

The Daily Tar Heel

Mitchell Is Chosen Forum Chairman

Herbert Mitchell, student legislature representative on the Carolina forum, took over the chairmanship of the group after a unanimous vote of the members following the resignation of Charles O. Long, yesterday afternoon.

Mitchell, a sophomore, has distinguished himself in debating and student government since he entered the University as a freshman following his graduation from Asheville high. He is at present chairman of the legislature Ways and Means committee and has served on the varsity debate squad for the past two years.

The election of Mitchell came after Long offered his resignation at a 4 o'clock meeting yesterday on the basis that he felt, "The chairman of the Forum should be in office from December to December, in that the planning for each year is based upon these dates."

He added, "I of course will continue to work closely with the Forum to help as much as possible in the future planning."

Mitchell said when he accepted the group's decision, "We shall continue the programs already initiated and we hope to expand during the winter and spring quarters in order to bring more top-flight speakers to the campus. In this way we shall have fulfilled our purpose."

President Truman Got No Majority, But He Made It

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(UP)—President Truman was elected with less than a majority of the total popular vote cast in the Nov. 2 election United Press tabulations showed today.

The tabulation, with the official count from 42 states and unofficial from six, showed a total popular vote of 48,682,679.

Of these, Mr. Truman received 24,059,194 votes, or 282,145 fewer than half the vote already tabulated.

The president, however, had a plurality of 2,138,129 votes over Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, whose popular vote was 21,921,065.

Other presidential candidates polled these votes:

Gov. J. Strom Thurmond, States' Rights Democrat, 1,169,240.

Henry A. Wallace, Progressive, 1,148,797.

Norman Thomas, Socialist, 139,109.

Minister Hits College Sports

A minister accused the University of Wisconsin today of "prostituting" its athletes.

The Rev. Kenneth L. Patton, who attracted attention when he declared himself a "colored man" in order to fight racial discrimination, charged that the school's athletic policy was a "Roman circus."

"The cheap sensationalism and profit taking, the exploitation of the athletes—that is those who are not being groomed with loads of free publicity for a fat killing in professional athletics after graduation—make the university resemble nothing more than a prostitute," Patton said.

Weather Toll

By United Press
The nation's death toll in accidents caused by bad weather since Saturday stood at 28 today, and rain-swollen rivers in the South threatened to boost the total even higher. Although a near-blizzard in the Midwest was replaced by clear and cold weather after taking 18 lives, flood waters of the Flint river roared through downtown Newton, Ga.

AROTC Review Held as Climax To First Quarter

By Leonard Dudley
Led by the newly organized field music band, the Air ROTC staged a dress review yesterday afternoon on Fetzer field as a climax to the first quarter of training for this year.

The group was divided into two squadrons for the review, with squadron A being made up of juniors and seniors and squadron B of freshmen and sophomores. All cadet officers in command of the squadrons and flights were from the senior class.

The band has been organized only in the last week and is under the command of 1st Lt. Wade Surratt Jr. 2nd Lt. W. B. Thompson is band adjutant and Cpl. Bob House is drum major.

Prior to the staging of the review, the group went through a short drill in the manual of arms and received directions as to how the review was to be staged.

Squadron A was commanded by cadet officers Cort M. Nance Jr., Grady A. Hutchins, and Max Shaw with Bob Gray as adjutant. Squadron B was under the command of Cadet officers J. D. Brown, Albert F. Howell, and Clyde Smith with John D. Greene as adjutant.

Other cadet officers who participated in the review were Col. Paul J. English, Robert M. McAllister, James W. Geiger, Grey Adams, and William J. Claybrook.

Col. Byron R. Switzer, commanding officer for the Air unit said that there would be another review in January and a general inspection in the spring. These reviews serve as final exams for students in the unit, Col. Switzer said.

PTA to Discuss State Situation

The much-discussed recommendations of the North Carolina Education commission will be reviewed tomorrow night when the Chapel Hill Parent-Teachers association meets in the Elementary school at 7:45 o'clock.

Teachers will be in their classrooms to meet the parents before the discussion and the meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.

