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## TEXTILE STUDENTS MAKING PLANS FOR TEXTILE WEEK HERE

**Cotton Institute to Co-operate in Making Event Successful**

**WILL BE HELD HERE  
MARCH 27, 28, AND 29**

**Number of Graduates of N. C. State Textile School to Speak—Show To Be Presented Under Supervision of Students.**

The professors and students of the N. C. State Textile School are working hard for the completion of the plans for Textile Week, which will be held here March 27, 28, and 29.

The Textile School is glad to announce that the Cotton Textile Institute will cooperate in making the Textile Week a great success.

The plans for the event have not yet been completed, but a number of speakers have already been secured for the occasion. A number of the speakers are graduates of the N. C. State Textile School.

E. C. Morse, chairman of the new uses section of the Cotton Textile Institute, will give a talk on "New Uses For Cotton Fabrics."

Dr. W. E. Cathcart, chief technical chemist for the Corn Products Refining Company, New York, will talk on the subject of "Starches."

W. S. Dean, class of '09, will talk on "The Technique of Buying and Assigning Cotton for Manufacturing." Mr. Dean purchases cotton for the mills at Roanoke Rapids and is an authority on cotton.

I. L. Langley, class of '23, will give a series of talks on "Cost Accounting"—Continued on page 2.

## ELECTRICAL EXPERIMENTS BEING MADE BY KNIGHT

**Cooperating With Power Company to Obtain Better Service For Consumers**

The ozentized wire entanglements near the power plant are the physical manifestations of an experiment being conducted by T. M. Knight, in cooperation with the Carolina Power and Light Company.

One of the primary objects of the study is to determine the rating of primary forces which will give the best continuity of service to the consumer and at the same time will prevent the transformers from burning out.

All conditions of short-circuits relative to the size of transformers, length and size of conductors, and primary fusing will be investigated. A standard secondary circuit of 1,200 feet, the maximum length found in practice, has been erected on the campus and the various sizes of transformers are being supplied by the Carolina Power and Light Company.

Mr. George J. Roewe, of the Carolina Power and Light Company, is chairman of the overhead system committee of the National Electric Light Association, and plans to present the results of these tests to the National Electric Light Association convention. Mr. Knight is a graduate assistant in electrical engineering and is planning to present the results of the graduate school as a thesis for his master's degree.

## BAND CONCERT

The State College band and Sudan Temple band will appear in a combined concert in the city auditorium Sunday afternoon, March 19. The exact hour when this concert will begin has not been set as yet, but will be announced at a later date, according to Major Price.

Music lovers are cordially invited to attend this program, in which 95 men will take part and \$20,000 worth of musical instruments will be used by the members of the two organizations.

## DR. BROOKS RETURNS



DR. E. C. BROOKS

## Dr. Brooks Returns After Taking Rest Cure in Michigan

Dr. E. C. Brooks, president of State College, returned to Raleigh Thursday from Battle Creek, Michigan, where he has been taking a rest cure in a sanitarium there since January. He has been away from the college about six weeks.

The duties of the president combined with the additional worries caused by the construction program going on at State College made a rest advisable. Dr. Brooks acted on his physician's advice and took the trip to Battle Creek.

Dr. Brooks remarked on his return, "Oh, I'm in good shape now." He further stated that the rest had done him a world of good and that he was ready to resume his presidential duties, which have been in charge of the faculty council during his absence.

## TWO STATE STUDENTS ARE FIRED UPON BY NEGRO AFTER WRECK

While returning to State from a week-end visit to their home in Robeson County, C. S. McIntyre and W. R. Kelly had the unusual experience of being both wrecked and shot at when Mrs. McPherson's car, in which they were riding, collided with that of a dusky motorist who afterwards opened fire on them with a pistol.

The wreck took place on a short curve of the road near Littleton, about eight o'clock Sunday night.

McIntyre was driving Mrs. McPherson's car and he stated that the "dusky" was speeding and could not make the curve. Both cars were turned over, but one seriously injured. While getting out of the wrecked car, the Negro shot four times, then escaped. The officers were called and they began to search for the Negro, which proved futile.

## FIGURES SHOW COST OF \$17,201 TO FEED STUDENTS FOR MONTH

Mr. L. H. Harris, steward of the college dining hall, has made the startling statement that it cost \$17,201 to feed 1,175 students eating in the cafeteria and mess hall during the month of January.

The \$17,201 per month is an equivalent of \$677.07 per day which is consumed in the form of 675 pounds of butter, 3 barrels of apples, 4 gallons of syrup, 260 pounds of sugar, 44 large boxes of breakfast food, and 125 gallons of milk. Each student pays \$0.60 per day for his share of one day's food, while he receives \$0.543 worth of food bought on a wholesale scale by the college steward.

Students might wonder if the college steward makes a profit of \$0.057 from each student per day, but consideration must be given to the fact that \$1,000 is expended for help during each month, leaving a profit of \$0.033 to the steward from each student, and from this amount the dining hall and cafeteria rent must be subtracted.

The steward's aim and ambition is to make his dining hall better each day, making the students receive the best food possible for the lowest possible cost.

## Sixty-Six Teams Enter Third Annual Hi-Tournament Here

**All Sections of State Represented Here This Week; Has Grown Rapidly Since Its Inauguration Three Years Ago; Tournament Began Thursday, and Finals Will Be Played Off Tonight.**

Approximately six hundred high school basketball players, representing more than three score high schools throughout the state, are guests of State College this week at the third annual invitational tournament. Every section of North Carolina is represented. Asheville, Sylva, and Leicester represent the western part of the state, while Plymouth and several other smaller schools compose the representation of the extreme eastern part of the state. The majority of teams entering the tournament, however, come from the Piedmont section of North Carolina.

The tournament began Thursday afternoon, when eighteen games were played, and will come to a close tonight, when the three final games will be played.

Although three years young, this tournament has come to be the most outstanding in North Carolina, and will compare favorably with any in the South. The number of applications for admittance has grown so large that it has become a problem as to how to accommodate all with sleeping quarters. As was the case last year, it was necessary to limit the entries to Class C, due to the large number of applications received. Over one hundred applications were received from Class C schools, which necessitated elimination on the basis of past records. This was done by J. F. Miller, "head man" of the tournament, and Charles G. Doak, who is assisting Mr. Miller in directing the tournament.

**Sixty-six Teams Enter**  
The sixty-six teams enter in the tournament are competing in three groups, arranged according to school enrollment. Sixteen teams are entered in Class A, which includes the special chartered schools with enrollment of 300 or over in senior department; 24 are entered in Class B, special chartered schools, with enrollment of less than 300 in senior department, and 26 are entered in Class C, comprising rural high schools. While group entrances are based primarily on these classifications, teams were permitted to enter in higher classes if they so desired. Among teams taking advantage of this privilege is the quint from the Ellerbe high school, which has entered Class A, and which advanced to the finals of the eastern eliminations of the North Carolina High School Association series.

## D. H. HILL LIBRARY SHOWS INCREASING CIRCULATION

**Larger Demand for Books Indicates Growing Popularity of Library**

The D. H. Hill Library of N. C. State College is becoming more popular every day with the students and faculty members.

This library is one of the most modern, best equipped, and handsomest from the standpoint of architectural beauty in the South.

That the library is becoming more popular is shown by the fact that the circulation of February, 1928, exceeded that of February, 1927, by over 951 volumes. February, 1928, exceeded January by 442 books. During the month of February there were 2,874 calls for books. In addition to this bound periodicals, reference books, and technical magazines were used by an even larger number of students.

