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P. C. BEATTY CHOSEN TO REPRESENT STATE

At the "Stay-in-School-and-Go-To-College" Campaign To Be Held in Greensboro, March 20-21, 1924

The Y. M. C. A. of Greensboro is having a "Stay-in-School-and-Go-to-College Campaign" the 20th and 21st of March. There is to be one representative from each of the leading colleges in the state, and P. C. Beatty has been chosen to represent State College.

These campaigns held by the Y.'s of the various large cities do a great deal to increase the number of students who finish high school and then go off to college.

The program of the Greensboro campaign is to be as follows:

Thursday, March 20

Chapel talks in the schools by teams of two (subjects for the various talks will be chosen from the following topics):

- Why I Went to College.
- How to Make the Varsity Team.
- How to Go to College Without Money.
- The Place of Books in a College Education.
- College Friendships.
- College Wit and Word.
- From High School to College.
- The College Spirit.
- What I Wouldn't Do Again in College.
- The Freshmen's Mistakes.
- Mr. Greatest Discovery.
- The College Gold Mine and How it Operates.
- How to Use Your Spare Time in College.

These subjects are all live ones and ones that all Seniors in high school are interested in and they aid much in creating an interest in college for those students who are just in the Junior High School and those not yet in high school.

Thursday night at 7:30 there is to be in the High School Auditorium a debate on the subject, "Resolved, that a College Education Pays in Dollars and Sense."

On Friday there are to be chapel talks again in the schools and also the high school. In the afternoon there is to be a "Sight-seeing" tour under the guidance of the Hi-Y clubs. The last meeting is to be an assembly at 7:30, at which each representative is to have five minutes for presenting heroes who have made good at his college.

We are to be congratulated for having such a man as Beatty to represent us, because the way in which the various colleges are presented is going to have a great deal to do with the college to which the Seniors of Greensboro High School go, and we need as many of them as any other college. Fighting Cleve is a man

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R. O. T. C. Students Stage Demonstration

Governor Morrison and Staff, President E. C. Brooks, and Col. M. N. Falls, U.S.A., of Atlanta, Were Guests of the Military Department

On Monday morning, February 25th, students in Military Tactics from the Junior and Senior classes gave a picturesque demonstration of the infantry platoon in the attack. To the several hundred spectators gathered at the observation post near the College dairy the war game, cleverly executed, seemed realistic in the extreme.

Present at the demonstration as guests of the Military Department were Governor Morrison and staff, President E. C. Brooks, and Col. M. N. Falls, U.S.A., of Atlanta, senior officer in charge of the R.O.T.C. affairs of the Fourth Corps Area.

The general situation was as follows: The Reds and Blues were at war. The Red forces, represented by the Juniors, had been retiring slowly for several days before the offensive of the Blues, represented by the Seniors. The Reds had been covering their retreat with machine gun nests supported by small detachments of riflemen.

The Blue forces, advancing through Pullen Park, halted in the northern edge after an unopposed advance through the woods for several miles. Scouts reconnoitering the woods to the front were fired upon from the vicinity of the rifle range on Rocky Branch. The platoon leader moved forward and observed the situation and decided to build up the firing line on the line of scouts. Accordingly, the first section went into action and

picked up the target, which proved to be a machine gun nest on the hill beyond Rocky Branch. In the meantime the second section emerging from the railroad cut near the dairy engaged the enemy on the flank. The skirmishers being supported also by machine gun and light artillery fire, soon gained fire superiority and the first section was rushed forward by squads and took cover in a ditch which skirted the enemy position. The second section advanced on the enemy position. A rocket then called for the assault, and the whole platoon rose and fired while marching on the enemy's position, swarmed over the enemy's trenches with fixed bayonets, and forced him to surrender.

The problem was designed to bring out those principles of tactics which were used in the latter part of the World War during the retreat of the German forces. The entire manoeuvre was under the command of student officers. The officers of the Regular Army stationed at the College were gratified by the showing made by the students. Colonel Falls also complimented the work very highly.

This was the first of a series of manoeuvres which are to be conducted during the spring. Plans are to conduct a whole day's campaign later in the spring in which the whole regiment will participate, the victor making its bivouac on the scene of the battle.

POULTRY SCIENCE CLUB HAS A BIG BANQUET

One Hundred and Fifty Students Present, Plus Many Visitors and Members of the Faculty

For nearly two weeks Professor Armstrong, of the Poultry Department, has had many calls for "tickets." He did not have to ask "to what?" for he knew it was to the banquet to be given by the Poultry Science Club Thursday evening, February 21st. This, however, was not all the action involved. The Rehabilitation students were busy trussing and preparing forty-seven of the chickens that they have fattened on milk. These chickens were hatched by the Poultry students last year and cooked to a tender brown by the College dining-hall force Thursday afternoon. The menu was made up

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A. S. C. E. HOLDS ITS REGULAR MEETING

Professor Wooten Makes Report on Convention of American Road Builders' Association

On Tuesday evening, February 19, the Student Chapter of the A. S. C. E. held its regular semi-monthly meeting in the Y. M. C. A. The principal item of business was the discussion of a proposal that the several departments of engineering join in putting on an Engineering Show. The president explained how other technical schools have successfully put into effect a plan of this kind. After discussion by various members, the society voted unanimously that the Department of Civil Engineering offer to do its part in helping put on such a show this spring.

