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State Air Club Wins Trophy At First Meet

Nine State College flyers took enough second and third places in the first Southern Regional Air Meet held last Sunday at the Raleigh Airport...

Keen competition was given the State College team, however, by E. W. Early, individually representing Wake Forest College...

Approximately 4,000 persons were on hand to witness the air show and see the student pilots demonstrate the skill and precision they have mastered under the program of training as offered by the Civil Aeronautics Authority...

The second club prize, awarded by the Texas Company, went to Wake Forest and their lone representative, Early. Second prize for individual scoring went to Johnny Carter of Duke...

State's L. W. Cartwright won third prize in the individual scoring division, and Hal Lambert took first place in the "team race," the only event Early did not win.

Ambassador Josephus Daniels addressed more than 60 of the student flyers who have completed their Civil Aeronautics course. He spoke at a breakfast where "graduation exercises" were held...

Other speakers included Dean Harrelson, the names of each of the 37 sophomore and 53 junior applicants were handed to a group of seven special school officers...

When the ratings were turned back to Mayton it became simply a matter of comparing totals for each man to make the final selection. Where any ties were found, scholarship became a factor.

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LEADERS IN COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

The three educators shown below will play the leading role in State College's commencement exercises to be held Sunday and Monday, June 2 and 3.



380 Degrees To Be Awarded At Commencement Exercises

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM THURSDAY, MAY 30 9:00 p.m.—Dance in Frank Thompson Gymnasium (format). FRIDAY, MAY 31 4:30 p.m.—Tea Dance in Gymnasium. 9:00 p.m.—Dance in Gymnasium (format). SATURDAY, JUNE 1 4:30 p.m.—Tea Dance in Gymnasium (format). SUNDAY, JUNE 2 8:00 p.m.—Baccalaureate Sermon, Riddick Stadium. Rev. John R. Williams, Atlanta, Ga. MONDAY, JUNE 3 10:00 a.m.—Business Meeting of General Alumni Association and Election of Officers, College Y.M.C.A. 1:00 p.m.—Alumni Day Luncheon. 4:00 p.m.—Lawn Party for Alumni and Wives, and Seniors and Their Parents. 7:00 p.m.—Graduation Exercises in Riddick Stadium. Address by Governor Clyde R. Hoey.

Hoey Will Deliver Baccalaureate Address; Alumni to Elect Officers The largest graduating class in the history of the College, 380 men strong, will present themselves for degrees on Registrar night, June 3, at the fifty-first annual Commencement exercises to be held in Riddick Stadium...

Dormitory Assistants Named For Next Year

Ninety Make Application for Jobs; Room Assignments Are Released Twenty-three upperclassmen have been selected from a total of ninety applications to join twelve veterans in acting as Dormitory Assistants for the 1940-41 school year...

Duchin Will Be Highlight Band At Finals Set

Interfraternity Council to Present Five Dances; Stable to Play Thursday Night State College finals for the year 1940 will mark the appearance of two nationally known dance band leaders...

PREXY In a recent election by the rising senior class, William C. Friday, below, of Dallas, was chosen as president of the class of 1941...

20 Scholarships Open To Students

Donated to Aidworthy Farm Youths in State's School of Agriculture Twenty scholarships worth \$100 each are available at State College to aid worthy and needy farm youths of North Carolina to enter the college's school of agriculture...

Alumni Club Drive Still Under Quota

All Graduating Men Who Have Not Paid Asked to Leave Money at Alumni Office Only an approximate 35 per cent of the members of the graduating class have paid their dollar for membership in the Alumni Association...

Poe Accepts Barns For State College After Dedication

Ceremonies Feature of First Annual Livestock Day; Contests Arouse Interest Inaugurating the first annual Livestock Day Saturday the new State College Dairy Barns were dedicated on the college by Dr. Clarence Poe...

Engineers Plan Final Breakfast

All graduating engineering seniors and all engineering faculty members are invited to a farewell breakfast to be held in the back cafeteria at 8:30 Monday morning, June 2.

Dance Bids

Junior and seniors can get their bids to the Interfraternity Council's Finals Dance Set on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the office of the Dean of Students from 2-5 o'clock.

Stable, who is widely known as a saxophone player of the same caliber as Jimmy Dorsey, Eddy Duchin, Johnny Hodges and Willie Smith, will play for the Thursday night dance...

Cadets Exhibit Precision Drill Edwards Military School Gives Exhibition at Parade; Company L Wins Competition

BAND OFFICERS

E. W. "Buddy" Price of Raleigh was elected president of the State College Band last Friday night at the regular meeting of this organization...

Sol Gains In Popularity With Students As New Back To Nature Movement Begins

What promises to be one of the more popular State College pastimes, is this new fad for healthy, copper-colored complexions on the part of the male...

