

Pan-Hel Ball Scheduled For Tomorrow Will Go On Despite Rumored Poor Ticket Sales

Warren Lauded Star Of Radio And Opera

Sings In Page In May 9 Concert

The "greatest living baritone, and possibly the most beautiful human voice" are the words of J. Foster Barnes used to describe Leonard Warren, who will appear in *Page Auditorium*, at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday evening, May 9th.

Warren is one of the most brilliant of the younger artists at the Metropolitan Opera, and since his debut there he has been featured in many leading roles, in such parts as "Faust," "Traviata," "Lohengrin," "Samson and Delilah." He has also been heard on the Metropolitan's spring road tour in Boston, Cleveland, and New Orleans.

On his South American tour, he was presented at the leading musical houses in Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro, and Puerto Rico.

Warren's concert record tells the same story of impressive achievement, as he has been soloist with the New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra (three times), the Concerts Symphoniques de Montreal, the Cleveland Summer Music Society, and other distinguished organizations.

Also named in the program are Leonard Warren has been heard this year as featured soloist and Master of Ceremonies of the RCA Victor "Warrior" radio program, a weekly presentation of the Blue Network, as guest soloist in the Andre Kostelanetz "Pause That Refreshes" program sponsored by Coca Cola, on "Metropolitan U. S. A.," as well as several Metropolitan Opera Saturday afternoon broadcasts.

Still valid are the Eleanor Smith concert tickets and these stubs will be used for this performance. For reservations, phone "1-21" St. Paul, or write J. Foster Barnes, Duke University, Durham, N. C.

Mr. Barnes also stated that those who hear Leonard Warren, hailed for his musical excellence from Canada to South America, will enjoy one of the outstanding musical treats of the present day.

New Officers Are Elected By Fleet Club Wednesday

Newly organized Fleet club elected officers Wednesday night to serve for the remainder of this semester.

The new officers and the positions they will hold are: Bill Farr, skipper; Bud Peterson, executive officer; Roger Evans, secretary; Ed Schuler, treasurer. Honorary skipper of the group is Lt. (jg) Redding, and Dr. A. K. Manchester serves as faculty advisor.

Also announced at this meeting was the list of committee and committee chairman. Frank Blue heads the public relations committee; Austin Moody, yards and means; Charles Hamman, recreation; and Bob Delbert, membership.

In a statement of the club's policy, the new officers stated: "The Fleet club is designed to provide for the recreation and welfare of the men who have had previous service. This will include the ROTC, Marines, and Army men in the V-12 program. We are a non-political organization; by this we mean that during SGA elections we will join any combines or blocs with any other organizations. We believe that new men coming to Duke from the fleet need help in getting settled. That is what we are attempting to do."

Upperclass Coeds Must See Advisors

All rising juniors and seniors in the Woman's College must see their departmental advisors and obtain written permission for next year's courses before they will be permitted to register for the fall semester. Mrs. Hazen Smith, associate dean, urged their attention to this matter immediately.

Dr. Von Beckerath To Address Public Affairs Forum Tuesday Night At 8

Magicians Appear In Coed's Union

The Engineers already claimed at five o'clock when "Madame Bond Hallow" with a background of Artie Shaw music ushered hungry diners to the dining booth. With each five dollar solo, the Tallor heralded the event by a salute from his miniature cannon.

Dr. Herbert von Beckerath, noted political scientist, will speak informally to members of the Public Affairs Forum and guests at the Forum's regular weekly meeting Tuesday night.

A prominent figure in education and politics, Dr. von Beckerath came to the United States in 1938 and has since taught at the University of Wisconsin, the University of Chicago, and the University of Michigan. He is now in the department of Duke. He is now in the department of Duke. He is now in the department of Duke.

Dr. von Beckerath's latest book, "The Defense of the West" has been published by the University of Chicago Press. It is a authoritative analysis of the pre-war period.

