









**DOC SERMON'S BASKETEER STOCK DROPS TWO POINTS**

**Artman and Laughead, Penn. Forest School Stars, Ruled Out**

"Old man ineligible" once more presented himself on State College's activities, this time striking the freshman basketball team.

Jim Artman and Harvey Laughead have been disqualified from play this year, as both were participants at the Penn. State Forest School last year.

Artman, center, and Laughead, forward, were two of Doc Sermon's most promising candidates for berths, and would have made excellent material around which to form a team. It was said.

**O. R. MAGILL PAYS VISIT TO N. C. STATE COLLEGE**

Mr. O. R. Magill, field secretary of the Southern Field Council of the Y. M. C. A. of the South, was at State College Friday, January 24, coming here to make arrangements for the arrival of A. R. "Dad" Elliott, of New York, who is to be at State College February 23-27.

Mr. Magill spoke to the Y. M. C. A. cabinet and to the leaders of the discussion groups of last fall in a joint meeting Friday night. He spoke of Mr. Elliott to the group, explaining the work to be carried on by him at State College. "Dad" Elliott is to lead a campaign in an "endeavor to make more meaningful and purposeful the membership in this Y. M. C. A."

"Is she modest?"  
"I'll say. I took her to dinner once, and she ordered bosom of chicken."  
—Williams Purple Cow.

**NOTICE**

Since the theaters have been so kind as to insert in their ads coupons which are acceptable for part of the admission to the shows, THE TECHNICIAN office has been regularly invaded by students searching for current issues in order to obtain these coupons. The paper is sent to each student every week. With this in mind, we cannot accept the burden of supplying students with additional copies.

If you do not receive THE TECHNICIAN come by and let us know, but do not search through the files in an attempt to get copies. Every attempt is being made to insure each student gets his paper. After this week no changes will be made in the mailing list except to correct errors. If your copy is not addressed to the right address, inform us before February 10.

CIRCULATION MANAGER.



America's most distinguished star, John Barrymore, whose voice has charmed two continents on the stage, speaks from the screen for the first time as the star of "General Crack," Warner Bros. Vitaphone special scheduled to open at the State Theater on Monday next for three days.

In the title role of "General Crack," adapted by Walter Anthony from the George Preedy novel, Barrymore enacts the son of a gypsy princess and a nobleman, who becomes the greatest military leader of his time.

In addition to making his initial bow as General Crack, Mr. Barrymore also plays the father of his character in the prologue, and enacts his father's ghost in later scenes.

The exceptional cast appearing in his support includes Lowell Sherman, Marion Nixon, Armida, Hobart Bosworth, Jacqueline Logan, Otto Matieson, Philippe de Lacy, Andres de Seguro, Douglas Gerrard, William von Brinken, Theodore Lodi, Nick Thompson and Curt Bayfield.

A Paramount sound news will complete the program.

Presenting Colleen Moore in technicolor for the first time since an episode of "Irene" several years ago, "Footlights and Fools," which comes to the Palace Theater next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, is said to offer the most perfect color photography yet achieved for motion pictures.

An able cast was selected to appear in Miss Moore's support in "Footlights and Fools," Raymond Hackett and Frederick March playing opposite the star, while Virginia Lee Corbin, Edward Martindel, Mickey Bennett, Adrienne d'Ambriourt, Frederick Howard, Cleve Moore, and Andy Rice, Jr., are others of prominence in the cast.

"Pointed Heels" will be the feature attraction at the State Theater next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. This production has all the required ingredients of first-class entertainment. There is clever acting, interesting plot and much first-rate comedy in it.

William Powell runs off with the acting honors in the production. He is the suave man-about-town and producer of artistic stage revues who forms the third side to the romance triangle of which Fay Wray and Phillips Holmes are the other components. Miss Wray is the show girl who marries Holmes, the youthful song-composer. Their married happiness is almost curbed by the machinations of the urbane Powell, but at the finish the lyric admixture is cleared by a surprise twist in character on the part of Powell, who turns out to be not a villain, but just a demivillain after all.

Helen Kane, be it known, is the little girl with the roly-poly eyes and "hoop-hoop-a-doo" voice whose work on the radio and phonograph brought her fame almost overnight. She is every bit as much a thorough actress as she has been a thorough success as an "invisible" personality. She sings two great songs in this production.

A color classic, a talking comedy, another great screen song, and a Paramount news will complete the program.