Following the vote on the engi-

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THE PHI KAPPA PHI INITIATES NEW MEN

Banquet Follows the Initiation Ceremonies; Eighteen Men Go Through Ceremony of Initiation

The first initiation held by the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society since its establishment here on December 10, 1923, was held in the Y. M. C. A. at



the College on Monday night. The faculty members that were taken in at this time were as follows: Dr. C. C. Taylor, head of the Graduate School; Dr. B. F. Brown, dean of the School of General Science; Dr. H. B. Shaw, director of the Engineering Experiment Station, and Dr. Z. P. Metcalf, head of instruction in the Department of Agriculture. The student members from the Senior Class were: J. E. Britt, G. R. Blount, J. M. McGoogan, W. E. Shinn, W. L. Trevathan, T. O. Evans, Jr., H. T. McBride, L. U. Bailey, A. J. Huneycutt, W. S. Morris, H. L. Medford, T. C. Chang, H. D. Hamrick and F. S. Trevathan.

Dr. E. C. Brooks, President of the College, acted as toastmaster at the banquet that followed the initiation, and in his talk to the society he pointed out the significance of the motto of the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, which is, "The love of learning rules the world." Other men that spoke at the banquet were: Dr. W. C. Riddick, dean of the School of Engineering; Dr. Metcalf, Dr. B. F. Brown, Dr. H. B. Shaw and Dr. C. C. Taylor. Mr. F. S. Trevathan responded for the students.

The Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society was founded at the Maine State College in 1897, and the N. C. State Chapter was chartered on December 10, 1923. Dr. W. A. Withers, of the Chemistry Department, is president of the N. C. State Society, and Mr. A. J. Huneycutt was elected vice president at the meeting Monday. The next meeting of the society will be held in April.

Others attending the initiation ceremonies than those above mentioned were: Dr. E. L. Cloyd, Prof. C. B. Williams, Prof. Pillsbury, Dr. T. P. Harrison, Prof. W. A. Anderson, Prof. W. H. Brown, Mr. Geo. Syme, Mr. B. J. Bailey, Mr. H. H. B. Mask, Mr. P. M. Rackliffe and Mr. Williams.

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Editorials

The basketball team has played its last game this year in Raleigh. In the next issue of THE TECHNICIAN we hope to carry a resume of the season and other general information concerning the basketball team and the season that has just closed. Watch next week's paper.

The boys that are exposed to military tactics are wondering if war is really like the sham battle that was staged in Pullen Park Monday. The usual comment is that Sherman was right in his terminology of war. Sore muscles are quite in evidence since the struggle, as much so as the congratulations that the soldiers are receiving upon their fine work.

During the week-end the Baptist Convention will meet in Raleigh, at which convention delegates from North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia and Tennessee will be in our city. It is hoped that these delegates will find time to visit the college and the grounds. We extend a most hearty welcome to these visitors, and we hope that their stay in Raleigh will be both enjoyable and profitable.

The Military Department receives the congratulations of THE TECHNICIAN upon the unusual skill with which they showed on the battlefield last Monday. Although it was only a sham battle, the boys conducted themselves in a manner that portrayed the training that they had received from the men that instruct them in the art of fighting. The units played their parts well, and those in charge of the affair exe-

cuted their parts with ability that is only born of rigid training and practice.

Another great order has been established on the campus of State College, namely, the "Kukoo Klan." It is not definitely known whether these men are affiliated with the famous KKK's or not. Nevertheless, they wear white robes and masks, as some of us can testify. It is rumored that they will have their pictures in the 1924 *Agromeck*. Steps have already been taken to have the book copyrighted, so the *Agromeck* staff asks that you place your orders for the additional copies of the book as soon as possible.

The *Agromeck* is taking rapid shape, and from all indications the 1924 book is going to surpass all other years in the class of workmanship, style of arrangement, and other features that make an annual stand out as a leader in the class. The *Agromeck* staff is to be congratulated this early in the year for the splendid way in which they are getting behind the book. They are determined to make the book what you would like to have it, so let's help them all that we can. You're on!

Have you heard the new record at the Y. M. C. A.? If you have not, you are the only one that has not. The record was first heard on Monday and we have been hearing it ever since. By means of rapid calculation, it is figured that the needle of the machine has traveled forty-one and two-tenths miles over the surface of that one record since it first appeared. We do not know the name of it; perhaps it never had a name—if it did it was soon erased by the numerous handlings of the record. Gee! That record must be tired at night. Come down and see the curio.