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May Queen Beth

Both Helcombe, chosen 1944 May Queen at the spring Coed Ball, will reign over her unrivaled May Court of 10 outstanding seniors at tomorrow night's Woman's Pan-Hel Ball in the Memorial Gymnasium.

Summer Session Planning Features For Acceleration

Because of the effort being made by the Administration to offer as many courses pointing toward degrees and facilitating acceleration, a larger proportion of the regular Duke University teaching staff will be employed in the 1944 summer school than ever before.

With the first term running from June 20 to July 31 and the second from August 1 to September 9, the summer session will be planned in view of the requirements of undergraduates who wish to accelerate and high school graduates—especially boys—who wish to begin work in June or July.

Also emphasized, because of the immediate new interest in Spanish and Latin-American studies, will be the Spanish summer hour courses for six weeks that compel the student to divide his time among three separate classes, the work of the summer session will be divided into three units of three semester hours, each class meeting for 85 minutes daily, five days a week for a period of six weeks.

No student will be permitted to obtain credit for more than two such courses, and no instructor may teach more than two.

Duke Orchestra Planning Concerts

Opening the celebration of National Music Week here this evening, the Duke Orchestra will give a concert on Saturday night, May 6, in the University of North Carolina Music Center, at 8 P.M.

In concluding National Music Week, on May 12, the Orchestra will be heard in a radio broadcast from 4:45 to 5:30 P.M. in one of a series of five programs. They will present numerous works by Joseph Haydn, including compositions by Alcega Huntley, Mrs. Neva Greenwald, and other composers, and by Francis Simons, Edward H. Broadhead, and Robert Hull.

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Town Girls Select New Club Officers

At the last meeting of the Town Girls Club on Wednesday, April 26, Mildred Schulken took over duties of the position, succeeded by Del Suggs.

The newly elected president conducted elections for other officers for the coming year. Agnes Long was chosen vice-president; Anne Smith, recording secretary; Nancy Brown, treasurer; Kathryn Thackston was made representative to the "Y" Cabinet.

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To Present May Queen And Court

In spite of rumored poor ticket sales, Joyce Thresher, chairman of the Women's Pan-Hellenic Ball, expressed confidence last night that the dance would go off as scheduled tomorrow from 8:00 P.M. to 12:00 in the Women's Gym.

Outstanding attraction of the dance will be the revealing of the secret May Court of 10 senior girls during the intermission at 10:15. Gordon Carver, SGA president, will announce the court as it is led into the gym by a chosen maid of honor, Audrey Hance. A Strauss waltz will accompany the figure, which is to be followed by a no-break dance for the May Queen and Court only.

"Let McCaskill and his D-men," dated campus band which features a number of old Duke Ambassadors, play for the first time before a campus-wide audience. Features Don Buckley providing the vocal entertainment, Teddy Collins, a former Cleveland Summer Music Society band drummer now stationed at Camp Butler, Tenney Roberts and Don Dolson, dance demonstrators from "Stand By," and pianist Ed Bennett. The band has been practicing for the past several months and will appear at future campus functions.

There will be a gigantic May Pole in the middle of the dance floor composed of multi-colored streamers gathered on the top and reaching to the floor. Flavors are to cover the bandstand and carry on the top. The Queen and her court continue the spring theme by wearing pastel dresses and carrying bouquets. The main purpose of the dance is to raise a \$100 scholarship for the rising senior with the highest average.

Divinity Students Will Hold Banquet

Annual Divinity School Banquet will be held in the Washington Hotel on Friday, May 5, at 7 P.M.

"Country Party" is to be the theme of the banquet and the party afterwards. It has been decided, however, that no dancing will be presented.

Speaker of the evening will be Rev. Carl Atkins of Mobile, Alabama.

"The Little Foxes" final Duke Players production of the season, will bring a large audience to Page Auditorium next Thursday and Friday, May 5 and 6; certain time is 7 P.M.