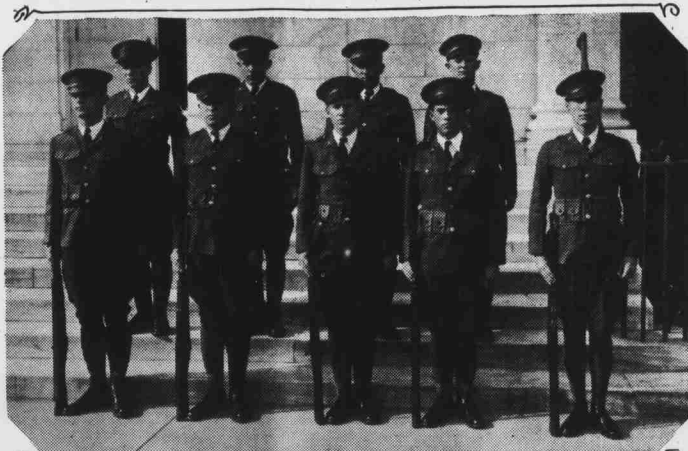
**N. C. ENGINEERS ELECT WHITNER AS SECRETARY**

The North Carolina Society of Engineers held a meeting in the Carolina Hotel on January 24 and 25, with more engineers from over the State present than ever before.

On the night of January 24 a banquet was given to all the engineers by the Raleigh engineers.

A great number of the civil engineer students attended the meeting Saturday morning, January 25, and practically all of the engineering professors attended on cor more of the meetings.

**BEST DRILLED SQUAD AT N. C. STATE**



Reading from left to right: Top Row—W. N. Wood, Graham, N. C.; J. T. Ramseur, Winnabow, N. C.; L. L. Rich, Tomahawk, N. C.; L. D. Murphy, Davis, N. C. Bottom Row—Mark Wilson, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Clem Campbell, Greensboro, N. C.; P. W. McCollum, Wentworth, N. C.; S. M. Justice, Hindersonville, N. C.; H. A. Ricks, Rocky Mount, N. C.

The group pictured above, with the exception of Corporal Ricks all members of freshman class at State College, gave a fine exhibition drill at the recent annual Police Profile in Raleigh in competition with picked

squads from the service company of the 120th Infantry, N. C. N. G., and the Raleigh police department, winning the distinction of being the best drilled unit.

Corporal Ricks was selected as the

best individual in the execution of the manual of arms. He competed against members of his own outfit and men from the units mentioned above.

The drills were held in the city auditorium.

**STATE RIFLE TEAM ON WAY TO NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Closest Match at Present Gave the Locals a Thirty Point Lead**

The N. C. State College Rifle Team is well on the way to a national championship, winning their first five matches in the last two weeks with schools all over the country.

The team shot matches with Culver Military School, Washington University, Oklahoma A. & M., Michigan State, South Dakota University, Cincinnati University, Akron University,

**STATE-DEACON TILT POSTPONED SINE DIE**

The second meeting between State and Wake Forest, scheduled for last night, was postponed by the Deacons until a later date.

The Deacons stated that the reason for such action was to allow the Terrors a short rest, as a heavy booking arrangement is on tap for tomorrow and next week.

Minnesota University, Fordham University, Iowa State, North Dakota Aggies, Western Maryland, Colorado

School of Mines, Massachusetts Aggies, and Dayton University. State College Team won every one of these matches, totaling 20.

The closest match it shot was with Cincinnati University, State having a final advantage of 30 points.

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—Penn State Froth.

**DAVIDSON WRESTLERS STAGE RALLY TO TIE**

**Wildcats Take Five of Eight Matches From State's Matmen**

The Davidson wrestling team produced a rally, if there is such a thing in the wrestling sport, to take the last four matches in the exhibition with State, making a deadlock score of 15-all to a tie the final count in the contest staged last week.

The Smithwick-Russell bout was the most scintillating, with Russell, Davidson, being injured rather severely. Smithwick threw the Davidson grappler to the floor with such force that Russell was practically paralyzed. Russell hit the floor on the back of his neck, injuring his back. The bout had gone four minutes before the accident occurred.

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# SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

### Pioneers Plan Parties

The Pioneers, co-ed organization, have elaborate plans set for a social party to be given the first of the spring term. At a recent meeting of the social committee, of which Nancy Beddingfield is chairman, plans were discussed, and it is said this is to be one of the outstanding social events of the campus.

