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## Thurmond Repeats Truman Debate Challenge

### Vandalism Talk Held By Officials

Campus leaders from North Carolina State college and the University met yesterday in an early attempt to stamp out vandalism and create more good will between the two schools.

Present at the meeting were the presidents of the two student bodies, Fred Kendall and Jess Dedmond; Dean Wood from State and Dean Fred Weaver from the University; and other members of the student governments of both schools.

Bringing most of their attention on the subject of vandalism, those present suggested many and varied ways of getting the idea across to the student bodies.

One State spokesman said that he thought that the idea is to keep foraging parties of both schools from going out with paint brushes and buckets of paint.

Dean Wood said that the best way to stop such action is through the students themselves, not higher school officials merely talking to the students.

According to another State spokesman, State will have difficulty with their publicity, due to the fact that their school paper, the "Technician," is a weekly paper and will come out only twice more before the State-Carolina game.

Both schools were quick to point out and emphasize the penalty for vandalism. In both schools the penalty is the same, indefinite suspension from school.

Plans were made to reach students through the IFC, the IDC, and the freshman assembly.

Last year cheerleaders were exchanged for the pep rallies of both schools. The new idea is to exchange student body presidents for the pep rallies on the coming weekend and to exchange cheerleaders for the pre-game pep rallies.

Kendall said, "We appreciate the invitation to visit here. It was certainly an opportunity to better the relation. The campus government at State plans to do everything possible to assure that this meeting and all other contacts that the schools have with each other be done in true friendship and sportsmanship."

From Dedmond came the statement, "We were delighted to be hosts to student leaders and faculty of North Carolina State. I hope that this meeting may be a beginning of more understanding and good will between our institutions. We should look forward to further meetings to discuss problems not only pertaining to our athletic relations but to matters concerning our mutual interests as units of the Greater University of North Carolina."

### Fund Increased

RALEIGH, Oct. 5—(UP)—More than a quarter-million dollars in railroad funds went to the consolidated University of North Carolina bank account today because of a one hundred and fifty-year-old state constitutional provision.

Wake County superior court judge William C. Harris yesterday signed a final judgement turning a \$275,598 settlement over to the University's escheates fund. The settlement was the final result of a case involving overcharges of passenger fares collected by the Southern Railway and the Atlantic Coast Line for intrastate transportation during a period between Aug. 1, 1944, and July 25, 1945.

Income from the fund is used for scholarships at the University at Chapel Hill, North Carolina State college in Raleigh and the Woman's college in Greensboro.

### Freshman Group To Meet Tonight In Gerrard Hall

A one-hour organizational meeting of the Freshman Work commission will be held in Gerrard hall this evening at 7 o'clock, bringing together all freshmen interested in advancing their class's fellowship through the YMCA.

The gathering tonight will be open to all first year students. John Brockman, president of the freshman group in the YMCA last year, will preside over the meeting which will include brief explanatory speeches about the work commission and the history and work of the Y in general.

"The Y believes," Brockman stated, "that the best way to bring the freshman class members closer together is to organize a sort of nucleus of class leaders among the freshmen themselves. Then this nucleus can formulate its own ideas to benefit all freshmen throughout the coming year, the 'Y' offering whatever assistance is called for."

Called the Freshman Friendship council heretofore, an annually-organized group of first year students has taken an active part in the YMCA programs for many years. Last year the council arranged two dances in conjunction with WCUNC; co-operated with the YMCA cabinet in the local charity drives and the campus-wide Natural Bridge retreat; and planned the pre-school conference at Camp Nawakwa for this year's new students.

### Wallace Group To Meet Tonight

The Wallace-for-President Club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Horace Williams lounge of Graham Memorial. Persons interested in the Progressive party and the campaign of Henry A. Wallace are invited to attend the meetings each Wednesday. There will be a question and answer session at each meeting of the Wallace group.

