

Norman Thomas to Speak Here Monday at 4:30 in Pullen Hall. Everyone Invited to Attend.

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## Engineers Lecture On Transportation

### Movement by Air, Land and Water Is Theme of Annual Engineers' Institute

The new policy of Congress for the development and regulation of American civil aviation is rapidly opening up the air to the man in the street," Oswald Ryan of Washington, D. C., acting chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, declared yesterday before the Institute for Engineers at N. C. State College.

Declaring that the people of the United States are responding with enthusiasm to the new national air policy, Mr. Ryan stated: "The Civil Aeronautics Authority in handling the new law believes that the extraordinary benefits of aviation should be made available to all the people and not be limited to a comparatively small section of the national population."

He also reported widespread enthusiasm for the civilian pilot training program now being conducted by the CAA in 437 colleges and universities, including State College, and in 70 additional communities outside of colleges.

Transportation was the theme of the institute, with prominent experts in various phases of transportation presenting papers. Lead-off speaker on the subject was Dean Blake R. Van Leer of the School of Engineering, was J. E. Teal of Richmond, Va., transportation engineer for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

Dr. Roy V. Wright of New York City, eminent railway engineer and editor, last night presented the second in a series of lectures and presented in graphic fashion the vital part transportation is taking in development of civilization.

Dr. Wright will deliver his final lecture Saturday morning at 10 o'clock in Pullen Hall. Afterward, section meetings of national engineering societies will be held. At 2 p. m. Saturday, Prof. W. G. Gelle, professor of structural engineering at State College, will meet in Engineering Hall with professional engineers to distribute free copies of the new Manual of Reinforced Concrete Construction, with explanations on the technical details. In addition to Dr. Wright, Mr. —Continued on page 4.

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### HIGH-RANKING AG MEN

Students in the School of Agriculture rank high in campus leadership, and five of them are shown here examining trophies won by judging teams of State College.

Left to right: Joe Michael, senior in agricultural chemistry and chairman of the annual Barwarming; Lloyd Langdon, senior in agricultural education and editor of "The Agriculturist"; M. E. Starnes, senior in agricultural education and business manager of "The Agriculturist"; Clifford James, senior in field crops and chancellor of Alpha Zeta, honorary agricultural fraternity; and Norwood Edge, senior in field crops and president of the Ag Club.

Two other prominent ag students not in the picture are Charles Hunter, president of the senior class, and Ernest Durham, president of the student body.



## Open Scholarships Offered Athletes

### Pay Telephones Being Installed In Dormitories

### Installation of Private Exchange Will Not be Completed Until Next Fall

Cables are being laid in preparation for the installation of two pay stations in the commissary of "A" dormitory, and preparations are being made to install a pay station phone on the ground floor of Ninth dormitory in the near future.

Following the Student Welfare Committee's recommendation to the Faculty Council last week that telephones be installed in the dormitories, college officials have been in contact with telephone company engineers drawing up plans for the installation.

A committee to work with the telephone company engineers will be appointed shortly by Col. J. W. Harrelson, dean of administration. Present plans do not call for the completion of the installation until the beginning of the next fall term, and no charges will be assessed until next fall.

The recent petition, which circulated through the dormitories and was signed by 1,341 students, stated that the additional charge for each student was to be 50 cents. In accordance with the petition and upon the completion of the project, an additional 50 cents will be charged each dormitory students beginning with the next fall term.

The charge will pay for the installation of the phones and maintaining an operator who will be stationed at a central switchboard. No long-distance phone calls will be allowed on the dormitory phones.

The three pay station phones which will be installed this term will remain in operation after the private exchange phones are installed to accommodate any long-distance calls from the dormitories.

At present, all telephone calls intended for dormitory students must come through the college YMCA, and a student must be dispatched to the dormitories to secure the person for whom the call was intended.

### Noted Physician Speaks On China

Dr. Walter Judd Tells Audience in YMCA That China's Great Problem is Regaining Trade

Dr. Walter Judd, who has been a physician in China for a number of years, spoke last Monday in the YMCA on the subject, "Shall America Continue to Help Japan Crush China?"

According to Dr. Judd, China's great problems are not over-population, lack of raw materials, feudal war lords, communism, nor white imperialism, but the regaining of trade with other nations and of her position among the nations.

In reference to the present Japanese invasion, Dr. Judd accused the Japanese of avoiding the Chinese army to strike at that which is most sacred to the Chinese—their education. He also charged the Japanese with giving opium to the people.

"The Japanese people are not to be blamed entirely," he stated. Most of the blame should be put on the military clique in Japan. They make the plans for war and force their people to carry out these plans. If this military clique were done away with and fair trade relations established between the two countries, many of China's problems would be solved."

"America's responsibility is to furnish China with raw materials," he continued. "Due to the war in Europe our country is the only source of these materials for China. If we do not aid China we will be aiding Japan. If Japan wins, we will lose as well as our security will be involved."

### Correction

"The Technician" wishes to acknowledge and correct an error that appeared in last week's edition.

The statement was made that 200 rooms remained vacant in the college dormitories, whereas this should have been 200 vacancies in the dormitories, which would amount to practically 100 vacant rooms.

### Newly Formed Wolfpack Club Brings the Subsidization of Athletes Into Limelight

News that State College's alumni had come out in the open with college athletics' greatest mystery—the subsidization of athletes—was received with wide-open arms by the press this week.

The announcement was like a bolt from the blue. It came in Monday morning's papers, and was immediately transformed into a pertinent topic of conversation not only on the campus, but wherever followers of State College gathered.

The announcement was made by D. W. (Dutch) Seifert, Class of 1913, and a member of the college's athletic council, who spoke for the Wolfpack Club, organized by Seifert as its president by 17 alumni.

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"Whether we like it or not, subsidization of athletes is and has been going on for years in every school of our acquaintance," Mr. Seifert declared in explaining the plan.

Students, faculty and the general public were quick to endorse the first objective of the Wolfpack Club, which will have "athletic scholarships placed on a business-like basis open and above-board from every standpoint" at State College.

Interviewed about the Wolfpack Club's plans, Dean of Administration J. W. Harrelson said: "It appears that the alumni and friends of many schools have tried various forms of awarding preferences to athletes. The results have been charges, counter-charges, hard feelings, and cancellation of athletic relations."

It now appears that the students of our colleges and the public in general prefer an open, honest policy where everyone will know what is going on.

The administration will stand just as high as scholarship on from other students, just as they have been doing in the past."

The consensus of opinion among the students was that "it is high time that we are coming out in the open with the personal ideas of the Wolfpack Club's president, who three weeks ago initiated the movement of subsidization of athletes." They also stated "I am writing to you and a number of N. C. State College alumni who, I feel, are as deeply interested in our Alma Mater's athletics as I am, and who feel that it is high time that something should be done about it."