February 12 had been set for a party to be given in the gymnasium, but because of basketball season it was impossible to get the gym. There was to be a combination bridge and swimming party and dancing for those who wanted it; but varsity, freshman, and intramural basketball squads are using the gym at all times of the day and as late as midnight some nights.

This organization, one of the youngest on the campus, has not been very active so far, but they are planning things, and in time will be recognized as one of the most helpful to the school.

All the energy that was to be used in planning two entertainments will be concentrated on the one that is to be given in the spring term and which promises to be a success.

### Fraternity Housewarming

The Alpha Lambda Tau fraternity, who have recently moved from Hillsboro Street to Forest Road, gave one of the loveliest dances that has been given this season as a housewarming and to introduce the younger set to their new home. The whole lower floor was thrown en suite for the dancing, and all through the house the lights were dimmed and pine branches gracefully used as decoration. An air of festivity was accentuated by the large lighted fraternity pin which was hung in the reception hall just in front of the door. During the evening punch and wafers were served to the guests, who were the younger and collegiate set of the city.

### Lambda Chi Alpha Dance

The Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity was host at a dance Saturday night at their home on Clark Avenue. The house was charmingly decorated in pine branches and all the lights were dimmed and decorated in the colors of the lodge. Three of the downstairs rooms were thrown together for the dancing, which lasted until midnight. Guests of the fraternity for the evening were Misses Mabel Sargent, Clarice Mitchell, Alice Hall, Ray McKinney, Frances Hooker from Rocky Mount, Frances Barbee, Agnes Moore, Dot Dillon, Emily Storr, and Ada Spencer.

### Cotillion Club and Saints' Dance

The Cotillion Club, on next Friday evening, February 14, will entertain at the annual fancy dress ball in the Frank Thompson gymnasium. The dance is being anticipated with a great deal of enthusiasm by all of the students. Costumes of every description will be worn, portraying from the colonial to what might be worn in 1935. The feature of the

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Chemical Engineers

Society will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, February 11, in Room 222, C. E. Building. All members are urged to be present.

### Los Hidalgo

Will meet Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the library. This is an important meeting and all members should be present.

### Sigma Alpha Kappa

Accounting Fraternity holds a smoker in the 'Y' tonight at 7 o'clock.

### Lost-and-Found Bureau

Lost a black and white Univer fountain pen.  
Found a pair of gloves, one glove and two fountain pens.  
Located in Room 3, Y. M. C. A., and open from 1:15 to 1:45 a. m.

### Blue Key

Meets next Friday at 12:45 in the college cafeteria.

dance will be a figure led by their president, James Sumner.

On Sunday evening, following the fancy dress ball, the Junior Order of Saints will entertain at their annual dance, which will be featured by a figure executed by Robert McCracken, president. This dance is given in honor of their new members. The order will entertain following the dance at a banquet at the Meremont Tea Room.

### White Spades Dance

The annual White Spades dance will be given Friday evening, February 7, in the Frank Thompson gymnasium, in honor of their new members. The men who were recently initiated and who will be the honored guests of the occasion are: D. W. Murray, J. Haar, and W. E. Rand, of Kappa Alpha; George Fowler and Ed. Crow, Sigma Nu; R. A. Mauney, Alpha Gamma Rho; Max Wolfe, Carroll Mann, and E. W. Freeze, Kappa Sigma; Harold Miller, Phi Kappa Tau; W. A. Greenballe and Henry Brooks, Theta Kappa Nu; J. V. Ferguson, Chi Alpha Sigma; D. A. Garfield and H. L. Hoaglin, Sigma Pi; Ed. Mewborn, Lambda Chi Alpha; J. J. Wilkes, Delta Sigma Phi; Horace Pennington, Sigma Phi Epsilon, and Jack Midyette, Pi Kappa Phi.

The feature of the dance will be the White Spades figure, which will be led by Arthur D. Thomas, president, with Miss Letitia Mason, assisted by Robert Caveness with Miss Celia Wearn.

The music for the occasion will be furnished by the Carolina Buccaneers. Invitations have been extended to members of the younger and collegiate sets here, and many of the city visitors are expected to be present.

### Black Cat Dance

The Black Cat Club of Raleigh will entertain at a dance at the Woman's Club on Saturday evening from 9 to 12 o'clock. The Carolina Buccaneers will furnish the music. Invitations have been sent to the younger collegiate set.