### Pan-Hel Council Will Meet Today

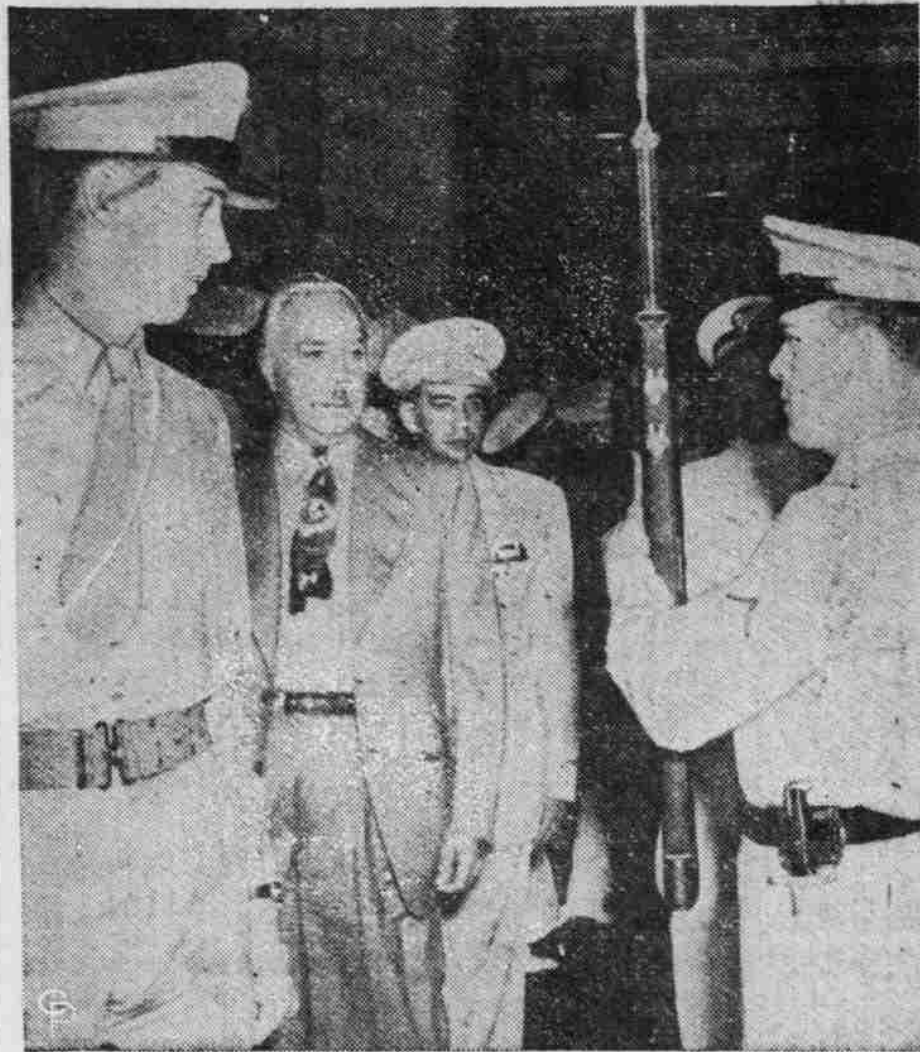
The Panhellenic council meets this afternoon in the Grail room, Graham Memorial at 5 o'clock. Ferné Hughes announced yesterday.

### Fitz-Simons To Speak Today At Bull's Head Bookshop Tea

During the fall's first Bull's Head Bookshop tea to be conducted this afternoon at 4 o'clock, Foster Fitz-Simons, assistant professor in the department of Dramatic Arts, will be present to discuss his recently published book, "Bright Leaf." The tea will be held in the library staff room, next to west door entrance on the ground floor of the University library.

No invitations will be sent out for the tea and no reservations will be made; however, all students, especially those interested in creative writing, and the general public is invited to attend to hear Fitz-Simons.

Fitz-Simons will be introduced by Samuel Selden, head of the Dramatic Art department of the University. The exhibit that has



ON THE ANNIVERSARY of the signing of the Trujillo-Hull treaty, President Rafael L. Trujillo, of the Dominican Republic, inspects the U. S. aircraft carrier Coral Sea during its visit to the Caribbean country. In the treaty, signed 10 years ago, the United States agreed to restore to the Dominican Republic full control of its customs houses.

### All Yack Appointments Cancelled; Deadline Set

All Yack appointments for pictures have been cancelled. Bill Duncan, Yack editor, said yesterday. Duncan received a long-distance call from Arthur Grey, president of Chidnoff Studio, N. Y., yesterday to the effect that the studio is losing money on the contract with the Yackety Yack because students are not filling their appointments according to schedule.

The photographers were originally scheduled to take pictures through Oct. 31, but further developments force them to stay here only through the 22nd of this month. Duncan said pictures will be made according to a "first come, first served" schedule. At least 200 pictures a day must be made in order for all students to appear in the 1949 yearbook. This is a necessity, according to Duncan, in order that both the Yack staff and Chidnoff meet their respective deadlines.

