

The Daily Tar Heel

Thief Cleans Out Five Fraternities

Cash, Watches Valued at \$1,000 Taken in Thursday Morning Theft

A well-oriented thief cleaned out five local fraternity houses to the tune of nearly \$1,000 in cash and watches early yesterday morning, and Chapel Hill police said they hoped to see some developments in the case within a day or two.

Alpha Tau Omega, Chi Phi, Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Delta Theta, and Sigma Phi Epsilon fell into the route of the nighttime prowler, who carefully avoided the fraternity courts in his rounds. Police figured the time of his visits, at between 3 and 6 o'clock in the morning.

"We're hoping to get somewhere in the next day or two," Police Officer W. E. Clark said yesterday. "We've even got a suspect in mind now."

At the Chi Phi house, member Joe Neikirk reported seeing the thief in the early hours of dawn. He said he woke up when the intruder stuck his head into the door of his room.

"Does Joe Hobgood live here?" Neikirk reported the man asked. Neikirk told him no.

"Well, he used to be here, because we threw a party with him a couple weeks ago," said the thief, as he backed out the door.

Neikirk jumped out of bed, he said, and dashed downstairs in time to see the man beat a hasty retreat out the back door and over the rock wall toward the Phi Delta house.

"He was a white man, about six feet tall, with a dark complexion and dark curly hair," Neikirk said. "He had on khaki pants and shirt and blue tennis shoes. I think he was about 25 or 30 years old."

A slightly different description of the robber was found at the ATO house by Officer Clark, who investigated the thefts.

Frank Goodrum of the local ATO chapter said the invader woke him up at 5:45. Goodrum glanced at his watch, decided it was just a brother up early, and rolled over to get some more sleep.

But his quick glance at the man indicated that he was blond, white, and wore a tan sweater, Goodrum said.

Down the street at the Lambda Chi house, one of the members reported hearing someone enter the house early in the morning, but paid no attention to it.

Friday Last Day To Vacate Dorms

All women students not graduating this year and all men students living in C Dorm, Lewis, Alexander and Whitehead must vacate their rooms by Friday, June 3, according to an announcement by Katherine Kennedy Carmichael, Dean of Women.

Because of the housing problem in Chapel Hill all women's dorms, C Dorm, Lewis and Whitehead will be used to house parents and guests of graduating seniors during Commencement weekend.

During the summer term Dormitory C will be used by women students, and married couples will occupy Aycock and Everett. Whitehead will be used by the Extension Department, and Alexander will be used for an Extension Department conference beginning June 4. Old East and Lewis will be closed during the summer.

"I do not want to ask the impossible of our students," Dean Carmichael said. "I know the difficulties of packing hurriedly in order to make room for incoming guests and new students. However, a building cannot be cleaned well until it is entirely vacant, and guests and new students are entitled to enter orderly rooms."

Coates, Polk Are Speakers At Wolfe Club

Were Roommates While at Harvard

Albert Coates, founder and director of the Institute of Government and William T. Polk, associate editor of the Greensboro Daily News, both roommates of Thomas Wolfe while attending Harvard University, were the featured speakers at the Wednesday night meeting of the Thomas Wolfe Club.

Polk gave a penetrating analysis of the relation between Wolfe the man and Wolfe the artist through a clever method of interviewing himself with questions about Wolfe's personality and thinking.

He stated that during Wolfe's student life here there were three professors who became definite influences on his work.

Professor Frederick Koch, founder of the Carolina Playmakers, was the most profound influence on Wolfe at the University. He led Wolfe to write of the things he saw and felt in his own experience, which was the basic creative philosophy of Koch. The total works of the Asheville writer are a manifestation of this philosophy, illustrating the force of the University on contemporary thought.

Edward Greenlaw, Renaissance scholar and former head of the University English Department, helped Wolfe to understand and apply the magnificent glow and richness of that period. Horace Williams, who taught Wolfe Greek philosophy, encouraged him to search for ideal truth, the most consistent theme in his novels.