Tickets are on sale in the box office and the West campus dope shop at seven cents for civilians and sixty cents for servicemen. A few good seats remain available and will be sold on a first-come first-served basis at the East and West Dope Shops, during afternoon next week, business manager "Guttie" Gordon said today.

Her brothers, Ben and Oscar Hubbard, one powerful and blunt, the other weak and crafty, are portrayed by Dick Mann and Bob Breglin. Reginald's inviolable brand, strong of purpose, a manly, dying betrays, is played by Don Clark. Birdie Hubbard, once a southern beauty, is portrayed by Mrs. Neva Greenwald.

Snowie Kibridge, as Regina Gliddens, is pictured above in a scene from "The Little Foxes" with Jeanne Shinnick, who plays her daughter Alexandra. Final Players' production of the season, "The Little Foxes" will be presented next Thursday and Friday in Page. (Chronicle photo by Bob De Mott)



Shown as he is "piped abroad" his automobile in ceremonies marking his departure from Duke, Captain A. T. Clay returns the salutes of the petty officers who stood at the end of a long guard of honor.

Seniors Arrange Banquet May 3

With graduation only four weeks away, the senior farewell banquet will be held Wednesday night at six o'clock at Harvey's Cafeteria.

Invited guests are Dr. Henry B. Dwyer, Director of Public Relations, who will be the speaker of the evening, Dr. Alice M. Baldwin, Dean of the Women's College, President Robert L. Flowers, Mrs. Hazen Smith, Associate Dean of Undergraduate Instruction, the Woman's College, Miss Francis Mitchell of the Appointments Office, Miss Anne Gerrard of the Alumni Office, Miss Alma Hill, class advisor, and the house counselors.

The program will begin with the presentation of the class to the university by Mrs. Smith and Dr. Flowers' response. Mrs. Dwyer will then speak. Helen Devire will then speak. Helen Devire will then speak. Helen Devire will then speak.

Tea Climaxes Coed FAC Council Training Period

WSAB Calendar

WSAB's social calendar for the next two weeks:

April
28—W.A.A. Open House
29—Campus Time and SGA Tea Dance
29—Women's Pan-Hel Dance
30—N.R.O.T.C. Sing
May
2—Brown House Dance in Ark
3—Senior Class Banquet
4—"Little Foxes"
5—Campus Time and SGA Tea Dance
6—Engineer's Ball
6—Duke Symphony Concert
9—Leonard Warren Concert

Winding up a period of instruction and training with the appointment of transfer advisors, the coed FAC council entertained their instructors at a tea today.

Seven new coeds were appointed transfer advisors for the year 1944-45 yesterday by Mrs. Hazen Smith, associate dean and sponsor of the group.

Erin Woodall, advisor for transfer students in Giles House, was selected chairman of the committee with the other members as follows: Eugenie Serre, Alspach; Marjorie Patton, Aycock; Esie Gooden, Bassett; Nancy Donovan, Brown; Virginia Brown, Jarvis; and Eugenia Wimberly, Wagner.

This committee serves in similar capacity to students transferring to Duke from other colleges as does the FAC to freshman. The purpose is to introduce the new coeds to the students and customs here as well as to help solve minor problems that arise.

Concluding the four weeks training program of the FAC a tea was given today at the home of Mrs. Hazen Smith, associate dean, who lectured during the period of instruction.

At the last meeting Dr. Nora Chaffin addressed the members on the subject of Duke tradition and history. At former meetings Dr. K. B. Watson, of the department of education, lectured on the technique of advising, and Miss Alma Hill, counselor of Pagan House, spoke on the relationship which should exist between the house president and advisors.

YMCA Encourages Campus To Enter Ping Pong Contest

All faculty members, coeds, and men are invited to enter the ping pong tournament sponsored by the YMCA which will begin next Friday, May 5.

A \$25.00 War Bond is to be given as first prize, and \$8.00 in War Stamps will be the second prize. Participants can sign up for the tournament next Monday through Friday in the YMCA office.