The number of calls for the different classes of books were as follows: First, fiction; second, literature; third, biography; fourth, history, and fifth, sociology. Much can be learned from the above classification, as this shows the trend of the students' reading.

Since July 1, 1927, there have been added to the library 1,483 volumes of a general and technical character. Orders have already been placed for approximately 1,200 additional volumes, which will be received within the next few weeks.

Everything possible is being done by the librarian and his efficient staff to increase the number and character of the books in the library.

## ENGINEERS' DAY

The success of Engineers' Day depends upon the loyal sociology of each and every engineering student. Help your department win the float and show cups, make your date for the "Grand Brawl," and let's celebrate St. Patrick's Day in true Engineer spirit. The day is Saturday, March 17.

**ENGINEERS' COUNCIL.**

## DEBATE TRY-OUTS

The second and final debate try-outs of the current year will be held in the public speaking classroom on Thursday afternoon, March 29, at 4 o'clock.

The proposition to be used will be: "Resolved, That a three-fourths vote of the jury should be sufficient to convict in criminal trials, except in the case of verdicts involving the death penalty." This proposition will be used in a debate with Wake Forest College, to be held either late in April or early in May.

Each candidate should prepare a five-minute constructive speech on either side, and should be ready to deliver a two-minute rebuttal.

## Jinx Hovers Over State and Meredith Dining Halls Lately

A Jinx seems to be hovering over most of the college messhalls in this vicinity. This opinion is based on the happenings of the last few weeks.

Several days ago one of the State College messhall waiters was killed by an engine on the Seaboard tracks. It seems that he was walking along the track apparently wrapped in his thoughts when the train struck him. Death was instantaneous.

Last Sunday morning another tragic event of like character took place at our sister institution, Meredith College.

At about 6 a.m. the occupants of the dormitories were awakened by a loud noise, as of a revolver being fired. Since an escaped convict took refuge there once, and was fired at, the girls thought that such an event had happened again. Excitement reigned until breakfast time. When the girls went into the dining-hall, their excitement turned to sorrow.

Instead of a pistol shot, it was an exploding gas range, and instead of a convict, it was a waiter. He was instantly killed in his attempt to light a gas range in the kitchen.

It is thought that he turned on the gas and waited too long to apply a spark of fire. When he did strike a match, the gas had filled the room to such an extent that an explosion occurred.

## STATE COLLEGE BAND WILL GIVE CONCERT AT SOUTHERN PINES

The concert band, under the direction of Major P. W. Price, will give a concert at Southern Pines, N. C., Sunday afternoon. The concert is being given under the auspices of the Southern Pines Chamber of Commerce. The band will leave Raleigh via bus Sunday morning and will return after the concert.

"Daddy" Price says that as soon as the weather permits similar concerts will be given at least once a month in the band stand across the street from Holladay Hall. These concerts will be given on Sunday afternoons and the public is cordially invited to attend.

This program of musical concerts in the spring is a continuation of the program which was begun last year at this season.

## Two Agricultural Students Awarded Fellowships Here

Two fellowships have been awarded to two students in agriculture by the National Fertilizer Association and the N. V. Potash Company. They were awarded to J. H. Pope, a senior in agriculture, and W. T. Nuckles, who is working toward his M.S. degree.

These fellowships are awarded to these students under the condition that they do experimental work in soils, together with graduate work in soils. They were awarded to the college because of the high quality of work done by the college and experiment station in soils and fertilizers.

One of these fellowships was awarded to the college recently after the company had employed two State graduates.

The students who formerly held the fellowships were E. A. Davis and A. H. Harris.

Mr. T. F. Smith, traveling secretary of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity, spent several days with Gamma Upsilon Zeta of State College.

## METERMEN SCHOOL TO OPEN AT STATE COLLEGE MONDAY

**Sixth Annual School To Be Conducted by Electrical Department**

**CLASSWORK TO CONTINUE THROUGHOUT NEXT WEEK**

**Dr. Riddick to Make Address of Welcome—Prominent Executives of Power Companies Will Address Gathering.**

Executives and employees of the electric light and power companies of North and South Carolina will gather here Monday for the sixth annual School for Electrical Metermen, given by North Carolina State College. William Hand Browne, Jr., of the Electrical Engineering Department of the college, is in charge of the school.

Monday afternoon an address of welcome will be delivered to the visitors by Dr. W. C. Riddick, dean of the School of Engineering. At the same session there will be addresses by T. F. Drew, of the Carolina Power and Light Company, of Raleigh; John Paul Lucas, vice-president of the Southern Public Utilities Company, of Charlotte; Fred A. Matthes, executive vice-president of the Tidewater Power Company, of Wilmington; R. L. Lindsey, vice-president of the Durham Public Service Company, of Durham, and George M. Ogle, of the National Electric Power Company.

The school, divided into two sections for the study of both elementary metering and the advanced polyphase work, will continue its classes throughout Friday of next week.

State College authorities, gratified by the success of the five previous schools which it has conducted, this week sent out over the two Carolinas copies of the program of study planned for the week. Utilities officials in the two states will assist the regular college faculty in conducting the classes.

## STATE DEBATERS DEFEAT GIRLS FROM VA. COLLEGE

**Aydlott and Burroughs, Speaking for the Affirmative, Win Judges' Decision**

The State College debating team, composed of A. L. Aydlott and H. H. Burroughs, won by a judges' decision of two to one from the representatives of the Virginia State Teachers' College, Farmville, Va., in a contest held in the auditorium of the "Y" last Friday night at eight o'clock. Misses Louise S. McCormick and Alice Wiley were the speakers for the Virginia college.

The proposition was: "Resolved, That the United States should cease to protect by armed force capital invested in foreign lands, except after a formal declaration of war." The State team presented the arguments for the affirmative and the negative.

This contest was the first decision debate by judges ever held in North Carolina between members of the affirmative, while the Virginia debate took place on the night before the Vir-

## ROOM RESERVATIONS

Mr. Wellons announces that reservations for rooms next year will be in order within the next few days. The reservations will be made in their usual order—seniors first, juniors next, then sophomores and freshmen. The dates have not been set as yet for the periods in which each class will have an opportunity to select rooms, but will be posted in a few days, says Mr. Wellons. However, he advises that students begin to look around for rooms which they wish to occupy. As in previous years, the present occupants of rooms in the dormitories have the privilege of holding the same rooms for next year if they so desire.

## Shaw University Choir Heard Here In Good Concert

The students, faculty, and friends of State College enjoyed one of the rarest treats of the year on Wednesday night when the choir of Shaw University rendered a very pleasing program in Pullen Hall. The program was sponsored by the College Y. M. C. A. During the intermission Prof. N. C. Newbold, state director of education for Negroes, made a short address in which he told the audience some of the outstanding things about North Carolina's program of Negro education.

Professor Newbold said that North Carolina has a Negro program that is really functioning. In recent years this state has built seven hundred Rosenwald elementary schools. In each of these schools the state, the white people of the community, the colored people of the community, and the Rosenwald fund cooperate. As a result these schools have been a great force in bringing about better understanding between the races in these communities. "North Carolina has fifteen thousand Negro boys and girls enrolled in high schools. There are two thousand seniors and fifteen hundred of these will graduate from standard high schools, which schools to be standard must meet the same requirements as schools for white children," said Professor Newbold.