Last year's pictures were not satisfactory to Duncan, and he urged Chidnoff studio to send the best photographers available to the University. This was done, but to a greater expense. The photographers are top flight men in their field, and Grey reported that the pictures taken this year were far superior to last year's.

Proofs will be returned to students in less than two weeks after the picture is made, and implicit directions will be enclosed with the proofs as to what procedure the student should

be on display in the main lobby of the library will be removed to the staff room to be viewed during the tea. The display, labeled "The Making of a Novel," shows the steps utilized in the writing of Bright Leaf. Major changes in the eight different versions from the initial manuscripts to the finished product, is shown in the exhibit.

The book, about which the member of the Playmakers will speak, required a period of ten years to write and captures the development of a tremendous fortune in the tobacco industry. Motion picture rights to the 631-page book, published by Reinhart and company, has been sold by Fitz-Simons to Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

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### 80th Congress Is Di Subject

The Di Senate will debate tonight at 9 o'clock in the Senate hall, West building, the question of President Truman's remarks concerning the 80th Congress.

Don Shropshire, former president of the Senate, will introduce a bill "To return Harry S. Truman to the White House." The bill reads:

"Whereas: The 80th Republican-controlled Congress of the United States has failed to provide many of the measures that the administration deemed absolutely necessary to national security,

And whereas the Congress has passed legislation that has been detrimental to the economic structure of the country, and whereas the Congress has shown a marked tendency to court the vested interest groups,

And whereas the Congress has turned our respected government into a type of side-show by its ridiculous hearings of the Un-American committee,

And whereas the Congress has generally been playing 'politics' instead of letting the best interests of the nation dominate their deliberations pending legislation; therefore be it resolved that:

Article I: The Dialectic Senate go on record as backing the recent remarks concerning the 80th Congress by the President of the United States, and

Article II: The Senate goes on record as favoring the return of Harry S. Truman to the White House as President of the United States."

The Di Senate has had on its roll many great men such as President James K. Polk; Governor Zebulon Baird Vance, Past Deputy Minister to the U. N. Security council, and Dr. Frank Porter Graham president of the Greater University of North Carolina.

"The meeting tonight is open to all members of the student body and townspeople," said President pro-tem Gran Childress.

### Ring Orders Will Be Taken Tomorrow

Orders for senior rings will be taken at the Y tomorrow by Lee H. Blackwell the representative from the L. G. Balfour company. Each Wednesday thereafter he will be at the Y between one and 4:30 in the afternoon to take orders.

As in the past the Order of the Grail will handle the transactions with Monroe Landreth as chairman of the Ring committee.

### Society Writers To Meet in GM

There will be a staff meeting of all people interested in doing any type of society writing for the Daily Tar Heel in the kitchen of Graham Memorial at 4 o'clock today. Everyone is welcome to come, whether experienced or green as grass.

### Grad Exam-Takers To Register Today

All students planning to enter graduate school next quarter must register today for the graduate record exam. The exam, which will be given Oct. 25 and 26, is a national exam, administered once each three months.