Graduating Class Has Seen Campus Greatly Improved

Seniors Have Witnessed Greatest Expansion Period in History of State College By QUENTIN PATTERSON The four years from 1936 to 1940 have witnessed many changes in the campus of State College...

State Students Earn Large Sum Through NYA Aid

Self-Help Students Will Have Made More Than \$27,000 by Close of Current Term By the end of this month, State College students working on the National Youth Administration program will have earned \$27,877...

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# Famous Architect Added To Faculty

## Austrian Professor Joins Architectural Engineering Department

Addition of Prof. Wilhelm L. Baumgarten, distinguished Austrian architect, to the faculty of the Department of Architecture was announced this week by Dean Blake R. Van Leer of the School of Engineering.

For many years a teacher and practicing architect in Vienna, Prof. Baumgarten left Austria April 4 and arrived in New York City April 25. He is now assisting the Department of Architecture with criticisms and seminars,



and will offer formal classes of instruction beginning with the fall term.

Prof. Baumgarten possesses an international reputation, and is regarded as one of the masters in European architecture. He has designed many outstanding structures, and has specialized in schools and low-cost housing developments. He has had extensive teaching experience at the University of Vienna and other notable centers of education. For several years Prof. Baumgarten was a professor in Vienna's famed Academy of Fine Arts. The eminent architect is highly regarded internationally by

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### HEAD GEOLOGICAL ENGINEERS

Shown below are the newly elected officers for the local chapter of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers. These students are enrolled in geological engineering, a course that is proving increasingly popular.

Left to right: Sam Ingle of Statesville, treasurer; Kefton H. Teague of Siler City, vice president; Mason Banks of Greensboro, president; and Dan Arden of High Point, secretary.



educators and members of his profession. One of his enthusiastic endorsers is Dr. Joseph Hundt, dean of the Graduate School of Design in Harvard University. Dean Van Leer declared that the addition of Prof. Baumgarten places the State College Department of Architecture in the forefront in the South.

"We now have devoted to architecture and architectural engineering the largest amount of floor space of any department in the South," announced Dean Van Leer. "Our faculty has been trained in such outstanding schools as Yale, Illinois, Ohio State and N. C. State College; and now, with the addition to the faculty of a competent architect trained in the European schools, students of architecture at State College will study under and receive criticism from a faculty which has the broadest training and experience of any architectural faculty in the South."

"We offer to North Carolina boys the best training in architecture to be had. It is a pleasure to have Prof. Baumgarten join our faculty. I have known him for 13 years and I am confident he will make a most worthwhile contribution to architectural education in North Carolina."

In addition to Prof. Baumgarten, members of the Department of Architecture faculty at State College, and their schools, are Prof. Ross Shumaker, head of the department, Ohio State; Associate Professor J. D. Paulson, Yale; Associate Professor J. M. Edwards, Yale; Instructor G. W. Williams, N. C. State and Illinois; and Instructor H. R. McLawhorn, N. C. State and Yale.

Born January 25, 1885, Prof. Baumgarten is a native of Vienna and a Roman Catholic. He attended Austria's finest schools of architecture, graduating with high honors. He served throughout the World War as captain of artillery and battery commander, and received several decorations from his government for distinguished service. He has a brother who is a prosperous businessman in New York.

### Colonel Speaks To ROTC Group

Bain Cites Work of Reserve Officers; Plans for Summer Camp Made

Guest speaker at the meeting of the junior military class last Monday in Pullen Hall was Colonel Bain, of the 302 Infantry, Organized Reserves. Colonel Bain spoke on the advantages of becoming a member of the Reserve Officers' Association. He stated that the association had been working for the benefit of the ROTC students by, to mention one thing, getting an increase in their transportation commutation to and from camp. He also stated that it was through the efforts of his organization that reserve officers now get fifty dollars a year for three years after graduation from college as uniform commutation.

Major Chase, executive officer, then announced that Major Cochran would be State College's representative at Aniston this summer. He also announced the appointment of the following cadets to specified committees: Group Representatives—W. J. Reams, Cutie Carter, Bob Burrage, Bill Lewis and Forrest Panchal. Social Committee—Fabe Clements, Jimmie Wellons and Dick Hennings. Publicity—Arnold Krochmal, Johnnie Laws and Ed Perry. Athletics—Don Cox and Walter Haene, swimming; Cutie Carter, baseball; Wade Brown, volley-ball; Glen Sheets, rifle, and John Boger, tennis.

## Military Department Makes Annual Awards

### Tom Blount Receives Medal as Best Senior Cadet; Starnes Gets Freshman Prize

Cadet Lieut.-Col. Thomas H. Blount, Jr., of Washington, N. C., commanding the 2nd Battalion, Tuesday received a gold medal from the Reserve Officers Association as the best senior cadet in the R.O.T.C. Regiment.

