

VANDALISM

The past week's vandalism at UNC and State comes under fire in an editorial today.

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THESE U. S. MARINE TANKS are moving up along railroad tracks past wrecked trains in the outskirts of Seoul, Korea. The wrecked bridge in the background lies across the Han river. The trains and bridge were wrecked by shelling and aerial bombs. (AP Wirephoto via radio from Tokyo.)

Seoul Totters As Doughboys, Marines Inch Into City's Heart

TOKYO, Tuesday, Sept. 26—(AP)—Seoul tottered today as U. S. Seventh Infantry Division troops captured the city's 700-foot South Mountain late Monday while three other columns of Marines converged toward the heart of Korea's centuries-old capital.

A U. S. Army spokesman in Tokyo said late reports placed Marine units at stately granite-walled Duk Soo Palace in the center of Seoul.

There were no immediate details, and it was not known whether the palace had been captured from the Communist invaders who had held Seoul since June 28.

The Army and Marines have established contact inside Seoul, the spokesman said. He did not know where, for the Marines had stormed in from the southwest, northwest and north, while the Infantry entered from the south.

South Mountain, a tree-covered park around which much of Seoul is built, was the major Communist defensive position. Its slopes were studded with mortar and artillery positions and gashed with slit trenches and underground military installations.

Carrier-based U. S. planes cleared a blazing path for the advancing liberation forces with searing jellied gasoline and 500-pound bombs hurled on North Korean tanks, barracks and gun positions.

Planes and artillery helped silence the Reds in South Mountain Park as Seventh Division troops assaulted the slopes.

At the same time U. S. Eighth Army troops, racing northward from their rapidly expanding Pusan perimeter, narrowed the gap with Tenth Corps troops in the Seoul area to 40 miles or less.

"Victory is now in sight," Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, Eighth Army Commander, declared in a statement lauding South Korean Republican forces. He added that victory would mean "a free and untrammelled society for all Koreans with the dignity of the individual fully restored."

Once Walker's men close the 40-mile gap, the bulk of the North Korean army, which numbered 15 divisions—possibly 140,000 men—three weeks ago, would be trapped south of the 38th parallel. They so boldly crossed three months ago.

Indicative of the rapidly changing situation, B-29 superforts of the Far East Air Force Bomber Command dropped leaflets from one end of Korea to the other, instructing North Koreans how

to save their lives by surrendering to United Nations forces. Many leaflets were dropped on cities northwest of Seoul.

A communications jam had obscured battle conditions inside

Seoul for many hours until the Army spokesman gave his report early Tuesday. He said South Mountain was taken Monday afternoon, but had no details.

Radio Group Auditions To Be Held Thursday

The Radio Education Department of the Communications Center has announced that it will hold auditions Thursday for all persons interested in taking part in

any of the numerous productions planned for the coming year.

4,000 Set To Make Trip To Irish City

North Carolina will be well represented at the Notre Dame-Carolina game at South Bend Saturday, according to Vernon Crook, assistant director of the University Ticket Office, who said that more than 4,000 tickets have been sold for the game through his office.

Every effort, Crook said, was made to make tickets available to those students wanting to attend the game. Early announcements were released to the press, and posters announcing the sale were displayed throughout the registration line last week. No students desiring tickets were turned down by his office, he declared.

The one hitch in obtaining tickets, according to Crook, was that tickets not sold by the end of registration had to be returned to the Notre Dame office for sale there. There were at least 10,000 tickets available for the game, he said.

Most of the 4,000 tickets bought through the University ticket office were alumni. Not more than a few score students are expected to make the trip.

University Club officials said yesterday that they had no plans for any organized cheering work at the game or before it. That is in striking contrast to last year's Notre Dame weekend in New York, when Tar Heel fans held a pep rally in Times Square, a parade in upper Manhattan and a high party in Greenwich Village.

Most of the student fans going to South Bend plan to travel by train, although a few plane reservations have been made.

UNC Grad Becomes Ohio U. ROTC Head

Dr. James R. Patrick, veteran of both World Wars who received his Ph.D. degree from here, has just been named coordinator of ROTC affairs at Ohio University.

Sanders Calls Vandals' Acts 'Irresponsible'

Removal of Paint From Bell Tower May Cost \$300

Lashing out at the individuals responsible for the defacing of the Morehead-Patterson bell tower here and the belltower and coliseum on the campus of N. C. State College, University student body President John Sanders yesterday declared "the specter of vandalism again stalks the campus."

He called the vandals' painting of the structures in the colors of both schools "reprehensible from every point of view," and charged "certain State and Carolina students" with "complete irresponsibility."

Thursday night, according to reports here, unknown persons painted the letters "N.C.S." on the south side of the University bell tower. Friday night, the columns of the coliseum and the side of the State bell tower facing the campus were splattered with blue paint, with the bell tower carrying the letters "U.N.C."