### Debate Council Calls Meeting

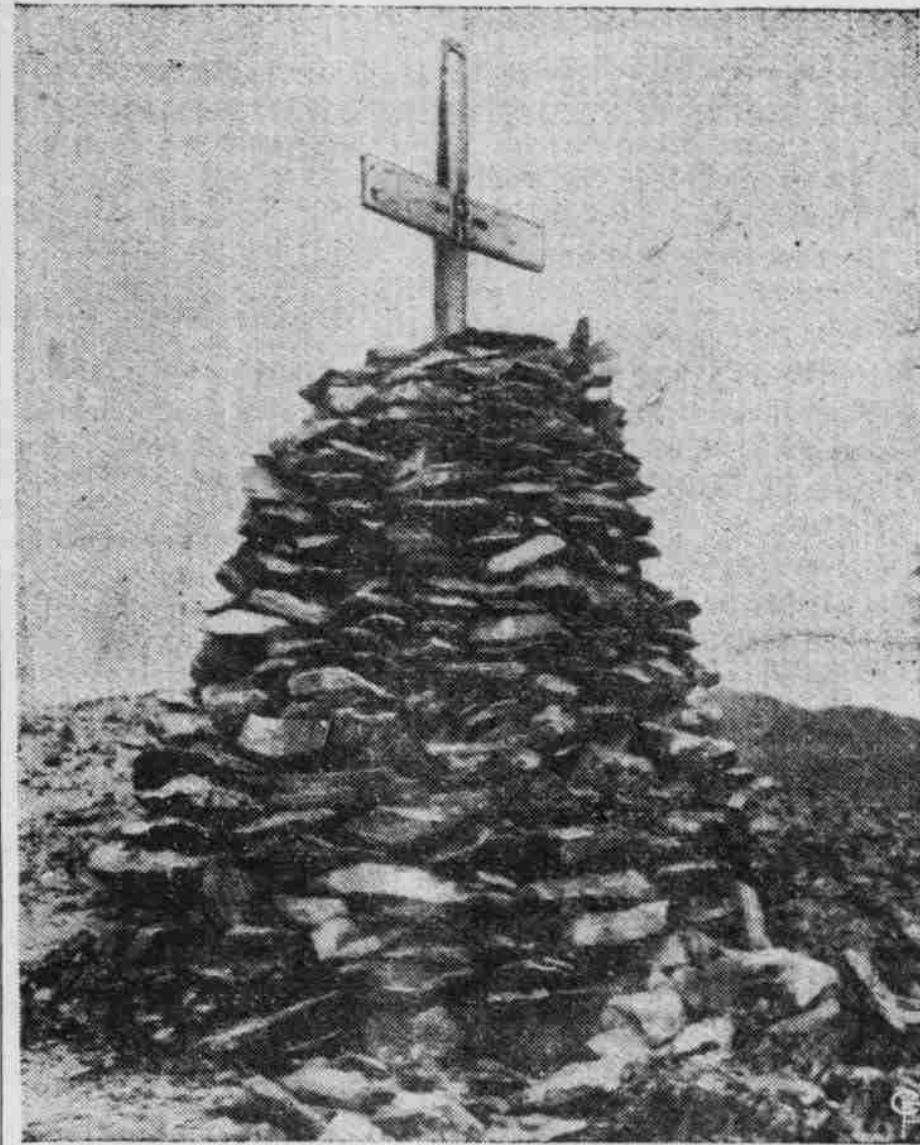
The Debate council requested yesterday that all students interested in joining the varsity debate squad attend a meeting to be held in Graham Memorial at 7 o'clock tonight. Business of the meeting will concern information on tryouts and formation of the squad, announced Earl Fitzgerald, president of the council.

### Debate Council Schedules First Meeting This Evening

The University Debate council will hold its first meeting of the year tonight in Horace Williams lounge of Graham Memorial, Earl Fitzgerald, president, announced yesterday.

Students interested in varsity debating, especially new and transfer students, are requested to attend the meeting.

At the meeting, Fitzgerald said, the intercollegiate debate question will be given to those present, and announcements regarding practice debates and tryouts will be made. He emphasized that the Debate council is in need of coed speakers, in order to use all-girl teams during the year.



IN THIS ROCKY CAIRN, about 450 miles from the North Pole, stranded members of a Navy-Coast Guard expedition found records signed and left in a bottle by Comdr. Robert E. Peary more than forty years ago, in 1906. The cairn is located on Cape Sheridan, Can., where the stranded men were waiting for a helicopter to rescue them when they made the historic discovery.

### University Day Plans Under Saunders, Sper

By Lincoln Kan

Spike Saunders, executive secretary of the General Alumni association, was appointed general chairman of the University day program Oct. 12 by Chancellor R. B. House, and Norm Sper, head cheerleader was put in charge of the actual program at a preliminary meeting yesterday.

The University day services as planned so far will begin at 11 o'clock in front of the South building steps facing the library. The band and the University choir will lead the singing of the University hymn which will start the services. The entire student body will be asked to join in one minute of silence after the invocation. The program will end with the singing of "Hark the Sound."

The celebration of the 154th anniversary of the University since it opened for matriculation will be an expression of the faculty administration and student's allegiance.

Tentative plans made at the preliminary meeting also called for a parade formation, mock cornerstone laying and other pageantry. Classes will be suspended till 2 o'clock, immediately after the services.

The Order of the Grail was asked to assume the responsibility for the pageantry which will commemorate the University's anniversary. They will seek the cooperation of the Playmakers and other organizations.

The Monogram club will assist in the distribution of programs and will help encourage the full participation of the campus.

