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Opportunity For N. C.  
An opportunity for the state to improve the set up of the University president now presents itself. See Page Two editorial.

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## PEOPLE In Brief

**OUTFIT TO GET ITS**  
handwagon rolling in a  
and decorations way  
Rose's Ten-Cent Store. At 3  
Friday the Yuletide decora-  
were completed in the down-  
store, and Christmas stock  
on the counters. The Carrboro  
were only a few hours be-  
beginning to erect their  
district Christmas lights.

**ALREADY SANTA CLAUS**  
received a letter at the Mer-  
Association office (Address  
this case: North Pole). The  
"a good girl," wants a doll,  
a bicycle for her younger  
Incidentally, Santa an-  
he'll answer all letters  
to him here. The postoffice  
take care of proper delivery.

**BAD CHECK ARTIST**  
at yet a fourth grocery store  
on her whirlwind rounds the  
day. But she failed in an at-  
at a drugstore. She got \$45  
on a bogus University National  
check at the two Colonial  
and A and P. Now it's learn-  
the did as well as Fowler's  
sure, but was refused in an  
meal tray at Sloan's Drugstore.  
an accurate description of  
check passer was gained. The  
are now on her trail.

**FIREMEN WERE RIGHT**  
all the other day — and  
their own fire station, too.  
from an overflow jet on the  
fire truck became ignited  
on the concrete floor. The  
quickly and effectively  
the flames with an extin-  
on the truck.

**STON HOGAN, HELPING**  
the Jaycees' turkey shoot out  
yesterday, Hogan, wearing  
band with shotgun and won  
one, but three turkeys in in-  
trial tries against nine other  
men each time. Jaycees  
by Gran Childress, a complete  
with firearms, drew a fine  
on the target and won a tur-  
Altogether 34 turkeys  
ran out to about 300 shoot-  
They came from as far as  
Durham, and Hillsboro.  
sneet shooting was mighty  
too.

**AMONG THE VISITORS HERE**  
the Virginia-Carolina game  
today was D. Hiden Ramsey,  
man of the State Board of  
Education. He probably saw the  
with mixed feelings, for al-  
though he has lived in North Caro-  
many years and has taken an  
interest in UNC, he was grad-  
ed at the University of Virginia.  
E. P. Graham, too, was here  
this weekend.

**ASK THE COPS IF ONE OF THE**  
Hill police cars didn't pick  
up a ticket while in Ran-  
official business recently?  
em also if the ticket's been  
yet?

**BARBERNECKERS AT THE PI**  
house Friday night were gen-  
in their praise of the Chapel  
Fire Department. Even while  
of the regulars and call men  
putting the blaze in the back  
of the building, Chief J. S. Boone  
other men at work mopping up  
and moving furniture to  
it from being damaged. Clean-  
up after a fire is now a part  
of the department's job, it seems.

**STILL ANOTHER BOGUS**  
writer bilked the Sherwin-  
Williams Paint Store and the Pure  
Service Station out of \$38  
over the weekend. In this  
the culprit was understood  
by a Negro man, who signed the  
of Luther Farrell.

**ACTING PRESIDENT OF THE**  
University Harris Purks has been  
elected by President Eisenhower  
one of 34 persons from North  
Carolina to take part in the White  
House Conference on Education in  
Washington's capital from Novem-  
ber through December 1. This  
is the first national meeting  
of its kind ever called by a Presi-

**Carrboro PTA To Hear**  
School Leader

Miller, Assistant State  
Superintendent of Public Instruc-  
tion of Raleigh, will speak on  
"What Is Happening In Educa-  
tion" at tomorrow night's meet-  
ing of the Carrboro Parent-Teach-  
ers Association.  
The meeting will be held in  
the school auditorium at 7:30  
p.m. Association President Mrs.  
Woodard said

## Funeral Held Today For Dr. Foy Roberson

A week ago from last Saturday  
Dr. Foy Roberson attended the  
Notre Dame football game here and  
was looking forward to the Virginia  
game. In this he had a special in-  
terest, since it was the 50th anni-  
versary of the Virginia game in  
which the UNC team of which he  
was captain won a noteworthy vic-  
tory in 1905.