Tables are to be set up all over West Campus, and the score board will be set up on the University bulletin board outside of "A" dining hall. Ben Massey and Tom Bouane are in charge of the tournament.

"We want everyone to enter, and I personally hope to meet Dean Manchester in the finals," Fred Dyer, president of the YMCA stated.

The YMCA will give its weekly smoker in the Union Ball room next Wednesday night. It is to be a dining affair, and music will be provided by the "Southerners," a new campus band under the direction of Tom McAdams and Art Pollock.

SGA Opens Affairs In Ark On May 6

"SGA sponsored bowling alley" will definitely be opened on Saturday, May 6, in the basement of the Ark. SGA president Gordon Carver announced.

This project, which has been under consideration by the SGA for several weeks, will provide an opportunity for Saturday afternoon and evening recreation for both East and West.

Campus Time Previews Production Tomorrow

Featuring a scene from "The Little Foxes," new Duke Players' production of the season, will be heard from the Ark tomorrow at 4:35 p.m.

Continuing its series of tea dances, the SGA will sponsor the informal, staff-of-drag affair both before and after the broadcast, beginning at 2:30 p.m.

Also featured on the all-Duke radio show will be Bob Shepherd and his Dixieland Band, and Clarence Smith and Snowie Kibridge in a duet.

Nancy MacMurtrie, freshman soprano, and Ed Bennett, pianist, will be the featured performers presented over WING, which will also be heard on tomorrow's program.

Sponsored by both men's and women's SGA's, the tea dances have been held with Campus Time in the Ark in an effort to relieve the campus of its much-lamented lack of social functions.

The dance is free, and is open to the entire campus. Refreshments will be sold all afternoon by the ephigume Y commission.

Anyone wishing to enter will give his or her name to Professor W. B. Hankin, chairman of the committee.

Since a re-exam would be valuable to students, the contest may be held on a contestant make one hundred percent, the test will be completed by the winner and the contestant, each contestant finishing as many as he can work in the two hours and a half allotted.

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Of Friendly Strife

By HARRY E. BEAUDOUIN, JR.

Men and Boys

Wednesday afternoon's ball game with the Fort Bragg Reception Center provided an effective illustration of what is meant by the expression, "Separating the men from the boys." It demonstrated clearly that college boys just aren't up to the task of taking on professional players.

Starting on the pitching mound for the soldiers was Van Ling Mungo, the one time fireball specialist for the Brooklyn Dodgers, Mungo, who experienced a rather turbulent career in the major leagues, was at best never more than a second rate finger in big time baseball. He had the potentialities, all right, but a recurring arm ailment and spasmodic outbursts of temperament kept him from getting any closer than shouting distance to the Hall of Fame.

And yet in his five-inning stint against the Blue Devils in Coombs Park the other day, Mungo had the fans gasping as he served them up to his battery mate, former Philly Mickey Livingstone. He looked like a Spud Chandler against Duke batsmen. He seemed to work effortlessly. Van Ling just kept grooving them over while the collegiates broke their backs. Occasionally, on a three-two count, he would come down and whip his hook over the plate, just for size.

Opposing the Dukes, Mungo really looked good. A lot of people in the stands undoubtedly thought he was terrific. But with what he was putting into his pitches Wednesday, Van Ling would more than likely have been clubbed out of a big league park before you could finish a handful of peanuts.

All of which serves as a suggestion that college boys in their own backyard and have a good time. And let that sage observation be our thought for the day.

Who Is This Kenfield, Anyway?

John Kenfield, whose Carolina tennis team plays host to the striving Devils tomorrow, is a pretty fair net coach. Certain Tar Heels, as a matter of fact, maintain that he was robbed when the Sphinx was selected as the Seventh Wonder of the World.