Pointing out that State had three courses to follow—reduce the calibre of teams played, abolish intercollegiate competition, or finance sufficient scholarships to keep State material on an even basis with those of our chief adversaries—Mr. Seifert asked for suggestions and a support from those whom he contacted.

China's suggestion was that the subsidization of athletes be done away with. Later, at the organization meeting, we were again in the mind—Continued on page 2.

### State Debate Men Honored At Dinner

Students in Paget's Extension Classes Will Entertain Championship Debate Team Monday

The State College Debating Team, winners of the men's national championship in 1937, will be entertained at a dinner given at the Sir Walter Hotel on Monday by students in extension classes conducted by E. H. Paget, coach of the team.

Forrest Shuford, commissioner of labor, will make the presentation speech and will award certificates of championship to Roland Cary, David Harris, Bruce Hatchford, Jack Price and Cary Watkins. He will also present national ranking awards in individual debate to Richard Price and Watkins, who were three of the five college speakers in the United States to receive this high honor during 1939.

Further awards will be made by Lorrie M. Knott, former State College debater who won many honors in that field, to Jack Price for winning the National and Columbia Broadcasting contests and the Dixie Championship in radio speaking.

Paget will award prizes to the members of his extension classes who have made the most progress during the year. These winners were selected by popular vote from the members of the classes.

### Socialist Leader To Speak Monday

Norman Thomas to Deliver First of Council-Sponsored Political Series

Norman Thomas, famed political and religious figure, will deliver an address to the student body of State College on Monday afternoon, January 29, at 4:30. The talk will be given in Pullen Hall.

Marking the appearance of the first political speaker in a planned series, Thomas' address is being sponsored by the Student Council.

Having been a candidate for the presidency several times on the Socialist ticket, he is well acquainted with national political circles. He is also a strong religious leader, and will address a religious conference while in Raleigh.

It is the plan of the Student Council to bring to the campus representatives of all of the major political parties in order that the students may gather various party opinions. Others who are famous on Capitol Hill in Washington have been invited to speak here.

It is predicted that Thomas' address at the College will attract a large audience, and the Student Council has extended an invitation to the general public to attend. All students are urged to hear this initial address in the political series.

### Honor Group Opens Broadcast Series

Golden Chain Will Present First Series of Radio Dramas for High School Students February 1

"Buddy" Means, president of Golden Chain, announced today that this honor fraternity would begin a four-program series of 15-minute broadcasts for high school students on February 1.

Plans call for a program each week over WPTF from 5:30 until 5:45. The programs will consist of a series of three plays dealing with preparation for college, and actual college life from cramming for exams to attending dances and parties.

The plays will be given in an effort to interest students in continuing their education after graduation from high school. The fourth and last program of the series will be a round-table discussion by Golden Chain members on the problems that confront prospective college students.

These radio programs are intended to pave the way for the annual Golden Chain deputations, members of the organization who take trips to the high schools in the state to publicize State College and in general boost education. This year the State College moving picture, "College Days," which has been brought up to date by Golden Chain, will be carried to these various schools and shown. Pictures of the new buildings have been added to the show, and the entire picture has been made over for the use of Golden Chain.

### At Conference

E. S. King, general secretary of the YMCA, is attending the executive committee meeting of the National Student Division of the YMCA which began yesterday and extends through today at River-side Church in New York.

### Lack of Information Halts Assembly Bills

### Students Form Charlotte Club

Sectional Club Plans to Boost State College in Charlotte; Will Hold Social Functions

Organization of the tentatively named Charlotte-State Club, intended to unite all of the State College students from Charlotte and Mecklenburg County, was announced this week by Don Hamilton, Charlotte boy, who is one of the leaders in the movement.

The initial meeting of the club has been planned for Thursday night, February 1, at 7 o'clock in the YMCA auditorium. Guest speaker for this first meeting will be Wade Ison, former Charlotte newspaperman and present director of sports publicity.

Intending not only to unite Mecklenburg boys here at State but to boost State College in Charlotte, the club plans to have several social functions each year in the Queen City. They will also entertain prominent high school seniors from that county, and tell them something of State.

Tentative plans call for the drawing up of a constitution at the meeting next Thursday. There are approximately 170 students enrolled from Charlotte and Mecklenburg County.

Other plans of the club at present include the holding of a Dutch supper in Charlotte during the spring holidays, and the mounting of a State alumni living in that area will be invited. Other schools have strong clubs of this nature at work in that city at present.

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### Quaker Minister Will Speak At Y

Professor of Philosophy at Haverford College Will Visit Campus January 31

Dr. Douglas Steere, noted Quaker minister and professor of philosophy at Haverford College, will speak at State College on January 31 under the sponsorship of the YMCA.

The visiting speaker, who now teaches philosophy in Haverford College, is a member of the Society of Friends, and has been active in numerous projects undertaken by its national service committee.

He is at present vice-chairman of the social industrial section of the committee, in charge of its camp work program, and was also one of the group which founded —Continued on page 4.

### YMCA SPEAKER Professor of Philosophy at Haverford College, Douglas W. Steere will be guest speaker at the YMCA in an open meeting next Wednesday night at 7:30. During the day he will meet with the "Y" cabinet members.

Lack of information about the entire matter was the cause of the present "cut" system, offering in its place a more liberal substitute. After several rounds of strong debate, the bill was tabled until the next session. In the meantime provisions were made to have the bill mimeographed and given to all members of the group.

Both houses moved for the adoption of several rules governing procedure as followed by the North Carolina general Assembly. These rules were presented by Prof. Edwin H. Paget, who urged the groups to follow a systematic order of procedure.

It was decided in the Assembly to hold meetings only once a month, and the body declared that all bills to be discussed at the meeting must be published in the House at least one week before the assembly meeting. This means in effect that all bills will have to be turned in to the clerk of either the House or Senate a week before the assembly meeting.

Attendance was up in both bodies —Continued on page 4.

### Humorous Stories Returned To Campus On Swimming Team's Virginia Invasion

They say the Finns are a brave lot of people, and that the Russians will not conquer them. I do not know what bravery has got to do with it, but I do know that any body can live in sub-zero weather must have something besides bravery to look back on. This was brought home to me more thoroughly last week when the swimming team invaded Virginia and was turned back with two losses. If I were a writer I would write something like this:

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as soon as we stepped out of our car. It was so cold that the words froze in the air and you could see what we were saying. Even the "d-Yankers" said it was cold. Confucius says: "If cold, had for swimming team, 'cause swimming team need be hot."

Regardless of what Confucius thought, the swimming team did swim to the heart out. And being the underdogs in both meets, it was swell to see the opponents sweat to beat us. (We still think we have the best team.)

Though the team had been below zero, and the weather was 3 below zero, the team went to its sleeping quarters in high spirits—not the kind you are thinking of—defeated but not out. It might have been 2 below outside, but it was 20 below inside and each person had one blanket. We thought of the poor Armenians who didn't have any blankets. However, we weren't the Armenians, so we prepared for bed. One or two addressed (at the risk of pneumonia) and put on pajamas —the best sleep with some or all of their clothes on.