But he died in Duke Hospital  
Durham, Saturday morning even  
while the crowds were gathering  
for the 1955 game. He had been  
ill only since Tuesday with an in-  
ternal complaint which was not  
considered serious.

His funeral took place this after-  
noon at the Chapel Hill Cemetery  
in the family plot. The active pall-  
bearers were: Watts Carr Jr., Al-  
bert Carr, Wallace Seeman, Dr.  
Sam D. McPherson Jr., Minetree  
Plyne, Kenneth Royall, William  
Carr Jr. and W. D. Carmichael III.

Dr. Roberson was 71 years old  
last September 9. His parents were  
Abner Benton and Cornelia Ade-  
line S. one Roberson. After gradu-  
ating at UNC, where he was promi-  
nent in athletics, he studied medi-  
cine at Jefferson Medical College  
in Philadelphia, and established

himself in surgery at Durham in  
1912.

**Interest In Athletics**  
Here he continued his keen in-  
terest in UNC athletics. He was a  
member of the Athletic Council  
and a trustee. In 1940 his son, Foy  
Jr., who had been a basketball  
player, graduated at UNC and the  
next year lost his life in a plane  
accident while with the Army Air  
Corps. Dr. Roberson then estab-  
lished the Foy Roberson Jr. gold  
medal as a prize in basketball.

In World War II Dr. Roberson  
was colonel in the Medical Corps  
as Chief of Surgical Service at Mc-  
Closkey General Hospital in Tem-  
ple, Texas. He was chief of the  
Watts Hospital surgical staff in  
Durham for many years and a  
member of the Duke Hospital visit-  
ing staff. As a surgeon he re-  
ceived many honors and held many  
important positions.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs.  
Helen Roberson; two daughters,  
Mrs. Frederick O. Bowman and  
Mrs. Richard Marshall of Hamp-  
ton, Va.; two sisters, Miss Nellie  
Roberson and Mrs. C. T. Woolen,  
both of Chapel Hill; and two  
grandchildren.

## Thanksgiving Services Set

A community-wide Thanksgiving  
Day worship service will be held  
Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in  
the Carrboro Methodist Church.

Sponsored by the Chapel Hill-  
Carrboro Ministerial Association,  
the annual service will benefit the  
interdenominational Share Our  
Surplus program for world relief  
through the offering of the wor-  
shippers.

The Rev. J. Paul Edwards, pas-  
tor of the host church, will pre-

side at the services and the ser-  
mon will be delivered by the Rev.  
Henry Ruark of Laurinburg, a  
former pastor of the University  
Methodist Church of Chapel Hill.  
The Rev. T. P. Duhart, minister of  
the St. Paul's A.M.E. Church, will  
lead a responsive reading, and the  
choir of the Carrboro Methodist  
Church, led by Mrs. Robert Wat-  
son, will lead the congregational  
singing.

## Inspector's Report Cited In Fire At Pi Phi House

Faulty wiring, as noted in a fire  
inspector's report about a month  
ago, was attributed as the cause  
of an estimated \$500 fire in the Pi  
Phi sorority house about 9:30  
Friday evening.

The defect was being remedied  
on the day of the blaze—which  
could well have been disastrous.  
The work was to have been com-  
pleted this week.

It was believed that the flames  
originated from a coffee urn wire,  
plugged into an outlet in the but-  
ler's pantry at the rear of the  
house. Authorities also noted there  
were 30 ampere fuses on the over-  
loaded 15 ampere circuit. These  
fire hazards were cited in a routine  
inspection of fraternity and sorori-  
ty houses by Fireman Philip An-  
drews soon after the opening of  
the fall semester.

The butler's pantry was serious-  
ly damaged, and the flames ex-  
tended through the walls up to  
a second floor bathroom.

No one was hurt, and coeds list-  
ed only smoked clothes as personal  
damage. One Pi Phi, Miss Bar-  
bara Flesman, said she was in her  
room when she heard an explosion.

