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WEATHER: Cloudy with little temperature change.

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Phi Assembly **Votes Against Parking Rules**

Tuesday night unanimously defeated a resolution to approve the recent action taken by the Safety committee to further restrict parking on campus in its Tuesday night meeting in Phi hall.

Steve Millikin, chairman of the safety committee, declared that the proposals were made to protect student automobile owners. He stated that a few people may have to walk farther because of the restrictions but they will at least be able to keep their cars in Chapel Hill.

Millikin informed the assembly that any student actually suffering from the new restrictions will receive special consideration. Lack of funds, he explained, has been the cause for certain potential parking areas being left undeveloped.

Phillips Russell, chairman of the Parent-Teachers association safety committee, called for punnecessary to ban the "purely nation. sporting car" from Chapel Hill.

bottle. He asked for cooperation threatened livestock in the Mowhich he said makes up more jave desert area. than 90 per cent of a democratic

Joe Bock supported the committee's recommendations. "We starvation, extended its haylift have got to decide if automobiles are here to stay," he said.

Jay Herrick, representing Carr, wanted the students in her dormitory to be allowed to keep their cars since automobiles are necessary for their occupations and since "some of the girls are 40 or 50 years old.

A substitute resolution by David Sharpe to prohibit able-bodied students living within one-half mile radius of South building from bringing cars to Chapel Hill was shouted down.

NORTH STATE ROUNDUP

Factory Blaze

ASHEVILLE, Jan. 26-(UP) -Fire crews kept up a steady watch today over the still-blazing ruins of a sprawling cotton rag factory which went up like a torch in a \$150,000 blaze last

School Robbed

THOMASVILLE, Jan. 26-(UP)-Thieves broke into the Pilot high school near here and made off with \$115 in cash and valuables, Deputy Sheriff Keiffer Morris reported today. May Get Post

CHARLOTTE, Jan. 26-(UP) -North Carolina's top political leadership pointed straight-if anonymously - to Jonathan Daniels today as the Tar Heel state's next Democratic National committeeman.

Will Not Copy

CHARLOTTE, Jan. 26-(UP) -Sen. Clyde R. Hoey, said today his senate sleuthing committee has no intention of mirroring its counterpart in the house with a communist inves-

To Hear Bids

RALEIGH, Jan. 26-(UP)-Bids for some \$864,584 in highway projects were before the State Highway commission today as it prepared its last meeting under Chairman A. H. Gra-

Face Charges ELIZABETH CITY, Jan. 26 -(UP)-Two youths who ran afoul of the law when they forgot to put a nickel in a parking meter were handed to Craven Porter and Captain Corcoran in county officers today to face Pinafore," he went on, "so it feels three charges of breaking and like old times when I'm in the entering.

Ray, Russell Talk at Meet The Philanthropic assembly

EXTREME COLD and snow brought death to this steer on the desert range of Robert Blair of Essex, Calif. Unaccustomed to the snow which covered their forage, thousands of head of cattle froze or starved to death. The U.S. Air Force is operating a hay airlift in an effort to save more than 1,000,000 sheep and cattle threatened with death on the snowbound western ranges.

Starving Cattle In Five States Get Haylift Aid

CHICAGO, Jan. 26-(UP)-The ishment for the "social enemy" Air Force spread its livestockwho by reckless driving en- saving haylift to five western any raise in tuition at the Unidangers the lives of Chapel Hill range states today while floods versity will be introduced at the children. Russell said it may be menaced central sections of the meeting of the Student Legisla-

Ice storms halted traffic in scat- New West. Town Manager Gilbert Ray tered sections from the Great

The Air Force, racing against time to save an estimated 2,000,-000 cattle and sheep faced with from Nevada to sections of Utah. Colorado, South Dakota and Ne-

Bitter cold still gripped these blizzard-swept range states and ranchers feared their losses might total 50 per cent of their herds despite all aid.

In Washington, President Truman allocated another \$200,000 from his disaster fund to the relief of the snow-bound states bringing the total to \$300,000.

The emergency haylift, which started Monday with 17 C-82 flying boxcars dropping feed to stranded Nevada livestock, now mustered 28 planes, including 20 C-82's and eight C-47's.

to 18 C-82's and ranchers and 222 Jackson circle. towns-people at the hard-hit area at Ely, Nev., pitched in to help and rushed into the kitchen where load the big ships with hay.

It was 27 degrees below zero of the gas heater. at Ely this morning and ranchers said their stranded stock could not withstand the cold much longer in their weakened condi- the wrong side of the circle. "I

The Air Force base at Lowry Field, Denver, dispatched two C-"bombing" on the ranges.