The University of North Carolina is planning to have another comic magazine, and since they cannot think of a suitable name for it that will fit the publication, they are offering a prize of \$25 for a name. If you are a good "namer," now is your chance to take an easy prize. All names should be sent to the University Publication Union, Chapel Hill, N. C., and names submitted should reach the office at Chapel Hill before midnight, March 3, 1924. Send in as many names as you like. For further information call at THE TECHNICIAN office.

The recent rain affected the loose clay in front of the Y. M. C. A. to such an extent that it became necessary to build a bridge across the chasm of mud. It was therefore decided to again send out bids for this work. It will be remembered that during the last disagreeable weather the contract for this work was let to "Flop" Morris, who did the work after a fashion. It was thought that "Flop" would again get the contract, but there arose one who was anxious for work, and the Flop Construction Company was underbid. The contract was let to the Pete Barber Engineering Works, which company constructed a mighty bridge across the dangerous road. Mr. Barber refuses to make any statements as to how he was

able to underbid "Flop." He says, however, that his company will continue to be active in this territory.

SAY, MEN, WHAT ABOUT THIS?

During the first part of the week the editor received a peculiar looking letter, the envelope and sheets of which were of a bright orange color. Upon further examination of the aforesaid letter and its contents, the surprise was even more astounding. Perhaps it would be well to quote the letter here and then give the comment that comes to me. The letter is as follows:

To the Editor of The Technician: Your remark in The Technician being duly noted, I wish to say that this paper expresses my sentiments as regards you, and, furthermore, that there are a few things Meredith girls do not fall for!

They are—some State men—some more State men—and yet some more! I'll send you a book of etiquette in order that you may learn what remarks are proper.

There are a number of things that Meredith girls could say—but we are ladies!

If you are not the guilty party, please hand this to—er—it.

(Signed) ONE OF THE STUDENT BODY.

Well, well! that certainly is fine; yes, fine for the scrap basket of the lady who wrote it and fine for our basket. Nevertheless, being of a peculiar mind at present, the opportunity is used. The office does not boast of a book of etiquette, so we are therefore limited in addressing one who is so intimately connected therewith.

If THE TECHNICIAN has insulted anyone, we are anxious that an apology should be made to the party that is so offended; if the one who is hurt will let us know, the staff will make every effort to have the ill corrected. It is a well known fact that when the shoe fits the party, they know it. "Amen, and they rested in peace thereafter."

Members American Institute of Electrical Engineers Witness High Voltage Demonstrations

Since 1913 voltages in excess of 1,000,000 have been made to perform spectacular phenomena under the control of a man's finger at the High Voltage Laboratory of the Westinghouse Electric Company.

Recently, flashing zigzag arcs and high potential surges were included in the demonstrations, which were witnessed by members of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and some visiting engineers of other countries.

The feature of the demonstrations was the forming of a 42-foot arc at a potential of 1,000,000 volts. This was the largest controlled arc ever made artificially, and it set a world's record for laboratory work. The length of the arc, the tremendous voltage behind it, and the deep roar that accompanied it, combined to produce a peculiar feeling of awe at the mighty electrical forces under the control of a man's finger. Manifestations of high voltages of electricity produce a sensation which witnesses find hard to define.

Following the forming of the arc, there was a demonstration of the efficiency of the horn gap. A 15-foot horn was constructed and an arc was induced at a potential of 200,000 volts. The arc rose slowly, due to the hot air produced with a tearing

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noise, to the end of the horn, blew out and immediately re-established at the base. It rose again and again until the circuit was opened. This self-extinguishing feature is used daily on power systems to relieve surges and lightning strokes. This is a spectacular test, and is an exhibition that witnesses do not soon forget.

The next tests were insulator flashovers. In these tests a dry insulator post, built up of several units, was flashed over a potential of 800,000 volts. Following this, the column was covered with a heavy water spray to approximate conditions during a torrential rainstorm, and it flashed over a potential of 650,000 volts, showing the wet insulator to be over 80 per cent as efficient as the dry insulator. This was a remarkably high ratio and attributed to excellent design.

In visiting the High Voltage Laboratory of the Westinghouse Company the delegates saw one of the finest laboratories of its kind in the world. The laboratory contains two mammoth transformers, one having a rating of 1,000,000 volts, 1,000 kv-a. Other million-volt sets use two or more transformers to produce this supervoltage. There is also a half-million volt transformer in the laboratory which is used for making smaller tests. The control equipment is an outstanding development in the electrical industry. The complete transformer equipment with switches, motors and generators is directly under the hand of a single operator stationed at the laboratory. The remote control is used throughout to eliminate any possibility of accident through handling these high voltages. A system of horns warns everyone when to expect the test, and in this way, also, danger of accidents is minimized.

THE STUDENTS' FORUM

A column conducted for your personal opinion. Tell it through "THE TECHNICIAN."

A PARLOR FOR OUR LADY VISITORS ON THE CAMPUS

Fellows, a thing happened to me the other day, and I have seen it happen to others on the campus time and time again. A thing that I believe could be remedied if the fellows would just get behind it.