"It shook the house," she said.  
Miss Flesman said fireman  
told her the fire probably start-  
ed in the basement of the sorority  
house, which is located on the  
corner of Hillsboro and East Rose-  
mary Streets.

"Then it came up the side to the  
kitchen," she said. "And it caused  
the coffee urn in the old butler's  
pantry to explode."

Firemen had to hack away part  
of the walls to get to the fire. Miss  
Flesman said it took firemen  
from 10 to 15 minutes to control  
the blaze.

Several of the coeds filed out of  
the house still in their pajamas.  
Another Pi Phi, Miss Jane Ed-  
wards, reported the girls "paraded  
out nicely, and most of them re-  
membered to put a wet towel over  
their heads."

Investigation showed the fire  
caused soft drink bottles to ex-  
plode, which in turn caused the  
coffee urn to blow up. It was the  
bottle explosion, said firemen, that  
aroused sorority sisters.

One coed, asked what she grab-  
bed for when she first knew the  
house was afire, said, "I grabbed  
for my coat — I didn't have any-  
thing on."

## Still Going Up!

Chairman J. A. Branch an-  
nounced the following revised to-  
tals for the Community Chest drive  
this morning:

Pledged or On Hand	\$23,173
Goal	\$25,733
Percentage	90%

STILL NEEDED! \$2,560

## Schools, UNC Holidays Set During Week

Both the University and the pub-  
lic schools here will have holidays  
for Thanksgiving this weekend.

Classes will end on Wednesday  
and resume on the regular sched-  
ule Monday morning. The four-day  
holiday comes shortly after mid-  
term examinations for the fall  
semester, which began on Septem-  
ber 15.

Three weeks of class work will  
come between the Thanksgiving  
holiday and Christmas vacation,  
which will begin December 17 in  
both the public schools and the  
University. Classes will resume on  
Monday morning, January 2, and  
for the University the fall semes-  
ter will end with final examina-  
tions January 19 through 26.

In the business community  
normal activities will resume after  
the single holiday on Thanksgiving  
Day. All stores, the banks,  
postoffices, and public offices will  
be closed for this day only.

## HOSPITALIZED

Today's register of patients  
at Memorial Hospital includes

Mrs. J. S. Adams, Mary Llewel-  
lyn Brown, Linda Campbell, Miss  
Estella Council, C. C. Edwards,  
Mrs. E. M. Gitlin, Miss Catherine  
Henley, Amos Horne, Cecil H.  
Lloyd, Mrs. Thomas Oldham, S. B.  
Paine, T. F. Potts, Sarah Preston,  
Anina Ruth Rhodes, Mrs. R. B.  
Rogers, Mrs. W. E. Rosenstengel,  
Miss Marie Shaw, Walter Smith,  
Miss Alice Stevens, Miss Doty  
Sutherland and C. H. Weaver.

## H.S. McGinty Nominated To Head Merchants Body

H. S. McGinty has been nomi-  
nated as President of the Chapel  
Hill-Carrboro Merchants Associa-  
tion for the coming year.

A slate of officers to be pre-  
sented at the general membership  
meeting of the Association on De-  
cember 5 was announced today by  
Crowell Little, President of the  
organization and head of the nomi-  
nating committee composed of  
himself and the four previous  
presidents of the group. He em-  
phasized that the floor will be  
open for additional nominations to  
all offices at the elections meet-  
ing.

Mr. McGinty, an active member  
of the Association for a number  
of years, is at present its finance  
committee chairman. He is owner  
of the Carolina Sport Shop, Vice-  
President of the Rotary Club, and  
Chairman of the Community Ath-  
letic Council.

Others on the nominating com-  
mittee's slate are Edward G.  
Danziger, vice president; L. J.  
Phipps, attorney; Whid Powell,  
state director; and Mrs. Lucy Sut-  
ton, James H. Davis, and Bernard  
Whitefield, three-year director-  
ships. Bill Hobbs was nominated to  
fill out the remaining year of Mr.  
Danziger's term on the board of  
directors.

