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It Ain't Hay

By Clifford Hay

What ain't hay? Fifteen hundred bucks ain't hay, that's what. The Glee Club Concert in Carnegie Hall has been declared officially dead, and the scramble has started for their \$1500, appropriated last spring from the surplus. Before the dust settles, enough requests will come in to spend it five times over—the usual fate of surpluses. Tarnation is the best bet for the biggest chunk, but Fred Thompson's furore will cloud the issue for a while.

A bill to restore \$1000 of Tarnation's budget, which was cut last spring, has been referred to the Finance Committee of the Student Legislature without comment. Editor Kerr tells us he can't break even without it, and that he has enough copy now to fill a magazine twice the size of the last pocket issue.

Joe Bach, newly-appointed chairman of the Traffic Safety Committee, who wears a monogram sweater and rides a potent motorcycle, gave out the latest dope on the campus parking problem Thursday night.

In a nutshell, it's this: The Dean of Students' Office has passed out about 2200 parking stickers of various kinds, and there are only 800 parking places on the campus. Worse and worse, the faculty, staff, and handicapped car owners alone could more than fill the available places, to say nothing of red sticker holders who live outside the walking zone.

The worst is yet to come. By the first of next year, two of the biggest parking areas will be gone: the one behind Memorial Hall, which has 180 places, and the Library area, with about 100 both casualties of the new building program. The freshly-paved spot behind Graham Memorial will help some, but there will be a net loss by 1950.

What is the answer? Bach says, "We will keep cars on the campus if possible . . . (but) eventually we might come to a circumstance like Princeton, where they have cut out all student cars on the campus." Furthermore, certain of the Faculty and Trustees are pushing to eliminate all freshman and sophomore cars. The Traffic Safety Committee is fighting hard, but there still are three times as many cars as parking places. The next step? Eliminate "unnecessary cars," says Bach.

Tickets don't faze car-owners either. Dean Friday reports that one student collected 16, another 9; both will have to pay tickets plus court costs, but that doesn't make parking places. There is a rumor of suspension for persistent parking violations.

Why not have more parking areas? Bach shrugs and says, "The University won't let us cut down any trees."

The Committee washes its hands of the one-hour limit on parking in front of frat houses on South Columbia Street. Bach admitted that it was the Committee's action in running cars off the campus that had flooded the downtown areas, but he said he couldn't do anything about a town ordinance — which he can't.

There won't be any more parking at the airport during football games, either. The Athletic Association lost too much money on the scheme—\$5 a car, according to Bach. Only 81 cars showed up, which didn't dent the holiday parking problem. It sounded a little far-fetched to us to begin with, and the students just didn't come through.

'Gold' Rush of '49



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Faculty Profiles

Newsome Knows Some

By Bill Kellam

Most prominent scholars spend many years taking courses to broaden their knowledge of their specialty. Yet Dr. A. R. Newsome, professor of history and head of the University history department, who is perhaps the nation's leading authority on North Carolina history, has never taken a course in North Carolina history. He hasn't needed to, he's taught himself.

Newsome practically backed into his prominence in this field. For during his undergraduate days at Carolina, at one time or another he planned to be a lawyer, journalist, or mathematician. He ended up teaching math and physics at an Elizabeth City high school. But his work with state documents while he was secretary of the North Carolina Historical Commission from 1926-35 aroused his interest in N. C. history and his inquisitive mind did the rest.

At Carolina Newsome was an "A" student and a president of Phi Beta Kappa. He also was a member of the Di Senate for four years and served as its president.

A year in the navy during World War I interrupted his academic career. After two years as professor of history, following his service discharge, as professor of history at Bessie Lift College, Forsyth, Georgia, he became an instructor of history at the University of Michigan. During the summers, he completed work on his master's degree in history at Columbia University.

In 1923 Newsome came to Carolina as an assistant professor of history. In 1926 he went to Raleigh. The secretaryship of the Historical Commission didn't keep him from getting his Ph. D. at Columbia in 1929. The material for his dissertation, "The Presidential Election of 1824 in North Carolina," came from the Historical Commission archives. The dissertation was published by the UNC Press in 1938.

Newsome returned to Carolina in 1936 to the positions he now holds. Since then he has taught in summer schools at Duke and the University of Iowa. During the early '40's, Newsome and his colleagues, Hugh Lefler and Fletcher Green, helped found the

graduate school in history at North Carolina College for Negroes in Durham. Each of the Carolina profs taught graduate courses at the college until enough Negroes had been trained to take over.

