

The GAMECOCK

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA



Petitions
German

Long's Manager
Interviewed

Volume XXVIII, No. 18

COLUMBIA, S. C., FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1935

Founded 1908

GERMAN MINORITY ASKS PROTECTION

In Petition To Faculty Wish Constitution Of German Club Filed With Dr. R. K. Foster

A petition bearing the demand that the constitution of the German Club be filed with Dr. R. K. Foster, director of student activities at the university was recently placed with the faculty. The petitioners further demanded that the Committee on Student Organizations approve certain clauses to be inserted in the constitution of the German Club to protect the minority group. This demand arose as the result of a recent meeting of the German Club in which the officers of the club failed to put in an appearance.

For some time there has been a spirit of unrest on the campus concerning the German Club, which was brought to a head in a recent letter of President Baker to the fraternities controlling the German club and advising reform from within. Last week a meeting of the club was called and despite a large attendance, the officers failed to appear and the meeting was adjourned without action.

In the past it has been the informal ruling of the faculty committee on Student Organizations that the constitutions of all college organizations be placed on file with the director of student activities and that the constitution be approved by the committee. This rule has not been conformed to by the German Club, according to the committee.

The petition further demanded that the faculty committee hold an investigation of the charges of the minority group at an open hearing and to take action on the findings of the investigation.

Tenement 23 Leads Contest Of Discussion Groups

Thomas Crawford Heads Tenement In Lead; Second Group Under P. L. Taylor

Tenement 23, under the leadership of Thomas Crawford, is now leading in the discussion group contest, with 370 points, according to R. C. Bell, Y. secretary. Tenement 2 is second with 304 points. P. L. Taylor is in charge of this group.

The last topic discussion was "The present program of the NRA and ERA, etc. as a method of helping unemployment." The next topic will be "Socialism as a cure for unemployment."

At present there are approximately 150 students participating in these weekly discussion groups.

LONG WILL NOT ADDRESS SOCIETY

Senator Huey Long will not speak to members of the Clariosophic society during his stay in Columbia this week, announced his advance representative, Gerald Smith, from his suite in the Columbia Hotel yesterday.

The reason, Mr. Smith said, was that if the Senator spoke before his regularly scheduled speech it would not be fair to those sponsoring his visit here. If he spoke afterward it would come as a post-climax and would be useless because most of the students may hear him at the appointed time.

The Clariosophic society voted, after heated discussion at two meetings, that the "Kingfish" be extended an invitation. Only three dissenting votes were cast. A letter was written Mr. Long, later followed by a telegram. No answer came to either.

The junior law class had previously invited Senator Long to speak at the annual Junior-Senior law banquet, but reconsidered and recalled the bid. Word from Mr. Long was that he had neither "received nor accepted an invitation. Your mothers should have taught you better manners."

Debaters Engage Furman Visitors

No Decision Contest Joseph Cohen And Frank Jordan Represent Carolina's Negative Team

Members of the University of South Carolina negative debating team were host to Furman University's affirmative team in the Clariosophic society hall last night.

Representing Furman were Charles Batson and D. K. McCall. Carolina's two men were Joseph Cohen, New York; and Frank Jordan, Columbia. Jordan is a freshman here and Cohen is a junior. Bruce Littlejohn, chairman of the debating council, presided over the debate.

The subject of the debate was "Resolved: that the nations should restrict the international shipment of arms and munitions." There was no decision. A small audience heard the debate.

Earlier this week the University affirmative team engaged the negative team from North Carolina State in the Clariosophic hall. Representing

Delegates Go To Winthrop

Oratorical Convention

Baker Assures Committee That University Will Finance Trip

Assurance that University delegates to the South Carolina Intercollegiate Oratorical Association to be held at Winthrop would be financed by the University was expressed by Dr. L. T. Baker Wednesday, a member of the committee appointed at a recent joint meeting of the Clariosophic and Euphradian societies announced Wednesday.

A motion introduced by Luke Williamson at the joint meeting that a committee be appointed to consult Dr. Baker was passed. Members of the committee were: Alton Brissey, Luke Williamson, Richard Foster, Gedney Howe.

Heated debate consumed about three hours at the meeting. The motion was opposed by Stanley Bryant, who gave as his reasons that the motion was too indefinite and asking what the societies

Walsh Praises Bryant For Psychology Work

Stanley Bryant has played a prominent role contributing valuable information and service while acting in the capacity of a student, in the course of the department experimentation, reported Dr. Kershaw Walsh, of the department of psychology.

Though Bryant is not a psychology major he has devoted a great deal of time to psychological experimentation through sheer interest.

Bryant's services, says Dr. Walsh, are truly commendable.

Chase To Speak To Registrar Group

John A. Chase, Jr., registrar of the University, will be one of the principal speakers at the twenty-third annual national convention of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars to be held in Raleigh, N. C. April 17 through 20. Representatives of colleges throughout the United States and Canada will attend. Mr. Chase also will make a response to address to be delivered by Dr. E. M. Gwathway, president of Converse, in Spartanburg, on April 12 at a meeting of South Carolina Association of Registrars.

