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Six Computer Sessions To Be Open To Public

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Six panel discussions on problems of research on digital computers will be open to the public as part of the summer conference on "Courses in Frontier Research in Digital Computers," to be held here.

Planned for the evenings of August 18 through 26, the discussions will feature visiting faculty members as panelists, who, according to Dr. John W. Carr III, UNC Computation Center Director, will explain the capacities and functions of so-called "electronic brains" in lay terms.

All of the meetings, except for that of Thursday, August 20, are to be held in Carroll Hall auditorium at 8 pm. The Thursday meeting will be held in the Gerrard Hall auditorium at the same hour.

Thirteen of the world's leading authorities on electronic computers will serve as visiting faculty for the courses.

During the conference the Univac 1105 Automation System, recently installed on campus, will be demonstrated and used for the first time.

Over 130 engineers, scientists and industrial and business uses of electronic computer from the

United States, England and Mexico will attend the courses.

The topics and panelists for the evening discussions are as follows:

Tuesday, August 18. "Future Trends in Computer Hardware." Panel Members: Professor Saul Gorn, University of Pennsylvania; Dr. Heinz Schecher, Manich Technische Hochschule; Philippe Drey-

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Sheffield Bill Receives Veto By Patterson

Hank Patterson vetoed a bill introduced by Dewey Sheffield to give honor council defendants who plead guilty the right to waive a jury.

The student board passed Mr. Sheffield's bill which amended the student body approved referendum for a trial by jury in summer honor council trials, during the August 4 meeting.

Before the amended bill came to a vote, Bob Bingham who is a member of men's honor council gave his support to the bill. Mr. Bingham felt that if the defendant plead guilty there was no purpose in calling in a jury.

Because the bill was drawn up to fill only the requirements of the referendum, several members of the board thought the council was stepping over the line and

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'59 Summer School Very Successful - King

Two officials of the University Summer School, Dr. A. K. King and Samuel H. Magill, Monday released statements appraising the 1959 sessions.

Summer Sessions Director King termed this year's terms as a "very successful summer school," but Magill, Director of Summer School Student Activities, voiced a need for a new approach to summer activities.

Reporting on enrollment increase, Dr. King said, "There has been a slightly more than two per cent increase in enrollment of advanced students, graduate and professional students he explained.

"The industry and scholarship has been very high," he continued. "Under the leadership of Dean Samuel Magill, with the help of the WMCA and the YWCA, Graham Memorial and various interested students, we have had an excellent program of student activities.

"The film series was well selected, the summer school chorus

ably directed, and in general this has been a successful summer for the Department of Student Activities.

"We have been happy to have undergraduate students from many other colleges and universities and hope they will tell other students about summer school at Carolina.

Dr. King said that Lenoir and the addition to Peabody Hall will be air conditioned next summer as a partial answer to student discussion about hot weather.

He called the UNC News the most valuable of all summer student activities, saying:

"It serves to tie the campus together in a way that no other activity could accomplish. During the current summer the UNC News has discharged in a very responsible manner its obligation to the students, the faculty, and Chapel Hill, for keeping everyone informed.

In his statement, Magill hinted at a possible new approach to ward summer activities, commenting:

"The free disposition of students to attend carefully to their academic responsibilities and relax their extra curricular participation has shown the need for a new approach to summer activities, an approach that will provide diversion with a minimum of effort."

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION PERSONNEL

Two-Week Meeting Opens

Supervisory personnel concerned with vocational rehabilitation from six states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands opened a two-week meeting on campus last Monday.

The third regional Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR) of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare is sponsoring the of its kind, in cooperation with the University.

Three guest lecturers including James M. Bates, vice president and actuary of Home Security Life Insurance Company in Durham, will address the group.

Other speakers will be R. M.

Holmes, vice president and general manager of the Affiliated Companies, Atlanta, Ga.; and Lester F. Zerfass, director of Industrial Relations and Management Services of American Enka Corporation in Enka, N. C.

UNC Education School faculty members, Dr. William P. Matthews and W. G. Slattery, are serving as institute coordinator and University consultant, respectively.

Dean Arnold Perry of the Education School will join Charles H. Warren of Raleigh, director of the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, and Corbett Reedy, regional

representative of OVR with headquarters in Charlottesville, Va., in welcoming the delegates to the institute.

Dr. Matthews, institute coordinator, explained that most of the sessions will deal with case studies. "We plan to use the Harvard Case Study technique," he said, "in which real but disguised cases are discussed by participants who consider the situation, what was done and what should have been done."

In addition there will be several lectures and discussions on various aspects of vocational rehabilitation.



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