment."

This sketch of Roy Armstrong, University admissions officer, appeared in the 1926 Yackety Yack. Above the sketch was pictured a blonde young man of 22 years, a history major whose extra curricula activities included sub assistant football, "13" club, Dialectic Society, and secretary-treasurer of the Freshman class.

## Job More Important Now

Thousands of students have interviewed him in the past year. His job has taken on an increased importance in the past few months as veterans flock to Carolina.

In the last year, he says, he has turned away over 10,000 applicants to the University. Sometimes more



ROY ARMSTRONG

than 100 aspiring students a day have been rejected by the office. Most of these are from out-of-state, he explains.

Armstrong is proud of the fact that

## Vaccinations Against Flu Will Be Given

## Shots to Be Given Both Today, Friday

Due to crowded conditions in Chapel Hill and a recent epidemic warning from U. S. Public Health officials, the University Health Service will administer free influenza inoculations at the Infirmary and Memorial hall today and tomorrow on a voluntary basis.

Hours for vaccination are from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 2 to 5 p. m. both days, with only one inoculation necessary.

The vaccine's 80% effectiveness in preventing both flu and minor colds, plus the responsibility of each student toward preventing an epidemic of the contagious disease have led Dr. E. McG. Hedgpeth to urge as many students as possible to participate in the program. "We have been able to obtain enough of the influenza vaccine to vaccinate approximately 80% of the student body," the health service head declared. He added that "statistics reveal that people who have had the vaccine possess increased resistance not only to influenza but also... to ordinary colds and sore throats."

## Urges Cooperation

"The University Health Service urges everyone to cooperate because the effectiveness in controlling a possible epidemic is directly proportionate to the number of people who are vaccinated," said Dr. Hedgpeth. An outbreak of influenza here following the first world war caused the death of UNC President Edward K. Graham and others and the hospitalization of hundreds of students. Already the U. S. Public Health Service has predicted similar large-scale epidemics during either this coming or next winter.

"A fairly large percentage of the people who take the vaccine will get some local reaction in the way of a sore arm and a slight amount of redness at the site of the vaccination," Dr. Hedgpeth reported. He explained that approximately one out of 200 who are inoculated will run a slight fever two or three days, but otherwise there are no serious after-effect following wartime standardization of dosage. "It is important from the standpoint of the individual," stated Dr. Hedgpeth, "to avoid an illness if he possibly can, and at the same time, since influenza is such a contagious disease, he has a responsibility to his fellow students in trying to avoid an outbreak of influenza."

## CONTEST DEADLINE TUESDAY

The deadline for manuscripts to be entered in the Chi Delta Phi literary contest is next Tuesday at 12 noon. Material should be sent to Rosemary Cleveland in 305 Alderman.