The State Education commission will be reviewed by W. H. Plemons, executive secretary of the commission, and recommendations for improving the state's schools will be summarized by Guy B. Phillips.

The educational finance program will be discussed by John W. Umstead, Jr. and Clarence Heer, both members of the State Education commission, and Gordon Blackwell will summarize the recommendations and legislative action needed to have them adopted.

VFW Will Seek UMT Passage First; Housing, Vet Benefits Also on List

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(UP)—Veterans of Foreign Wars leaders today agreed to fire their biggest guns in behalf of Universal Military Training during the next session of Congress.

Passage of the Taft-Ellender-Wagner long-range housing bill will be their second most important objective.

Direct veterans' benefits were showed down the scale as the VFW National Legislative committee drew up its 1949 priority list.

Committee Chairman J. R. Klawans of San Francisco said



IN THE DESPERATE FIGHTING that preceded the capture of strategic Suchow by Chinese Communist forces, truckloads of Nationalist soldiers move through the streets (top) to take part in the defense of the big government base. At bottom, Nationalist infantrymen take up positions just outside of Suchow.

Phi Beta Takes 58 in Ceremony At Carolina Inn

Fifty-eight University students were initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honor fraternity, at ceremonies at the Carolina Inn last night.

A 59th, Sidney Paul Brooks, a former School of Commerce student here from Warsaw, who was killed in an automobile accident in Raleigh last spring, was awarded the honor posthumously.

Following the initiation the new members were entertained at a banquet at which Chancellor Robert B. House was the principal speaker. Dean Ernest L. Mackie, correspondent secretary-treasurer of the local chapter, presided.

This year's officers, in addition to Dean Mackie, are Louis H. Thacker, Greensboro, president; Joseph F. Jones, Winston-Salem, vice-president; Herman O. Coleman, Morganton, recording secretary. They are elected on a basis of the three top average grades maintained in the organization.

Student Recital Set for Today

The sixth in a series of student recitals will be presented this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Hill hall, and the public is cordially invited.

The program is as follows: "Dry Those Eyes (Pelissier)," "I Have a Silent Sorrow" (Reinagle), Jack Clinard, tenor; Sam Andrew, piano; "Impromptu in E flat major" (Schubert), Wallace Zimmerman, piano; "Etude in C minor" (Chopin), William Hudgins, piano; "Poeme d'un Jour" (Faure), Richard Cox, baritone; Jeanne Forno, piano; and "Chorale Preludes" (Brahms), Richard Rancourt, organ.

Listeners Can Hear 'Choo Choo' Tomorrow, DUK

Avid Carolina listeners will have an opportunity to hear Charlie "Choo Choo" Justice talk about the 1948 football year over the local American Broadcasting company outlet WDUK at 11:15 tomorrow night.

Norman Barnes, a student in the University Radio department recorded an interview he conducted with Charlie and sent it up to ABC network. The transcription was accepted and will be used Thursday night on the regular Joe Hasel show.

Washington Alumni Arrange For DC-4 Flights to N.O.

It will be possible for students to spend New Year's Eve at home, eat Sunday breakfast there, and still see the Tar Heels in action in New Orleans Jan. 1.

The Washington D. C. Alumni association has arranged with the World-Wide Travel Service corporation to charter several non-stop DC-4s to make the Sugar bowl trip. Planes will leave Washington at 7 o'clock in the morning, Jan. 1, and will arrive in Winston-Salem at 8:15 to pick up local fans. Three hours later, the football enthusiasts will be in New Orleans.

There will be ample time for sight-seeing, as well as taking in the gridiron classic, agency officials announced. The return trip will get underway at 1 o'clock

Sense in Court Will Be Subject Of Law Talk

Dr. Ehringhaus To Talk Tonight

The Honorable J. C. B. Ehringhaus, former governor of North Carolina, will speak on "Common Sense in the Courtroom" tonight at 7:30 in Hill hall under the sponsorship of the Law School association.