The next morning the breakfast bell rang (rang, h—, the coach came around waking us up) and

### Publications Men Set Banquet Date

Annual Publications Banquet and Dance to be Held On February 28; Keys to be Awarded

Final plans are being made for the annual publications banquet and dance on February 28. Members of the committee have been appointed to secure Carl Goerch, editor of The State Magazine, as the guest speaker of the evening.

The banquet committee has several places under consideration in which to hold the affair, including the Sir Walter, the Carolina, and the Colonial Pines hotels. Members of all publications staffs and their dates will be invited. Dancing will take place from 9 until midnight.

Mr. Frank Jeter, chairman of the Publications Board, has been requested to act as toastmaster. An important event to take place at the affair is the presentation of keys to those men who have done outstanding work on their respective publications.

To be eligible for a key a man must have served at least three terms on a publication, must be at least a junior, and must be recommended by the editor or business manager.

### Phi Kappa Phi Inducts Sixteen

Honorary Scholarship and Leadership Fraternity Selects Outstanding Seniors

Sixteen top-ranking students and Prof. H. E. Satterfield of the mechanical engineering department have been initiated into the State College Phi Kappa Phi national honor and scholarship society, Chapter Secretary D. Boyd Thomas announced this week.

The high honor is bestowed on seniors and graduate students who meet character and leadership qualifications and who make high averages on all subjects during the first three years of their college careers.

Graduate students initiated by Phi Kappa Phi were Miss Margaret Kramer of Elizabeth City and T. A. Bell of Spartanburg, S. C., both studying chemistry. Seniors receiving the coveted honor were Dan E. Purifoy, James McGinnis, Clifford L. James, Theodore M. Kolarik, C. Pat Bohlen, Sam N. Mann, Mike W. Nakonezny, Robert L. Cain, Robert V. Lamb, James N. Smith, Jr., John M. Manney, Frank J. Zerill, Bert A. Heibelbach, Jr., and E. L. Williams, Jr.

Dr. L. F. Williams of the chemistry department is president of the State College chapter.

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## Our Alumni Plan . . .

Students, faculty, even some alumni, and the public in general literally ate up the news that broke on Monday of this week stating that State's alumni had come out in the open with their plan for subsidizing athletics.

True to some it may have been a shock; to others it probably opened up a solution to a long-existing problem in the athletics at State College. At any rate it appears that those approving the plan far outnumber those whom it might offend.

It was learned that no goal had been set as to either the number of scholarships to be established or the amount of money to be raised. This probably will be done early in the summer. It has been agreed that the charter membership roll will be determined after June 1, when the Wolfpack Club absorbs the Doc Newton Club, and at this time the officers will have felt the pulse of their new baby sufficiently well to chart their course.

For two years the State College Student Aid Association, Inc., has been using the name "Doc Newton Club" as a promotional and sales agency for its treasury. The Doc Newton Club has no officers and contributors are given cards certifying that they had "qualified as a member of the Doc Newton Club and as a supporter of Coach Doc Newton." In many quarters this was quite confusing, in that some persons interpreted this wording as meaning that their contributions were for Coach Newton's personal gain, when in reality the Student Aid Association applied it on informal scholarships.

The DNC was widely publicized in the public prints, by word-of-mouth, and in Alumni and student publications. In its first year (school year 1938-39) it had 379 members. This year, exclusive of almost 300 members of the Class of 1939 who voted last May unanimously to join, the membership rolls total more than 440. Members contributed approximately \$6,000 in 1938, and about \$7,000 so far this year. (Editor's Note: A recent published audit from the University of Georgia's scholarship fund showed \$34,384.53 was spent on athletic scholarships this past year.)

Somewhat of the true situation that seems to exist was clearly explained in the words of "Dutch" Seifert, when he said: "We might as well face the facts: Character is what you really are; reputation is what people think you are. Our institution is rich in character. There isn't a finer agricultural, engineering or textile school anywhere than North Carolina State College. Yet, popular opinion is that the finest schools are those producing the best athletic teams. "And it is true, whether we like it or not, that many institutions get their best reputation through publicity gained by their athletic teams. And, granted athletics are a good publicity medium, we intend to capitalize on them, not to the extent of hiring a bunch of professionals to get the job done, but to the extent of having our athletic teams match the high academic standing of our institution."

He also added that the club has adopted a far-reaching campaign that eventually will touch each of State's approximately 20,000 living alumni, who will be asked to participate on the community-chest plan—in proportion to one's ability to contribute.

## Bumming In The Street . . .

Last week Colonel Harrelson received a letter from A. H. Young, Raleigh's Chief of Police, relative to the practice a few State students are following of standing in the streets to "bum" rides between the college and the downtown section of the city.

Chief of Police Young urged that the members of the student body here at State cooperate with the city by refraining from this dangerous practice, and limit their "bumming" zones to the curb. While there is a city ordinance that no person shall stand in the roadway of the city streets for the purpose of soliciting rides from the drivers of any private vehicles, Young expressed the hope that the situation can be remedied through the cooperation of the students rather than through any arrests.

This practice has been a source of friction between the students and the city for a number of years, over-anxious "bummers" invariably moving out toward the center of the street to flag cars. In connection with this problem, the inaugural session of the State College Student Assembly which met last week in the State Capitol passed a resolution asking the students to cooperate by not "bumming" in the streets.

Many townspeople are irked by a long string of students blocking the street, particularly at the corner of Hillsboro and Salisbury Streets, and do not stop to pick up students when they otherwise would do so. In order to cement the bonds of friendship now being developed between the townspeople and State students, in order to clear the city streets of Raleigh of this now existing dangerous practice, and in order to catch more rides, let's cooperate with the city of Raleigh by "bumming" from the curb only and staying out of the roadway.—B. C. H.

# NEWS HIGHLIGHTS

by  
"Spud" Davidson

## Assembly Deadlocks . . .

Holding its second meeting since its formation two weeks ago, the State College Assembly—at least part of it—gathered in the State Capitol to discuss extremely pertinent issues. And they appeared to be so important that no decision could be reached—at least not in the Senate.

Holding forth the same reason in both the House and Senate—and unknown to each other—the important measures of the evening were tabled to the next session for what was termed lack of information. The Senate laid on the table the bill for a revision of the "cut" system, and the House did likewise on the now-famed Watauga-Technician proposal.

Attendance being somewhat below par was attributed to short notice of the meeting, competition with intramural boxing, and several minor complications. Everybody agreed to meet only once a month in the future, and with ample notice this should result in better results.