Annual awards for the best cadets and units in the corps were presented by Col. Thomas W. Brown in an impressive ceremony in the military department offices. Col. Brown, who is commandant of the department, also included Blount among four cadet officers who received sabers for outstanding leadership demonstrated by them during the school year.

To Cadet Colonel William H. Retter of Easton, Pa., went a specially engraved saber because of his splendid work as student commander of the corps. Col. Brown described Retter as "undoubtedly the best cadet colonel we've had in years."

Others receiving the officer's sabers were Cadet Lieut.-Col. Henry S. Gibbs of Morehead City, commanding the 1st Battalion, and Cadet Lieut.-Col. E. Avery Wil-

liams, Jr., of Swanquarter, commanding the 3rd Battalion.

Tuition The coveted prize of tuition for one year, presented by the college, went to Private Benjamin F. Starnes, Jr., of Monroe, as the best freshman cadet. Gold medals were presented to Technical Sergeant Wayland J. Reams of Apex as the best junior cadet, and to Corp. Edward L. Bryant of Wilmington as the best sophomore cadet. Bryant already had won top scholastic honors at the college, and while a freshman made a solid string of A's on all subjects for the entire year.

Private Ernest L. Hardin, Jr., of Salisbury, member of the band, received a gold medal as the best freshman cadet in the band and drum and bugle corps. First Lieut. Paul H. Wetmore of Woodleaf, member of the drum and bugle corps, was adjudged the most military cadet, and an enlarged photograph of Wetmore will be displayed in the military department during the next school year.

For being the best drilled company, Company L received a streamer for its guidon and an engraved silver clasp. Its commanding officer, Capt. Mettauer E. Davidson, Jr., of Raleigh, received an engraved officer's saber. An engraved saber also went to First Lieut. Nestor W. Lopez of Fort Bragg, as commander of the best

## YMCA Has Given Varied Programs

Speakers From Many Localities Have Been Featured Throughout Year

During the past year State College students have heard speakers from all parts of the world brought to the campus by the Young Men's Christian Association.

During the fall term Mr. Howard Kestler, famous Southern leader, spoke on "Building the South of Tomorrow." Later in the term, a series of talks on the international situation were sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. in cooperation with the International Relations Club. These talks usually began with movies on the country to be discussed and the lecture was followed by an open forum discussion. The speakers included Dr. David L. Lockmiller, Dr. John Grey, Dr. Edgar Henderson, Dr. John Barkley, Mr. Claude Nelson, and Dean B. F. Brown.

On Armistice Day Rev. Alyn of the United Church spoke on "How Shall We Celebrate Armistice?" Wide interest was attracted by the series of lectures on men-women relationships by Mrs. Grace

drilled platoon, which was the best platoon in Company G. Speakers were awarded to the following members of the R.O.T.C. gallery rise team: John S. Smith, Lincolnton; Ralph K. Lee, Lugoff, S. C.; Byron L. Johnson, Clayton; Charles Whitson, Asheville; Edwin Braxton Owens, Black Creek; J. David Dodge, Marion; Ralph W. Brakes, Rocky Mount; Thomas W. Shallington, Columbia; Benjamin R. Harley, Chadbourn; Paul H. Wetmore, Woodleaf, and Glenn M. Sheets, Alentown, Penn.

## Pick Officers

New officers for the coming school year were elected at a recent meeting of Lambda Gamma Delta, honorary agricultural fraternity, it was announced this week by one of the fraternity officers.

Eston Stokes was chosen president of the fraternity, and will be assisted by the following other newly-elected officers: Mack Seiser, vice president; Lee Roy Barnes, secretary; and Bud Brown, treasurer.

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# Summer School Will Emphasize Vocational Guidance Teaching

### Two of Nation's Leading Guidance Men to Serve on Faculty During Summer Session

Special emphasis will be placed upon vocational guidance in the 1940 session of the State College summer school, and two of the nation's leaders in guidance will serve on the faculty.

A course on organization and administration of local guidance programs will be presented by Harry A. Jager, chief of the Occupational Information and Guidance Service, and Dr. G. M. Ruch, chief of the Research and Statistical Service, both from the United States Office of Education.

The emphasis upon vocational guidance is in response to "demands of citizens of North Carolina," according to T. E. Browne, director of the Division of Teacher Training at State College.

"Mr. Jager and Dr. Ruch are specialists in their particular field and have had wide experience as teachers, writers and administrators," said Director Browne. "They are prepared to make a genuine contribution to the program of guidance in North Carolina."

For a number of years courses in vocational guidance have been offered as part of the regular summer session program. Each year, however, the Division of Teacher Training of the summer school selects some particular professional field to stress.

The course taught by Mr. Jager and Dr. Ruch will be under a cooperative arrangement by which each will teach both at the State College unit of the University of North Carolina and at the Chapel Hill unit. Mr. Jager will give the first three weeks of the course at State College, beginning June 10, and Dr. Ruch will teach the second three weeks, starting July 1. Conferences on guidance will be held at Chapel Hill and State College while these specialists are in North Carolina.