Newsome and Lefler are the co-authors of the official eighth grade textbook of North Carolina history for state schools. At present they are collaborating on an adult-level history of the state which will be used as a college textbook and as a source of general information for interested laymen.

While in Raleigh in 1936, Newsome helped found the Society of American Archivists. He was a charter member of the national government-sponsored organization and its first president, serving from 1936-39. He also contributed many articles to its publication, "The American Archivist."

Newsome has edited "The James Sprunt Studies in History and Political Science" since 1939. This volume is sponsored by the University and is the official publication of the History and Political Science Departments. It is composed of monographs or

longer works which are not commercially publishable. It is quite valuable to scholars for its information.

"The North Carolina Historical Review" was edited by Newsome until his increased duties (advising graduate students and teaching) as department head forced him to resign this position.

In 1932 Newsome wrote "The Preservation of Local Archives," an aptly entitled booklet which was sent to every county official in the country by the national archivist organization.

The graduate division of the history department has quadrupled in size since Newsome's arrival in 1935 and now ranks among the 10 largest in the country. There were only 25 graduate students in '35; last year there were 102. The department is the second biggest in the University.

In earlier, more energetic days, Newsome was a first rate amateur golfer, habitually shooting in the low 80's. However, the wartime gasoline shortage and increased academic duties have forced him to exercise vicariously, as a steady spectator at most home games of the football, basketball, and baseball teams.

Duke Bedevils Wolfpack, 14-13; Wildcats Tamed by Bills, 41-12

DURHAM, October 15 — (P) — Duke edged North Carolina State, 14-13 today, in a Southern Conference football game that was settled on a missed placement for conversion, 10 seconds from the game's end.

After trailing, 14-7 at the half, Coach Beattie Feathers' State forces got themselves together and almost pulled even with Duke on two passes that ate up 93 yards for a score.

But sophomore tailback Charles Westbrook's kick for the point was a bit wide, and the match was settled.

A crowd of 20,000 Homecoming Day fans in Duke Stadium watched the game. Duke dominated the proceedings almost every moment of the game on deadeye passing by tailback Billy Cox and a line-pounding performance by fullback Jack Mounie.

Cox's passing set up Duke's first touchdown, which Mounie scored on a one-yard smack at center. Cox ran 10 yards for Duke's second score, after leading a march downfield with passes.

Two true kicks by end Mike Souchak following the touchdowns resulted in the difference.

Tailbacks Ogden Smith and Ed Mooney provided the punch that kept State in the ball game. In the first period, Smith yanked the Wolfpack into a

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 15 — (P) — With halfback Eddie McClusky leading the way St. Louis University's Billikens celebrated Homecoming with a 41-12 triumph over Davidson College today.

The first St. Louis touchdown came four and a half minutes after the opening kickoff on a 60-yard dash by McClusky.

The Bills worked up a 26-12 halftime advantage then went on in the last two periods for 15 more points, two of them on a safety.

A crowd of 6,743 turned out for the game played in a light rain.

short-lived 7-7 tie by passing to Sophomore End Steve Kosilla in the end zone for a touchdown. Westbrook converted.

Smith and Mooney took turns in killing off yardage in State's late bid for a tie. With State in possession on its seven, Mooney passed to wingback Bill Thompson at the 30, and Thompson slammed all the way to Duke's 2 before he was stopped.

On the next play, Smith, who had switched to halfback, took over the pitching and threw the ball to end Tony Romanowsky in the end zone.

Just 10 seconds remained when Westbrook missed the extra point.

CPU Roundtable

On Strike, Pensions

By Mary Tomlin

Currently, the United Steelworkers (CIO) and the steel companies are engaged in a dispute over whether management should pay the whole cost of pensions and welfare benefits, whether these should be considered part of wages, (the "non-contributory" plan) or whether the worker should make a contribution (the "contributory" plan).

The "non-contributory" principle has been accepted in coal mines (including some owned by steel companies), the garment trades and Ford.

Some arguments for the non-contributory plan are: that it would require no cut in salaries, that all the employees would be included in the program, that taxwise more insurance could be bought per dollar, and that labor costs could be figured more precisely.

Some arguments for the contributory plan are: that psychologically the employee would feel better paying for part of his pension, that with a stake in such a fund he could withdraw it if he changed jobs, and that many employees are already voluntarily contributing to pension funds.

A possible compromise solution to the steel dispute would be: a basic 10 cent an hour security program, in which employers would pay all costs, plus a voluntary program, in which workers who want additional protection would pay for it with their own funds.