Attending the meeting called by Chancellor House were; Bill Shufford, assistant to Spike Saunders; Scotty Venable, representing President of the Student Body Jess Dedmond; Ed Lanier, director of Central records; Roy Armstrong, director of admissions; Dr. J. C. Lyons, faculty marshal; Gus Johnston, president of the Monogram club; C. E. Teague, assistant controller and business manager of the University; Victor Huggins, president of the Chapel Hill Merchant's association; and Spike Saunders, executive secretary of the General Alumni association.

### Freshmen Hear Spruill Speak During Third Assembly Meeting

By Charles Pritchard

Continuing orientation of new students, the third freshman assembly in Memorial hall yesterday introduced to the students Dean of the General college C. P. Spruill, Jr., who briefly outlined the obligations of faculty and students along with the opportunities presented.

Dean Spruill, a graduate of the University and the instigator of the division of the General college, said yesterday that the heritage of the University has been placed in the hands of the freshmen, and that here it is a case in which the whole is greater than its parts.

"As long as you live and remember, there will be the memory of experience at Chapel Hill," the speaker said. According to Dean Spruill, an attempt is being made to continue the task that is becoming harder and harder to discourage. This faculty obligation, he said,

is to recognize and deal with each student as an individual.

He urged the freshmen to arrange conferences with their advisors in order to plan "the best years of your four years of study." He recommended that the students take full advantage of placement test service, medical advice and urged them to adapt the resources of the University to the energies of the student.

Strenuous efforts, Dean Spruill pointed out, are still being made to combat the housing crisis, another faculty obligation.

"Personal conflicts can be resolved by the ideal that each student is an individual, unique in his own abilities," he said, explaining the opportunities of developing warm associations and personal friendships among students.

"We will find that most anything we learn comes in handy at one time or another," he advised.

### Says He Will Even Argue In Missouri

By Sam McKeel

J. Strom Thurmond, governor of South Carolina and States Rights candidate for the presidency of the United States, last night reiterated his challenge to President Truman to debate the Civil Rights proposals anywhere in North Carolina or he would debate him in Missouri.

Speaking before a Hill hall audience of 1,800 that filled the seats, the aisles, and crowded outside the doors, Thurmond included Dewey in his challenge, adding, "Henry Wallace, I ignore." Thurmond assailed the men who have said that the States Righters have left the Democratic party. "We have not left the Democratic party, the national leadership has left the Democratic party," he said.

In attacking the Fair Employment Practice commission Thurmond said, "I never thought the time would come when an employer could not hire and fire, or promote and demote whom he pleased. This bill is against the best interests of America. You can't ask an applicant if he is an atheist, if he is a Communist, if he has ever gone under any other name, or if he has committed any crimes. That bill is perfect for the Communists; they couldn't ask for a better bill."

As he made one statement on Dewey he was booed, looking around he said, "I thought we'd hear from the Republicans soon. If you Republicans will wait a minute I'll convince you."

Almost at the close of his speech, Thurmond said, "Now we come to Wallace. I don't care to discuss him so we'll get on another subject."

"Truman is coming to North Carolina soon," he said. "When he gets here I want some of you good Southerners to ask him to explain civil rights."

Thurmond pointed out that the constitution of the United States says that voting requirements are left to the individual states. "As long as the people in the United States can fix the voting requirements we will have a fine country and not a totalitarian state," he said.

Talking of the anti-lynching bill, Thurmond said he was against lynching as much as anyone because it is the worst form of murder. In the United States last year there was just one lynching, while in New York city alone there were 350 murders, he said.

Asked what his policy toward Russia is Gov. Thurmond said he believes in being patient but firm. He said he believed in giving Russia what was supposed to be given under agreements, but giving them nothing else.

Thurmond opened his speech by saying that no matter who ran in the election, "if I am elected the White House will have the prettiest first lady in history."

### Well-Baby Clinic Switches Dates

The Chapel Hill Well-Baby clinic, co-sponsored by the Junior Service League and the District Health department, announced yesterday that their meeting dates will be changed.

The meetings will be held Oct. 12 and Oct. 26 at 1:30 in the afternoon. The former morning session will meet at the latter date. All morning meetings have been cancelled for the quarter.

The babies scheduled for immunizations on the morning of Oct. 12 should be taken to the District Health department on Friday afternoon, Oct. 15, or Saturday morning, Oct. 16, for their shots.