## Alumni Plan . . .

And certainly no news of the week was more striking than the announcement appearing Monday that the alumni had come out in the open with their plan for awarding athletic scholarships. And, in accord with what appeared to be student comment, it struck a vital note. The plan seems to have endorsement.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Seniors:

Whether we realize it or not, mid terms are nearly here and half of our senior year is spent. Commencement is not so terribly far away. Just the other day Mr. Mayer asked that a committee from our class be appointed to help him with the selection of our class commencement invitations—this means that commencement is rapidly approaching.

There is still a few things which we would like to do before those glorious days come to pass. One of them is to see our project of a gift become a reality. Just a few over one-third of us have paid our part on the gift. We may not make our donations 100 per cent but we can come very close to it. Are we going to share the honor with this one-third at their expense? I hope not. Any of the members of the gift committee will be glad to write you out a receipt in return for your gift fee.

CHARLES A. HUNTER,  
President of Senior Class.

OPEN FORUM

The following is a letter sent to Col. Harrelson from Raleigh's Chief of Police relative to the practice students make of standing in the streets to "bum" rides. The letter is self-explanatory.

January 19, 1940.

Col. J. W. Harrelson,  
Deans Students,  
State College,  
Raleigh, North Carolina.  
Dear Col. Harrelson:

We shall appreciate your cooperation in notifying the student body of North Carolina State College of the danger involved by students standing in the roadway of public streets of the city, especially Hillsboro Street, for the purpose of soliciting rides from the drivers of automobiles.

I am confident that with your cooperation, members of the student body will refrain from this practice, and while there is an ordinance that no person shall stand in a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride from the driver of any private vehicle, we prefer to remedy the situation through the cooperation of State College officials rather than by the means of enforcement through arrest.

Yours very truly,  
A. H. YOUNG,  
Chief of Police.

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To the Students:  
The student council launches its new project of having an outstanding member of the major political parties to speak on the campus this coming Monday. Norman Thomas, the most renowned Socialist of the Nation, will be the inaugural speaker. We sincerely hope that we have the whole-hearted support of the Interfraternity Council for this project.

The council has letters in the mail in an effort to get Taft, the Republican nominee for the Presidency here on Feb. 23. However, as yet, we have received no reply. We are also corresponding to get Vice-President Garner, commonly known as "Cactus" Jack. When we get these gentlemen here, let's have a packed auditorium to hear them. We are very sorry to say that the Council has had reports of stealing going on in the dormitories. We do not issue this as a warning, but merely as a fact—any person who is convicted of stealing will be shown no leniency.

This is always open for suggestions. Why don't you drop around to our regular Tuesday night meeting and offer a few?

THE STUDENT COUNCIL.

OPEN FORUM

We wish to express our appreciation to all who helped to make Religious Emphasis Week a success; to THE TECHNICIAN for the splendid publicity and their editorial; to the Interfraternity Council for scheduling discussion groups in the fraternities; to the dormitory assistants for scheduling the speakers in the dormitories; to Major Kutschinski and the Glee Club; to Meredith, Peace, and St. Mary's for furnishing music for the evening meetings; to West Raleigh Presbyterian, Fairmount Methodist, and Fulton Memorial Baptist churches for inviting the visiting speakers to preach in their pulpits; to the ministers of the city and others for leading discussion groups; and to every one who gave of his time and energy toward making the project a successful one.

O. J. HOWELL,  
President of the Y.M.C.A.

OPEN FORUM

Dear Editor:  
At a meeting of the junior class in the YMCA just before the Christmas holidays, a vote was taken on the question of whether the Junior-Senior dance this year would be formal or informal. The majority of votes were in favor of an informal dance, but after the meeting there arose some discussion as to whether the vote should be final or not, because there were only 120 members of the class present at the meeting.

This is less than half of the number enrolled in the junior class. Because of the controversy and dissension that arose among members of the class due to the fact that so few were present at the time the vote was taken, a written vote was taken at the gymnasium on Registration Day at the Junior-Senior party. There were 226 votes polled at this time and over two-thirds of these were for a formal dance. This seems to indicate that the members of the class have changed their minds after having been given a little time to think it over, or that many of the ones who favored the formal dance were not present when the vote was taken.

Due to the facts I have presented, I think another vote should be taken at a junior class meeting as soon as possible in order to decide this all-important question.

CHARLES H. WHEATLEY.

OPEN FORUM

Editor:  
At the last meeting of the Student Legislature a proposed bill to pay the associate editor, sports editor and assistant business manager of THE TECHNICIAN was voted down. That seems to me to be a mighty sorry way to repay the boys who devote their time to the publishing of this paper.

Fitting the above students on a salary would not only serve as a compensation for their efforts, but would act as an incentive in getting other students to write for the paper, and we sure can use them.

If the paper is to be run on the supposition that working on the paper is enough of a reward in itself, then why pay the editor and business manager?

At the end of each year several students usually run for the positions of editor and business manager. One candidate is elected for each job, receives a salary and a bonus at the end of the year, and the losers have their Publications Key.

ARNOLD KROCHMAL.

the CAA, who said in effect that new policies of Congress were opening up the air for the man in the street. Since that air travel is becoming more commonplace daily, and these fellows really had the right stant on the matter.

## Still More Snow . . .

Halting or hindering practically all operations not only on the campus, but State-wide this week was the heaviest snow of the winter for this vicinity. Activities of the military department, insofar as they were concerned, were brought to an actual standstill—and at the rate this cold weather is proceeding, the snow will remain for several more days.

Many various and sometimes humorous, forms of extra wearing apparel made their appearance this week. Other unique forms of attire were seen at the parties in which State students took a large part.

## Junior-Senior Wrangle . . .

Whether the Junior-Senior shall be formal or informal this year. Almost like the weather, the matter is settled, unsettled, and then open for discussion again. The fun was in the fact that those who paid their class dues were for a formal dance, or maybe they just changed their minds after the first class vote in State College is an occasion important not only to the engineers but to us all. The future of the state and the South increasingly depends upon the quality and the quantity of their trained technological minds.

Maybe the juniors had better go into session again and see just what can be determined about the whole thing. There's one thing certain, it would look mighty funny to have formal dress optional.

## Other Papers Say—

(From The News and Observer,  
Jan. 25, 1940)

## Training For Technical Times

The annual observance of Engineers Week in State College is an occasion important not only to the engineers but to us all. The future of the state and the South increasingly depends upon the quality and the quantity of their trained technological minds.

Both the South and North Carolina are deficient in such engineering educational facilities as will furnish them with trained men able to provide the technical leadership which is more and more essential in these times. They are lacking also in the share of technical men trained anywhere. If the state is to advance at the rate we wish that deficiency must be removed.

Already a State College where the engineers are meeting, a substantial beginning has been made in the creation of such a technical institution as the state and the South need. Facilities at State College in adequacy in faculty, equipment and buildings, as its Dean Blake Van Leer has pointed out. Today there are practically no engineering research facilities at State College worthy of comparison with other first-class engineering institutions of higher learning.

