

The Daily Tar Heel

Senator Claude Pepper To Appear Here Next Friday Under CPU Auspices

Legislature Will Investigate Fee Structure

Montague Elected Speaker Pro Tem; Butt, Leary Win

By Gordon Huffines

A bill providing for an investigation of the block fee structure was the first piece of legislation passed at the opening session of the new Student Legislature last night. Providing for a joint investigating committee composed of the Finance committee and the Publications board, the bill authorizes the committee to investigate the inequality of block fees being paid by graduate and undergraduate students.

At present undergraduates are charged a \$5 and graduates a \$3.85 quarterly fee which covers such items as publications, student government, and the Graham Memorial fee. Jack Girard, chairman of the Finance committee, has set Monday afternoon for the first meeting of the joint committee. Tom Eller, Charlie Long, and Ernest House were appointed as special members of the investigating board.

Officers for the present session of the Student Legislature were also elected last night after the legislators had been sworn in. With the voting along party lines, the University party was in complete control of the elections. New officers are: Tag Montague, speaker pro tem; George Rodman, parliamentarian; Jack Worsham, clerk; Ed Washington, sergeant-at-arms; and Charles Loudermilk, student representative to Graham Memorial.

In the election of committee chairmen Len Butt was elected chairman of the Ways and Means committee; Jack Girard, Finance committee; Joe Leary, Elections committee; Edith Knight, Coed Affairs; and University party Chairman Thurman Williams was elected to head the Rules committee.

The new UP redistricting bill. (See LEGISLATURE, page 4)

French Club to Give Dumas' Play Tonight

Following last night's successful opening night, the French club will again present Dumas' romantic drama, "Henri III et sa Cour" in the Playmaker theater tonight at 8:30. There is no admission charge, but according to custom in French theaters, souvenir programs will be sold.

Directed by Walter Crech of the romance language department, the play was first produced in 1829, and has been credited with setting the pace for the romantic movement in drama. Although Dumas is best known as the author of two novels, "The Three Musketeers" and "The Count of Monte Cristo," he had his initial success as a playwright.

The production is sponsored by Graham Memorial, and proceeds from the sale of programs will be donated to American Aid for France.

Ripps Discloses That UJA Drive Thrives

Norm Ripps, chairman of the campus drive for the United Jewish Appeal, today announced that \$750 of the \$2,000 goal has already been pledged, with only one-third of the students having been approached.

Jewish students in Europe and Palestine will benefit greatly by any donation. All money raised through this campaign will go along with funds raised from other campuses to buy clothes, food, books and other necessities.

Contributions may be turned in at the Hillel Foundation office in the "Y" building. Citizens of Chapel Hill may turn in their contributions at Berman's.

New Publications Board Elects Officers, Approves Contracts, Plans Legislation

Burgess to Speak To Presbyterians On Sunday Night

Dave Burgess, noted minister from Rock Hill, S. C., will be guest speaker Sunday night at 7 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

Burgess, who was born in China where his parents were missionaries, is now serving as a minister to labor from the Congregational church. He was the first minister to be appointed to that position from a Protestant church.

Serving on the South Carolina Committee of the Textile Workers of America, Mr. Burgess is doing educational and organizing work for the Congress of Industrial Organizations. He is also serving as Chairman of the Labor committee for the Fellowship of Southern Churchmen. Burgess was responsible for the first church-labor conference in the South.

Before coming to South Carolina, Burgess did work of a similar nature in Arkansas, Missouri, and Tennessee. Working in Missouri, Burgess aided a group of tenants that lived in government housing in organizing to buy their homes. Partly due to the work of David S. Burgess, 580 tenant families of Southeast Missouri became owners of the homes that they lived in. This group of families called Mr. Burgess to be their minister. He served as their minister for a year and a half.

Burgess is the author of various pamphlets, bulletins, and magazine articles. Most of these articles have dealt with relation of labor and religion.

PHI KAPPA SIG

Sixteen men were initiated into the Lambda chapter of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity on April 14.

Those initiated were William Edward Ayers, Jr., Russell Edward Baldwin, John David Barab, Jr., John Hayden Beard, William Jackson Brown, Jack Wilbur Clark, James Clinton Dismuke, Jr., Dewey Lee English, Jr., Woodford Randolph Middleton, Jr., James David Mills, Fred Samuel Patterson, Jr., Claude William Shannon, Edwin Harold Shuford, Jr., Plez Avery Transou, Forrest Ray Willard, and Peter Ansell Webb, Jr.



DETERMINED TO CAST HER VOTE. a bedridden Italian woman is carried to the polls in Rome on a stretcher. The critical nature of the elections brought out 90 per cent of Italian voters, including the lame, the blind and the halt, to decide their future leaders. (International Radiophoto)

America Gets Anti-Red Bill At Conference

Bogota, April 22 —(UP)—The United States won a victory today at Bogota, Colombia.