Coates, who roomed with Polk and Wolfe at Buckingham Place in Cambridge during his law student days, joined Polk in saying that Wolfe was a genius of enormous capacities, with a stature, both mentally and physically, amazing to all. Both friends of Wolfe said that the exaggerated cries and feelings Wolfe is said to have experienced probably are all very true to life. Coates told a few personal and interesting stories which gave an insight to Wolfe's abilities as a thinker and a writer.

He said that the notion of Wolfe's being the loneliest person in the world might be true, but that he was at the same time the most gregarious person he had known.

Three-Branch Affair

Greater University Day Slated For State Weekend by GUSC

Plans are being made for the first Greater University Day, sponsored by the Greater University of North Carolina Student Council, to be held on the day of the State-Carolina football game.

With the full day being proclaimed Greater University Day, students from all three branches of the University, N. C. State, Woman's College, and the University, will get together for the football game, a dance that night, and other activities that are now being planned.

A special committee set up by the Council is providing for tickets for the Woman's College students, the Saturday night dance, half-time speakers, and other ac-



AT A SPECIAL CEREMONY in Washington, U. S. Supreme Court Justice Robert H. Jackson (left) administers the oath of office to Cordon Dean, Vista, Calif., new member of the Atomic Energy Commission. Looking on is Supreme Court Justice Stanley Reed.

Deane Says UNC To Be South Medical Center

Congressman Addresses Hill Hall Group Under Sponsorship of CPU, Forum

The University of North Carolina is destined to become in the next few years the foremost medical center in the South, Congressman Charles B. Deane of the Eighth District of North Carolina, whose home is in Rockingham, predicted in an address here last night.

Speaking in Hill Hall, under the sponsorship of the Carolina Forum and the Carolina Political Union, Congressman Deane said, "I doubt that you really comprehend what is in store for you here in Chapel Hill in connection with the establishment of a great medical center."

"You will coordinate here a four-year medical school, a teaching hospital, a dental school, a public health service for the entire southeast, a nursing school, a school of pharmacy, which, together with great work in the biological sciences, will represent a medical center that cannot be found at any other place in the South and only a few places in the entire country."

Congressman Deane, who was introduced by Dean of Students Fred H. Weaver, with CPU Chairman Murray Goldenthal presiding, said the compulsory health insurance is in such a "highly debatable state" now that this session of Congress has abandoned plans to attempt passage of such legislation.

For the present, he said, emphasis should be placed on efforts to secure federal aid in hospital construction, aid to medical schools, and a scholarship and loan program for students in the health field. He said Congress was in general agreement as to the desirability of meeting these needs.

He pointed out that a bill he recently introduced (H.R. 4215) would have been the Public Health Service Act so that the federal government "may aid in the construction and instruction costs at medical schools, or for scholarships and guaranteed loans to medical students, and make a survey of rural medical needs."

Congressman Deane predicted that the road and school bond issues to be voted on in North Carolina June 4, "will carry overwhelmingly and I predict that less than one-fifth of the counties of the state will vote unfavorably."

'Open House' Set For Planetarium

Guests of graduating seniors and other degree candidates will have opportunity of inspecting the Morehead Building during open house hours on Saturday and Monday, June 4, 5, and 6, it was announced yesterday by Dr. Roy K. Marshall, director of the Morehead Building and Planetarium.

The Morehead Building will be open from 10 to 10 o'clock during the Commencement days.

Board to Rule Student Body For Summer

Sanders Selected As Acting Prexy

Naming 20 persons to two judicial councils and an appeal and government board, a joint executive-legislative-judicial committee set up summer school government yesterday.

The governmental bodies include a five-coed Women's Council, a Men's Council of six, and an Appeal and Government Board of nine members.

Attorney-General John Sanders was picked to head the Board as acting student body president. Emily Sewell will be the Women's Council chairman and Roy Holsten will serve as head of the Men's Council.

The Appeal and Government Board will try all appeals from the two councils, initiate legislation in cases of necessity, and serve as the executive body for the summer terms. The councils will try Honor Code cases as a joint body, and Campus Code cases as separate courts.