Mr. Newbold pointed out the fact that North Carolina was very fortunate in the matter of colleges for Negroes, and that we are far ahead of many other states in this respect. There are twelve institutions of higher learning for Negroes in this State. Five of these are state-owned and seven are denominational schools. Three of the state schools are training elementary teachers, one is giving liberal arts and training high school teachers, while the fifth is giving agricultural and mechanical training.

### NOTICE

All copy for next week's Technician will have to be in our office by midnight, Wednesday. Articles coming in later than that will not appear in that issue. This time limit is being set on account of examinations, which begin Friday.

EDITOR.

### AGRICULTURAL FEATURE ADDED TO RADIO PROGRAM

Local Station Will Broadcast  
Weather and Crop Report  
Each Week

A special agricultural feature is to be added to the broadcasting program of Raleigh's WPTF radio station. Each Monday evening at 7 o'clock a weather and crop report will be broadcast.

Five-minute discussions of the forthcoming weather prospects will be given. The next two months weather will determine the outcome of fruit and truck crops.

The crop discussions will be based on many reports coming from all parts of the state and on known conditions observed by the crop reporting officials. They plan to eliminate the usual "dry" report style and to put action into their announcements. In an effort to make the reports interesting and helpful they invite the public to give comment and criticism on the announcements. This feature need not be uninteresting if the present plans are carried out.

The only drawback to this added feature is the fact that very few of the farmers in this state have radios. Nevertheless it is the opinion of the crop reporting officials that many will be benefited by this special feature.

### Second Parade of R.O.T.C. Regiment Reviewed by Schaub

The second parade of the State College R.O.T.C. regiment was reviewed Thursday by Dean I. O. Schaub, of the School of Agriculture.

Professor T. E. Browne, dean of the School of Education, reviewed the unit last Thursday. There will be a parade weekly, but the next reviewer has not been announced by Major Early. Each time some outstanding professor or well known citizen will be picked to review the regiment.

Governor McLean and O. Max Gardner were among those picked last year.

The parades are becoming more popular and are now attended by many of the town people. Under the leadership of Col. H. C. White and staff officers the regiment is becoming a better trained unit.

The last parade of the year will be reviewed by Dr. E. C. Brooks, president of the college.

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### DEAN BROWN ADDRESSES JOHNSTON COUNTY GROUP ON TOPIC OF TAXATION

Dean B. F. Brown, dean of the School of Science and Business at State College, made a talk to a group of farmers of Johnston County last Saturday at 2 o'clock on the subject of "Farm Taxation."

These farmers met for the purpose of forming a county farm organization. Officers were elected and rules and regulations made.

Dean Brown made the principal address. He pointed out to the farmers that taxes were paid for by public investment and that high taxes are not burdensome if the public investment is a good one.

### MECHANICAL SENIORS HAVE INTERVIEW WITH ALLIS-CHALMERS MAN

The State College mechanical engineering seniors were interviewed Friday, February 24, by Mr. A. L. Wiggins, representing the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company of Milwaukee.

The Allis-Chalmers Company, manufacturers of steam turbines and generators, sends a representative through the South each year on a tour of the southern schools to select graduating engineers to take their student course. B. A. Preslar, senior mechanical engineer, was selected from this school.

Before the interview the representative gave the mechanical engineering seniors a lecture, in which he explained what their student course consisted of.

There are many men with the Allis-Chalmers Company that graduated from this school.

The representative left Friday night for Virginia Polytechnic Institute, where he will choose a man from the mechanical engineering senior class to take their course.

### VOCATIONAL SENIORS VISIT ROSEWELL FOR TEACHING OBSERVATION

The State College seniors in the vocational education department went to Rosewell, Wayne County, last Tuesday morning to visit Prof. A. H. Veasey, master agricultural teacher of the South, for the purpose of studying his methods of teaching and community organization.

The entire group left by automobile from Raleigh early Tuesday morning, and arrived at Rosewell about nine o'clock. The day was spent in observing Professor Veasey's methods of teaching, which a few weeks ago gained much attention in farm circles of the South. The party returned to Raleigh in the late afternoon.

Two professors, L. E. Cook and R.

W. Cline, of the college faculty, accompanied the students, eighteen in number. Those making the trip were: C. R. Ammons, of Lumberton; T. C. Bunn, Zebulon; H. J. Carr, Clinton; R. F. D.; E. V. Eller, Warrensville; C. G. Kirkman, Pleasant Garden; J. B. Maness, Biscoe; W. P. Phillips, Manly; M. O. Pleasant, Louisburg; J. E. Pollock, Warsaw; D. C. Dankin, Greensboro; W. R. Sechler, China Grove; A. O. Smith, Jackson Springs; H. M. Stott, Wendell; W. C. Warner, Raleigh; C. D. White, Hickory; W. H. Williams, Linwood; N. T. Capel, and C. W. Jackson.

### Prof. Paulson Delivers Talk on Architecture

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chateaus, modern dwellings, and modern public buildings.

First, is unity of design.

Second, emphasis or dominance of some part of the structure.

Third, rhythm in architecture is as important as in poetry. This effect is given in various forms, as for instance a large column at regular intervals corresponding to the accented beat in poetry.

Fourth is balance or symmetry of parts not necessarily duplication on two sides, but an even and stable appearance.

Fifth, harmony with setting.

Sixth, sincerity, the exterior should be a key to the interior.

Seventh, the parts and areas should be in proportion.

Eighth, scale. The design should be proportionate to the human being for which buildings are designed; and last, the structural detail should be interesting.

### State Debaters Defeat Girls From Virginia College

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ginia team debated at Wake Forest, but there was an audience decision, in which the girls won.

Constructive speeches of twelve minutes in length were given, with rebuttal speeches of five minutes. Aydtlett opened the debate with a plea for an international civil court in place of the military court now in existence. The first speaker on the negative side, Miss McCormick, tried to prove that the existing order of military policies was the best. Burroughs and Miss Wiley both followed along the paths of their colleagues.

The judges were Dr. A. R. Newsome, secretary of the North Carolina Historical Commission; Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson, Commissioner of Charities and Public Welfare, and Dr. Julia Harris, professor of English at Meredith College.

Virginia with the negative team of State College.

### Textile Students Making Plans for Annual Exhibition

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in Mills," or "How to Ascertain Itemized Costs of Fabrics." Mr. Langley is the chief cost accountant for the Consolidated Textile Corporation.

Hill M. Hunter, class of '04, will talk on "Purchasing for Mills." Mr. Hunter is the purchasing agent for Proximity, White Oak, and a number of other mills, and will give some valuable information.

In addition to the above, Mr. William H. Hoppe, vice-president of the Parks-Cramer Company, will talk on "Humidification of Mills."

During this week all machinery will be in operation under student supervision. The whole Textile School will be converted into an exhibition room. Letters have already been sent to all alumni of the Textile School, and it is expected that a large number will be present during the Textile Week.

The student officers for the Textile

Week are: J. C. Cobb, superintendent; E. B. Howard, assistant superintendent; J. M. Dunn, overseer carding and spinning; J. O. Poff, overseer weaving; A. Allwood, assistant overseer weaving; C. A. Ridenhour, overseer designing; Bob Shapard, assistant overseer designing; D. A. Gryder, overseer dyeing, with George Howard as assistant.

Mr. George Trask and "Fuzzy" Caldwell left today for their home in Wilmington, N. C.