Two other courses in guidance will be offered during the State College summer school by Prof.

**JOIN SUMMER SCHOOL STAFF** Dr. G. M. Ruch (left) and Harry A. Jager, nationally known authorities on vocational guidance, will teach a course in the approaching summer school on organization and administration of local guidance programs. They are officials in the United States Office of Education.



E. W. Boshart of the college faculty. The first, emphasizing the place of guidance in the public school program, is designed especially for those who have not had courses in this field. The second will emphasize the selection of instructional materials and their presentation in an organized guidance program.

All of these courses will run through the entire six weeks of summer school, June 10 to July 19, and will carry professional credit.

Dr. Ruch, a native of Iowa, was educated at the University of Oregon and Stanford University. He returned to teach at these institutions and also has taught at Iowa State, University of Chicago, University of California, University of Florida and as visiting lecturer at Harvard University. Previously, he taught in public schools in Oregon. He is the author of numerous

tests and measurements, including the Stanford Achievement Test, Iowa High School Content Examination and about 30 others. He has contributed many articles to learned journals and is the author of a number of textbooks and other volumes.

Mr. Jager spent 20 years as principal of various schools in Providence, R. I., where he assisted in setting up the guidance program in secondary schools. He acted in a teacher-training capacity for a number of years in the Department of Education at Brown University. He has taught in the summer school of Rhode Island State College and more recently in the trade and industrial division of the summer school at the University of Florida. Mr. Jager also has had wide experience in business, and for three years was superintendent and manager of a New England manufacturing plant.

# Waterworks Men Offered Course

### Four-day School for Municipal Operators Will Open at College on June 4

A four-day school for operatives of municipal waterworks will begin at State College, June 4. Director Edward W. Ruggles of the College Extension Division announced this week.

Cooperating with the college in presenting the course, which is given annually, are the State Board of Health and the North Carolina League of Municipalities. Outside experts will assist members of the college faculty on the instructional staff.

The 1940 waterworks school, Director Ruggles reported, will offer an expanded and entirely instructional program. Morning sessions will be devoted to lectures and demonstrations by prominent specialists. In the afternoon the operatives may have their choice of work in a bacteriological laboratory, chemical laboratory or seminar. Each man electing one of the laboratory periods is requested to bring a sample of water from his plant.

Important phases of water purification will be stressed in the seminars, Director Ruggles said.

College men serving on the staff will be Dean Blake R. Van Leer, Dr. H. G. Baily, Dr. E. E. Randolph, Prof. R. B. Rice, Prof. T. S. Johnson, Dr. I. V. Shunk, Prof. L. A. Whitford, Prof. C. R. Bramer, and Prof. A. S. Miller.

# Sigma Tau Sigma Inducts Eighteen

Last Saturday, at the annual banquet of Sigma Tau Sigma, honorary textile society, eighteen new men were inducted into the chapter.

C. K. Watson, president of the society, presided at the banquet and introduced the officers for next year. Dwight Turner, of Greensboro, will act as president, while Jim Odegaard, of Montclair, N. J., will officiate as vice president of the chapter. Lane Drye, of Landis, was the remaining officer to be introduced.

During the banquet, which was held at Merritt's Cabin, Professor W. E. Shinn of the Textile School, presented sashes to the eighteen men just initiated.

**AWARDS GIVEN AIR MEET WINNERS** Mayor Graham H. Andrews, extreme right, is shown presenting H. W. Early of Wake Forest College with a trophy for second-place honors in the first Southern Regional Air Meet held Sunday at Raleigh Airport. Standing next to Early is Hal Lambert, ace State College flyer, who won the News and Observer first-place trophy. Beside him is Johnny Carter of Duke, with the radio given the second highest individual scorer.—Courtesy Raleigh "Times."



To the Class of '40 . . .

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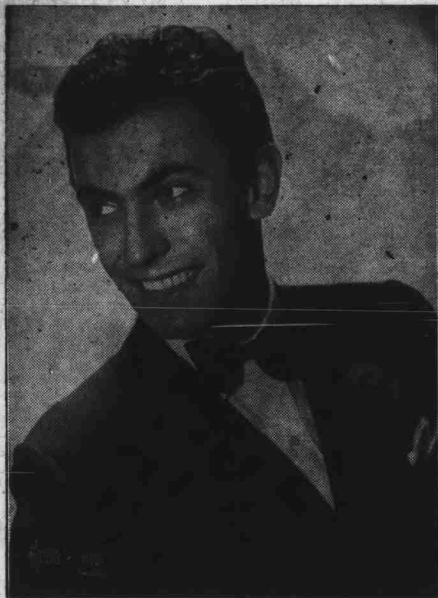
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**TICKLES THE IVORIES** World-famous Pianist Eddy Duchin will bring his equally famous orchestra to State College next Friday and Saturday to furnish music for four dances in the annual Interfraternity Council's Finals set. Possessing a distinctive type of rhythm, Duchin has become recognized as one of the nation's finest piano players. He will begin with an appearance Friday afternoon at a tea dance, and is slated to play Friday night, Saturday afternoon, and Saturday night.