A few days ago it was cold and rainy. My mother, passing through Raleigh, came out to see me; she had only a few minutes to stay, and as there was no place on the campus to take her, we had to sit out in the car in the bad weather, cold and rainy as it was. Of course I could have taken her to the hotel, but just coming off of drill, by the time I could have changed clothes I would have had little time left to have seen her.

I have seen this happen to a good many fellows on the campus, and I believe a place could be provided where we could take our mothers or other lady friends while visiting us on the campus.

The Y. M. C. A. is supposed to be a place for this purpose, but as it is the lobby is not hardly large enough to take care of the students, much less having a space for this purpose.

While the big building program is going on on the campus, why can't we have a special parlor to take our lady visitors? It would be of very little expense. What do you think about it, fellows? D. O. P., '26.

"MOSS-GROWN" AXIOMS

Scientific theories are never abandoned. They are altered and realtered as experiments prove their fallacies. Therefore, science is not based upon "moss-grown" axioms.

Probably under the direction of Mr. A. S. Williams, of the University of South Carolina, Massachusetts Tech and Ohio State, the periodic table of chemical elements will appear in a new form since its order has become "moss-grown." The primordial report stated that some conceptions of chemical behavior had been "entirely recast." "Einstein," take note. The future may bear, as a result of these skeptical discussions, a new order of atomic structure with the electron divided into its components, when the Forum begins the study of atomic structure based upon speculative philosophy of the sort that characterized the conceptions of the Greek philosophers, Democritus and Epicurus, and Lucretius of Rome, in the year 420 B. C., 370 B. C., and 50 B. C., respectively.

CAPTAIN ALLEN

J. R. Allen, of Louisburg, has been elected captain of the 1924 baseball team, to succeed Harry Curtis, who graduated last spring and who is not able to return to college this year.

Jim pitched on our Freshman team in '21, and this will be his third year on the varsity pitching staff. His record for the past three years is excellent. He is responsible for many of our baseball victories the past two years, and is recognized as one of the leading college pitchers in the State. It is probable that most of the hurling this year will be up to him, but on observing his past record

as a baseball artist we are sure that he will keep up the good work and be an important factor towards our team being State champions this year.

Jim is a good student, well liked by the team, is conversant with college baseball in the State, and is certain to make a worthy leader for our 1924 baseball team.

ATTENTION, ENGINEERS!

Fred R. Low, President American Society Mechanical Engineers, Comes to N. C. State College March 4

This coming Tuesday brings to State College a man who has distinguished himself in the engineering profession. This person is none other than Fred R. Low, president of the A. S. M. E., and editor of Power, a magazine well known to engineers. Mr. Low is of wide engineering experience, both from the standpoint of a practical engineer and from the standpoint of an engineering editor. He has been making a lecture tour throughout the Southern States, taking in some of the United States possessions in the Panama waters. It is on his return trip to the north that State has secured him for an address.

All students and faculty are invited with a special invitation extended to all engineering students.

A NEW STAR

Occasionally as a great astronomer sits at his telescope, high up in the mountain, gazing at the celestial bodies, measuring the lunar craters and mountains, or the distance to some stars millions of miles away into space, a new gleaming, silvery star meets his gaze, a star which has never before been seen by the eye of man. As if by magic it suddenly appears in the heavens, coming out of the vastness of the universe. It is just a little brighter than the other stars and the astronomer therefore deems it worthy

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of a name, and it is named and plotted in the great maps of the heavens.

Recently a new star has appeared, coming not from the depths of the universe, but from the student body of State College. It appeared not in the infinite heavens, but on the basketball court at the University of North Carolina. This new star has been named Fletcher Dickens. A week ago Dickens was a substitute of the lowest order, having played only a few minutes on the varsity team. The game with the University was his first real encounter, but in it he showed his mettle and was responsible for eight of the nine points scored by State in that game, and now he is a regular member of the varsity five.

The season is now drawing to a close and "Dick" will not have a great

opportunity to display his ability, but there is a next year coming and then we hope to see him shine in all his stellar brightness.

The uniform for the military boys, The sharp toes for the hicks, The "cake eaters" have apparel fine, But Dutch is wearing "knicks."

George Wray has a derby hat, "Bull" Johnson a walking stick, Foots still wears his yellow-green vest, But Dutch is wearing "knicks."

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To ride in this car is to be assured of the efficiency of its random fly-wheel, its ease of non-control, and the perverseness of its gear shift. If mechanically inclined one will marvel at the design and quality of the three-cylinder engine. The many new engineering features include several parts of his father's mule harness and tractors bound together ingeniously with plov lines and bale wire, a fourth cylinder never used except in case of emergency, heat control by a specially designed "Low Water" radiator which automatically ejects the corn cob cap when a pressure of 15 pounds per square inch is reached, and an operating temperature of 500-800 degrees higher than an ordinary engine, which temperature insures pre-mature combustion of the fuel.