Named to the Board were Kitty Altizer, Weddy Thorpe, Gene Newton, Larry Botto, Harry Horton, Harry Buchanan, Mac Coppenhaver, and Banks Talley. Jack Street will replace Altizer for the second session, Bernard Plemons will replace Thorpe, and Vestal Taylor will take Coppenhaver's post.

Women's Council members will be Helen Epps, Gladys Chambers, Lucille Riley, and Joan Lucas. Gayle Hancock will serve in Epps' place during the second session, Becky Huggins in Chambers', and Ann Green in Lucas'.

Appointed to the Men's Council were Dick Palmer, Arthur Murphy, Pete Gerns, Charles Smith and John Eason.

The summer governmental set-up is the result of a compromise between recommendations presented by President Bill Mackie to the Student Legislature and recommendations of the Legislature.

Leaders Recognized

Annual Awards Night Event Honors Outstanding Students

Students who have made outstanding records in scholarship, extra-curricular activities, and other fields of endeavor during the year were presented prizes and medals in recognition and appreciation at the Annual Awards Night exercises in Hill Hall last night.

The awards were announced by Chancellor Robert B. House, who presided.

Preceding the presentation, the University Band, under the direction of Earl Slocum, played several selections.

The John J. Parker, Jr., medal for leadership in student government went to Al Lowenstein, Seacrest, N. Y.; the Ernest H. Abernethy Publications award, to Bill Carmichael, III, Chapel Hill; and the Algernon Sydney Sullivan award for service to the student body, to Sue Stokes, Raleigh, and Jess Dedmond, Cliffside. These awards were presented by Dean E. L. Mackie of Student Awards and Distinctions.

The Valkyrie cup to the outstanding coed from point of service and praiseworthy activity was awarded to Helen Bouldin, Clarksdale, Miss., presented by Katherine Carmichael, Dean of Women.

The Albert Richmond Bond award in English literature went to Elinor Woltz, Raleigh; the Willie P. Mangum award in oratory to Charles Dixon, Belmont, presented by Dean Mackie.

The Patterson medal in athletics went to Vic Seixas, Philadelphia, Pa.; the Foy Roberson, Jr., award, in basketball, to Daniel Nyimicz, Rahway, N. J., presented by Coach Robert Fetzter. The Alpha Kappa Delta grad-

James Webb Will Address Alumni Meet; Grad Week Gets Underway On June 4

Full Schedule Is Announced For Weekend

Graham to Speak At Final Exercise

Graduating seniors, returning alumni, and visitors will find a crowded three-day schedule of events to take in during the 1949 commencement program.

Main feature of the program is the commencement ceremony Monday, June 6, at 7:30 in Kenan Stadium. Senator Frank P. Graham will be the main speaker, talking here publicly for the first time since his appointment as U. S. Senator. Governor Kerr Scott will present diplomas.

The Baccalaureate sermon, set for Sunday, June 5, at 11 in Memorial Hall, will have Dr. Walter Mark Depp, pastor of the Centenary Methodist Church in Winston-Salem, as the speaker.

Other important features of the program will be the alumni luncheon at 1 o'clock Sunday in Lenoir Hall and the final class meeting of the graduates at 10 o'clock Monday morning. James E. Webb, Undersecretary of State, will be the speaker at the luncheon and Dean Fred Weaver will address the seniors. The graduates will elect permanent officers at the meeting. Caps and gowns will not be worn.

Beginning at 1 o'clock Saturday, June 4, there will be an almost continuous run of events until the end of the commencement exercises Monday night.

On tap for Saturday are a Dutch luncheon for seniors and their guests in Lenoir Hall at 1, a Morehead Planetarium show at (See GRADUATION, page 4)



FRANK PORTER GRAHAM, junior U. S. senator from North Carolina and former president of the Greater University, will be the main speaker at commencement exercises. Sen. Graham will receive the annual Di-Phi Award at a banquet tonight.

Frank Graham Will Receive Di-Phi Award

To Give Address At Annual Dinner

Dr. Frank Porter Graham, North Carolina's junior senator, will receive the first annual Di-Phi award to be presented by the Dialectic Senate and the Philanthropic Assembly at their traditional banquet in Carolina Inn tonight.