No informed person in this day needs to be shown the importance of technical training in our civilization. It works all around us. But apparently North Carolinians are not convinced of the necessity of giving their young men the very best opportunities to secure such training. Yet the absence of a really great technical school in this State may be heard of by one of the most serious lack in the state's program for advance.

There should be at State College an institution in a sense comparable with Massachusetts Institute of Technology in New England. In its creation practical and idealistic North Carolinians have an opportunity to cooperate in the building of a richer and better state.

## Listening In

By JOE MICHAEL

Glenn Miller scored the quick road to success by attracting followers of popular music are saying today; but it would be more appropriate to say, Glenn Miller scored the quick road to success. In the folk band he was a sensation who skyrocketed from the depths of nonentity to brilliance of a position in which he challenges Benny Goodman, Tommy Dorsey and Duke Ellington for the supremacy of the swing world.

All this success story would do for the sake of glamour, but not for the sake of money. Glenn Miller, young fellow, who is sometimes called, by colleagues, the Abe Lincoln of the trombone. He has all the right to be given such a title, for he was reared on an Iowa farm, and borrowed his first horn, a brass job, from a neighbor. When Glenn finished high school he tucked the old slide under his arm and went to the University of Colorado. After a little experience a mong the college dance units he was picked up by Ben Pollack. In the Pollack band he played along side Benny Goodman and Gene Krupa. Biz Beiderbecke heard he was one of the finest trombone "ride men," and when he heard for himself, was so sold on the youth that he used him in the famous Beiderbecke recording combo.

Miller dreamed long about the time when he would lead a band of his own, but along with this dreaming he learned and noted down a book full of do's and don'ts for young band leaders. He has been known as a good picker for a number of years, for instance, some new bandsman needed a good young band leader, so he looked for one himself, he would ask Miller to send him a man. Miller picked out a whole crew for Ray Noe several years ago.

For a long time Miller was the arranger and organizer for the Casa Loma band, and if you will stop and think about it sometime,

# GLEANINGS

by THE STAFF

Having been converted into rotary snow plows by Old Man Winter this week our minds are still yearning to a certain unsullied extent. Let it be said that when Grandpa walked a few miles to school through a raging blizzard he set no record that has not been broken by the unucky residents of A and C. Remind us to ask Joe Michael if this was the deepest snow at State College for many a year.

Congratulations to members of the newly-formed Wolfpack Club on their policy of openly offering athletic scholarships. Practically every college and university in the United States practices subsidization of athletics either through the school or the alumni, but not many of them will admit it. We will either have to give up athletics or best our neighbors at their own game, and maybe after this progressive step we can do just that. It will be tough going though, because our competitors are in a position to outbid us if they get the chance. "Dutch" Seifert, president of the new organization, is a man well-qualified for the job. When he attended State he was an outstanding three-letter man.

Some interesting points we had never thought of in opposition to the unrestricted use of athletic tickets were brought out at the first meeting of the Student Legislature. Most important of these was the argument that a large number of the students might sell their tickets for each game at a reduced price, thus cutting into the athletic budget of the college. There is a lot to be said in favor of both free and restricted use of the books.

If you really want to know what the Student Legislature is doing come to the next meeting, and all of their meetings. Many of the students do not seem to realize that the Student Assembly is THE student government here at State College. Now that we have a truly representative form of self-government you have a chance to get the things you would like to see put into practice through your representatives. Tell him what you want and then go to the Assembly to hear your own ideas discussed. Nine chances out of ten you will be interested enough not to miss another meeting.

The world continues to marvel at the amazingly successful resistance of Finland against the Russian invasion. Natural barriers, icy weather and a highly efficient army have proven effective so far, but it is the general consensus of opinion that when warmer weather comes the Reds will win by sheer force of numbers unless aid from some outside source comes to the Finns. And this places the United States in a key position as well as an uncomfortable one. If we lend the Finns money and provide them with material aid we will increase our danger of being drawn into a general war that is none of our affair. On the other hand Finland is the only nation that has been honorable enough to continue to pay instalments on the war debt, and is also refusing to help her and she refuses to help her and she annexed by Russia we may be partly blamed for her downfall.

From all reports the students have been behaving themselves fairly well lately. . . . It is rumored that due to a sudden interest in Meredith Dana Mattox might make two dreadful B's this term instead of only one C. For two years we have been trying to get something scandalous about Graham Hollowell for publication, but it seems to be a hopeless task; he's too fast for us. . . . Allen Hobbs is in the infirmary suffering from strange malady, but don't cry, girls, he'll be back. . . . Jim Michener got tired of walking through the snow and is also resigning under the care of the nurses. Tom Blount is pinching for him on the TECHNICIAN telephone. . . . The hearts of Raleigh high school girls are beating faster now that "Jeep" Wrenn, sometimes known as "Dagwood," is back in school. . . . Bill Hawfield has completely lost out in Wilson, for wedding bells are ringing there. . . . And in conclusion we wish to state that whereas and hereby let it be known that any similarity of the above names to those of persons living or dead is purely coincidental. (This Assembly influence is making lawyers out of us). . . . HENRY ROWE.

## Open Scholarships Offered Athletes

(Continued from page 1)

ates that full publicity was to be given the whole plan.

## Mial Plan

Seventeen alumni joined the cause and founded the club, adopting the working plan of T. K. Mial, Class of 1913, who is vice president and general sales manager of Johns-Manville in New York. Mr. Mial came to the meeting with valuable information from several other institutions that had already established similar plans.

"While creation of the scholarship fund is the initial function of the club," Seifert stated, "we expect to play a prominent part in the alumni side of State College. As a matter of fact, our ultimate goal is the building of a great alumni organization and the development of strong athletic teams seems to us to be the short-cut to this objective of our own people and our own school." Mr. Seifert added.

"The club's executive committee already is at work setting up geographical districts for which managers will be appointed. It is the job of these district managers to make the Wolfpack Club the sales agency for the State College Student Aid Association, Inc., of which Mr. Sullivan is president. This long-established association will be the treasury.

"The enthusiastic moral, financial and physical support given by those first contacted indicates that our alumni, who are the ones who have the power to apply a remedy to our athletic situation, are ready and willing to contribute to the success of our own people and our own school." Mr. Seifert added.

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SPORTS Comments

By "ACE" KROCHMAL

The biggest thing to hit this campus in a long while is the Alumni plan to end the losing streak of State's teams.

Krochmal is administered by the Scholarship Committee of the Wolfpack Club. The committee would act on recommendations of the State coaches in the awarding of scholarships.

It is hoped that with the funds available through this plan, outstanding prep school athletes will have been attracted to other schools who will come to State.

Tar Heel Says the Daily Tar Heel, Carolina's student paper, "State is in a fine position to get North Carolina talent."

With the money to hand out, and the courses it has to offer, State should be able to blanket North Carolina as effectively as Carolina does in South Carolina.