Former-Governor Ehringhaus is a native North Carolinian and a graduate of the University, holding the degree of AB, LL.B., and LL.D. He has had a long record of public service in North Carolina, being a state representative from 1905-08, a district solicitor from 1910-22; and governor from 1933-37. In addition, he is also a trustee of the University and a member of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees.

Having practiced law in North Carolina since 1903 and having enjoyed a wide and varied practice, Governor Ehringhaus is well qualified to speak on the chosen subject.

The speech will be open to the public and anyone from the campus or town will be welcome.

Huse to Deliver Humanities Talk In Gerrard Hall

First Humanities lecture for the school year will be delivered by Dr. Howard Huse of the Romance languages department plurality of 2,138,129 votes over tonight in Gerrard hall at 8:30.

Open to the entire University community, the lecture will be on "Dante's Divine Comedy," with explanation and discussion for a general audience.

A graduate of the University of Chicago with a Ph.D. from the same institution, Dr. Huse has been on the University faculty at Chapel Hill since 1920.

SP Wins Seven Of Ten Seats In Legislature Runoff Vote; Only 700 Voters Go To Polls

Class Tickets Will Be Ready After Holidays

"After Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, Jan. 4, students who fail to pick up their class tickets at Memorial hall will be charged \$5 before they will be allowed to register for the winter quarter, and their class tickets will be returned to the class ticket boxes," Edwin Lanier, chairman of the registration committee said yesterday.

Class tickets for the winter quarter will be available in Memorial hall Monday, Jan. 3, from 9 o'clock in the morning to 10 o'clock that night, and Tuesday morning, Jan. 4, from 6 to 8 o'clock.

After Jan. 4, at 8 o'clock in the morning, pre-registration will be cancelled, class tickets will be returned to the class ticket boxes, and a \$5 charge will be made for registration for the winter quarter.

Dropping and adding courses will be limited to Jan. 4, 5, and 6. Fall quarter grades will be ready with the class tickets.

If sickness, which may be verified by a physician's written statement, makes it impossible for a student to call for his class tickets for the winter quarter by 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, a student should write, wire, or phone that fact to Mrs. George N. Vann, Registration hall, here at the University. Class tickets will be held for these students. Students are asked to notify Mrs. Vann promptly if they find that they cannot return at all for the winter quarter.

This is the first time this system of distributing class tickets has been used. Prior to this quarter class tickets have been issued before the holidays. This method proved unsatisfactory because some students would lose their tickets, or would drop out for the quarter and fail to notify the proper authorities, Lanier said.

Courts Martial Revamp Approved

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(UP)—President Truman today approved sweeping changes in military justice regulations to permit enlisted men to sit as members of courts-martial.

By executive order, Mr. Truman prescribed a new manual for Army courts-martial to be put into effect Feb. 1.

Previously only officers have been members of courts-martial. The new manual makes enlisted men eligible when requested by the accused.

The new manual is based on recommendations of a special civilian committee on military justice, a House Military Affairs subcommittee and veterans' organizations. The changes were authorized by the peace-time law enacted last June 24.

Army Secretary Kenneth C. Royall said the new system provides "the means of a better and more suitable administration of military justice."

Blood Donor List for Sick Student Mounts; Six Have Right Blood Type

"Although over 75 students and townspeople responded to the blood donor call for 19-year-old freshman Marx Hugh Deal who is still in critical condition at Duke hospital. More donors are needed.

Miss Peggy Kimrey of the Infirmary yesterday, said, "I've been swamped by donors. It really is wonderful. I have also received requests from volunteers to be put on the permanent blood donor list. Everybody is more than cooperative."



DR. JOHN REDHEAD

Doctor Redhead Chosen to Lead Religious Week

Dr. John A. Redhead Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Greensboro, will lead the Religious Emphasis Week to be held Jan. 23-27.

Dr. Redhead, who was the commencement speaker at the University several years ago will lead the religious week through a convocation address and four evening addresses.

This is the seventh campus on which Dr. Redhead, preacher of the Presbyterian Radio hour, has led a Religious Emphasis week.

He has led the religious programs at such places as West Point, Clemson and Davidson colleges, and also gave the opening address at the Presbyterian Youth Convention of World Missions.