Creator Beasley, an eccentric genius, states that he designed "Tut III" for men, but the women choose it as their personal car. And small wonder, too, with its special opaque curtains, its concave seats, and its absolute unreliability, it offers to the ladies a car which is an expression of individuality.

One enjoys the beauties, luxuries, and comforts people have been groping for throughout the ages. Beasley has designed with a master mind and

built with a sure hand—perpetuating in tin, canvas, pine boards, bale wire, and plov lines all of the new ideas of freakishness and the old, old ideas of jace-axe vehicles. The emblem—Beasley built body—is at once a hall mark of distinction and a warranty of unsoundness.

**State Volunteer Conference Is
To Be Held at Queen's College**

Do you remember last year when there were so many college folks on our campus attending a conference at the Y. M. C. A.? Do you remember what a wonderful conference it was? Well, a conference just like that one will be held at Queen's College, Charlotte, N. C., March 7, 8 and 9. State College's quota for this conference is fifteen men. Are we going to fall below our quota, or are we going to be there? We had the largest delegation of any college in North Carolina at Indianapolis. Surely we can do as well at Charlotte.

Some of the speakers will be Mr. Tom Sarpe, executive secretary for the Volunteer Union in the United States; Father R. P. Wilder, general secretary and founder of the Student Volunteer Union, and Mr. J. W. Bergthold, secretary of the Southern District of the Y. M. C. A. The program will be interesting and well worth while.

Fellows, let's do our best to have our full quota there! If you are interested, see Mr. King at the "Y," or Dixon on the campus, and find out about the conference.

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If you want to attend a conference of great worth, a conference that will be beneficial and also enjoyable, make an effort to attend this conference. The girls at Queens, where the conference is to be held, are making every plan possible to make the con-

ference a success. Let's help them with our presence.

Willie—Mother, my Sunday School teacher never takes a bath.

Mother—Why, Willie, who told you that?

Willie—She did. She said she never did anything in private that she wouldn't do in public.—Cluster.

While preparing to make a certain picture for the Agromeck, the photographer said: "Now, boys, try to look natural, please." E. A. Davis at once removed his neck-tie.



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JOE W. JOHNSON, Editor

All social or personal news deposited in The Technician News Box will be appreciated by the editor.

—"Punt" Gaines was called to Central, South Carolina, last week on account of the death of his aunt.

—Mr. T. O. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Steed, of Maxton, N. C., spent Sunday here visiting T. O. Evans, Jr., and B. C. Steed. They returned to Maxton through the country in their car.

—Joe Harris, Class of '23, and W. K. Williams, former State College student, spent the week-end here with some of their friends.

—W. D. Yarborough, Class of '23, visited his brother, N. A. Yarborough, last week for a few days. Yarborough is teaching school and says that he likes it very much.

—W. A. Brackett, Class of '22, visited friends and attended the State-Carolina basketball game last week.

—"Scamp" Harris spent the past week-end with his parents in Louisville.

Bill Ware, who is located in Danville, Va., and a member of the Class of '23, was in Raleigh last Saturday.

—H. N. Kelly, of the Class of '23, who is teaching in the Chapel Hill High School, was a visitor at this College last week.

—George Redfern visited friends at this College last week before his spring training with the New York Yankees at New Orleans. George will be remembered as captain of our last year's baseball team and as our shortstop. We hope that he will show the Yankees his stuff this coming summer; he certainly has it.

—C. W. Gunter and D. O. Price spent the past week-end visiting friends in Durham.

—John R. Moffit spent Saturday and Sunday the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Moffit, of Sanford.

—Douglas Dunn visited his parents in Rocky Mount last Sunday.

—C. W. Mayo spent the past week-end with his parents in Tarboro.

—The singing and playing of Prof. Diton of Philadelphia, Pa., was appreciated very much by those who heard him sing and play in the "Y" last week.

—W. W. Shope visited some of his friends at Fayetteville, N. C., the middle of last week.

—We are glad to know that nearly all the students who were confined in the hospital are now attending their classes. We certainly hope the measles will leave us alone from now on.

—"Nick" Rhodes, who is now working for a construction company in Charlotte, is spending a few days inspecting our new dormitory. "Nick" was a student at this institution last year.

Dance at Episcopal Parish

Last Friday night, February 22d, the State College Episcopal Club combined with the Young People's Service League gave a dance at the Epis-

copal Parish House for the members and friends of these two religious organizations. Exceptionally good music was rendered by Mrs. Hester's orchestra, and all who attended had a good time.

**NEW ORGANIZATION
BORN AT N. C. STATE**

A few days ago a group of State College students met and formed themselves into a club called "The Bat." This is a local organization and is non-fraternal.

The by-laws and constitution of the new organization state that the club is formed for the purpose of promoting good fellowship and social activities among the State College students, and is also organized for the purpose of advancing State College.

The charter members are eleven in number, and membership hereafter will be open only to those asked to join. Only persons of good morals and sound character will be eligible to the order or circle, it is stated in the charter.