**Duchin Discards Pill Rolling Job For Ivory Keys**

**Famous Orchestra Leader Was Once Druggist; Graduated From Pharmacy School**

When Eddy Duchin was born he was destined to become, in early maturity, the musical darling of New York society. But his father never suspected it. Father, on the other hand, had forecast for Eddy a career in his chain of New England drug stores.

Eddy, too, had a hunch that he was going to pursue a career of pill rolling and pebble wielding behind a pharmacy counter. He even went so far as to graduate from Pharmacy College, Boston. The piano, however, was his pharmaceutical undoing. While working as waiter in a boys' camp one summer he organized his fellow waiters into an orchestra. That went over so well that he decided to side-step the drug business in spite of father.

Following his junior year in school, Eddy went to New York and obtained the pianist's job with Leo Reisman's orchestra which was then playing at the old Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, but he returned to school to obtain his degree. The lure of the gay crowd held an almost fatal attraction for the graduate and he returned to New York to continue his playing with the same organization, which was then occupying the rostrum at the fashionable Central Park Casino. Concluding a successful season, Reisman left, but the management of the Casino prevailed upon his distinguished pianist to remain and organize his own orchestra.

Duchin acquiesced and almost overnight became a decided success. His gay piano playing made the Casino the nightly rendezvous of pleasure seekers in the metropolitan area while his radio programs over networks made him the favorite of music lovers throughout the nation, judging from the fan mail which reached his desk following his broadcasts.

Duchin appeared in nearly all of society's favorite haunts after he formed his own band. The Central Park Casino, the Plaza Hotel in New York, the Palmer House, Chicago, and the Coconut Grove in Los Angeles rate tops. And the socialites followed him from place to place.

Eddy maintains his popularity by keeping his ears constantly to the music pulse of the nation. He does not cling dogmatically to a style, but watches trends. If the craze is for swing, he plays swing, but with a distinct Duchin touch.

**STATE DELEGATES WILL JOIN CONFERENCE.** A large number of State College students will represent the College YMCA at the annual YW-YMCA Conference which is to be held at Blue Ridge, N. C., on June 8-17. The State delegates will join with hundreds of other students from North Carolina colleges in the annual meeting.

The picture below shows part of the throng in attendance at the conference held last year. State College's delegation can easily be detected by their banner.



**OPENER** Appearing at the opening dance in the Interfraternity Council's Finals set will be Maestro Dick Stabile, master of the saxophone, whose orchestra will furnish the swing for the Thursday night dance in the Frank Thompson Gymnasium.



**Phi Eta Sigma Elects President**

William W. Womack of Winston-Salem has been elected president of the local chapter of Phi Eta Sigma, national freshman scholarship fraternity. Womack is a freshman in chemical engineering.

Other officers are Roger Taylor of High Point, vice president; Nick Geluso of Brooklyn, N. Y., secretary; Robert Jackson of Cornwall, Ontario, Canada, treasurer, and George Ross of Henderson, historian.

Freshmen must average at least half A's and half B's to be eligible for membership in Phi Eta Sigma.

**YMCA Installs New Officers**

Cloyd Conducts Installation Ceremony; E. S. King Speaks to New Leaders

Officers and executive committees for the Y. M. C. A. for next year were inducted into office Monday with an impressive candlelight service.

Dean E. L. Cloyd conducted the installation ceremony and the charge to the new officers was delivered by E. S. King, secretary of the "Y."

The new officers and chairmen of the committees were: Hubert M. Willis, president; C. H. Kirkman, Jr., vice-president; Allan Latham, treasurer; Bruce Jackson, secretary; David Whitted, chairman of the new student committee; Kenneth Womack, chairman of the freshman committee; C. H. Kirkman, chairman of the program committee; R. E. Anchors, worship committee; Bruce Jackson, inter-racial committee; Ed Bryant, deputations committee; W. J. Reams, Student Council representative; Bill LeGrand, publicity chairman; Frank Bennett, music committee; and Charlie McAdams, social committee.

The cabinet held its final meeting Wednesday night and plans were made for next year's work.

**Debaters Meet**

Brice Ratchford of Gastonia, a sophomore in agricultural education, has been elected president of the local chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, national debate fraternity. Roland Carey of Baltimore, Md., was elected secretary-treasurer.