Chancellor Robert B. House of the University here termed the incident as something "we had hoped we had gotten over." He said he had no idea who was responsible for the acts, but that "we wished we knew." Col. Harrelson, State's chancellor, was unavailable for comment.

Prior to the war years, considerable trouble was caused by visiting bands of Duke, State and Chapel Hill students who painted their opponent's campus the night before the football teams met. Since the war, however, the vandalism acts had been reduced to virtual elimination.

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Selden Talks Tonight At 8

"Adventures in Playmaking," an illustrated talk on 32 years of production history by the Carolina Playmakers, will be given by Samuel Selden at an informal get-together for all students and townspeople tonight at 8 o'clock in the Playmakers Theater.

Selden's talk, a tradition at the University, will cover the history of the group from a personal standpoint as Chairman of the Department of Dramatic Art.

His comments, accompanied by projected photographs of scenes from past Playmaker productions, will be of interest to those in drama.

Opposes Willis Smith

Senate Candidate Edwin L. Gavin To Give Talk In Gerrard Tonight

Edwin L. Gavin, Republican candidate for the United States Senate from North Carolina, will speak here tonight in Gerrard Hall at 7:30.

A native of Sampson County, Gavin was a classmate of ex-University president Frank Graham from 1907-1911. He received his law degree from Indianapolis College of Law in Indiana.

Gavin began his career in politics when, before reaching the age of 21, he was elected Mayor of the town of Roseboro.

He went into the State Senate in 1918 and served for two years. In 1927 Gavin was appointed by President Coolidge to be United States District Attorney for the middle District of North Carolina, and served there until 1932.



E. L. GAVIN

Gordon Gray Has Busy Time During First Day In Office

Assuming his duties as president of the Consolidated University of North Carolina yesterday for the first time, President Gordon Gray, who long ago acquired a reputation as a demon for work, experienced one of the busiest days of his career.

From early yesterday morning, when he arrived at his office at 8:25, until after 6 o'clock, he and other administrative officials of the Consolidated University were closeted in his office poring over the biennial budget requests to be presented to the Advisory Budget Commission in Raleigh today. At his home last night he continued to work on the budget until a late hour.

In Washington, where he has been special assistant to President Truman, at work on an economic report on world conditions, his office hours have been from 9 o'clock until about 6 or later, said Miss Ardith Johnson, his secretary. She had hoped he would call it quits at 5 after he settled in Chapel Hill.

There was no formality as President Gray began his new duties. Acting President and Controller W. D. Carmichael, Jr., who has been serving as head of the Consolidated University since Dr. Frank Graham resigned a year and a half ago to become a United States Senator, did present the new President with a

"portfolio," but that was for the benefit of photographers who wanted a picture with a new angle.

All three Chancellors of the University, Col. John W. Harrelson of N. C. State, Dr. Edward K. Graham, Jr., of the Woman's College, and Dr. Robert B. House of the University at Chapel Hill and their business associates sat in on the day-long budget conference.

President Gray will return to Washington Wednesday night to continue work on his report for President Truman, but he expects to return at the weekend. He said yesterday he hopes to complete the report by the middle of October.

Thad Eure Speaks Tonight In Phi Hall

The Phi Assembly, one of Carolina's two debating societies, inaugurates its 156th year on campus tonight when Secretary of State Thad Eure will give the main address in Phi Hall on the fourth floor of

Eure, a member of the Phi during his undergraduate days at the University, will be introduced by Speaker-elect of the Phi, George Rodman.

Indians Want Grad School Admission

RALEIGH, Sept. 2—(AP)—The Pembroke State College for Indians wants graduate schools of the state university opened to Pembroke graduates.

This was revealed today when President R. D. Wellons of the Indian school made his request to the Advisory Budget Commission for operating funds for the coming biennium.

"A primary need at present is the opening of the graduate schools of the state university to the graduates of Pembroke," said Wellons. "We hope that some way can be found."

He said that now those who want to take graduate studies have to go to northern institutions.

Dr. James E. Hillman of the State Department of Public Instruction and Director for Pembroke told reporters that Robeson County Indians are not admitted to state supported institutions for whites although reservation Indians from the western part of the state are admitted.

Wellons said that in the past some Pembroke students had been admitted to other state institutions through error, but "we want them to be admitted through the front door instead of the back."

Recognized as one of the top vote-getters in the state, Eure has been re-elected to his present post three times.

Other Phi members scheduled to assume office tonight include Ham Horton of Winston-Salem, Speaker Pro Tempore; Dave Sharpe of Chapel Hill, Treasurer; Albert House of Scotland Neck, Clerk; Herman Sieber of Hendersonville, Critic and Debate Council representative; Otis McCullom of Winston-Salem, Parliamentarian; Douglas Carter of Winston-Salem, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Edward Clinard of Winston-Salem, Carolina Forum representative.