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# State Matmen End Season With Loss To 'Cats--Beat Va.

## Makeshift State Lineup Outclassed by Davidson Wrestlers

MORRIS AND CHOPLIN ONLY TECHS TO SCORE

## Cavalier Grapplers Easily Overcome in Contest in Thompson Gym--State Wins Three Contests by Falls.

The State grapplers closed their season here Monday night with Davidson. This final match of the year the Wildcats won by a score of 17-8. The Davidsonians won the first five matches before the crippled team was able to register a point in their favor. Crowson and Bullock were out with injuries.

In the sixth match Choplin, wrestling in the 165-pound class, won a time decision.

Morris won the unlimited class match by a fall, which was the lone star for the Techmen.

The Davidson team, claimants of State and Southern honors, outweighted the State team to a man and completely outclassed them.

**State Defeats Virginia**  
The Tech grapplers easily defeated the team from the University of Virginia by the score of 21-8. In a match held in the Frank Thompson Gymnasium, last Friday night, February 24th.

The Techmen registered three falls by Hobbs, Stovall, and Morris, while Virginia had only one fall, by Graves. Captain Williams, of Virginia, won by time advantage. Morris, of State, threw his man just as the final whistle blew for time.

115-pound class: Hobbs (S) won by a fall over Johnson (V) in 3 min. and 19 sec.  
125-pound class: Graves (V) won by a fall over Bell (S) in 7 min. and 3 sec.

135-pound class: Stovall (S) won by a fall over Fraser (V) in 8 min.  
145-pound class: Moore (S) won on time advantage over White (V) in 6 min. and 37 sec.  
155-pound class: Williams (V) won on time advantage over Choplin (S) in 2 min. and 26 sec.

175-pound class: Bullock (S) won on time advantage over Overstreet (V) in 1 minute and 36 sec.  
Unlimited class: Morris (S) threw French (V) in exactly 10 min.

**Résumé**  
A brief résumé of the season shows only two wins for the State matmen and five losses. Carolina, V.M.I., V.P.I. and Davidson, and Duke succeeded in trimming the Techmen, while they defeated Washington and Lee and Virginia.

## PHYSICAL ED. CLASSES HAVE STUDENT LEADERS

The winter term of physical education started off with the choosing of squad leaders. About four or five of the best trained students were picked to lead the different groups of each class. This was done for the purpose of helping the instructors, and also to give each individual more practice.

The squad leaders are chosen by the coaches with a great deal of care. Leaders must be physically fit for the job. Personality is necessary, and he must know how to instruct.

Gym classes are held twice each week. The first meeting in each week is devoted to work on the parallel bars, horizontal bars, horses, and tumbling apparatus. Work on these apparatus builds up the student physically, and also prepares the class for the special stunt night, which is an annual demonstration of all the classes. This demonstration is to be held this year about March 8.

The last class of each week is given over to the instruction of the students in the fundamental principles and rules of basketball, handball, volleyball, boxing, and wrestling. Students that make good in either of these sports are encouraged to try their skill in intramural athletics. If successful in this they are transferred to intercollegiate sports.

These classes are given with the idea of helping the boys to build up their bodies physically, and to impress the habit of taking exercise daily. And also for the purpose of training themselves to give instruction outside of college.

Instructors report that the students are cooperating with squad leaders in learning fundamentals.

Him: "You look like a sensible girl; let's get married."  
Her: "Nothing doing. I'm just as sensible as I look."

## Alpha Gamma Rho To Meet Kappa Sigma in the Finalé Of Fraternity Tournament

By virtue of the Kappa Sigma and Alpha Gamma Rho quints winning the semi-finalé Wednesday night, the two teams will play for the championship Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the gymnasium.

The Kappa Sig's defeated Lambda Chi Alpha by the score of 26-15. Alpha Gamma Rho defeated Chi Alpha Sigma by double the score, 32-16. The winner of the game Tuesday night will be awarded a silver loving cup.

## College Men Now Favor Worsteds Of Grayish Hue

### For Sport Suits, Stout Tweeds Will Be the Choice; Two-Button Coat Accepted

(By Fairchild News Service.)  
Among the problems that rise to vex the undergraduate this time of the year is the purchase of a spring suit, and for some students this will involve buying more than one suit, in order that their wardrobes may be complete for the social duties of commencement time.

Many college men will order this spring their old favorite, the four-piece suit, and an additional suit without knickerbockers, the latter for city wear and the other occasions when they desire to be a bit "dressed up."

But whether he wants a four-piece suit, or both, the college man will not be interested in bold patterns this spring. Moreover, the "ice-cream" bevels have run their course and will look out of place when the new, more subdued worsteds fabrics have begun to appear.

For the sports suits, however, good stout tweeds will be the thing. The time has come when the university man buys a four-piece suit strictly for campus or sport use, and Harris tweed, the rough, peat-smelling Irish cloth which is woven into such beautiful brown and green heather mixtures, and the harder and more familiar domestic tweeds will be used for these clothes. Lovat fabric, a soft, loosely woven cloth somewhat resembling Harris tweed, also will be liked by university men.

For the three-piece or lounge suits conservative worsteds, some with widely spaced but faint stripes, in gray-blue, blue-gray, slate, light gray and gray-brown will be in demand. These worsteds have been worn in the East in ever-increasing numbers for the past five years.

The cut of the smart university lounge suit this spring will be rather more severe than in former years. As worn at present in the East, this suit has trousers with roomy knees, twenty and one-half to twenty-one and one-half inches, but the trousers measure only eighteen and one-half inches, at most, at the cuffs. Perhaps nineteen inches is permitted in special cases, but tailors generally look a little grave when this is requested.

The waistcoat may have five or six buttons and a nice touch here is to leave the lowest button of the waistcoat unfastened.

This, of course, means that the trousers must be cut higher. Gone are the days of trousers dragging at the hipbone for the suspender idea has come to stay and the American undergraduate's trousers are now moored high and handsome, with buttons or safety-pins, to his braces.

The trousers are cut to swing free of the shoe-top, with no break. This is contrary to a widely accepted but incorrect notion and will be regarded as unorthodox by those who preach that trousers must break over the shoe-top, come fair, come foul.

A delicate point arises in connection with the cut of the new jacket. When the three-button jacket worn with all its buttons fastened was in its heyday, a number of smart young collegians appeared in the two-button jacket, worn with the lower button open.

The result was that 90 per cent of the three-button jacket wearers began to roll their coats to the second button. Now we have the two-button jacket accepted as the smart thing, and the three-button jacket made with the soft

## STATE COLLEGE RED TERRORS



Cut furnished through courtesy of News and Observer

The State College Red Terrors, one of the teams which played in the Southern Conference Tournament held in Atlanta last week and tied for second place in North Carolina.

The Terrors met the strong Conference Champions in the second game of the tournament and lost to the score of 40 to 35.

Frank Goodwin tied with Selby and Phillips, of Mississippi, with 13 points each. Captain McDowall of State scored 7 points.

State was at one time within one point of Ole Miss in the scoring column, but the champs pulled away for their five-point lead.

The men as they appear in this picture are (front row, right to left): Johnson, Haar, McDowall, Warren, Young, Mason; (back row, from right to left) Taylor, G. L. Griffin, Goodwin, Owens, K. Griffin, Coach Tebell, and in the rear, Manager Darden.

front so it can be worn in this manner without committing its wearer to anything too "advanced." Either way, the correct university jacket now has easy shoulders and a slight fit at the waist.