Here and There Varsity End Sullivan has received an offer to play pro ball with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

The powers that be are still angling for two or three more football games for next year.

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State Tangles With Maryland Here Tonight

Old-Liners Boast Veteran Quintet

Visitors Hold Wins Over Clemson and Duke; Seek Revenge For Defeat by State Last Year.

State's ever-improving Red Terrors will play host tonight to Maryland's high-stepping quintet.

The Terrapins come to Raleigh tonight with a record of four wins in five conference games, their only loss in the loop coming at the hands of Washington and Lee.

State's inexperienced quintet showed a vast improvement over their previous form when they lost to Clemson last Friday night, 48-38.

Three Alumni On Committee Seifert, Floyd and Sullivan Compose Scholarship Committee to Award Athletic Scholarships.

Three of State's outstanding alumni are the men on the scholarship committee which will be in charge of the awarding of scholarships to worthy athletes.

Fresh Sluggers Whip Tar-Babies State Gets 5-3 Win, Four Points by TKO's and One by Decision.

Two wins in two matches is the record State College's freshman boxing team has thus far this season.

Outstanding for the State freshmen are Leighton Elliot, 135 pounds; Joe Starnes, 145 pounds; and Cecil Frye, 155 pounds.

Important! All students who have not as yet received their athletic books should get them today at Mr. Von Glahn's office in the gymnasium.

MURALMUSINGS

Boxing is the main event on the intramural sports calendar at the present. The fraternity preliminaries were held last night, and the dormitory preliminaries will be held January 31.

Boxing The leaders in the different sections of fraternity and dormitory basketball are listed below.

Fraternity Section I—SPE (three wins). Section II—PIKA and Kappa Sig (two wins each).

Upperclass Section I—2nd Watauga and 2nd South (each one win).

Freshman Section I—2nd 7th (two wins). Section II—2nd 8th (two wins).

Dormitory Basketball 3rd A, 14; 1st Watauga, 13.

Soccer Snow has again held up the soccer schedule. Weather, in addition to labs and classes in afternoon has made it pretty tough to carry on soccer this winter term.

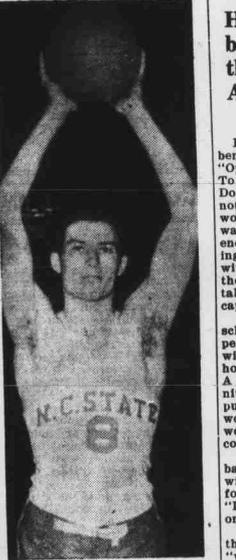
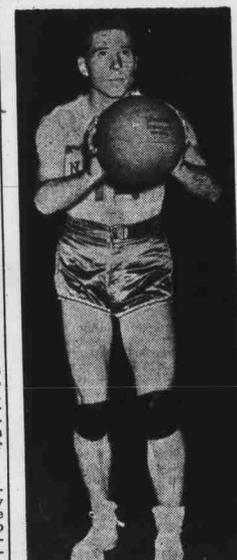
Handball The teams that have reached the quarter finals in handball are as listed below:

Fraternities PIKA, Delta Sig, Sigma Nu, AKPI, Lambda Chi, SPE.

Dormitories 1st 8th, Basement 8th, 10th, 2nd A, 2nd Watauga.

Fraternities Sigma Nu, PIKA, AKPI, Phi Sig over Dotson (PIKA).

FEATURED TONIGHT Will be these four stars in the basketball firmament. Reading from left to right are Rollins Sevier, State Captain and guard; George DeWitt, all-Southern forward, and Monte Crawford, State center.



Carolina Shows Heels To State

University Beats State 52-41; Half-time Score, 21-21. State's hard-fighting Red Terrors dropped a thrilling basketball game to Carolina last Tuesday night by the score of 52-41, at Chapel Hill.

It was the story of State's weakness all season, lack of reserves. Monte Crawford, Terror center, was doing an excellent job of holding down the Heels' high-scoring center, George Glamack, when he fouled out.

The half-time score was knotted at 21-21. The win gave Carolina its 13th consecutive win of the season, as against no losses. High scorer for State was Forward Roy Cromartie, with 13 points.

In a preliminary game, the Carolina frosh nosed out the Baby Terrors, 55-51, in a nip and tuck, free-scoring game.

This is the first loss in five starts for the Techlets. High scorer for the Tar Babies' center, Nelson, who swished the hoops for 20 points.

Kappa Tau, Pi Kappa Phi, SPE, ALT. Dormitories Upper 9th, Basement South, 1st C, 2nd Watauga, 1911, 2nd A, 5th, Basement 8th.

The results of the preliminary fraternity boxing are as follows: 125—Murdock (Kappa Sig) over Ingram (PIKA).

135—Kelly (PIKA) over Moran (AKPI). 135—Edelen (Sig Nu) over Boger (SPE).

145—Waldin (PIKA) over Sarandria (Del Sig). 145—Shimmer (AGR) over Millhouse (SPE).

145—Burrage (AKP) over Messersmith (Sig Nu). 165—McDougal (PIKA) over Bulger (SPE).

165—Metcalfe (Sig Nu) over Schubart (Del Sig). 175—Jayne (Phi Kappa Tau) over Everett (Sigma Nu).

Sorry Tech Natators Bow to Kaydets, 38-37, in Thrill-Packed Meet.

Last week the swimming team of State College met the fish of Virginia Military Institute and were defeated in a close and exciting match that was won in the last event.

The Tar Heels started out with a two-point advantage over their hosts, as State forfeited in the second round.

The summary: 120—State forfeited. 127—Rose, UNC, decision. Fleming of State.

135—Young, State, decision. Inakeep of UNC. 145—Dickerson, UNC, decision. Brown of State.

155—Bartlett, UNC, decision. Nicholson of State. 165—Sanders, UNC, decision. Abrams of State.

175—Bobbitt, Carolina, TKO over Middleton of State. Unlimited—State forfeited.

Sports Editor: Recalling to mind last year's famed "Six Iron Men," I think this year's team could be appropriately called the "Five Iron Men."

In both the Carolina and Clemson games when Monte Crawford fouled out, State lost some of its pep. Tuesday night at Chapel Hill, Crawford had scored nine points while holding Glamack to 10 points, when he went out on personals.

The lack of height and reserves puts Doc Sermon's boys on the spot when something happens to one of the starters. They just don't seem to have that certain punch a winning team must possess, when one of the starting quintet is missing.

We all hope that our Red Terrors win the rest of their games, but as long as they play with that "do or die" spirit they have been playing with, all State College is with them, win or lose.—Vic F. Mullins.

Sports Editor: As a member of the track team for the past two years, I agree with you in your belief that Doc Sermon is too valuable a man for State to lose, and that he ought to come back here next year as track coach.