President Truman has endorsed the decision of his fact-finding board, which recommended that the steelworkers get 4 cents per man-hour for insurance and 6 cents for pensions. Other actions open to him are: personal mediation, or the invocation of a Taft-Hartley injunction, which is unlikely.

Other factors to be considered in the settlement of the steel strike include the rivalry between Philip Murray, head of the steelworkers and John L. Lewis. Watching closely to see what the outcome will be are the AFL, unions, both the left and right wing CIO unions, and the companies with which they deal.

Pensions and increased social security benefits are certainly needed, since the average pension plan being received from social security now is \$25.70 a month. With the high cost of living, the rising price level, and the low interest rate on investments, it is almost impossible for the average worker with a family to save enough money to live off the income in his old age. At an interest rate of 4% he would have to have \$30,000 invested to get an income of \$100 a month.

The House of Representatives has passed a bill which would increase the number of people covered by social security and increase the bene-

fits an average of 70%. The Senate will probably not act on this bill until its next session, but with the combined forces of management and labor behind it, this bill, or one closely resembling it, has a good chance of Senate passage.

Management is inclined to favor increased Social Security benefits because, in many cases, Social Security benefits are deducted from the amount the employee receives from the company as a pension.

If you disagree violently with the statements in this article on this question of the steel strike and old age pensions, or whatever your views, you are invited to come and discuss the problem at the Carolina Political Union meeting Sunday night at 8 o'clock in Graham Memorial.

THE WASHINGTON SCENE

By George Dixon

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 14—Senate minority leader Kenneth Wherry wrote a letter to all his Republican colleagues the other day, urging them to stay in town during the closing stages of the session lest the Democrats attempt any last minute shenanigans.

"It is imperative," he wrote, "that all Republican members of the Senate be present and on the floor for the voting."

Mr. Wherry signed all these "stay in town" letters individually. Then he left town to deliver a speech in the Midwest.

This may mean something or nothing, but in recent weeks the Veeep's adored Mrs. Carleton B. Hadley, of St. Louis, has dropped the "Carleton" from her correspondence. She now signs her letters, even those to best strangers, "Jane B. Hadley."

Rep. Eugene J. Keogh, of Brooklyn, has been burning up the wires with denials that he had \$5,000 stolen from his pants pocket while riding in a train in Spain.

Keogh keeps yelping via transatlantic phone and cable that the idea of a poor, hard working Congressman having 5-G's in his jeans is ridiculous. He insists it was a mere \$500 he got de-panted for, if that.

Mr. Keogh appears to feel that reports of his carrying five grand in his pants pocket might cause him to lose kinship with the voters of his district. The folks in Brooklyn's Jamaica Bay and Flatlands Avenue section do not often go around with a loose 5-G's in the kick and tend to look askance at one of their number who does.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Charles Dickens
4. Writing table
8. Check
12. Memorandum
13. Salutation
14. Narrative
15. East Indian weight
16. East Indian crest grass
17. Dillseed
18. Something found
20. Make edging
22. Culmination
23. Weekly sentimentality
29. Morning stars
32. Foot covering
34. Masculine name
35. Alarm whistle
37. Arabian garment
38. Soapy-feeling mineral
40. Figure of speech
42. Associate of Paul
44. Venture
45. Weight
47. Grades
51. Kind of fish
54. Medieval poem
57. Early English money
58. Press
59. Ruminant
60. Fall behind
61. Kind of rubber
62. Glut
63. Organ of vision

PARADE LEANER
ELOPES INDITE
AT INTENDS EL
NESS APES ARE
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TSETSES BALES
ERNERS LOAM
PUREE SEALERS
OGEE SCAR NET
OLD SCUD ETTA
LI REAMERS UP
EERIER RETIRE
DREARY STIRNS

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
DOWN
1. Fiber
2. Finished
3. Cipher
4. Addresses
5. Age
6. Droop
7. Make a fabric
8. Condition
9. Light brown
10. Rubber tree
11. Waiver
12. Dust
13. Exist
14. Cripple
15. Made a mistake
16. Ruler of Persia
17. Tramp
18. Period of time
19. Small round marks
20. Turkish regiment
21. Shout
22. Bristle
23. Relate
24. Series
25. Vegetable
26. Small round
27. Horses
28. Only
29. Supplement
30. Seasoning
31. Small card
32. Constellation
33. The heart
35. African worm
36. Baseball implement

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