The men held their initiation Monday night, February 25th. All eleven men took the degree.

A. S. C. E. Holds Its Regular Meeting

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neering show. Mr. Trevathan and Mr. Morris each made a few remarks concerning the American Association of Engineers. They pointed out the many advantages offered by that organization. A number of the members of the society filed their applications for admission with Mr. Morris, who is on the membership committee of the association.

The feature of the program was a report by Professor Wooten, who attended the annual convention of the

American Road Builders' Association and Road Show, held in Chicago, January 14-18. In view of the fact that a detailed report of the convention, by Professor Wooten, had been published in The Technician February 1, the speaker made only a general talk concerning conclusions drawn from the convention, and concerning engineering in general. He mentioned the facts which indicate that road building in this country has just begun. The two most important are the increasing number of automobiles and the vast expansion in the manufacture of road building machinery.

Professor Wooten urged the members of the society to take a more active part in the work of the society. He endorsed all that had been said in behalf of the A. A. E., and explained further that the organization fills a place in the engineering world which no other organization fills. Professor Wooten announced the next meeting of the association, February 28, at the city Y. M. C. A.

Those who were absent missed a fine meeting, and are urged to be present at the next meeting, March 4. An interesting program is promised.

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The thing I most admire,
However much the exercise,
He never can perspire.—Ex.

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of rye,
Ten times fifty maidens, and nine of
them get by;
Three of them have beauty, three of
them have cars,
And three of them have papas with
cellars and cigars.
—Chaparral.

One reason why there are no women
locomotive engineers is that they
would have to be out all night with
the fast mails.—Collegian.

Jack: "I am sorry that I couldn't
fill my date. I had—er—class.

Jill: "Yes, I saw her; some class,
too."

Freshman Lewis has a birthday the
29th of this month. He says it only
comes every four years. Let's give
him a 4-in-1 party.

"When Charlie found the lipstick,
how did he know it was yours?"
"Well, don't you think he knows
how it tastes by this time."—Ex.

Tim—How are you getting along at
home while your wife's away?

Jim—Fine. I've reached the height
of efficiency. I can put on my socks
now from either end.—Exchange.

Bimbo: "Forsooth, child, the gold-
fish hath contracted eczema!"

Bozo: "Of what import? 'Tis but
on a small scale."—Yale Record.

"Say, did you ever kiss a girl in a
quiet spot?"

"Yes, but the spot was quiet only
when I was kissing it."—Ex.

"Here is where I pull a good one,"
said the dentist as he fastened his
forceps on a sound tooth.—Ex.

Prof. Johnson (after poor recita-
tion on Banking): "Class is dismiss-
ed. Don't flop your ears as you go
out."—Ex.

Harry: "I thought your girl was
a blonde."

Pope: "She was, but she dyed last
night."—Ex.

Somehow we have a notion that a
slow motion picture of a checker
tournament would be good for the
nerves.

"I see where a young man killed
himself after writing a poem."

"Well, that isn't a bad idea."—
Exchange.

Frosh: "Should a man be pun-
ished for 'killing a bottle?'"

Soph: "He surely should if he does
it alone."—Ex.

Darling, can anything ever come be-
tween us?

Eavesdropper (to himself)—Impos-
sible.—Exchange.

A Long Island contractor, driving
in from Rockaway, came upon an-
other whose machine had broken
down on the road. In the disabled
car sat a woman. "Need any assist-
ance?" inquired the contractor, cour-
teously.
The other man lifted his flushed

and grimy face from under the hood.
"Yes," he replied. "I wish you'd an-
swer my wife's questions while I'm
fixing this infernal engine."—The
Borrow Pit.

Fresh—Why is it you like these
studies in the nude?

Art Stude—Oh, I guess it was just
because I was born that way.

—Ghost.

Poultry Science Club Has a Big Banquet

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of chicken served with pickles, po-
tato chips, steaming hot coffee, and
rolls.

There were about 150 students
present besides a part of the faculty
and visitors. All expressed them-
selves thoroughly satisfied with the
feed and with the efficiency of the
Poultry Department, headed by Dr.
B. F. Kaupp.

Following the banquet the presi-
dent of the club, J. D. Sykes, called
on several members of the faculty
and visitors for short talks. The first
called was Dean B. W. Kilgore. He
made a few remarks about the progress
of the poultry work in the State
and mentioned the great work of Dr.
Kaupp and his assistants. He
stressed the need of raising one va-
riety of birds in a community so the
growers could market them more
cheaply and get better returns. He
said: "It does not matter how much
of anything we produce, correct mar-
keting brings about standardization,
which is necessary for successful
farming."

Dr. C. C. Taylor was the next
speaker. He was introduced by Mr.
Sykes as a champion hunter. Mr.
Sykes, it seems, was fishing for hu-
mor and he got it. Dr. Taylor com-
mended Dr. Kaupp and his co-work-
ers for their hospitality. He said:
"Farming is divided into three divis-

ions—production, distribution, and
consumption. Dr. Kaupp and his
students produced the chickens, some
of the students have distributed them,
and I have done my part consuming
them."

