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## Miss Chapel Hill Appears

Libby McDowell, representing Chapel Hill in this past weekend's Miss North Carolina Beauty Pageant at Morehead City, is seen during one of her several stage appearances during the three-day event. Chapel Hill News Leader Photo

## Beauty Entrant Praised By Local Jaycee Escort

"We couldn't have had a finer representative of Chapel Hill."

So spoke Monk Jennings, official Jaycee escort for Libby McDowell, the local entrant in the statewide beauty pageant at Morehead City last weekend. Several judges for the annual state finals of the Miss America contest also spoke quite highly of the Carolina coed who was representing the University community.

Although she didn't place in the finals of the three-day pageant (which was won by Joan Melton of Albemarle), Miss McDowell received an unusually fine ovation upon presenting her talent—the singing of an operatic aria. Her mother, Mrs. Edward

McDowell of Wake Forest, accompanied her at the piano in the absence of her regular accompanist.

Chapel Hill's sixth annual entrant in the state beauty pageant also made quite a hit with the other entrants, according to Mr. Jennings. "Everybody liked her. She was so friendly and composed—and had a great deal of stage presence during her appearances," said Mr. Jennings.

Tonight, Libby will appear with other beauty queens from the area in a special event sponsored by the Durham Bulls during their game against Greensboro at the Durham Athletic Park.

## \$150,000 Granted To Psychiatry Dept.

Dr. George C. Ham, professor and chairman of the Department of Psychiatry of the UNC School of Medicine, has announced the receipt of a total of approximately \$150,000 in grants from the National Institute of Mental Health of the U. S. Public Health Service for the present fiscal year.

These grants include funds for: 1. Stipends for residents in psychiatry and salaries for staff members to supplement the regular departmental staff's instruction in this specialty; 2. A pilot project to explore the possibility of more effectively teaching and integrating basic psychiatric concepts with the other basic medical science disciplines; 3. An ex-

perimental teaching plan for first-year medical students oriented toward the multidisciplinary study of human illness; 4. The development of a program of training, research and service in child psychiatry and 5. The extension and expansion of a psychological internship program in the Department of Psychiatry.

With the exception of the grant for child psychiatry, these grants represent the continuing support of programs already begun from one to three years ago which have enabled the department to provide training, teaching and service that would otherwise have been impossible.

## Negro Inquiries Cause Swim Ticket Sales To Be Stopped

By LARRY CHEEK

According to an announcement from the office of Chancellor House, the sale of swimming tickets to the University pool has

been closed as a result of inquiries made concerning the purchase of tickets by several Negro children.

An official source said that University authorities felt it was necessary to refuse all applications in order to save the program for the rest of the session. Officials stated that if the Negroes had been permitted to buy tickets, it would have been necessary to close down the pool and do away with all the children's classes that have been going on throughout the summer.

Upon the inquiries made by the Negroes on July 23, University officials contacted State Attorney General William Rodman for legal advice. Rodman in-

formed the Administration that the only course open to them was to stop selling tickets because, it was reported, it would have been impossible to refuse the Negroes tickets and continue selling them to white applicants.

Two summers ago, several local Negro teenagers applied for admission to the pool, and were refused. They were referred to Chancellor House, but failed to press the case. It has been rumored that some Negroes applied for tickets last summer and earlier this year, but this has not been confirmed.

Following is the statement issued from the office of Chancellor House and approved by Acting University President Bill Friday:

"The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, through its Department of Physical Education, has been conducting an instructional and educational program for the children of the white race in Chapel Hill, including visitors on temporary terms, for a number of years.

"Since the Supreme Court decision affecting public recreation programs has been made, we have been fully aware that the program might be jeopardized at any time. On July 23, 1956, inquiries were made on behalf of Negro children. There have been no applicants for tickets, but on this information, we immediately closed the sale of tickets."

## Penick Is In Belgium For Medical Meet

Dr. George D. Penick, assistant professor, Department of Pathology of the UNC School of Medicine, will attend the 20th International Physiological Congress in Brussels, Belgium.

The meeting opened Monday, July 30 and continues through Aug. 4.

The Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology made the award on the basis of Dr. Penick's paper entitled "Studies on Inactivation of Antihemophilic Factor in Clotting Plasma Systems," which he will present at the Congress.

This research deals with the basic mechanisms involved in the disappearance from normal blood of a factor that is necessary for clotting but is missing in the blood of hemophiliacs. Fresh blood from normal persons contains this factor, but it gradually disappears on storage and rapidly disappears if the blood clots.

Dr. Penick's work also helps explain deficiencies of this antihemophilic factor in some disease states of non-hemophiliacs that are associated with bleeding tendencies.

A native of Raleigh, he is the son of the Rt. Rev. Edwin A. Penick, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of North Carolina, and Mrs. Penick. Dr. Penick received the B.S. degree from UNC in 1944 and the M.D. degree from Harvard University in 1946.

## Swim Party Planned

Keep cool this Wednesday night at a party especially designed to beat the heat. The swimming party, sponsored by the Summer School Activities Council, will be held at Kessing Pool this Wednesday night.

There will be "music to swim by" starting at 7 p.m., and the swimming will continue until 10 p.m. There will be no admission charge and the gates are open to all summer school students.

Refreshments, cider and doughnuts, will be served. There will also be an effort made to allow boys to bring their own swim suits.

"The swimming party," said chairman Jim Beatty, "is a fairly new idea and the repetition of such parties in the future will depend on its success next week."

## Planetarium Has New Exhibits

During the month of August, the Morehead Planetarium is featuring two exhibits in its North and South wings, according to Manager Tony Jenzano.

The North wing will contain the Kemp V. Nye collection of Chinese Objects of Art, while the South wing will have an exhibition of paintings by Jeffrey Jenkins, R.C.A.

The Nye collection is made up of many unusual items, seldom seen in this country. One of these is a series of concentric ivory balls, carved from one piece of ivory. Each of the individual balls is exquisitely carved, and the series is reputed to have taken twenty man years to carve.

The Jenkins exhibit has hung in the Planetarium for the past month, however, is being held over by request for another month. Most of these paintings are for sale. Mr. Jenkins has a collection of water colors and oils, most of which have been done in the past five years.

These exhibits will be on display from 2-5 p.m. and 7:30-10 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m.-10 p.m. on Saturday. The Planetarium is open from 1 p.m.-10 p.m. on Sunday.

## Jimmy Capps Coming

Jimmy Capps will broadcast his "Our Best to You" show directly from the Carolina campus two weeks from tonight.

The broadcast will originate in front of the Planetarium from 10 to 12 midnight and there will be dancing on the brick walk.

Request boxes will be placed in the "Y" several days before program time so that students may make personal requests to be played on the program that Friday night.

High school students, here for the special dramatic session, have been urged to attend, as well as regular summer school students.



## Miss North Carolina

Pictured above is Joan Melton of Albemarle, the newly crowned Miss North Carolina. Miss Melton was chosen queen over girls representing all sections of the state. She will compete in the Miss America contest to be held in Atlantic City, N. J. in September.

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