### Pi Kappa Phi Entertain

The Pi Kappa Phi fraternity entertained Tuesday afternoon from 5 to 7 o'clock at a tea dansant at their residence on Hillsboro Street. A large reproduction of their pin brightly lighted the central decoration. Punch was served between dances to the following guests of the afternoon: Miss Davetta Levine with James Halstead, Miss Celia Wearn with R. L. Caveness, Miss Dorothy Furr with T. D. Cooper, Miss Dorothy Dillon with H. H. Strickland, Miss Dorothy Evans with Raymond Parrish, Miss Mary E. Wyatt with Hugh Barwick, Miss Mary Alice Murchison with J. A. Baker, Miss Mary Lou Coffey with C. T. Wilson, Miss Caroline Tucker with J. T. Stephenson, Miss Mary Helen Keller with J. B. Midyette, Miss Anne Vaughn with J. U. Rigsbee, Miss Virginia Lyon with W. C. Bangs, Miss Annette Tucker with G. S. Dixon, Miss Ray McKinney with H. Harris, Miss Annie Laurie Underwood with William Garibaldi, Miss Clarice Mitchell with S. B. Mayo, Miss Mabel Sargent with Dale Starbuck; chaperones, Mrs. H. A. Underwood, Mrs. J. E. Wearn, and Mrs. J. W. Coffey, and many members of other fraternities.

### QUINTETS

Excitement ran at fever heat among the students of N. C. W. Sunday when it was learned that Bertha Scorpion, who lives in an exclusive sun parlor in the Zoology Building, had given birth to quintets.

Mrs. Scorpion, an ugly and dangerous creature, and her children were early this week apparently having the time of their lives. The mother was crawling about in her glass house with her five infants perched upon her back.

The mother scorpion was cornered and captured at Greensboro last October in a railroad car which had been used in transporting fruits from Central America. The spiderlike creature was presented to North Carolina College authorities.

## WORLD PROBLEMS SOCIETY SENDS MEN TO CONFERENCE

### Lightfoot and Abernethy Represent International Relations Club

R. M. Lightfoot, Jr., and M. A. Abernethy will represent the State College Chapter of the International Relations Clubs at the Southern Conference of the organization which will meet at Mercer College at Macon, Ga., on February 27, 28, and March 1. Sir Hubert Ames, prominent member of the League of Nations, and Dr. Tibor Eckhardt, Hungarian diplomat, are among the prominent speakers at the conference, which is the first to be held by the association.

More than 100 students from universities and colleges all over the South are expected to attend the meeting. Outstanding features of the program will be addresses by Sir Hubert Ames and Dr. Tibor Eckhardt.

The State College Chapter recently organized with 20 members and has been making great strides in the study of international relations in its organization.

At the last meeting of the club representatives to the convention were chosen and the plans for the club routine were discussed. The I. R. C. Chapter is headed at State College by Joe E. Moore.

## SELF-HELP STUDENT EARNS 90 PER CENT COLLEGE FEES

### T. T. Ferree Uses Architectural Ability to Pay College Expenses

T. T. Ferree, a senior in architectural engineering, has prepared plans and specifications for a new residence and apartment house to be located on Fairview Road in Raleigh.

This building is to be a combination of a residence and apartment, designed after the English style which has proven so popular in recent years with home owners. Mr. Errol Marshfurre, the builder, has planned to occupy one section of the structure, renting the other two apartments on the other side.

Mr. Ferree, a self-help student, has prepared plans and specifications for several buildings in High Point, Greensboro, and Raleigh during his spare time in college and during the summer vacation. While in college Mr. Ferree has earned more than 90 per cent of his expenses by doing work of this nature and other closely allied to his present studies.

## WESTBROOK NEW PRESIDENT LEAZAR LITERARY SOCIETY

### Elect M. R. Vipond Vice-President and W. E. Wilson Secretary of Club

The Leazar Literary Society held its regular meeting Friday evening, January 31, at 6:30 in the Leazar Hall.

The program was of a business nature and consisted of the election of officers for the winter term. Also at this meeting nine new members were taken into the society.

The following officers were elected: President, James Westbrook; Vice-President, M. R. Vipond; Secretary, W. E. Wilson; Treasurer, J. C. Whitehurst; Sergeant at Arms, E. P. Bass.