A.K.G. Elects Two Co-Eds At Services

Initiated Tuesday Night

Josephine Philson And Eleanor Weideman Chosen By National Honorary Sorority

Joseph Philson and Eleanor Weideman were tapped into Alpha Kappa Gamma, national honorary sorority, at chapel services Tuesday morning and initiated into the group Tuesday night, at the Alpha Delta Pi house.

Josephine Philson is a member of the Pi Beta Phi sorority, being rush captain and pledge supervisor of that group. She is a member of the Y. W. C. A., Damas club, K. S. K. (co-ed), glee club, and literary critic of the Euphrosynean literary society. She was historian of the freshman class.

Eleanor Weideman is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority, K. S. K., assistant on *The Gamecock* staff, Delta Phi Alpha, Chi Delta Phi, and Euphrosynean literary society. She is a transfer student from Columbia College where she was treasurer of Beta Mu Kappa, treasurer of International

(Continued on Page 5; Column 2)

Student Body Laws Amended

Third Reading Passed

Constitution Undergoes Change Relative To May Queen Election, Approved Last Friday

Two amendments to the constitution of the University student body were approved last Friday afternoon at a student body meeting in the University chapel. The proposed motions had successfully passed two previous readings.

The first amendment was to the effect that last year's method of choosing the May queen be permanently employed, and the second was to the effect that there be organized a student fund which would be contributed to by any social cabinet and class function surplus.

Heretofore the constitution read that "only junior and senior co-eds shall be eligible for the office of May queen." The constitution as amended reads that "only junior and senior co-eds who have been winners in a beauty pageant shall be eligible for the office of May queen."

(Continued on Page 5; Column 2)

DIRECTORIES NOW READY FOR USE

The University student directory is now being distributed by the Gamecock to all organizations, fraternities, and professors on the campus. The dedication of the handbook is to J. Rion McKissick, dean of the school of journalism.

The directory has been under the supervision of Philip Sabbagha, editor of *The Gamecock*, Douglas Fickling, and Paul Waterof. Five hundred copies have been printed.

Stupendous Prize Offered In Beard-Growing Contest

Students Urged To Grow Beard In Spite Of All Obstacles; Five Dollars To Go To Winner And Two Fifty To Runner Up

Don't shave. Don't shave, Carolina men, even if the best girl friend enters a protest and threatens to desert you.

Don't shave even if the old folks at home threaten to disown you. In other words, don't shave!

Why? Because *The Gamecock* is sponsoring a contest, a beard growing contest, with stupendous prizes to the winner and the runner-up.

Rules for the contest follow:
1. Any Carolina student not a member of *The Gamecock* staff is eligible, (Maybe a Bearded Lady Will be Discovered.)

Judges Give First Place To Dunaway

In Oratorical Contest

Freshman In Academic School Defeats Seasoned Debaters In First Tilt

R. H. Dunaway, Columbia, freshman in the school of Arts and Science, won the oratorical contest held in the Clariosophic Society hall last Friday night. Mr. Dunaway spoke on "Youth's Challenge" and won over Luke Williamson, who spoke on "The Fourth Commandment," Harper Welbourne, who spoke on "American Optimism," and Joseph Cohen, who spoke on "War and Youth."

Mr. Dunaway will represent the University at the South Carolina Intercollegiate Oratorical Association meeting at Winthrop April 5. J. Wiley Brown will be the University's apprentice delegate to the Association.

"Today's youth will have the burden of world peace upon them," Mr. Dunaway emphasized in his speech. His delivery was pronounced as excellent by all who heard him. This was not

(Continued on Page 5; Column 4)

Damas Initiates Seven Members

At Meeting Tuesday

Club Votes To Have Dance In May; Gamecocks Will Play

Seven new members who were elected into Damas, the dance club at the University, were initiated into the club Tuesday afternoon, March 19, in the chapel. Those who have been honored by this election are Kitty Drummond, Hamilton Warren, Betty Wrenchell, Sarah Williamson, Helen Townsend, Aimie Urquhart, Emily Timberlake, and Polly Belser.

At the last meeting of Damas it was decided by the members that the spring dance would be given in the early part of May, according to Betty Carlisle, president of the club. As it was impossible to set a definite date at the meeting, Miss Carlisle said that it would be decided at the next meeting. This information will be announced at an early date. Plans have been arranged for the dance to be given in the ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel. Also the Gamecock orchestra has been chosen to furnish the music.

UNIVERSITY PLANS JUNE CONFERENCE

"The University is preparing to hold a conference in June to consider current affairs and problems of South Carolina. The arrangements are in charge of Professor S. M. Derrick, professor of economics at the University."

Dean Francis Bradley spoke of the plans for the conference sometime near the middle of June. Prominent throughout the state and some visitors from neighboring states will attend.