Solons to Hear **Bill on Tuition**

In Legislature

A resolution in opposition to 271 did not return. ture tonight at 7:30 in Di hall of

A proposal to increase tuition saw the problem as one of pour- Lakes to Texas and a whirlwind and fees in an effort to help meet ing a quart of water into a pint blizzard in Southern California increasing cost of operation has been made by the Advisory Bud-

Other bills expected to be introduced at tonight's session include a bill to provide the proper form for constitutional amendment on the Town Men's association; a bill to fix polling places; a bill to amend the bylaws of the legislature on constitutional amendments; amendment for by-laws of legislature on bills left in committee or ta bled at the end of a quarter: election law to correct provisions of the redistricting bill.

Village Blaze **Damages Heater**

The Nevada lift was expanded the home of Thomas W. Aiken, Delta Phi, literary sorority, in good writing: Clear thinking and

Aiken said he smelled smoke morial. he discovered flames in the flue

When the fire department arrived, Aiken said, they went to ran across to direct them but by that time the fire was out,"

"I'm glad I wasn't here by ous," Mrs. Aiken remarked.

Registration Dips to 7,105 This Quarter Only 820 Coeds Are Enrolled Now

University enrollment this quarter dropped to 7,105 students, a report from Chancellor R. B. House's office disclosed yes-

During the fall quarter the enrollment exceeded this quarter's by 498 students. The enrollment for the winter quarter includes 6,285 male students and 820 coeds. Compared with last quarter, this figure shows a loss

Fifty-nine per cent of the encollment is made up of veterans, including 4,307 men and 80 women. Of the total enrollment, 5,498 students are North Carolina residents, and 1,558 students come from 42 other states. Forty-nine students represent 27 foreign

who registered for this quarter, this quarter.

Enrollment by schools is as fol-

General college, 2,544; Arts and Sciences, 1,612; Commerce, 1,244; graduates in Arts and Sciences, 876, which does not include graduate students in Public Health and Social Work; Law, 281; Library Science, 28; Medicine, 109; Pharmacy, 212; Public Health, 101; Social Work, 39; and Educa-

There are 1,178 first year stucial students.

Board to Fill **Council Post** At Meet Today **Grad Candidates**

To Be Considered

tudent vacancy on the council

The meeting will be held at 2 'clock this afternoon in the Grail room of Graham Memorial. Harris said the board will inerview all graduate students who are interested in being appointed to fill the vacancy. The ri-partisan selection board conists of three members from each

of the campus political parties. Official appointments to fill the eat must come from Jess Dedmond, president of the student body. The appointment must also be approved by the Student

Two weeks ago, the legislature approved Dedmond's appoint-All figures released by House ment of Roy W. Holsten, junior are based on enrollment as of from Glen Rock, N. J., to fill the Jan. 20. Of the 7,376 students other vacancy on the council for

> Holsten was one of the candidates recommended to Dedmond by the tri-partisan board.

The tri-partisan method of nominating candidates for the Men's council was adopted last year in the interest of assuring a non-partisan judicial branch in student government at the Uni-

Senior Class Rings Are on Sale Today

Senior clas rings will be on dents, 1,450 second year students, sale today in the YMCA building 1,562 third year students, 1,396 lobby from 1 to 40'clock this fourth year students, and 87 spe-lafternoon. There are the only official class rings being sold.

Helpful Hints

Eaton Talks to Chi Delta Phi On Toil in Process of Writing

rious process of toil and work, tice, practice, and more practice ute generously, Newton said. and this ultimately discourages in writing yourself. Persistence A small fire in Victory village lots of people," said Walter sometimes is a higher attribute yesterday afternoon caused slight Pritchard Eaton Monday night than early promise." damage to the water heater in before an open meeting of Chi Eaton named two secrets of

these borderline cases never get portant.

ries of rejection slips. to write," the speaker continued. so much better."

the main lounge of Graham Me- the right words to follow a line tion through other means would Marie is a member of the YWCA. of thought. "The first cannot be do so at the dance. "Many people want to go into overemphasized," he said. "If "Although it is not compulsory staff, and a pledge of Pi Beta writing because The Tree Grew you do clear thinking, you will for students to give, we feel that Phi sorority. in Brooklyn to the tune of three do clear writing and clear speak- they should donate at least \$1. It was announced that entries million copies. Some people have ing. The need of a good vocabu- If some have already given to are now being received for the more urge than aptitude, and lary to shade your thoughts is im- the drive, perhaps they could position of editor of the Woman's

very far. The itch to write is not "Here at Carolina you toss your those who have not yet donated, to all coed undergraduates, and always an incurable disease. It speech around just as you toss we say, 'Give your share, you applicants should send a list of can sometimes be cured by a se- the paper cups you use on the may save a child.' steps of South building. If we "But if you have the real di- would only take more pains with hay and rancher-guides for hay myself and that fire wasn't seri- sease nobody can teach you how our conversation, we would speak fore, whole-hearted cooperation Baker, Alpha Gamma Delta