The following new men were elected to membership in the society: J. R. Salem, C. L. Chambers, C. S. Treson, C. N. Gross, J. P. Bowen, J. W. Pettigrew, S. M. Justice, A. S. Jenkins, L. N. Knott.

The president of the society extended a cordial welcome to the new members and urged them to cooperate with the old members in carrying on the good work of the society.

The next two meetings will be held with Pullen Society, where an organized discussion will take place on the proceedings and impressions of the London Naval Conference. Leazar will be represented by the following: England, A. S. Jenkins, C. N. Gross, United States, J. H. McKinnon, L. N. Knott, France, S. M. Justice, Italy, C. L. Chambers, J. R. Salem, Japan, M. R. Vipond, W. F. Wilson, Canada, L. C. Vipond, Australia, S. D. Satterwhite.

The following men will represent Pullen: France, J. E. Gill, J. A. Broadwell, Italy, H. F. Anderson, D. K. Rhyne, Great Britain, W. E. Vinson, M. A. Carpenter, United States, A. F. Ward, J. S. Wilkins, Japan, D. E. Thomas, J. W. Johnson, Russia, M. A. Abernethy.

## Dramatic Organization Begins Spring Try-Outs

"Red Masquers" will have a few more meetings for tryouts and then begin formal rehearsals of "Captain Applejack," the spring production," said Prof. H. J. Oberholzer, dramatic director here, when questioned by a staff reporter as to the progress the club is making.

Great interest is being shown by the student body as a whole, from the way they have been turning out for try-outs in the Brooks Literature Room in the library. The students are giving each other strong competition.

## TWENTY-ONE JOURNALISTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR FEED

### Technician Staff To Receive Second Reward for Faithful Services

The Technician staff will be given a banquet next Thursday at 7 o'clock. The place and the speaker have not yet been definitely decided. This banquet, which was supposed to have been held this week, was postponed in order that the desired speaker might be secured.

These occasional banquets are given the staff by the editor and business manager, and serve as a reward for consistency and service. At these meetings the editorial and business staffs are able to exchange ideas and plans. Speakers are secured who will give the aspiring young journalists some ideas on big-time newspaper work. The staff members have tasted a bit of real news in the past, but have now confined their efforts to local, ethical, uncodical problems. Dr. O. J. Coffin was the principal speaker at the last banquet.

The men eligible for the banquet are: Louis H. Wilson, Roy H. Park, H. B. Merriam, J. E. King, A. D. Thomas, G. B. Chapman, Bob Biggs, Ada Spencer, B. A. Streb, J. H. White, T. S. Ferree, Jr., R. M. Lightfoot, W. F. Bowers, W. C. Hubbard, Jr., R. E. Yates, F. Harvey Whitely, E. M. Overton, J. A. Cresch, H. F. Anderson, and M. A. Abernethy.

dramatics are advised to get in touch with President John H. Whitely, Director H. J. Oberholzer, or Faculty Advisor E. H. Paget at once. Participation as an understudy this year will mean that a student stands a good chance of being selected to play an active role next year.

No information has been secured as to the date "Red Masquers" will begin production of the series of one-act plays, which they are to produce to consume the overflow of dramatically inspired students. At an early date the production of these short dramatic masterpieces will begin and they will later be presented to the student body.

## SOCIETY GUARANTEES MALES HEAD OF HOUSE, SAYS POTEAAT

### Speaks to Class in Religious Ethics on Subject of "Divorce"

"Society guarantees that the husband shall be head man in the social institution of the home," declared Rev. E. McNeil Poteat, pastor of Pullen Memorial Baptist Church, West Raleigh, in addressing the class in "Religious Ethics" on the subject of "Divorce" in the north end of the Y. M. C. A. Building Monday night.

To a crowded room, Rev. Poteat delivered a speech that was intensely interesting, from the way the students sat up and took notice. He began his speech by asking several questions which were answered later in the evening. Some of his questions were: What is marriage; what is divorce? Has Jesus condemned divorce? and, If Jesus were to return to the earth would he adapt his legislation to fit the present social needs?

The speaker defined marriage as "civil contract between man and woman entered into by laws of the State." He said, "Divorce is the cessation of marriage," brought about through the same medium as marriage. Marriage, Rev. Poteat said, has a double purpose, namely: To produce children, and to protect children.

He closed by saying that not until some other medium of accomplishing the above purposes in a better way than marriage was found would marriage be displaced.

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