Prof. C. L. Newman made a short
talk on the growth of the Poultry
Department here and North Carolina
as a poultry producing State.

Short talks were made by Editor
F. H. Jeter, Dr. W. C. Reeder, Prof.
C. M. Heck, Dr. T. P. Harrison, Dean
E. L. Cloyd and Dr. Kaupp.

Prof. R. H. Ruffner, very sarca-
stically, announced that he had no
jokes to relate. He accused T. C.
Chang and Dr. Kaupp of forming a
plot to supply China with all her
text-books on poultry and divide the
profits fifty-fifty. He said it was a
scandal as great as that of the Re-
publican party in Teapot Dome. He
also stated that Dr. Kaupp, here of
late, was wearing much silk, using a
monacle, and using a great deal of
tea. He said he thought the matter

should be looked into. He accused
Dr. Kaupp of comparing a cock to his
gold-medal cow, which he contended
was quite an insult, personally. In
conclusion, he took it all back and
graciously presented Dr. Kaupp with
an imported English teapot and a
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Miss Margaret Workman	250
Miss Winnie Rickett	210
Miss Charlotte Nelson	140
Miss Patsy Batts	65
Miss Sallie Peele	50
Miss T. K. Messick	40
Miss Lula Wynne	40
Miss Blanche Bonner	25
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W. J. Carter	50
J. S. Neely	50
W. O. Huneycutt	50
Jimmy Lang	45
G. C. Lassiter	40
J. B. Rhodes	40

Send in Your Votes

It seems as though some of the voters in the contest were taking cold feet. Don't give up just because someone else is a few votes in the lead. That is not the right spirit of the thing. If some other fellow's girl gets ahead it just shows that that fellow is working harder than you are. Do not stop sending in the votes; send in more than ever. Put your girl in the lead. It can be done if you are willing to work enough.

See the announcement in next week's paper concerning the close of the Beauty Contest.

Coupons will appear in The Technician only four more times. This means that 106,000 votes will be available to the fellow who is interested enough to go after them. A person in the contest who has only ten votes may yet win by a large margin. Keep working!

Doctor—How are the boys prescribed for yesterday getting on?
Nurse—Three are dead.
Doctor—But I wrote prescriptions for four.

Nurse—Yes, but the fourth refuses to take the medicine.—Exchange.

"Lou' kout, lou' kout, you'll catch fire."

"Wassa matter you?"
"Don't go breathing ova here when I got this match lit."—Ex.

Alumni Notes

Observations and Communications of Zippy Mack

The Meredith Freshman who explained that "on Sundays for dinner we have chicken and I scream," was not excited at all to what we were the other day, when it took up a whole morning in a pretty snow storm. And we had been versifying on the coming of spring, too.

Dewey Cline, who will be remembered as the basketball wonder of 1920 and preceding years, is now in Raleigh doing construction work with the R. G. Lassiter Co.

E. B. Manning, who was a member of the Textile Class in 1921, and one of State's outstanding javelin hurlers, was in town last week-end. He is now with the Rosemary Manufacturing Co. at Roanoke Rapids.

W. F. Freeman, of the Civil Class of '22, is located in Raleigh with the R. C. Olson Engineering Corporation.

W. G. Ware, of the Textile Class of '23, was in town last week-end. Ware is now with the Riverside and Dan River Mills, Danville, Virginia.

Messrs. J. E. Ramsay and Linn Bernhardt, of the Class of 1900, both of whom are now on the Board of Trustees of the College, were on the campus Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Ramsay, who is interested in a rock quarry near Salisbury, made a talk to the Civil Seniors Thursday morning.

Mr. J. L. "Duroc" Wall, of the Class of '23, blew in town Wednesday from what he termed a "cow-punching tour." Wall is now with the testing department of the Dairy Extension Service of the State Department of Agriculture.

Among the several other week-end visitors was Mr. W. D. Yarboro, of the Class of '23, who wished us to emphasize the fact that he is making

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Mr. Robert Craig Ernst and Miss Sarah W. Carter of Henderson, N. C., were married at Henderson, January 3d. At home, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Ernst was a member of the Chemical Class of '21.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Columbus Taylor, of Wentworth, announce the birth of Glenn Ellis Taylor on January 29th. Mr. Taylor is a member of the Class of '23.

P. C. Beatty Chosen As State Representative

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whom we can expect to get results from. We couldn't have a better from, because he is a man we all think lots of, which is proven by the fact the he is now president of the student body, captain-elect of 1924

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Occasionally a picture is run that is not quite up to standard, as was the case last Monday, when the film exchange made a mistake and sent the wrong picture. Mistakes like this will happen but it is our policy to give the best show possible for a dime.

For the month of March the program is as follows:

March 3-4—Harold Lloyd in "Why Worry."