> be dull. He said writing should become a habit and a writer experience as actor, singer, di- the job of Choral director and interesting things seen and heard ing \$7,000 a month to support. tion meeting.

ed, is to like newspaper work too

Following a short discussion period, Mr. Eaton was entertained at an informal reception.

Wholesale food prices dropped today to the lowest level since OPA price control ended.

price cuts would be felt at the corner grocery within one week might drop even more.

Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., announced that its index of wholesale food prices fell 11 cents

NCPA Institute Will Open With Pearson Talk Tonight

Three featured speakers and Duke university. . Page Harris, chairman of the North Carolina Press association will speak at the opening session the Tulsa, Okla., Tribune, and Men's Honor council, yesterday midwinter newspaper institute tonight at 8 o'clock in Memorial H. Galt Braxton, editor of the called a meeting today of the opening here tonight. The three- hall. He will be introduced by Kinston Free Press will address tri-partisan board to consider day institute is sponsored jointly President Frank Graham. Stu- tomorrow morning's general ses-

the annual press award banquet | Drew Pearson, Washington col- those attending the institute. will highlight the 24th annual umnist and radio commentator,

candidates to fill the graduate by NCPA, the University, and dents are invited to the address sion in Gerrard hall. Miss Be-

Jenkin Lloyd Jones, editor of

atrice Cobb editor of the Morganton News-Herald and secretary of the association will address a luncheon meeting at the Carolina Inn. Both sessions will be presided over by NCPA President Frank Daniels, general manager of the Raleigh News and Observer.

George V. Allen, Assistant Secretary of State, will address tomorrow night's banquet session at Duke University. Allen is a former staff member of the Durham Herald. Governor Kerr Scott will make the annual press awards after Allen's talk.

A Saturday morning breakfast at the Carolina Inn will honor past presidents of the association. Henry Belk, Goldsboro News-Argus, will preside, and Roland F. Beasley, editor of the Monroe Journal, will be the principal speaker. A business meeting will follow.

Two daily groups will hold sessions today. Hal Boyle, former war correspondent and now a roving columnist for the Associated Press will address the state UVA To Sponsor Dance Associated Press club at 1 o'clock in the Carolina Inn. Club Presi-Associated Press club at 1 o'clock dent Jonathan Daniels, executive editor of the News and Observer, will preside at the meeting. The state association of afternoon dailies will meet at 4

For Campus Dime Drive The current Daily Tar Heel-sponsored March of Dimes

fund drive is due for another boost Saturday night when the University Veterans association holds its admission-free polio benefit dance, UVA president Gene Newton announced yes-

DREW PEARSON AND FRANK DANIELS (left and right)

are two participants in the 24th annual North Carolina Press associ-

ation newspaper institute being held here and at Duke today,

tomorrow and Saturday. Pearson, syndicated Washington col-

umnist, will speak at 8 o'clock tonight in Memorial hall. Daniels,

general manager of the Raleigh News and Observer, is the presi-

On hand to provide entertain-* ment, instead of the usual juke box, will be a four-piece combo. Three attractive coeds will meet couples at the door and solicit contributions. Even though there is no admission charge, it is ex-"Writing is a long and labo-1 "Where you do learn is prac- pected all students will contrib-

yesterday he hoped those who by Tandy Lacy. hadn't given their dollar dona-

contribute once more. But to handbook. The position is open

on everyone's part is necessary house, before Tuesday. Eaton advised prospective to safeguard our children, our Five amendments to the coed

He suggested recording briefly hospital cases in the state, cost- days before the first mass elec-Funds are needed immediately to Newspaper work, he said, has been the field which has support- swell the empty national and of candidates which should be ed more writers than any other state treasuries, depleted during ready for distributed as the candifield. The only danger, he warn- the polio epidemic last summer. dates are introduced.