The single-breasted box overcoat, a garment familiar to most college men, is preferred by more than half the students of midwestern universities, according to a survey recently made for the Daily News Record, only daily paper in the world devoted to the men's wear industry.

Short jackets favored by these university men were mostly corduroy, either with self or sheepskin collars, but of the men wearing short jackets,

25 per cent favored the canvas model, with sheepskin collar.

Examinations of the statistics gathered showed that there is a marked tendency toward the shorter coat among students at these universities, which included the Big Ten institutions. By this is meant a coat 46 to 47 inches in length.

In many cases well-dressed students of the type who set styles for their associates were observed to favor softer-finished, or fleece fabrics for their outercoats. During the past season, most of the college men preferred hard finish fabrics, so that during the coming spring and the winter of 1928-1929 the fashion may swing with some definiteness toward the softer fabrics.

A third trend observed by the style observers who looked over the midwestern situation was in the direction of the velvet-collared Chesterfield coat, which has already established itself firmly in the east.

The two tendencies already well marked and noticed, those toward softer fabrics and toward shorter coats, will of course conflict on one item which seems bound to become popular

## DOAKMEN TO OPEN SEASON MARCH 31 AGAINST BEARS

### Lenoir-Rhyne First Opponent; Total of Twenty-one Games Carded

The lid will be pried off the 1928 baseball season here March 31, when the Doakmen meet the Mountain Bears, of Lenoir-Rhyne, which is almost a month away.

The 1928 schedule shows a total of twenty-one games for "Chick" Doak's diamond artists this spring, including Princeton, here April 11; Washington and Lee, Maryland, V.M.I., V.P.I., and Virginia. During the latter part of April the team will make a trip through Virginia and Maryland, playing five games before returning to Raleigh.

A total of twelve games will be played on Riddick Field, while nine will be played on foreign soil.

The schedule is as follows:

- Lenoir-Rhyne—Saturday, March 31, at Raleigh.
- Maryland—Wednesday, April 4, at Raleigh.
- Washington and Lee—Friday, April 6, at Raleigh.
- Wake Forest—Monday, April 9, at Raleigh.
- Princeton University—Wednesday, April 11, at Raleigh.
- Duke University—Saturday, April 14, at Raleigh.
- Wake Forest—Thursday, April 19, at Wake Forest.
- V.M.I.—Friday, April 20, at Raleigh.
- Carolina—Monday, April 23, at Raleigh.
- V.P.I.—Saturday, April 28, at Raleigh.
- Maryland—Monday, April 30, at College Park.
- Virginia—Tuesday, May 1, at Charlottesville.
- V.M.I.—Wednesday, May 2, at Lexington.
- Washington and Lee—Thursday, May 3, at Lexington.
- V.P.I.—Friday, May 4, at Blacksburg.
- Virginia—Thursday, May 10, at Raleigh.
- Davidson—Saturday, May 12, at Raleigh.
- Wake Forest—Monday, May 14, at Wake Forest.
- Duke—Thursday, May 17, at Durham.
- Wake Forest—Saturday, May 19, at Raleigh.
- Carolina—Monday, May 21, at Chapel Hill.

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## Paragaphics

The Quill Club met the other day and definite steps were taken to petition an honorary journalistic fraternity. Progress is evident.  
—N.C.S.—

Welcome, high school boys! It is hoped your short stay at N. C. State was an enjoyable one. It has been a pleasure for us to entertain you.  
—N.C.S.—

More than 28,000 citizens of England celebrated their first birthday in four years Wednesday. The jolly old fellows have a long time between celebrations.  
—N.C.S.—

News item: "University of California men earn money by caring for babies while mothers are absent." We didn't know mothers accompanied students to school.  
—N.C.S.—

Girls have the right to propose was the conclusion drawn by a sociology class at St. Mary's. More proof that women are taking away the few privileges that man once had.  
—N.C.S.—

Someone suggests that an inter-fraternity bridge tournament be started. Not a bad suggestion. It could be broadened out and include the various clubs and organizations on the campus.  
—N.C.S.—

State College is fast becoming a business-like place. The other night the fact was driven home when trucks hauled stone all night long for the construction of Peele Hall, new Science and Business building.  
—N.C.S.—

Examinations are less than a week off. Engineers' Day will soon be here and then Textile Week, and by the way, the All Fools' TECHNICIAN comes in somewhere along with these many happenings. Orders for extra copies will be taken in advance.  
—N.C.S.—

Professor Robertson spoke to the staffs of the Duke publications one night this week. He said he was very much impressed by the large number of co-eds at the meeting. Sad, but true, we are afraid we shall never be able to impress him by the large number of co-eds interested in State College publications.  
—N.C.S.—

Mayor Bill Thompson, of the Windy City, has called off his war with King George on the textbook problem and is out with a brass band of 3,000 followers in an effort to "draft" Coolidge for the Republican presidential nomination. It seems that after all they are going to wish the presidential nomination off on Cal against his will.

## ELIMINATE THE BLAME

There is an epidemic of exchanging and taking wearing apparel, to use the politest terms, at almost every athletic contest and social event held here or in the city of Raleigh. A recent occurrence brought the matter to a climax where something should be done in order to stop such practices.

At this particular social event two overcoats, several mufflers, and at least a half-dozen hats were stolen. It is safe to say that some of this was done through a mistake. At most of the social events no method of checking overcoats and hats is used, and as a result, some persons are very likely to get the wrong coat or hat, which starts "the ball rolling." The individual that is unable to locate his coat and hat, in the majority of cases, arrives at the conclusion that it was all done through a mistake, and as a result selects an article that is similar to the one missing, probably expecting to find the owner and make exchange a few days later. On the other hand, it may be done in an effort to "do" somebody else. The thing that hurts most is that fraternity men here receive the blame for the stealing of wearing apparel. Whether this is true or not it is beyond the jurisdiction of our powers to say, but it is almost unthinkable that a fraternity man, or any other man, as far as that is concerned, should willfully take another's belongings. Nevertheless, they received the blame for the losses sustained at this particular event. Methods should be devised so as to reduce the possibility of such an occurrence to the lowest possible minimum.

Another instance in this connection, not directly against any particular group—however, was the theft, at the Duke game a short time ago, of a pocketbook belonging to the secretary of a member of the faculty. On the same night one of State's athletes had his clothes stolen from the dressingroom while the team was playing. One of the faculty members remarked that it was a pity that even the athletes are not proof against this sort of thing. It seems evident that some of this is due to the lack of care on someone's part to see that the rooms where clothing is left are locked. This particularly applies to the gymnasium. Students cannot be justly accused of taking wearing apparel when there are many strangers at such events, but not so in the case of events where State men are in majority.

At dances and other social events it seems plausible that a room should be reserved and a man or woman placed in charge whose duty will be to check hats and coats by tickets. It is evident that such a plan would certainly reduce the possibility of losing such articles of clothing, and even though a nominal sum were to be charged for this, it would be better than losing a coat or a hat. Such a plan would eliminate placing the blame on State College students.

## THE GREEK HOUSING PROBLEM

The administration of this college is facing a problem similar to the one which Davidson College has recently solved, and that is, whether or not State College will have a fraternity row.

It is now a crucial moment for the fraternities here. Some would gladly return to the campus if others would follow. Now is the time to strike out this unrest among the fraternity groups.