The advisory committee to the



H. S. MCGINTY  
Woolen-Moulton Photo

board of directors, consisting of  
Claude Teague, John Umstead, and  
J. S. Bennett, was re-nominated for  
another year's term. Hold-over  
members of the board of directors  
will be Orville Campbell, John Mc-  
Laughlin, and Crowell Little,  
who will serve until December 31,  
1956, and Bernice Ward, A. J. Al-  
temueller, and J. T. Gobel, who  
will serve until December 31, 1957

## Property Transferring Aired In Kidnapping, Beating Case

An order forbidding the disposal  
of real property by three women  
accused of kidnapping and beat-  
ing Mrs. Hugh Wilson has been  
continued until further hearing by  
Judge Leo Carr of Burlington, sit-  
ting in chambers as a court of  
equity.

The district resident judge en-  
joined the defendants, Mrs. Cora  
Sejester, Mrs. Alice Ince, Mrs. Sal-  
ly Atkinson, George Atkinson,  
James H. Atkinson, and attorney  
James R. Farlow, from disposing  
of all real and personal property  
following the presentation of Mr.  
Wilson's affidavit by attorneys  
John T. Manning and Bonner D.  
Sawyer.

The three women are awaiting  
trial in the December term of  
Orange County Superior Court for  
the October 23 kidnapping and  
beating of the Orange Grove dairy  
farmer's wife. Mrs. Wilson recent-  
ly filed a \$50,000 civil action  
against them for damages in the  
alleged incident, and asked the  
court to prevent their disposing of  
their assets.

In his affidavit to Judge Carr  
Mr. Wilson alleged that the Orange  
County deed books showed that  
on November 3rd Mr. and Mrs.  
George Atkinson had deeded  
their 101-acre tobacco farm near  
Orange Grove to attorney Farlow  
for a reputed consideration of \$1-  
000, and further that Mr. Farlow  
had then deeded 50 acres to James