Dr. Redhead, who has contributed articles to the American Pulpit Series, and Presbyterian Outlook, was graduated from Southwestern university and the Union Theological Union seminar in Virginia. He was awarded a doctor of divinity degree from Davidson college in 1937.

Dance Bids Ready To Go Out Today

Bids to the Charlotte-Carolina club Christmas dance will be available in the Y from 9 until 1 o'clock every day this week, beginning this morning.

The dance will be held at the Hotel Charlotte December 28 and will feature two dance bands and a two ballroom arrangement.

No Statement On Majority Until Today

UP Gets 1 Seat In Runoff Race

By Herb Nachman

The Student party yesterday walked away with a total of seven seats in the Student legislature out of the 10 which were at stake in the runoff election.

Voting was extremely light. Only 723 ballots were cast in the legislature race. Seats were

Late official returns from the Women's Honor council and the Coed senate ballot showed the following coeds elected:

For the three Woman's Council seats: Anne Chandler (162 votes), Sarah Helen Epps (144) and Barbara Lowe (136). Gussie Young was low man with 116 votes.

Coed senate, four seats: Julie Competon (151 votes), Pat Denning (134), Charleen Greer (143) and Marie Nussbaum (137). Muriel Fisher was eliminated with 132 votes, only two less than her nearest opponent.

available in the five men's dormitory districts and one women's dorm district.

There were six 12-month and four six-month terms available. SP captured four of the 12-month terms and three in the six-month bracket.

The University party, which swept 10 seats in last Tuesday's general election, was limited to only one in the runoff. Bob Kirby won a 12-month term in district 2.

Running second in yesterday's race was the Campus party which took one 12-month and one six-month terms.

None of those elected went in with large margins except Walt Carnes (CP) who took 105 of the total 167 votes cast in district 1. His opponent Andy Bell (UP) received 62.

Two of the SP candidates went in six votes ahead of their opponents. Ed Best (SP) beat out Bob Smith (CP) by only one vote for six-month term in district 5.

Al Winn, chairman of the Elections board said last night that no official statement could be made until today as to which party, if any, will have a majority in the Student Legislature.

But the complete official results of the elections, both general and runoff, is as follows: Of the 27 seats available, UP took 11, SP took 10, CP took three, SP-CP two and SP-UP one.

A breakdown of six and 12-month terms is as follows: UP took 10 for 12-months and one for six-months. SP five for 12-months and five for six-months. CP garnered two for 12-months and one for six-months. SP-CP got one six and one 12-month terms. SP-UP took one for 12-months.

Yesterday's complete vote roundup: Dorm men's dist. 1 - Bell (See ELECTIONS, page 6)

Move It Over

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 7.—(UP)—A proposal that the University of South Carolina be moved to a new site got the full backing of the Gamecock student body today.

Students met yesterday to discuss the suggested transfer away from the present campus in downtown Columbia. The vote was more than 90 per cent in favor of shifting.

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

EXAMINATION HOUR	CLASSES
Mon., Dec. 13 8:30	All 3 o'clock classes and Chem. 163.
Mon., Dec. 13 2:00	All 2 o'clock classes and Zool. 103.
Tues., Dec. 14 8:30	All 1 o'clock classes.
Tues., Dec. 14 2:00	Commerce 71 and 72, and all other classes not otherwise provided for.
Wed., Dec. 15 8:30	All 12 o'clock classes, except Zool. 103.
Wed., Dec. 15 2:00	Common Exam. (All French, German, and Spanish courses numbered 1, 2, 3, and 4.)
Thurs., Dec. 16 8:30	All 11 o'clock classes except Chem. 163.
Thurs., Dec. 16 2:00	All 10 o'clock classes.
Fri., Dec. 17 8:30	All 9 o'clock classes.
Fri., Dec. 17 2:00	All 8 o'clock classes.

No student may be excused from a scheduled examination except by the University infirmary, in case of illness; or by his General college adviser or by his dean, in case of any emergency, compelling the student's absence.