"Prompted by a desire to harmonize college and fraternity life in a manner so as to emphasize the ideals and traditions of the two, the Board of Trustees at Davidson College have set aside a portion of the campus for a unique fraternity court. The construction of the court will cost the college approximately \$60,000. Eleven fraternity homes and a central heating plant will compose the group of buildings which, it is believed, will place the fraternities in an unparalleled position among fraternities of American colleges and universities," says The Davidsonian.

The officials and trustees emphatically deny that the idea was approved in a spirit of hostility toward the fraternity groups, and insist that the real motive behind the undertaking is one of friendliness for the fraternity groups at that college.

The action by the trustees of Davidson brings the matter of fraternity housing and cooperation of the administration with fraternities

close home. Here at State College there are now twenty fraternities, both national and local, living in homes, which is to say that approximately 20 per cent of the student body is living outside the dormitories. These homes are not in a group, but are widely scattered in West Raleigh, and most of them are rented by the month. Only one has purchased a home of its own. The underlying causes for the Greeks not buying homes of their own is due to the fact that the fraternity housing problem is an unsettled one at this institution, and largely due to finances. There has been some discussion of a fraternity row here within the past two or three years, which has held things in an unsettled condition. Sooner or later some action must be taken by the administration on this problem. Why not now?

It would be an impossibility for all the fraternities to return to the dormitories because of the overcrowded rooming facilities at the beginning of every year. By fraternities living outside of the dormitories it is possible for three or four hundred more students to be taken care of than would otherwise be possible. In fact, the fraternities are rendering, and have rendered, a service to the college in a period when State College is in a growing state. They are helping the college authorities to solve a problem that would be a rather complex one without their aid. Why not reciprocity from the administration in a period when there is unstableness among this group that comprise approximately 20 per cent of the student body?

A plan endorsed by the college authorities similar to the one recently adopted by Davidson would eliminate this period of unsettledness. It may not be the best plan, but investigations should be begun in order to determine the proper procedure to follow. At Davidson houses are being built in a court, and these are to be bought from the college by the fraternities on liberal terms.

There are several advantages in having a fraternity row on the campus. It has a tendency to unite the fraternity groups with the rest of the college, instead of segregating the fraternity men from the affairs of the college; and, furthermore, affords a paying investment for the fraternities that are now paying rent and at the end of the year have nothing in return to show for the money invested. With the financial backing of the college, any similar fraternity-court plan that might be agreed upon could be put over successfully. The Davidson plan would be well worth considering, and as a result this college could have a fraternity row instead of rented homes scattered over West Raleigh. Within a period of a few years every fraternity would own its home.

Where is this money coming from? That momentarily throws a hammer through the picture which has been visualized, but if Davidson College, Auburn, and others have found a way, does it not seem probable that some plan of raising this money could be worked out if a concentrated effort were made by the college officials toward that end? The time is not far hence when this problem must be settled one way or the other. The sooner this question is settled permanently, the better it will be for the welfare of both the fraternities and the college.

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## WISE AND OTHERWISE

One of the most heartening messages I have heard this year is to be found in the first paragraph of a news story appearing elsewhere in this issue of The Technician.

This paragraph has to say: "The D. H. Hill Library of N. C. State College is becoming more popular every day with the students and faculty members."

The author of this story gives figures to prove that the circulation of books has increased a certain percentage during the past year. To be exact, he states that the circulation of February, 1926, exceeded that of February, 1927, by over 961 volumes.

To me the explanation of this phenomenon is to be found in the parallel reading assignments of the English department. One English professor to my knowledge has done his share towards increasing the patronage of the library. Honestly, I can't detect any voluntary increase in the thirst of the students for knowledge to be found within the walls of the D. H. Hill Library.

Go into the library any time and glance the situation over. In the south end you will find a fair number of students reading magazines and papers. In the other end you will see only a blessed few. Take "Life," "Judge," a few of the other popular magazines, and the newspapers of the library and its patronage will fall off over fifty per cent. Of the remaining fifty per cent (that is a high percentage) two-thirds will go there for no other reason than because they are required to.

Carrying the process of deduction further, say fifteen per cent of the total number of students patronizing the library go there because of a mental avidity. Now let's reduce our calculations to concrete terms. One-sixth of the students going to the library go there for scholarly purposes. As a result we have a surprisingly small number. (Actual number.)

Save for the desires of three or four dozen students, State College would be none the worse off if it did not have a library. If the D. H. Hill Library wasn't the most beautiful building on the campus one-third of the freshman class wouldn't know where it was. Some day when you feel you are in need of a good shock stop the first ten men you meet and ask them if they know how to look up a book in the card index.

All I can say is that if good books are life's best teachers, Allah have mercy on our graduates!

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## COLLEGE AND SUCCESS

Whether it is worth while to send the young people to college is a question bobbing up over and over again. Will it really do them any good? Do they not waste their time and money dreadfully and get nothing out of it in proportion to what they put in? An answer is published by an insurance company which has made a survey of "Who's Who in America" with this in mind. Out of the same number in each group the numbers who attain distinction, they say, are as follows:

Uneducated men, 6.  
Men with common school education, 24.  
Men with high school education, 622.  
Men with college education, 5,728.  
Men with little or no education can succeed, it is true, but in nothing like the same proportion as the men with more training.

Without college training, the insurance company says, the chances of the whole group are 25 per cent of attaining success. With college training the chances are 90 per cent.

Wasting time, therefore, would seem to be a matter of opinion. The college boys may appear to be wasting a little in their youthful years, but they clearly do not waste so much in the long run. The man who habitually abuses his opportunities, in college or out, does not become successful. It is this minority of habitual wastards and ne'er-do-wells that make up the small percentage of failures. But taking them as they come, most boys and girls get out of college enough from every point of view to make the four spent there

eminently worth while.—Atlanta Constitution.

## SURPLUS OF LABOR REPORTED IN U. S.

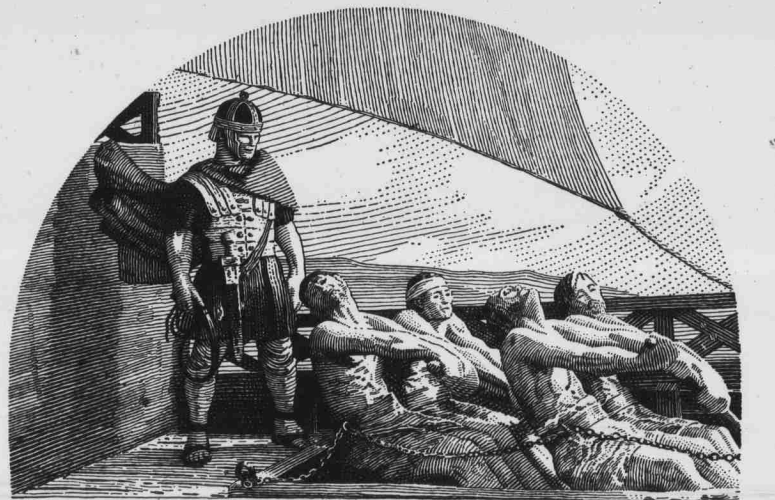
Washington, Feb. 29.—A surplus labor "in many quarters of the United States" and a "considerable degree of unemployment" are reported by the United States Employment Service.

Confidence was expressed that re-summation of industrial and construction activities will occur within the near future and improve the outlook.