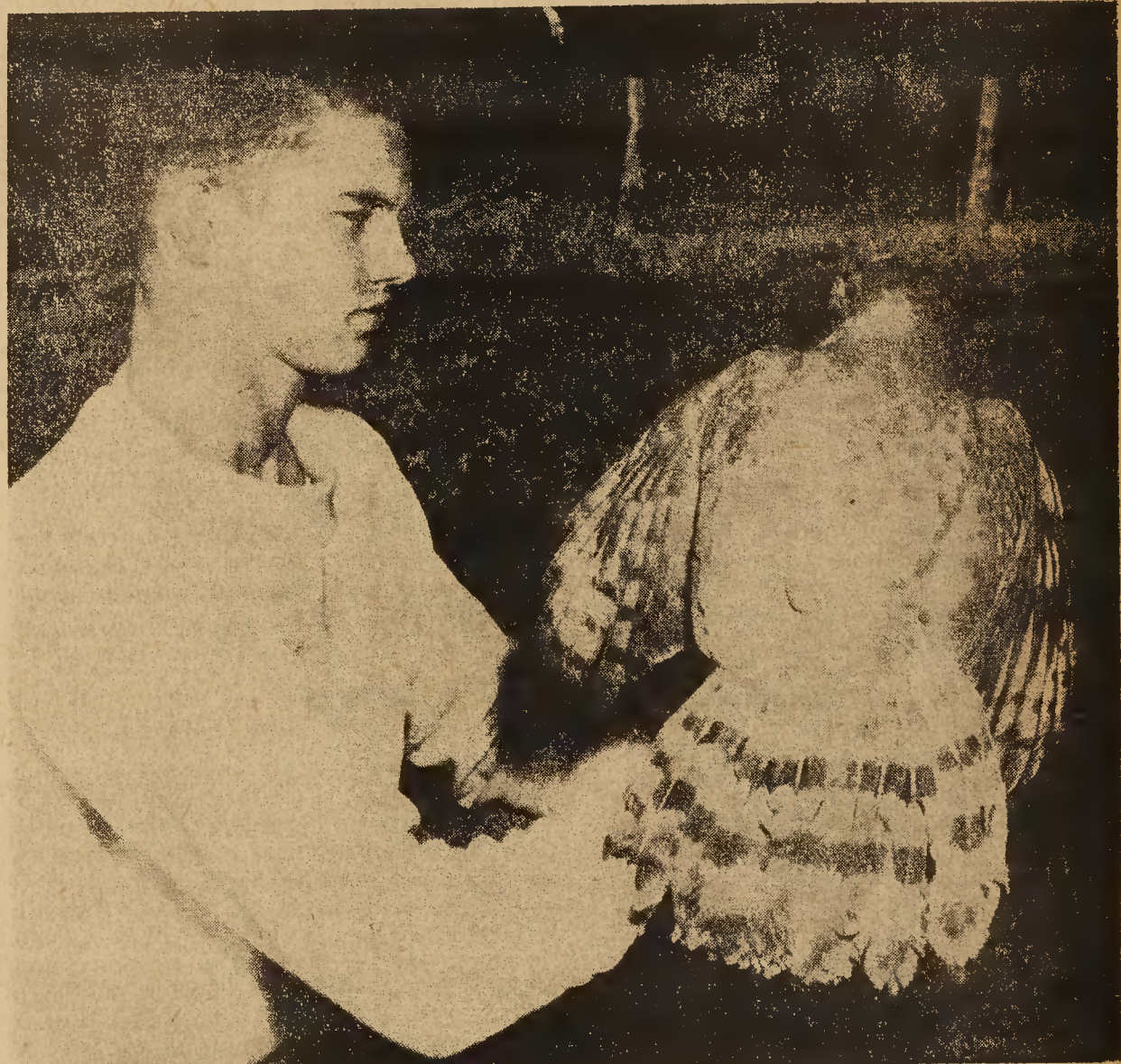
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WINNING CHURCH AND CONGREGATION — Members of  
Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, four miles south of town, learned  
over the weekend that their church had been selected as one  
of the runner-ups for the Rural Church of the Year in the State

Baptist Convention. The congregation is shown in front of the  
old church building following yesterday's High Attendance Day  
services. A building drive for a new church and educational build-  
ing was started yesterday.

News Leader Photo



CAUGHT HAWK—Tommy Hogan, Chapel Hill High School football player and son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hogan of Airport Road, holds the hawk which he captured in saving it's prey, a lone partridge. Tommy was driving a tractor in a field near his home Friday afternoon when he noticed the bird fly up nearby, and, a moment later saw the hawk swoop down from high overhead to sink its talons into the defenseless game bird. Rushing into the high grass where the survival battle was taking place, Tommy wrested the hawk from its prey and the injured partridge went free. News Leader Photo

## Game Aplenty Is Seen For Opening Of General Hunting Season Thursday

Primed for Thursday's opening  
of the general hunting season, a  
number of local sportsmen went to  
Butner today to participate in the  
special week-long deer hunt that  
started there today.

District Game Protector Bob Lo-  
gan predicted that good hunters  
would find game plentiful in this  
area during the season. There'll

also be quail in good numbers, he  
predicted, though many birds may  
not be seen till later in the sea-  
son, because of the late summer  
rains that retarded nesting. Wild  
turkey also seem to be on the  
increase hereabouts, he said.

Mr. Logan encouraged all hunt-  
ers to get a copy of the game laws  
area during the season. There'll

and he warned that a license is  
necessary to shoot any kind of wild  
bird or animal. "Be sure to get  
permission from the land owner  
before going on his land to hunt,"  
said Mr. Logan. "Be particularly  
careful with his fences, gates, and  
grain fields, too. You should get  
acquainted with the land owner  
and respect his rights. Remember  
you are his guest as long as you  
are on his property."

## Merchants Association Refuses To Endorse Coupon Book Scheme

A salesman from out-of-town  
this morning threatened to sell  
merchandise coupon books from  
other cities here, following the  
refusal of the Merchants Associa-  
tion's Secret Solicitations  
Committee to approve or endor-  
se his promotion for this  
community.