A subcommittee of 12 Pan-American nations unanimously approved a strong resolution condemning Communism in the Western Hemisphere. The document calls for all American countries to take measures to prevent the spread of Communism or any kind of totalitarian thinking in the New World. It also calls for American nations to keep each other fully informed on any measures taken against undemocratic political activity.

The resolution was adopted after diplomats made a few slight changes in the original proposal offered by the United States yesterday.

United Europe, Sex Instruction, Passed by Di Senate Meeting

Establishing a Federation of Europe and offering sex instruction in public schools were the two measures approved by the Dialectic Senate in its meeting Wednesday night.

Vance Inn Pledges 36 Law Students

Thirty-six students in the University Law School have just been pledged into Vance Inn, the local chapter of Phi Delta Phi, international legal fraternity.

The largest and oldest legal fraternity in the United States, Phi Delta Phi has chapters in 65 leading law schools throughout this country and Canada.

Robert G. Stockton of Winston-Salem, president of the Vance Inn chapter, presided over the initiation ceremonies.

Early in May pledges of the Duke University, Wake Forest and Carolina chapters will be formally initiated at ceremonies to be held in the Senate Chamber of the State Capitol at Raleigh. A banquet will be held in their honor following the ceremonies.

New members at Carolina are: June Ray Braswell, Newland; Joseph Melville Broughton, Jr., Raleigh; Lester Grant Carter, Jr., Fayetteville; David Clark, Lincolnton; Nere Elexus Day Jr., Jacksonville; Emery Byrd Denny, Jr., Raleigh; Charles Lester Fulton; Franklin; O. Max Gardner, Jr., Shelby; William Allan Garrett, Danville, Va.; Winston Bangs Gunnels, Sandersville, Ga.; John Richardson Haworth, High Point.

Edward Brandt Hipp, Greensboro; John P. Kennedy, Jr., Charlotte; Robert Richard Laidlaw, Western Springs, Ill.; Robert Dickson Little, Raleigh; Robert Levoy McMillan Jr., Raleigh; James Baughan McMullen, Raleigh; Jesse Seneca Moore, Jr., Reidsville; Samuel Fox Mordecai, Raleigh; Daniel Wescott Moser, Asheboro; Robert E. Perry, Jr., Greensboro; Warren Seipp Perry, Kinston; William Horton Petree, Winston-Salem.

Edward Knox Powe, III, Durham; Leonard Stewart Powers, Charlotte; Karl Schwartz, III, Sarasota, Fla.; Basil Lamar Sherrill, Gastonia; Marshall T. Spears, Jr., Durham; Ralph Nichols Strayhorn, Jr., Durham; Oscar Edwin Starnes, Jr., Asheville; Ralph Madison Stockton, Jr., Winston-Salem; Alfred Decatur Ward, New Bern, and Algernon Augustus Zollicoffer, Jr., Henderson.



GOVERNOR DWIGHT H. GREEN of Illinois was unanimously elected by the arrangements committee of the Republican National committee to deliver the keynote address at the opening of the party's national convention in Philadelphia on June 12.

Florida Democrat Has Been Senator For Twelve Years

By Sam McKeel

Florida's fiery Senator Claude Pepper will speak here next Friday night under the auspices of the Carolina Political Union.

The CPU, campus non-partisan political discussion group, is sponsoring the senator as part of a series of speakers who will present different views of American politics. The speech is scheduled for 8 o'clock in Hill hall.

Pepper has been the Democratic senator from Florida since 1936 when he was nominated to fill out the two-year unexpired term of Duncan U. Fletcher.

In a background statement released to the CPU, Pepper says that his speeches indicate that he is a "New Dealer," by which he means that his legislative attitude is distinctly liberal and progressive. "I see the government as the means of actually giving to the citizens opportunity, personal security, health, safety, and well-being."

The Southern senator goes on to say that he is very liberal in the extension of the federal power in relation to economic question, but strict in the extension of the federal government's power in trespassing upon civil liberties or constitutional rights, or those general rights thought of as personal liberties or prerogatives of a civic nature.

Pepper says that he believes that only the federal government can give the country anything like a balanced economy and correlation and coordination of the country's resources.

Albright Comments On State Surplus

Raleigh, N. C., April 22—(UP)—R. Mayne Albright, young Wake County candidate for governor of North Carolina, claims that candidate Charles M. Johnson is using tactics of desperation in calling for a 25 million dollar increase for school appropriations.

Albright points out that as State treasurer, Johnson should have been aware of the surplus funds during the last General Assembly. Albright says that Johnson could have asked for a teacher pay increase, but that he did not even endorse the 30 per cent increase granted last year.