"At the present time considerable unemployment exists," the report said, "but it is believed it will soon melt away, for just around the corner employment opportunities are waiting, depending entirely upon weather conditions."

In recent editions of several college newspapers there have been articles on "vagrabonding" which is an idea originated at Harvard University, and allows students to sit in on extra lectures besides those in which they are registered. The Harvard Crimson publishes each day a list of worthwhile lectures in order to help the student find what he wants. The plan is not new at Harvard, but it seems that other colleges are taking notice of the possible merits of the idea.

Repeal of the war-time espionage act is proposed in a bill introduced by Representative Victor E. Berger of Wisconsin, who characterizes the act as "the most outrageous measure ever passed in our country."



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Gary Cooper takes the role of the former army officer who almost lost his grip on life in the World War and who has found salvation through honest toil on his farm.

One of the most severe storms in maritime annals, a terrific gale which raged along the entire New England seaboard, has been picturized in "The Wreck of the Hesperus," a DeMille special production directed by Elmer Clifton.

The storm sequences in this amazing production are said to be the most graphic and realistic ever shown on the silver screen.

When it comes to love-making on the screen—erotic, feminine love-making—few, if any, can compare with fiery Pola Negri.

austere critic to the veriest initiate, none will dispute this. She proved it long ago in "Passion" and "Gypsy Blood," which she made abroad.

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A fine, clean, mirth-provoking comedy—such is the FBO picture of Paris during the American Legion convention, "Legionnaires in Paris," featuring Al Cooke and Kit Guard.

The story opens with a flash-back to the two privates celebrating the Armistice in 1918. Having narrowly averted trouble with the French authorities for beating up a gendarme, they leave France, vowing never to return.

Upon their arrival at Le Havre they are greeted by a group of gendarmes, whom they slide, fearing that they are wanted for their old offense against French civil authority.

One of the most remarkable casts of the year is seen supporting Greta Garbo in "The Divine Woman," her newest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle.

Film at Y.M.C.A. Shows Processing Of Silk Fabrics

A motion picture film showing the manufacture and sale of silk fabrics was given in the "Y" Monday night. The picture began with the hatching of silkworms from the eggs.

The silkworm changes into the form of a cocoon by spinning the fine silk filaments around itself. These cocoons are gathered and several of the filaments are wound together to form a silk thread.

When the silk threads have been made and wound into skeins they are sent to the silk mills, where they are wound on spools and carried through the several processes preparatory to weaving.

Much of the weaving of silk is done on jacquard looms, on which practically any design may be made. The weaving of these fabrics is a very skillful operation, and usually requires one operator to a machine.

The dyeing of the fabric is one of the most delicate operations, especially in the print cloths. Here it sometimes takes as many as thirty hand operations to completely print one design on the fabric.

The film was shown through the courtesy of the Mallinson Company of New York, and under the auspices of the Tompkins Textile Society.

Quite a few from outside the college, including a number of Meredith girls, were present to see the picture.

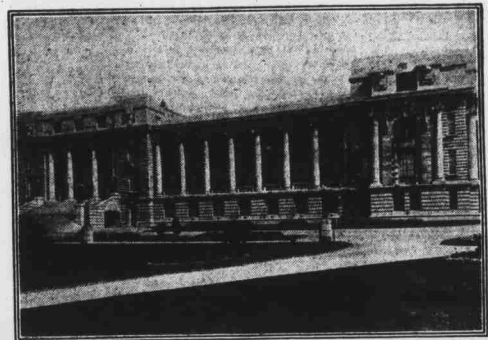
Wednesday and Thursday at the STATE Theatre.

Miss Garbo has Lars Hanson as her leading man, while Lowell Sherman plays the role of the villainous theatrical impresario.

The combined acting skill of Emil Jannings and the directing of Josef van Sternberg, stamp "The Last Command," which appears at the STATE Theatre on Friday and Saturday.

Jannings, whose unusual characterizations in such Paramount productions as "The Way of All Flesh" and "Variety" and others, who has brought

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POULTRY DISEASE PLANT IN OPERATION WITH 30 SUBJECTS UNDER CARE

The new poultry disease plant is now finished and thirty diseased chickens are already placed there for observation. R. E. Greaves, a graduate student in poultry science, is directly in charge of the diseased chickens in the plant.

The new plant is located on the highway near the poultry plant. It consists of three units, one unit only being used at the present time.

The purpose of the disease plant is to isolate the diseased birds from the flock. Cultures and eggs are being studied in the laboratory for the purpose of ascertaining the cause for the spread of disease.

This disease is of much interest to the poultry producers of the state to find out the direct cause and how to avoid the disease in the flock.

Professor: "See here, my man, who in the devil told you to plant all that new shrubbery in my front yard?" Sardener: "Why, your wife, of course."

Professor: "Pretty, isn't it?" Wabash Caveman.

Englishman, asking a Scotchman to direct him to a certain point: "I say, old dear, I'm lost in this bally town. Could you direct me?" Sandy: "Is there anything in it for me?"

Englishman: "Well, no!" Sandy: "Well, then, you're still lost."

Mr. Roberts: "Mr. Parsons, what great thing came into existence about 1906?" Mr. Koontz: "Me!"

"Young man, do you come to this class to sleep?" "Yes, sir. I have to stay up all night studying for it."

Five members of North Carolina University offer blood to stricken woman.

N. C. State Making Rapid Progress In Higher Arts Field

The architectural department of State College has extended into fields of unlimited expansion, after just a few years of existence and according to just a brief period of possible prosperity. Each succeeding year marks an increasing number of graduates that finish in the new but fast-growing department of high arts.

Each day new problems are solved for the students in order to give them a more intelligent conception of forming an improved picture of some possible building or edifice. Professor Shumaker, head of the department, came to State College in 1920 as a descriptive geometry professor, and two years later founded the architectural department at our college.

For three years Shumaker was the only instructor in the department, but soon aid became necessary and Paulson, a graduate of Yale University, was secured to teach the artistic viewpoint of architecture, while the

practical engineering qualities were left to Professor Shumaker for tutelage.

About twenty years ago State College, then called A. and M., was chiefly an agricultural school. Through such a change in public ideas in the vocational fields of higher arts, the establishment of an architectural department became necessary to meet the needs of the talented students in the higher arts of life.

Shields Transferred W. D. Shields, who graduated from the Textile School with the Class of '19, has joined the southern force of H. W. Butterworth & Sons Company, Philadelphia, Pa., manufacturers of textile finishing machinery. He will operate from Charlotte, N. C., where the southern office is located.

Mr. Shields has specialized on the dyeing of hosiery, having been superintendent of dyeing and finishing for the Durham Hosiery Mills at Durham, N. C.

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## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

### PI Kappa Phi Entertain Alumni

The Tau Chapter of the Pi Kappa Phi fraternity entertained the Raleigh alumni of the fraternity at a delightful smoker on Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the fraternity house on Hillsboro Street.

The fraternity colors of gold and white were effectively used as the decorations, and an enlarged fraternity pin was electrically arranged on the wall of the living room.

During the evening important steps were taken by alumni of the fraternity to organize a Pi Kappa Phi Alumni Association. Refreshments were served.

Among the alumni present were R. T. Rogers, Claude E. McCullen, J. L. Mearns, William B. Beckham, T. N. Spence, L. M. Shirley, J. E. Brantley, H. B. Barwick, John Moffitt, C. V. Chinnis, John C. Richardson, Robert Pfifer, D. Sam Cox, Wilson Uzzle, J. T. McKee, and E. P. Passallaigue.