The election was held at a dinner meeting in honor of Jack Price of Statesville and Cary K. Watkins of Blanch, members of the State College team that won the second national direct clash debate tournament this year. Prof. Edwin H. Paget, forensic director, presided at the dinner meeting.

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**Graham Selected Class President**

Trekking to the polls for the third time, members of the rising junior class cast their ballots last Monday to elect Jim Graham as class president for the coming

year. Graham defeated Scott Ferebee by a narrow margin.

Following the primary elimination of candidates, juniors voted last week and for the first time in the history of the college the two candidates for president were tied vote for vote.

This unusual tie resulted in the necessity of calling the special election.

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# CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS of the YEAR

## HALF-TIME ON HIGH-SCHOOL DAY



"Welcome, High School Students," says Golden Chain President "Buddy" Means as he officially welcomed six thousand high school visitors for the first annual High-School Day. Other dignitaries on the program are shown grouped around Means.

## Cooperative Education

Making fast headway at State College is the newly-inaugurated plan of Cooperative Education as begun by the School of Engineering, making it possible for a student to finance his way through college by a work-study idea.

Already many replies from industry have poured in, and student applications are also mounting. Under the plan, students would work for a six-month period, and then attend school for a six-month session. Two students would alternate in the same job, one attending school while the other works, and vice versa.

Instigated by Dean Blake R. Van Leer of the School of Engineering, and Prof. F. F. Groseclose of the mechanical engineering department, the Cooperative Plan now offers State College students the latest mode of securing an education. The program is being directed by Prof. Groseclose.

Similar systems are in operation in many colleges throughout the country, and all have proved highly successful. Under this plan, students who would otherwise be prohibited from attending college due to lack of funds can now receive their education in only a short time above the average student.

This plan is in keeping with the rapid progress being made by the College, and will go into effect with the opening of school in September.

## Listen, Girls!



Just watch my speed! I am going to enter the Style Show at State College.

## Finals Bands

Eddy Duchin and Dick Stabile were selected by the Interfraternity Council to play for the annual Finals Dance Set. Freshmen and sophomores, non-fraternity men, will not be allowed to attend under new council rulings.

## DIRECT WORK-STUDY PLAN



CLAUDE R. VAN LEER

## LEADER



T. K. MIAL

## Degree Conferred

The honorary degree of Doctor of Engineering was conferred upon Dr. Wallace Carl Riddick at the exercises commemorating State College's fiftieth anniversary.

## Advanced Flying

Eleven students registered for the advanced CAA flying course at the beginning of the second term. They were among the twenty who won private flying certificates last spring in the CAA primary training at the Raleigh airport.

## Two More Birthdays

Two prominent members of the college staff observed birthdays during the first week in January, these men being Dean of Students E. L. Cloyd, who rounded out 22 years of service to State College.

## Approves Phones

An official approval on the telephone proposal was given by the College administration and the Board of Trustees, and plans are under way to install free phones in all of the dormitories by the opening of school next Fall.

## Open Scholarships

The press and part of the public were astounded by news that State College had come out into the open with athletic scholarships, news that was contained in a statement by D. W. "Dutch" Seifert, instigator of the plan and prominent State alumnus. Under the plan the Wolfpack Club was organized for the purpose of helping worthy athletes through college.

## Day for Dads

A new tradition was begun last fall by the Monogram Club when they staged the first Dad's Day, a day on which the fathers of all members of the football team were guests of the College.

## Successful Show

Students in the School of Textiles added another success in their long record in staging their annual Textile Exposition and Style Show. A huge throng packed Pullen Hall for the show, which was won by a fair lass from Florida Macdonald. The show was followed by the Linddagers Ball.

## Crowd on Campus

The largest throng in history crowded the campus during the latter part of April for the annual Engineers' Fair, presented by the students in the School of Engineering. Under the direction of Hal Randolph and the Engineers' Council, the Fair was called the "best ever."

FRANK A. GROSECLOSE

## Anniversary Is Observed

State College marked its fiftieth anniversary on October 3, 1939, with a campus-wide celebration, featured by an address by former Governor O. Max Gardner. The campus was thronged by thousands of persons here for the occasion, and many of North Carolina's famous educators appeared on the program.

Gardner, an alumnus who was instrumental in bringing about the consolidation of the three units of the Greater University, was one of the many men outstanding in public and educational life. He was joined on the anniversary program by Governor Clyde R. Hoey and Ambassador Josephus Daniels, who in his school days was secretary of the Watauga Club.

Appearing along with the anniversary program was "The History of North Carolina State College" written by Dr. David A. Lockmiller of the College History Department. Described by many on the anniversary program as being an excellent product, high praise was given to the composition.

The growth of this institution during its fifty years of life was described by Gardner, who stated, "State College literally sprang from the grass roots of democracy. Its founding broke the log jam that held back the benefits of education from the sons and daughters of the masses of the people."