Dr. Graham was selected for the award "in recognition of his contribution to society, his

WASHINGTON, May 26.—(UP)—Chairman David E. Lilienthal said today that the Atomic Energy Commission overruled the decision of its security officer in clearing Dr. Edward U. Condon and Sen. Frank P. Graham for access to atomic data.

His disclosure came as the House-Senate Atomic Energy Committee opened an exhaustive investigation to find out whether Lilienthal's ministry of the \$3,500,000,000 atomic project has been good or bad.

Graham was president of the University of North Carolina and head of the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Physics before his recent appointment to the Senate. He had limited access to atomic secrets.

achievements in his chosen field of endeavor, and his services to the University."

The award is in the form of a gold medallion. A replica of (See GRAHAM, page 4)

Final Exam Schedule

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| Sat., May 28 | 8:30 | All 12 o'clock classes |
| Sat., May 28 | 2:00 | All 2 o'clock classes |
| Mon., May 30 | 8:30 | All 8 o'clock classes |
| Mon., May 30 | 2:00 | All 3 o'clock classes and Commerce 71 |
| Tues., May 31 | 8:30 | All 9 o'clock classes. |
| Tues., May 31 | 2:00 | Commerce 72, Zoology 104, and all other classes not otherwise provided for. |
| Wed., June 1 | 8:30 | Common examinations. (All French, German, and Spanish classes numbered 1, 2, 3, and 4) |
| Wed., June 1 | 2:00 | All 10 o'clock classes. |
| Thurs., June 2 | 8:30 | All 11 o'clock classes |
| Thurs., June 2 | 2:00 | All 1 o'clock classes |

By action of the faculty, the time of no examination may be changed after it has been fixed in the schedule.

No student may be excused from a scheduled examination except by the University Infirmary, in case of illness; or by his General College faculty adviser or by his dean, in case of any other emergency compelling his absence.

Famous Alum Has High Post In Government

Stevens to Preside At Monday Lunch

United States Undersecretary of State James E. Webb, whose phenomenal rise to a high position of influence in the federal government has focused wide attention upon the 42-year-old University graduate, will be a featured speaker at the Alumni Luncheon here on June 6, final day of the 155th annual commencement program.

Announcement that Webb will speak here was made yesterday by Alumni Secretary J. Maryon (Spike) Saunders.

Currently acting secretary while Secretary Dean Acheson is attending the Paris council of foreign ministers, Webb will make his first public address since being appointed to the high State Department office by President Truman last January 7. He was formerly Director of the U. S. Budget in which position he was responsible for the vast financial affairs of the federal government.

Webb was graduated at the University in 1928. After serving two years in Marine aviation and winning his wings, Webb went to Washington to enter government service. He studied law at night and won his license to practice. Later he joined the Sperry Corporation and rose to be vice president and treasurer, resigning to resume active duty as a Marine aviator during World War II.

Following the war he joined the law firm of the late Governor O. Max Gardner and soon thereafter was selected to head the Budget Bureau where he served for two years.

Webb's address here may be expected to attract wide attention as he has indicated that he will discuss matters affecting foreign policy.

Judge Henry L. Stevens, president of the University Alumni Association, will preside at the Alumni Luncheon. Other items on the program will include announcement of the outcome of elections now being held by mail ballot for officers of the association. (See STEVENS, page 6)

Colonial Press Will Print DTH, Humor Magazine

The Publications Board announced yesterday that contracts for the printing of the Daily Tar Heel and Tarnation have been awarded to the Colonial Press, present printer for both of the publications. The DTH contract covers two years, while the Tarnation agreement will run for the next academic season.

The Colonial Press, now in its second year of operation, has recently added additions to its Carrboro plant that will approximately double the floor space. Several new presses and other pieces of equipment have been added, mainly for service to the DTH and Tarnation.

The Press, owned and operated by Orville Campbell, Horace Carter, and Bob Moore, will extensively remodel the floor space of the plant for more efficient operations and better handling of the work on the two student publications. Campbell and Carter, both former editors of the DTH, started operations in September of 1947. Moore, veteran Chapel Hill printer, joined the organization later.