Med Wing Gets Priority

RALEIGH, Sept. 25—(AP)—The Advisory Budget Commission was told today the state will have to spend approximately \$2,500,000 more each year of the next biennium to operate its mental institutions.

At the same time, the Board of Control put in a request for \$7,668,000 to complete its building program, for which the general assemblies of 1947 and 1949 appropriated \$122,000,000.

The hospitals board gave top priority to \$5,612,000 worth of the proposed permanent improvements, including a \$1,939,000 school for Negro children at Goldsboro and a new \$660,000 psychiatric wing for the four-year teaching hospital now under construction at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Year's First Frosh Meet Is Today

The first Freshman Assembly under this fall's orientation program will be held at 10 o'clock this morning in Memorial Hall when Dean of Students Fred Weaver addresses some 1,300 members of the class.

He will be introduced by Bill Friday, Assistant Dean of Students.

Bill Prince, head of orientation, yesterday said assemblies will be held every Tuesday and Thursday morning of the Fall Quarter.

Designed to round out the orientation of new students, the hour-long programs will cover every phase of campus life, Prince pointed out. Among items to be discussed are fraternities, publications, study habits, and other student activities.

Attendance is compulsory, Prince noted.

Friday yesterday said he expects the series this year to be the most complete of any yet presented. He urged freshmen to fully cooperate, because without their help it cannot succeed, he added.

Coeds Hear Austrian

Marianne Pollack, member of the Austrian Parliament and now touring this country doing a series of speeches, held an informal discussion with a number of coeds here yesterday afternoon.

Miss Pollack is being sponsored by the State Department Committee on the Interchange of Persons, the United Nations, the Women's Division of the Labor Department, and the International Association of University Women.

In her country, Miss Pollack is editor of the Austrian newspaper, "Die Frauen," labor party organ.

The topics of the discussion included the Austrian feeling about Korea, ECA, and American hysteria over the present world situation. She will give other talks in Raleigh, Burlington, Greensboro, and Durham.

Frosh Camp Has Reunion

Freshmen who attended the YMCA's pre-school camp held for them Sept. 12-14, held a reunion last night in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church.

At the close of the camp, members decided to hold the reunion in order to plan future activities for the group.

SP To Name DTH Nominee At Five Today

Parker Mentioned At First Meeting Held Last Night

The Student Party will meet this afternoon at five o'clock to nominate the party's candidates for editor of The Daily Tar Heel, two seats on the Publications Board and six Student Legislature seats.

Roy Parker, Jr., now serving as Acting editor of the DTH, was

The names of three veteran publications men were given to the Qualifications Committee of the University Party yesterday for consideration for Daily Tar Heel editor candidacy as the UP steering committee met for the first time this year.

Roy Parker, Jr., Chuck Hauser and Frank Allston were the students whose names were put into consideration. The Party will meet tomorrow at 2 o'clock to make its nominations.

Parker is presently serving as editor of the DTH. Hauser is former Managing Editor and editorial page assistant, and Allston is assistant sports editor.

placed in nomination for editor of the campus daily at a meeting last night.

Others placed in nomination were Tom Kerr for senior member of the Publications Board and seven Legislature candidates. Kerr is former editor of Tarnation, the campus humor magazine.

Placed in nomination for Legislature seats were Charlie Fox, Jim Lamm, Ted Steele, Cam Stubbs, Bill Prince, Wood Smeethurst, Bill Burkholder, and Bill Tighe.

Final decision on all nominations will be made at the meeting this afternoon. The Party decided to postpone its final decisions until today because of the lack of publicity for the meeting last night.

On hand for last night's meeting were more than a score of freshmen, who heard a half dozen SP leaders speak on the aims, ideals, and history of the party. Among the speakers were Student Body President John Sanders, Attorney-General Dick Murphy and Legislature floor leader Bill Prince.

Election Board Will Meet Today

The Election Board will meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon in Graham Memorial.

Julian Mason, chairman of the board, said yesterday important problems concerning the forthcoming special election will be discussed.

Canasta, Bridge Meet Starts Tonight in GM

Students interested in canasta or bridge will have the opportunity to participate in a tournament sponsored by Graham Memorial which begins tonight at 8 o'clock in the main lounge.

Rosalie Brown, entertainment director, yesterday said scores will be kept throughout the quarter with prizes to be awarded at the tourney's end.

TV Schedule

The Tar Heels' gridiron clash with Notre Dame in South Bend next Saturday will be the first program televised over Greensboro's new coaxial cable which was brought South this summer.

Carolina fans not making the trip to South Bend will be able to see the game as it is being played at the Ogburn Furniture Store, Harry's, and the Marathon in Chapel Hill.

And if you're on hand a little before game time, you may even catch a glimpse of summer school friends when the pictures of the Carolina campus are shown across the nation.