## Shatter Records

All previous records for enrollment were shattered at Fall registration when over 2,300 students filed into Frank Thompson gymnasium and became part of State College's largest student body.

## Socialist Here

Norman Thomas, three-time Socialist candidate for the presidency of the United States, gave students his viewpoints on present economic and political problems in an address before the student body in Pullen Hall.

## University Day

The three units of the Greater University of North Carolina again joined hands for the presentation of the second annual University Day, held on the campus of the University of North Carolina.

## Pledge Dances

The Interfraternity Council presented Van Alexander and his swing band for Pledge Dances, held in the Frank Thompson gym. The figures at the dance featured some approximately seventy-five fraternity pledges.

## Senior Gift

After long and deliberate discussion, members of the senior class approved the selection of standards for the lights on Memorial Tower as a gift from the Class of 1940 to the college. Installation of the standards were made the first week in May.

## Hello Week

The sixth annual Hello Week Program was opened officially by Golden Chain president "Buddy" Means during exercises in Riddick Stadium, pinning the first button on Dean of Administration J. W. Harrelson.

## Print Shop

Operation of the State College Printing Plant is scheduled to begin by June 1, and machinery is rapidly arriving on campus for shop. Plant is to handle all of college's printing needs.

## History Book

Dr. David A. Lockmiller of the College faculty compiled a complete history of the College since its founding in 1859, which was presented at the Fiftieth Anniversary ceremony.

## Move Cannon

The evening prior to the annual freshman-sophomore pushball contest, members of the first-year class launched an attack on 1911 Hill and seized the old cannon which has been anchored there for the past few years. The cannon now resides in the freshman quadrangle.

## Judgers Place Third

Once again the State College judging team proved its rank among the leading agricultural colleges of the U. S. at the Exposition held in Kansas City. The team placed third among the nationwide assembly of contestants.

## Movie Made

As an added attraction for high school deputations, Golden Chain had made a copy of the movie, "State College Days," which they carried to the various high schools visited by the society's members.

## AT GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY



Hon. O. Max Gardner, former Governor of North Carolina, is shown delivering the main address during State's celebration of its fiftieth anniversary.

## Fifty-Page Technician Campus Politicians

As a part of the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the College, The Technician published a fifty-page edition of the newspaper, marking the appearance of the largest college newspaper ever to be published in the South.

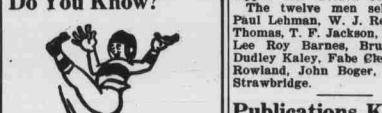
Highlighted by an eight-page rotogravure section, the paper covered every phase of the college's growth from one building and seventy-two students to a present student body of over 2,300, and a plant rivaling the most outstanding schools in the nation.

## Best Student

Henry D. Means, better known to twenty-three hundred students as "Buddy," holds the honors as being selected the "Best Student" by the senior class, and picked as the "most outstanding engineer" by the Engineers' Council.

## Do You Know?

That State College's Wolfpack has scheduled five home football games for next year?



## Novel Type Government

Members of the Student Council and other active students began something new in college circles this year by the formation of a Student Assembly, composed of approximately 120 students, who discussed and took action on measures of vital importance to both students and faculty.

Their first big measure came in the form of a proposal for a new cut system, and was deliberated at great length, by both the House and Senate of the Assembly. Final action was postponed on the bill until the first session of the Assembly next fall.

In the meantime, a committee composed of two students and two faculty members was selected to contact other prominent engineering schools in an effort to learn what systems were in use there. The formation of the Assembly saw the consolidation of the Student Welfare Committee and the Student Council into the Senate, with the House consisting of elected representatives of both dormitory and fraternity students.

## High School Seniors Feted

A crowd of approximately 6,000 seniors from high schools in every section of North Carolina merged on the State College campus the middle of November for the College's first High School Day. The event was sponsored by Golden Chain and the senior class, and marked the beginning of what appeared to become an annual event on the campus.

The high school visitors were guests of the College at the State-Dequese football game in Riddick Stadium, and a special program for their benefit was presented at half-time during the game. Appearing on the program were Dr. Clyde Erwin, State superintendent of public instruction, and Col. J. W. Harrelson, dean of administration.

High school bands of Edenton and Raleigh were on the campus, and participated in a musical show in Riddick Stadium. In these combined musical organizations were approximately three hundred students.

## The Nation's Finest

Words are inadequate to describe the 1940 edition of The Agronomist, college yearbook, which reached the hands of eager students last week and was received most favorably by all. Editor Jones Pharr and Business Manager Lloyd Milks are responsible for this edition, which we believe is the "nation's finest yearbook."

## Tapping Ceremony

Twelve outstanding members of the rising seniors class were given the highest honor on the State College campus last week by being tapped into Golden Chain.