March 6—A Paramount, "The Pride of Palomar"; Langdon Sennett, in "Picking Peaches."

March 10-11—Hal Roach in "Join the Circus"; Aesop Fable, "The Circus"; Our Gang, "The Big Show"; Our Gang, "Back Stage."

March 13—Cosmopolitan Special, "Adam and Eva"; Will Rogers Comedy, "Jus Passing Thru."

March 17-18—Pathe, "The Call of the Wild."

March 20—Paramount, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine"; Max Sennett in "Skylarking."

March 24-25—Our Gang, "Derby Day"; Our Gang, "Papyrus vs Zev"; Aesop Fable, "Derby Day"; Hal Roach in "Scorching Sands."

March 27—Jack Holt in "Tiger's Claw"; Snub Pollard in "Before the Public."

March 31-April 1—Charles Ray in "The Courtship of Miles Standish."

The program listed above is the very best that can be secured with the admission price at ten cents.

It is our belief that the shows should be such that anyone living in the college community will enjoy coming to them.

These shows are for ladies as well as gentlemen, therefore we want to ask the co-operation of the student body in seeing that the best of conduct is preserved.

WHY NO WATER IN THE SWIMMING POOL?

Several fellows have been asking why there is no water in the pool. The trouble is that the bottom of the pool has settled so that the water leaks out in one night.

Since December we have had the promise of a mason to repair it. He says he will do it next week at the latest. We hope he keeps his promise, because we hate for the students to be deprived of the use of the pool.

Kissing a girl after getting her permission is like getting a rain check after the eighth inning.—Ex.

"A LETTER"

States of the United,

Sept. the Two.

Mein Dae Cousin Hans:

Hans, I now take my pen in hand and write you mit a lead pencil. Ve do not lif vare ve used to lif, ve lif vare ve haf moved. Hate to wrote it, but your dead old aunt vot you luffed so vell iss dead. She dies of New Monia on New Year's Day in New Orleans, at fifteen minutes in front of five. Some people think she had population of the heart. The doctor gave up all hope ven she died. Her breath leaked out. She leaves a family of two boys and two cows. They found \$1,000,000 dollars sewed up in her bustle. It was an awful lot of money to leave behind.

Oh! Mrs. Offenbach iss very sick. She is just at Death's door, and der doctor thinks he can pull her thru. She had such a nice little boy. He iss just like a human beast. I took him to the hospital und ve had a lovely time.

Your brudder, Gus, took our dog, Fido, down to der saw-mill yesterday, to haf a fight. He rushed up against one of der big circular saws—he only last von round.

All der Grossenbach family hav got der mumps und are having a swell time. I am sending your black overcoat by express. In order to save charges, I cutt off der buttons and put dem in der inside pocket.

Mother is making sausages, und der neighbors are looking out for der dogs. Your uncle says if you don't pay him dot 40c vot you owe him he will cutt off your head and throw it in your face.

I just graduated from college—und I took electrocution and physical torture. I learned to be a stingy o-grafter, too. I got a chob down at der livery stable as a stingyografter, taking down hay for der horses.

Louis Krantz vas sick und der doctor told him to take something, so he vent down der street und met Ikey Cohen, und took his vatch. They had him arrested und got a lawyer. Der lawyer got der case, but Ikey got der vorks.

Ve haf got about 30 chickens und a pet dog. Der dog iss named Hans. Der chickens iss laying about six eggs a day, und Hans is laying behind der stove.

Just heard they performed an operation on Mrs. Offenback, between

the dining room and under der conservatory, but she died at 8 o'clock. Dere iss people dying around vot nefer died before.

Oh! I wish ve vere closer apart. I am awfully lonesome, since we separated together. Your brudder, Fritz, iss getting along fine mit der small-pox and hopes you are der same.

Hoping you vill written sooner as I did, I remain here, your cousin,

HERBERT FAISSET.

P. S.—If you don't get dis letter, written me, und I vill write you anudder.

Two times P. S.—Have just received that \$5.00 I owe you, but have closed up der letter and can't get it in.

Baptist Student Convention

Approximately 250 students are the guests of Raleigh this week-end as delegates to the Second Baptist Student Convention. They come from State and denominational schools of four states. Wake Forest heads the list in numbers, Chatham Training School of Virginia holds second place, with N. C. C. W. and the University of North Carolina taking the third and fourth places, respectively.

The delegates representing State College are C. D. Faucette, H. F. Curtis, H. G. Moore, P. M. Hendricks, A. H. Thomas, J. E. Britt and J. H. Moffitt.

The meetings are held in the Tabernacle Baptist Church instead of the First Baptist Church, as planned, due to the installation of a new pipe organ. The "mixer" on Friday night,

29th, will also be held in the Tabernacle Church.

There is a strong list of speakers, all of whom are in close touch with the student work of the denomination. Every Baptist student should avail himself of this opportunity of getting in touch with the program being planned for Baptist students of State and denominational colleges, in connection with adjoining churches. The conference will close Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

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