Of Coed Senate

Marie Nussbaum, junior from Louisville, Ky., was elected secre-Dougald MacMillan, co-chair- tary of the coed senate Tuesday man of the campus drive, said night, filling the vacancy left

the Glee club, the Daily Tar Heel

Baker, provided that nominating

Petitions must be accompanied

the city is not in accord with the the proposed route. Reail food merchants said the Hill-Durham highway or its has appointed a committee to

council concerning the subject. of planning."

routes of access into Durham. study the route of the new high-Flack's report was in the form way. He said undoubtedly the

New Students Must

Sign Honor Pledges All new students who have not yet signed Honor code pledge cards must do so as soon as possible in the Men's Honor council offices on the second floor of Graham Memorial, Chairman

THE WORLD IN BRIEF

Page Harris said yesterday.

Von Papen Freed

NUERNBERG. Germany. Jan. 26-(UP)-Franz Von Papen, once the ace of Adolf Hitler's diplomatic corps, but now 70 and ailing, was freed today after serving less than half of an eight-year prison term at

Vote Confidence

LONDON, Jan. 26-(UP)-Commons gave Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin a vote of confidence, 283 to 193, on his Palestine policy tonight after the labor government frantically rounded up members by telephone for fear it would be de-

Stop Training

SHANGHAI, Jan. 26-(UP)-The United States officially terminated its program of military training in behalf of Nationalist China today at the same time that Chinese Communist were demanding the arrests of Nationalist "war criminals," including Chiang Kai-shek.

Call Jury

NEW YORK, Jan. 26-(UP)-Counsel for 11 U.S. Communist leaders called to the witness stand today members of the federal grand jury which indicted them last July.

Present Programs

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26-(UP)-Twenty-four Senate and House Republicans today unveiled two public housing programs which they drafted as substitutes for the administra-

tion's plan. Seek Injunction

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 26 -(UP)-The CIO today asked housing expeditors to seek a federal injunction against landlords evicting tenants.

He's Sung 'em All

McPeek Has Long G.&S. History

By Sam Hirsch

"Pinafore" has directed, sung, lems on this production." and acted in every one of the

"I began when I was a young boy singing the tenor part of Nanki-Poo in "The Mikado," he said, "and as my voice changed I gradually changed parts each time I played in it, until I had sung every one of the male leads!" This is McPeek's first assignment as musical director of the innual opera, but he is wellknown locally as assistant director of the Choral club and the director of the music department's madrigal singers. He teaches voice, brass instruments and music history, and has composed songs for choral groups, voice and orchestra, and has seven quartettes published.

pit conducting. I think all my

Five years ago McPeek made popular Gilbert and Sullivan up his mind that what he wanted to concentrate on in music was



Gwynn McPeek, instructor in rector and conductor of Gilbert since then has worked toward every day. the music department and musi- and Sullivan has given me a fuller this aim. Formerly head of the cal director of this weekend's appreciation of everybody's prob- music department at Transylvania

> Harvard, and is now working on his Ph.D. here.

GWYNN McPEEK

College in Lexington, Ky., and director of instrumental music at Birmingham Southern College, he was guest conductor with the much. Birmingham Civic Symphony Orchestra, and sang and directed with the Columbus and Cleveland Opera companies. He studied at Ohio State, Indiana university,

While at Ohio State, he was assistant director of the choral group which won the 1938 National Choral Quest sponsored by the Columbia Broadcasting system, and was graduated from there with the highest all-round

in music when I was 14 and formed my own orchestra and performance," McPeek added.

"I started working seriously

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Food Prices Drop To New Low Level NEW YORK, Jan. 26-(UP)-

later won the state contest for lowest level since Oct. 8, 1946 ernment of the city of Durham route which shows the highwaywhen most foods still were price was not represented on the com- entering highway 751 between the national and Tulsa area "I must admit this show is the controlled. The Dun and Brad- mittee which appeared before the Pinecrest and Cranford roads in first one I've ever worked on street index on that date was state Highway commission in Durham. Flack said residents of

Marie Nussbaum Is New Secretary

A transfer from St. Mary's,

qualifications including previous "This year, more than ever be- journalistic experience to Emily

young writers to write every day, friends and ourselves against the elections bill were passed. The to keep a journal, and to never ravages of polio," MacMillan said. amendments, introduced by Miss At present, officials announced petitions be in the hands of the should not wait for inspiration. after a survey, there are 2,509 chairman of coed elections three

City Manager Protests

Proposed New Highway Hits Disaccord Among Durhamites

Raleigh several months ago and

R. W. Flack, city manager of that Frank L. Dieter, city plan-Durham, indicated yesterday that ning engineer, is not in favor of route of the proposed new Chapel The city council, Flack said,

and cautiously predicted prices of an open letter to persons who committee, "and finally the counhave addressed communications cil, will give serious considerato the city manager and the City tion to the advice of the director choir at Loudonville, Ohio which in the last week to \$5.91, the Flack pointed out that the gov- out was a map of the scheduled

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