Varsity Boxers Bow To Carolina

Captain Eddie Young Gets State's Only Win in Match. State's varsity boxing team dropped its season's opener to the University of North Carolina last Saturday night in the Thompson Gym to the score of 7-1.

State's only winner was a decision over Jim Inskip in the 135-pound class in a fast fight.

The only TKO in the varsity matches came when Carolina's football player, Mike Bobbitt, got a technical over State's Jim Middleton after 40 seconds of the second round.

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Sports Editor: Despite the fact that our basketball team has lost a number of games thus far, all State students should be proud of the way the boys on the team have been fighting, and of the clean way they play. Our team is truly representative of State College.—Joe Aquilino.

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Athletic Plan Approved By Doc Newton

Head Coach of Football and Baseball Enthusiastic Over the Alumni Plan.

By BOB POMERANZ Football will get the biggest benefit from the new alumni "Open Athletic Scholarship" plan.

Basically, the giving of athletic scholarships is not wrong for it permits athletes, who would otherwise have to work during practice hours, to take part in daily drills.

Doc Newton, head football and baseball mentor, naturally agrees with all this and has felt the need for a switch from the old alumni "Doc Newton Club" to something on the present order.

"The Doc Newton Club," says the man after whom it was named, "was formed when I came to State to give help to boys who were already here. Most of them are graduating this year. The Wolfpack Club, as it is called, is expected to bring capable ball players to State who would otherwise go to other schools. In this way the alumni are going to do great work in evening up with our opponents."

"But," continues Doc, "too much can't be expected from the teams before the new plan has had a chance to take full effect. The alumni call it a "five-year plan," and it is just that, for it will be at least that time before the right boys can be gotten. A boy, to get a scholarship, is expected to maintain a high scholastic average, a requirement which has my highest praise."

Swimming . . . State's swimming team will be host to Duke next Wednesday night here in what should be the best meet of the year. Starting time is 7:30.

"43" Club All freshmen who earned their numerals last term will please report to the Field House at 7:00 o'clock Monday to form the "43" Club.

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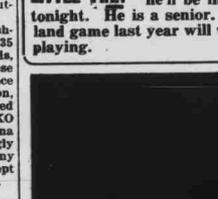
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### Sigma Nu Wins Bridge Tourney

Raleigh Bridge Group Sponsors Fraternity Contest; Kappa Signs Take Second

Sigma Nu captured the team-of-four bridge championship among the N. C. State fraternities and won the special trophy offered by the Raleigh Bridge Association.

The Kappa Sigma team, E. E. Morrison, R. T. Henning, E. Koella and Bill Thompson, were a very close second. They also won 13 boards, making a cumulative score of plus 1,130. Each was awarded 11 national rating points.

The Delta Sigma Phi team was a good third, winning 11 1/2 boards. W. E. Gibbons, D. Buckingham, W. E. Cline and A. C. Truex represented the chapter.

Three teams tied for fourth place, with a score of 10 1/2: Pi Kappa Alpha, represented by John Flowe, Grover Furr, Billy Heyward and Sam Welsh; Alpha Kappa Pi, represented by Ralph Perry, P. S. Kugler, M. Goral and Paul Gawkowski; and Pi Kappa Phi, represented by Clyde Cannon, H. S. Gibbs, Bruce Halstead and W. A. Ray.

Other teams entered in the tournament were: Lambda Chi Alpha, Sigma Pi, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Alpha Gamma Rho and Pi Kappa Alpha No. 2.

The Raleigh Bridge Association, sponsor of the event, conducts an open pair duplicate game each Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club. Winners are awarded national rating points and their choice of cups, trays or cards.

An invitation has been extended to the State College students and faculty to participate in the "Tuesday evening games. Card fee for the weekly games is 35 cents for non-members and 25 cents for members. Annual memberships are also available.

### Sophomores . . .

The Sophomore Class will meet in Pullen Hall on Tuesday, January 30, at 12 o'clock. John Barr will be prepared to accept class dues from any who have not yet paid.—Ed Bryant.

### Lack of Information Halts Assembly Bills

(Continued from page 1) due to short notice of the meeting, adverse weather conditions and competition with other happenings on the campus.

Several prominent members of the faculty were present to witness the new government in action.

On the docket for the next session of the assembly are bills pertaining to the "cut" system, athletic tickets, *TRICENTENARIUM-WATSON* proposal, and others.

### Quaker Minister Will Speak at "Y"

(Continued from page 1) Peadle Hill, Quaker center for religion and social study at Wallingford, Pa.

Dr. Steere has written a number of articles for religious and social journals and several pamphlets in connection with the work of the Society of Friends.

He is also the author of the Hazen book, "Prayer and Worship," and is frequently in demand as a speaker in college and university chapels over the country.

A native of Michigan and a Rhodes scholar to Oxford from that state, Dr. Steere received his Doctor's degree from Harvard with a dissertation on religious philosophy.

**WAKE** Night 2:30  
Saturday  
"GRAND JURY SECRETS"  
with  
John Howard-Gail Patrick  
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"FOUR FEATHERS"  
with  
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**STATE**  
ON THE STAGE  
Today and Saturday  
"FLYING DOWN TO RIO"  
30—PEOPLE—30  
Packed with Laughs, Songs, Dances and Dark-eyed Sirens  
On Screen: "Kid Nightingale"  
25c Booster's Hour 1-2 p.m.  
Sunday and Monday  
Tom Brown-Peggy Moran in  
"OH JOHNNY,  
HOW YOU CAN LOVE"

**AMBASSADOR**  
Again Today and Saturday  
Cary Grant-Rosalind Russell  
in  
"HIS GIRL FRIDAY"  
Plus "Crime Doesn't Pay" Act  
"Found Foolish" and News  
Sun., Mon., Tues.  
Walter Connolly-Allan Jones  
Mary Martin of "My Heart  
Belongs to Daddy" Fame in  
"THE GREAT VICTOR  
HERBERT"  
Also Cartoon-Act and News  
Beginning Wednesday  
"THE HUNCHBACK OF  
NOTRE DAME"  
C. Laughton-Maureen O'Hara  
R. Hathorn-Walter Hampden

**BELIEVE IT OR NOT** But these two stalwart looking warriors are not part of the Finns' snow patrol on the wait for some unsuspecting Russian, but a couple of State students who took advantage of the winter's worst snow to practice up on their military tactics.



### Coming Theatre Attractions

#### At the Ambassador

A romance between a gypsy girl and a mendicant poet, the unholy plotting of a powerful nobleman and the courage and self-sacrifice of a deformed outcast comprise the principal themes of "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," the current impressive film version of Victor Hugo's classic, which will be shown at the Ambassador beginning next Wednesday.

With Charles Laughton scoring the characterization triumph of his career as the pitiable and admirable Quasimodo, the cathedral bell-ringer, the film also presents his new protegee, Maureen O'Hara, as the gypsy dancer-heroine of this memorable offering. Laid in the Paris of 1482, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" takes place in and around the famous Notre Dame cathedral, Sainte Chapelle and other landmarks which are reproduced in enormous settings peopled with a record cast of 3,500 players.