PI LAM OFFICERS

Pi Lambda Phi fraternity elected new officers at a meeting last Wednesday night: Irv Fox, Oxford, president; Fred Swartzburg, High Point, vice-president; Lenory Kaplan, High Point, treasurer; Jerry Weiss, Chase City, Va., secretary; Howie Field, Atlantic City, marshal; Bob Kaufman, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., parliamentarian.

But the Scenery's Nice . . .

Sper Finds New Job Is Hard, Unenviable

By Bill Kellam

Easy-going Norm Sper, Carolina's newly-elected head cheerleader, found himself in a rather unenviable position in the now rusty and leaky Tin Can yesterday afternoon.

Most members of the local student body would doubtlessly have considered themselves quite privileged to fill Sper's ample brogans for in the hands of the California card shark that he claims he is in Kenan stadium lay the power to make four of the 10 or 12 comely coeds eternally (as long as he's head cheerleader, anyhow) grateful to him by their selection.

Girls Chosen
The pulchritude-packed quartet, the members of which were disclosed by Sper at the close of the tryouts, is composed of Sarah Jean Farlow, Lucille Arnett, Claudia Lee, and Gale Hancock. Miss Farlow will team with brother Wray to give Carolina a brother-sister combo. Sper also named Sue Walton and Becky Holton as alternates.

The new boss noise-maker didn't consider his task to be so pleasant yesterday, though, for he spent almost two hours tearing his hair, pacing up and down the floor of the then pleasantly decorated Tin Can, and making himself thoroughly miserable as he sent the band of beauties through their paces in his search for the big four.

Disappointed Females
Sper's thankless job — there were six or seven disappointed female aspirants — was eased, slightly by virtue of the fact that he'd previously chosen his quartet of male assistants. The four male aides, who, along with Sper and the gals, will begin an arduous series of practice spreads this afternoon for the Blue-White grid tilt on May 1, include Wray Farlow, Joe Chambliss, Herschel Snuggs and Jerry Pence, who also ran for the post of head cheerleader in the past elections. Snuggs was an unsuccessful candidate for the job last year.

A Few Spectators
Only a surprisingly low number of spectators was on hand to see the whistle-producing clad gals strut their stuff.

Fretting more than a director of a Broadway stage show on the eve of its opening night, Sper dashed from spectator to spectator after each group of girls had gone through its trout cheers to see how the onlookers rated the would-be racket-raisers.

As the number of girls who went through their paces increased, so mounted the number of long faces on the candidates (See SPER, page 4)

AQUINAS CLUB
The Aquinas club will sponsor a picnic for members and guests at Hogan's lake Saturday afternoon.

Those planning to attend are requested to make reservations with Paul Baschon at 7381 or Rudy Tropea in Old West as soon as possible. Transportation will be provided at the Y court at 3:00 Saturday afternoon.

Began With Humor . . .

Taylor Won't Repeat 'Serenade'

The last time Senator Glen Taylor came to Chapel Hill, in spring, 1947, he sang a "serenade" to his fellow Senate colleagues, Taft and Bricker, but this time he's coming back to talk for Henry A. Wallace and the Progressive party.

As last year's Tar Heel said, he began his speech with a lot of humor, but made a neat transition into serious discussion of Capitol Hill problems. Students who heard Taylor speak last year under the sponsorship of the C. P. U. well remember the story he told of how he got into politics.

It began in 1938 when he ran for the House of Representatives. In 1940 he ran for the Senate and again in 1942 and 1944. Each campaign carried him into the far country of Idaho. In 1944, the

governor's son, who was also running for the office, took the lead in the state's capitol, the incumbent was second and Taylor, last.

Out in the other towns the incumbent was first, but when they got to the crossroads and the by-paths of Idaho, that the other politicians didn't know existed, Taylor slid into the lead and won.

Senator Taylor began to be talked about as Henry Wallace's running mate the day after the announcement of the formation of the third party. He accepted in a radio address during the last week of February, 1948, saying, "I have not left the Democratic party, the Democratic party has left me."

In the Senate, Taylor lead the fight against the seating of Bilbo, and has introduced bills to restore price controls, for national health insurance, and other social legislation.

In the field of foreign affairs he has been a vigorous opponent of the Truman Doctrine in Greece and what he terms the war policy of the Democratic and Republican parties. He introduced a measure in the Senate to implement UN Palestine partition plan. Senator Taylor is the son of a Presbyterian minister, and as he said in Chapel Hill last year, got little formal schooling, but made up for it by reading every book he could get his hands on about social and economic matters.

He is speaking here Monday night at 8 o'clock in Hill hall under the sponsorship of the local Wallace for President Club.

TRANSFER ELIGIBILITY

All students who were notified recently by General College that they were eligible to transfer to the College of Arts and Sciences this term are to check by 203 South building, Dean Well's office, between May 6 and 10 for assignment of advisors and registration instructions.