Mrs. Jane Whitefield, said that  
a man who gave his name as  
Kincaid sought approval to so-  
licit businessmen to offer mer-  
chandise or services at a dis-  
count in a coupon book that  
would purportedly sell for a  
fraction of the total separate and  
regular cost of these items.

She said that a spokesman for

the secret committee said that  
the Committee had "not approv-  
ed, recommended, or endorsed"  
the scheme. Upon being notified  
of this she said that the man  
"threatened" to sell coupon  
books from other towns locally  
if the Association tried to stop  
them from soliciting here. Mrs.  
Whitefield noted that the Associa-  
tion could not prevent the  
man's soliciting business here,  
but that "The Association feels  
this venture is not in the best  
interests of merchants here."

According to her the man (Mr.  
Kincaid) said he planned to send  
in a crew of persons here next  
week to telephone everybody in  
the local phone book to sell the  
coupon books to local citizens via  
telephone.

A coupon book scheme has  
been offered by non-local per-  
sons in several other nearby  
towns recently. In Hillsboro last  
week considerable ire was arouse-  
d among merchants over a book  
offered for \$3.95 that was alleged  
to contain \$65 in merchandise  
and service value.

The game protector listed the  
following places in this area where  
hunting licenses can be obtained:  
Carolina Sport Shop, Huggins  
Hardware, Knight-Campbell Har-  
dware, Lloyd-Ray Company, Western  
Auto Associate Store in Hillsboro,  
Forrest and Forrest in Effland,  
C. S. McDade in Cedar Grove, Bob  
Murray's in Caldwell, and Howard  
Hester, Route One, Durham.

Following are bag limits noted  
by the game protector: Rabbit—  
daily, five; possession, 10; season,  
75; season ends January 14; quail—  
daily—eight, possession, 16, sea-  
son, 100; season ends January 31;  
wild turkey, gobbler only, daily,  
one; possession, two; season, two;  
season ends January 31.

## Weather Reports

Some cloudiness and cool to-  
night and Tuesday. High today  
63; low tonight in the upper  
30s. High tomorrow near 60.

	High	Low	Rainfall
Thursday	75	47	.00
Friday	54	30	.00
Saturday	52	34	.85
Sunday	50	32	.00

## Choral Club To Give Program Of Vocal, Instrumental Music

Joel Carter of the University  
Department of Music will direct  
a program of vocal and instrument-  
al music at Hill Hall on Tuesday  
night, at 8 o'clock.

The program is being present-  
ed by the Chapel Hill Choral Club,  
assisted by instrumentalists Mary  
Gray Clarke, Donald Pease, Sue  
Honaker, and Maurine Synan. This  
will be the first appearance for  
the choral group during the pres-  
ent season.

Sponsored by the Music Depart-  
ment as one of the Tuesday Even-  
ing Concerts, the program will  
feature Handel's "Utrecht Jubi-  
late." Vocal soloists with the chor-  
us will include Betty Jo Farring-  
ton, mezz-soprano, Chapel Hill;  
and Robert Minter, bass, Chapel  
Hill.

the work are Donald Pease, harp-  
sichord, Knoxville, Tenn.; Maurine  
Synan, piano, Hopewell, Va.; Mary  
Gray Clarke, cello, Washington,  
D.C.

Another featured composition is  
Purcell's dramatic trio "Saul and the  
Witch of Endor." Robert Andrews,  
tenor, Chapel Hill, will sing Saul;  
Donna Patton, soprano, Chapel  
Hill, is the Witch of Endor; Joel  
Carter, bass, Chapel Hill, is the  
Prophet Samuel. Eugene Hudson,  
music major from Black Mountain,  
is the piano accompanist.

Other works on Tuesday's pro-  
gram are "God of all Nations," for  
double chorus by Leising-Glarum,  
and "Sonata in A Major" for vio-  
lonecello and harpsichord by Vis-  
conti.

Instrumentalists accompanying