The twelve men selected were Paul Lehman, W. J. Reams, H. H. Thomas, T. F. Jackson, Bill Friday, Lee Roy Barnes, Bruce Halsted, Dudley Kaley, Fabe Clements, Tom Rowland, John Boger, and Nelson Strawbridge.

## Publications Keys

Gold keys for meritorious service were awarded by the Publications Board to thirty-four students in the annual Publications Banquet held in the Sir Walter Hotel. Guest speaker for the evening was Carl Goerch, editor of The State, magazine.

## New Fight Song

Fred Waring, nationally known band leader, presented State College with a new fight song composed by the Pennsylvanians. The song had its first audition over Waring's coast-to-coast broadcast through the National Broadcasting Company.

## Democrats Organize

Young Democrats on the campus gathered together and began the organization of a State College Young Democrats Club, bringing State and national politics to the campus for the first time in an organized form.



Six of the high school seniors from the annual High School Day were selected by Golden Chain as members of the rising seniors class.

## Rise to Fame

Peter Pop, freshman at this institution, gains national and international publicity with his promotion of a baby-tending industry designed to relieve weary parents of an evening's responsibility of tending to the children.

## Actors All

Golden Chain members present their first try at production of a radio drama in giving over WPTF a four-act play designed to interest high school students in attending college. The programs were connected with the society's annual deputations to N. C. high schools.

## Student Lawmakers

A crowd of over two hundred delegates representing North Carolina colleges and its students gathered in the State Capitol for the Third Annual Student Legislative Assembly. Presiding over the meeting was Cary Watkins, State College forensic star.

## Observes Birthday

The Technician observed its twentieth birthday on February 1, marking two decades of service that the newspaper has rendered to State College and its students. A history of the newspaper was written by Dr. A. M. Fountain of the College English department for publication in the Fifty-page Fiftieth Anniversary Edition.

## Heads 1940 Alumni

At its final meeting of the year, members of the senior class selected Charlie Hunter, this year's capable president, as president of their alumni club. Aiding Hunter will be Tony DiToro, also an active member of the alumni drive committee and past president of the Monogram Club.

## SCABBARD AND BLADE



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### Jones and Althaus Will Leave College At Close of Year

Popular Majors Take Leave of State After Long Term of Excellent Service

Majors Kenneth G. Althaus and Robert E. Jones, who have served for five and four years, respectively, on the military division of the State College faculty, will take their leave of the college with the graduating class of this year.

lands as assistant intelligence officer of the Hawaiian Department. He will go from here to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, where he will attend the Field Artillery School. After he has completed his course he will act as infantry instructor at the Fort Sill school.

Major Jones joined the State College faculty at the beginning of the school year 1936-37. He came to the college from Governor's Island, New York, where he had been assigned to troop duty. After the close of school Major Jones will go to Organized Reserve duty at San Antonio, Texas.

the place of one of the departing officers, and the other officer has not been selected. Major Thornton Chase will take over Major Althaus' duties as executive officer.

### Poe Accepts Barns For State College After Dedication

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The exhibition of the animals in the Livestock Show on the track field followed the dedications of the barns. The winners of each class of livestock were decided, and finally the winners of each class competed for the grand champion prize.

Following the address, the Society held election of officers for the coming year, choosing C. P. Ireland as president. Other officers elected were M. K. Berkut, vice president; A. M. Oldham, secretary; and D. B. Culvern, treasurer.

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Plans have been started for the Livestock Day next year.

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### Wilson Speaks To ASAE Group

Predicts Industrial Growth in South; Ireland Elected Next Year's President

"The South is particularly adapted to many industries of its section, especially when it comes to raw materials, and in a few years we will see more and more of these industries flourishing closer to home," stated Dr. A. J. Wilson, head of the department of chemical engineering, in an address last Thursday night before the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

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### A McKinley Greaves-Walker, Graduate

A brass plate will be attached to each frame giving the man's full name, his degree, and the date of his graduation. His present position will be included on a piece of paper slipped inside the glass.

### Textile Seniors Are Getting Jobs

Forty-five of 63 Graduating Already Have Accepted Positions

News that 45 of the 63 students in the School of Textiles who will receive degrees at Commencement have definitely been placed was released this week by Thomas Nelson, veteran dean of the School.

### THE Wake Theatre

Wishes to congratulate the Class of '40 and also wish them the best of luck in their respective careers.

Table with 2 columns: Mat. 15c, Night 25c. Shows: REMEMBER, Little Old New York, THE MARK BROTHERS, AT THE CIRCUS.

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According to Dean Nelson, the number of requests for graduates of the Textile School this year have exceeded the number of men in the graduating class. Of the 45 who have accepted positions, 23 will be located in North Carolina.

The Class of 1940 will be located in various phases of the textile industry, including cotton mills, dye plants, dye laboratories, rayon plants, and with manufacturers of textile machinery and chemicals.

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