When the gypsy is sentenced to the gallows for a crime of which the King's High Justice is guilty, Quasimodo saves her from the executioner at the cost of his own life, but not before he causes the nobleman's confession and restores the dancer to her post-love. The storming of the cathedral by a mob which is singly opposed by Quasimodo and the bell-ringer's swift-moving efforts on the girl's behalf form the gripping climax of the spectacle drama.

A news completes the program. Feature will be at 12:45, 2:50, 4:55, 7:05 and 9:10.

#### Announcements . . .

The Ag Club smoker, which was scheduled for last Tuesday, will be held January 30 in the West Cafeteria at 7:30.

The Freshman Friendship Council will hold a meeting in the YMCA on Wednesday, Jan. 31 at 7:30 o'clock. Those who will be a guest speaker. All freshmen are cordially invited to attend.

There will be an important meeting of the editorial staff of the "N. C. State Agriculturist" at 7 p.m. Monday night in the Agriculturist's office. All the staff members please try to be there.—Lloyd Langdon, Editor.

The State College B. S. U. will play bridge to other college B. S. U. in a week-end party to be held early in February. Watch for later announcements.

The Radio Club, with new members, a new receiver, and a new transmitter, is off to a year of increased activity. Code practices are held each evening except Saturday from 8:45 to 7:15 for those interested in learning code. Regular club meetings are held each Friday night at 8:45 in room 4 of the E. E. Building. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

#### Visit Winthrop

A deputation of seven men from the State College YMCA went to Rock Hill, S. C., last Saturday to hold vesper for the students at Winthrop College Sunday afternoon.

The men making the trip were Kenneth Murchison, Allen Laban, David Whitted, Hubert Willis, Edward Bryant, Paul Stout, and O. J. Howell.

#### PALACE

Today and Saturday  
"PRIVATE DETECTIVE"  
Jane Wyman-Dick Foran  
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Held Over—Sun., Mon., Tues.  
Cary Grant-Rosalind Russell  
in "HIS GIRL FRIDAY"  
Plus Act and News  
Coming!  
GEORGE O'BRIEN in  
"MARSHAL OF MESA CITY"  
Gene Austry in  
"SOUTH OF THE BORDER"

#### CAPITOL

Today and Saturday  
THREE MESQUITEERS in  
"KANSAS TERROR"  
Plus Serial and Cartoon  
Sunday Only!  
"TOO BUSY TO WORK"  
The Jones Family  
Monday and Tuesday  
"BEAU GESTE"  
G. Cooper-E. Milland  
B. Donlevy  
Wednesday and Thursday  
"MUTINY ON THE BOUNTY"  
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#### At the Wake

Brunette-tressed June Duprez, Alexander Korda's 20-year-old discovery, is co-starred with Ralph Richardson and John Clements in the producer's great Technicolor adventure drama of the Sudan, "Four Feathers," which is scheduled for its engagement at the Wake Theater on Sunday. Heading the cast which supports the trio leaders are C. Aubrey Smith, Jack Allen, Donald Gray, Olive Eaxter and Henry Oscar.

Zoltan Korda directed "Four Feathers" from the screen adaptation by R. C. Sheriff, noted playwright. All exterior scenes for the film were photographed in the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, where the Korda brothers established an enormous location camp at Sabaloka Gorge, 40 miles from Khartoum in the Sudan.

One hundred and forty packing cases were sent from Denham to the location camp in Egypt, in addition to 33 cases of Technicolor camera equipment, 56 cases of "props," 25 cases of wardrobe costumes, seven cases of make-up equipment and 28 cases of general stores. Among the odds and ends included were five pairs of scissors, one English-Italian dictionary, two bundles of orange sticks, a formula of scotch, visiting cards, ostrich and goose feathers and hair nets. One mysterious item from the property department was 13 pawn tickets. Also shipped along was a complete cricket set, a portable victrola and Arab-tinted grease paint.

### Well-Known Author To Visit Raleigh

Dale Carnegie Will Speak at Memorial Auditorium Friday, February 2

Dale Carnegie, author of "How to Win Friends and Influence People," will speak in Raleigh on Friday, February 2, at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Auditorium in a lecture sponsored by the Raleigh Progressive Club.

The psychologist, making his first appearance here, will discuss the goal of his writings and lectures. The lecturer and writer gained fame on his theories of living. He warns men not to seek short cuts to success but advances the formula of consistent, organized effort produces results, the kind of results which make for progress.

Known for his broadminded viewpoints, Carnegie believes that thorough understanding of other races and other creeds will erase all jealousy and all hatred.

The War Department over 100 years ago, almost 30,000 lineal miles of various inland waterway channels have been under improvement of some type, he stated.

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### Industrial Men Meet At Smoker

Society for Advancement of Management Entertains Prospective Members

Students in the School of Industrial Engineering were highly entertained Tuesday night at a smoker given by the Society for the Advancement of Management, in Page Hall.

Given in honor of new and prospective members of the society, the smoker was attended by approximately forty students on all classes in the industrial school.

Highlight of the evening was the showing of a motion picture, "State College Days," starring Art Rooney and Caroline Tucker.

The meeting was presided over by F. C. Cunningham, president of the society, and plans for the coming Engineers' Fair were explained by Eugene Conrad, chairman of the fair activities.

Short talks were made by Dr. H. B. Shaw, head of the School of Industrial Engineering, and Prof. F. F. Groselove, assistant professor of the industrial school.

The special meeting of the society was arranged by Bill Retter. At the end of the smoker refreshments were served.

### Visit Plant

Members of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers will pay a visit to the Frezer Locker plant operated by R. D. Broadus and associates next Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

All students who are enrolled in agricultural engineering are being invited to accompany the society on this trip. The group will assemble at 207 Ricks Hall prior to their departure.

### New Agriculturist Comes Off Press

Magazine Contains Latest Developments Important to Southern Agriculture

The winter issue of *The Agriculturist* came off the press Wednesday morning to mark another achievement for the staff members of the Ag School's official publication.

It is full of information and articles on a wide variety of subjects important to successful farming and the agricultural world. The various departments of the agricultural are well represented by the numerous articles pertaining to their respective divisions.

The magazine is an index to the recent progress and new developments in Southern Agriculture, and it ranges from discussions of livestock and soil fertility to the problems of farm housing and rural electrification. Reports from the judging teams occupy prominent places.

The cover of the journal is an arresting blue, and the illustration on the front presents an interesting example of a refuge for

wild life. Other illustrations abound throughout the magazine.

Do you know the Bible? Informal discussion groups meet each Sunday from 2 to 3 o'clock on the second floor of the YMCA to learn more about the Bible. Everyone is cordially invited to join this group.

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