LONG ADVOCATES FREE EDUCATION SAYS SMITH

Basketball Team Selects Captains

James, Taylor Chosen

Bill Skidmore Elected As Alternate Captain. Only Three Letter Men Return

Bernard James, Sumter, and Goody Taylor, Columbia, were elected co-captains of the 1936 basketball team at a meeting of the squad held Wednesday afternoon. Bill Skidmore, Columbia, was selected as alternate captain. These were the only three letter men who will return next season.

Spring practice has been set for April 6. It will continue for a number of weeks. This will be an opportunity for this year's Freshmen to try for a position on next year's varsity quint.

This year's election was unusual in that both the co-captains are sophomores and will have two more seasons of varsity competition. Skidmore, the alternate captain, will also see service for another two years.

Dr. Robinson Visits U.S.C.

Lectures To Classes

President of City College of New York Addresses Morse's Students

Dr. Frederick Robinson, president of the City College of New York, recently lectured to several classes at the University of South Carolina.

Dr. Robinson, one of the foremost psychologists in the East, was the guest of Dr. Josiah Morse, professor of Psychology and Philosophy at the University.

Although the City College of New York is not very well known in the South, Dr. Morse commented, it is one of the country's most influential colleges, having a faculty of more than two thousand, and an enrollment of over forty-eight thousand. We were very fortunate in securing the president of such an institution to address some of our classes.

A. I. E. E. Will Sponsor House Of Magic Show

Members of the A. I. E. E. will give a show, "House of Magic" during high school week, beginning April 15. The show will be given every hour in room 107 Sloan College.

Sound by light, short wave radio, and parts of radio, will be included in the show. Sound waves of the microphone will be shown and comparisons of the voices will be made.

Non-Sorority Girls To Select Representatives

All non-sorority girls are urged to meet in the Woman's building Monday evening at 4:00 for the selection of participants in the May Queen beauty pageant. Ed Salenger and Don Ham and other committee members will meet with them.

Non-sorority and sorority girls, who have been selected by their respective groups to represent them in the Beauty Pageant, will report to the chapel at 4:00 Tuesday, at which time the committee will meet them and give the details.

In Gamecock Interview

Share-Our-Wealth Program Manager, Gerald Smith, Airs Long's Views On Education

"Instead of sending 600,000 boys out into the woods until the depression is over Huey Long advocates using one-half of that money appropriated for this program toward educating and giving the young men of America the proper advantages toward learning the arts that make for a better civilization," said Gerald L. K. Smith, manager for Huey P. Long's "Share Our Wealth Program," in a special interview granted *The Gamecock*, early Thursday morning in the Columbia Hotel.

"Mental aptitude and ability, should be the only requirements for entrance into any educational institution rather than merely tuitional requirements," Mr. Smith went on to say. The third phase in the "Share Our Wealth Program" being:

Free higher education for all, with a mental test instead of the tuition test. If men in the army can be fed, boarded and clothed while we teach them how to kill, we can do as much for our best minds while they are being trained to live.

"We lift up the plum to the high school students about our colleges and what they mean to the students yet in reality only one out of ten are able to go to college."

"In Louisiana through the efforts of Mr. Long, we are one of the few states in the Union where educational appropriations has increased steadily throughout the depression."

Mr. Smith stated that Louisiana

(Continued on Page 5; Column 2)

Registrars To Meet April 12

At Converse College

Chase Scheduled To Respond To Address Of Welcome By Converse President

The annual meeting of the South Carolina Association of Collegiate Registrars will be held at Converse College, in Spartanburg on April 12, 1935. John A. Chase, Jr., registrar of the university will respond to the address of welcome to be delivered by Dr. E. M. Gwathway, president of Converse.

The session will be opened at 10:30 on the morning of April 12th, by C. A. Kaufmann, president of the Association. Rev. J. A. Morris Kimber, registrar of Columbia Bible College, will render the invocation. A short talk will be made by J. J. Kelly, State High

(Continued on Page 4; Column 3)

BULLETIN CARRIES PETTY'S TREATISE

The Denison University Bulletin, Journal of the Scientific Laboratories has just recently published a treatise on "Evidence of Ice Action in Teays Valley, West Virginia" by Julian J. Petty, of the Geography department of the University.

In this bulletin, Prof. Petty deals with the evidence of ice erosion in the dried bed of the Teays River (a preglacial stream). Pebbles, cobbles, and boulders have been found in the river bed which are striations. These striations could not have been carried to the places where they were picked up by the action of the glacier, as they are down stream from the places of their origin, that is, they were moved in a direction opposite to the glacial drift. It is therefore evident that ice movements in the former river carried these striations to the places where they were deposited.

Professor Petty's bulletin was presented in December, 1933, and was published in February, 1935. It is one of the many papers he has prepared during the last few years, his most recent being on the subject of "Fulgurites and their Formation."