### Scabbard and Blade Initiation

The Scabbard and Blade, an honorary military organization, initiated eleven seniors Thursday night at the Y. M. C. A.

Through the courtesy of Major Early, the members were honored at a smoker after the initiation.

The Regular Army officers were present to witness the initiation of the following men: T. H. Nelson, O. B. Branch, P. J. Morrison, J. G. Hart, R. M. Person, D. H. Moody, I. J. Ferguson, S. V. King, J. J. Barrier, and J. C. Matthews.

W. A. Owens is captain of this company of Scabbard and Blade, which is G Company of the Third Regiment.

### Sigma Pi Dance

The alumni of Rho Chapter of Sigma Pi fraternity entertained the active members and a number of guests at a dinner-dance from seven to twelve o'clock at the Woman's Club in honor of Founders' Day.

The club room and ballroom were decorated in the fraternity colors of orchid and white and in spring flowers with ferns and evergreens.

Dinner was served from seven until nine o'clock, and following the banquet other guests joined the party for dancing. Prior to intermission, the fraternity figure was led by Mr. James Mayfield and Miss Pinkie Mitchell, during which favors were presented to the girls.

Chaperones for the occasion were Professor and Mrs. A. F. Greaves-Walker and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Tucker of Saint Mary's School.

Several hundred guests attended the dance.

### PI Kappa Alpha's Entertained

The members and pledges of the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity were entertained Tuesday evening by the management of the State Theatre at a formal theatre party given in commemoration of Pi Kappa Alpha's founding. A section of the theatre was reserved for the members and their girls.

After the show the party adjourned to the fraternity's house at 1910 Hillsboro Street, where refreshments were served, which concluded a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. Austin Comer is visiting fraternity brothers at the Pi Kappa Alpha house, after leaving school the first of the term on account of injuries. He will enter school here again next term.

"Red" Baggett was the guest of John Robinson in Clayton, N. C., last Sunday.

Mr. "Tubby" Logan, captain of the Wolfpack in 1926, and "Bus" Latimore are staying with their frat-

## WILL ELECT SENIORS TO KNIGHTS OF ST. PATRICK

### Engineers' Council, At Next Meeting, to Select Eligible Students

The Engineers' Council will, at their next meeting, elect from the senior students of engineering those who are eligible to the honor of being "dubbed" Knights of Saint Patrick at the "Grand Brawl," which is to be held on March 17. At this meeting there will also be elected the companions of Saint Patrick from the freshman class.

Only those seniors are eligible whose record indicates that they will graduate in June and who have shown an active interest in their technical society and the student affairs of their department.

The companions of Saint Patrick are selected each year from the outstanding men of the freshman class in engineering. The men are selected from each engineering department, making a total of twelve men taken from each freshman class.

These men will be initiated at the "Grand Brawl." Next year they will take their place with those initiated last year and aid in forming a Guard of Honor at Saint Patrick. They will also have the pleasure of assisting with the initiation of the new men.

It is expected that a strong organization will be built up in this way, for these men will have four years in college before they too are knighted and leave their places to their successors.

Brothers at 1910 Hillsboro Street, while attending the basketball tournament.

"Billie" Lovell and "Bus" Fennell spent the past week-end in Greensboro, N. C.

Mr. "Shoe" Floyd is at his home in Salisbury for the week-end.

Fred Latimer is visiting N.C.C.W.

Frank Ulmer spent last week-end at his home in Washington, N. C.

David Beaver visited N.C.C.W. last week.

Mr. Luther Barnhart spent last week-end with his parents in Salisbury.

C. D. Jackson visited his brother in Greensboro last Saturday.

J. W. Ferrell was in Wentworth, N. C., Saturday and Sunday.

State Theatre to Entertain Phi Omega's

The management of the State Theatre will entertain the Phi Omega's at a theatre party next Tuesday night in commemoration of Founders' Day.

### To Begin Work of Rebuilding Three Campus Entrances

Work on three entrances to the campus of N. C. State College will be begun sometime in the near future.

Work on the entrance at Primrose Hall has already begun. It was necessary to fill in around Primrose Hall in order to allow for the widening of the entrance. This road will be widened from Watauga Dormitory to Hillsboro street. The road in front of Pullen Hall has always been too narrow and this will aid greatly in taking care of the present congested traffic and parking conditions.

The entrance which was formerly in front of Patterson Hall will be moved to the road running from Hillsboro street into the campus by 1911 Dormitory. This work will be started as soon as the entrance at Primrose Hall is completed.

The main entrance to the college is also to be remodeled. The widening and beautifying of entrances will add greatly to the general appearance of the campus.

This work is part of the extensive building program of the college.

### MRS. VERNER IS FIRST WOMAN TO LECTURE AT UNIVERSITY

Chapel Hill, Feb. 16—(CP)—A woman delivered a regular University lecture for the first time in the history of the University, when Mrs. Elizabeth O'Neil Verner, noted Charleston, S. C. artist, spoke here Thursday night on "The South in Relation to Art."

"We have the materials in the South for an immortal art," the speaker said, "and I challenge any section of the country to produce anything like what the word 'South' embraces. It tells a story of glory, of suffering, of prosperity, inheritance, and all those things that we have for a background. We have merely thought of our Southern art long enough; we have lived on imported art long enough. I personally think that it is better to grow weeds in one's own garden than to import orchids."

This was the last university lecture of the year, the program having included Will Durant, Bliss Carmen, Dr. David A. Roberts, and Dr. Jiri V. Dames.

## Meet the Colonel Of the Regiment

C. Howard White, cadet colonel of the State College R. O. T. C. Regiment, is one of the outstanding men at that



institution. Mr. White's home is in Asheville, but his many activities are not limited to "the land of the sky."

Colonel White is very active in all organizations of which he is a member, holding offices in the Junior Order of Saints, the Business Club, the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity, the Scabbard and Blade, honorary military fraternity. Mr. White is also the military editor of the 1928 Agromeck, the college year-book. He is a student in the School of Business and Science and is to graduate this year, majoring in economics.

The cadet colonel is largely responsible for the wonderful improvement which his regiment has made over the regiment of last year. By making every man in his unit toe the mark this youthful commander has made the State College R. O. T. C. Regiment an organization of state-wide pride.

[Editor's Note.—This is the first of a series of articles on the officer personnel of the State College R. O. T. C. Regiment, and others will follow from time to time.]

### 162 STUDENTS ON N. C. C. W. HONOR LIST, SAYS REGISTRAR

Greensboro, Feb. 16—(CP)—Miss Mary Taylor Moore, registrar of N. C. College for Women, said today that 162 students, about one-tenth of the total population, have their names on the honor list for the first semester

of the year 1927-28, because of the excellence of the work done during that semester. No student who averaged below a 2 is named on the honor roll.

The count of honor students according to classes is as follows: freshmen, 22; sophomores, 38; juniors, 42; seniors, 59; one graduate and two special students are also on the list. Five of these have the signal honor of making no grade lower than 1, the highest given. Three of

these five are seniors and two are sophomores.

The number of collegians on this semester's honor roll is somewhat larger than was on that of the last semester for the year 1926-27. Last year the count of the classes ran: freshmen, 22; sophomores, 32; juniors, 40; seniors, 50, and one special, totaling 145, to this year's 162.

Mr. "Jimmie" Johnson left today for his home in Rocky Mount.

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