Never having studied the art of racket-swinging under the astute Mr. Kenfield we may give credit. But we must concede that his record very definitely borders on the slightly phenomenal side. Out of a total of 234 meets since 1928, the Kenfield proteges have won 224, tied two, and lost eight for an almost unbelievable percentage of .957. He produced undefeated combinations in 1930, '31, '32, '33, '36, '37, '39, '40, and '41, and at one time during this amazing streak, Carolina captured 66 consecutive titles without a single error.

In sining up this year's team, Professor Kenfield has really put his head on the chopping block. Says he, "Unless the teams on our schedule are far weaker than I think they are, we are going to have a tough time turning out a winner." This, we hasten to add, is about as risky as saying, "If Carolina plays as it should, and the opposition doesn't, play any better, I think we have an even chance to win." Ah, what daredevils these coaches be!

Now let's see, where were we? Oh, yes, Carolina's Ken—say, who is this Kenfield anyway?

There Oughta Be A Law

Duke track and field enthusiasts can be found weeping bitter tears in their beer on any given evening these days. The cause of all this hysteria is one Wright Hollingsworth, a Marine trainee until early this week, when he was transferred to the marine base at Parris Island.

Hollingsworth was perhaps Coach Bob Chambers' handiest operative. In the Virginia meet last Saturday, rugged Wright took first place in both the high jump and broad jump, following this with a second place effort in the pole vault. He was also a standout hurdler and was being counted on for tomorrow's Penn Relay Carnival.

The reason for his mid-semester transfer was rather an odd one. It seems that late last winter Hollingsworth cracked an ankle bone while playing basketball for Jerry Gerard. He was lost in the plaster cast for weeks. Being a senior, he was due to be shipped out on March 1. In view of his incapacitation, the powers that be decided that he wouldn't be of much use down there and granted him a very generous extension.

But when Vandegriff and Holcombe learned that Wright was strong enough to do a little high jumping, etc., they really raised hell up there in Washington. Consequently, he was yanked out of school with only two months left in the semester. Hollingsworth is now tramping around a P. I. drill field, and we dare say the war will be shortened by at least a year as a result of such efficient action.

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Nine-Man Team In Penn Relay

Duke Represented For First Time In Two Seasons

By Jim Schneider

For the first time in three years Duke will enter the annual Penn Relay, which will be run on Wednesday afternoon in Philadelphia.

However, the Duke entry, consisting of two teams, one entered in the two-mile relay and the other in the shuttle-hurdles, will be the only point-to-point strength because of the loss of the squad's leading point-getter, Marine Wright Hollingsworth.

Hollingsworth, who was transferred this week to the Marine base at Parris Island, had been counted on heavily for the hurdle team, and when news of his transfer reached Coach Chambers, he momentarily considered cancellation of the Blue Devil entry. Nevertheless, Chambers decided to send the teams and still considers the hurdles a good bet against the strong Army squad and the defending champs, Virginia, and likewise counts on his two-mile men to give power to the Duke team.

The two-milers making the trip are Herbert Reid, Ted McLaughlin, Jim Dilko, Joe Graham and Cordie Pearson, and four of these will be the running.

The hurdlers are Mike Kusin, Bill Norrin, Ed Bennett and Bill Mohler. Mohler has been one of the standards of the Penn team, having taken two first against Virginia and a pair of second against the Blue Devils in flight, and is expected to show the best performance.

The nine man entry will train for Philadelphia early this evening and will return Sunday morning.

Last Saturday's amazing 83 1/2 to 43 6/8 victory over Virginia's Cavaliers gave strong indications that the Duke cindermen will provide plenty of opposition for the teams they will face in the remainder of the season, namely Preflight, Navy, and the University of North Carolina.

Former Princeton Ace Now On Trinity Mound

By Wayne Pennington

Few people in the South ever heard of the name of the former Princeton University pitcher, but this name will be a household word through this section before the baseball season is over. Roy is now a Navy member of the Blue Devils and if his past record is any criterion, his record will be a successful season under Jack Coombs.

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Baseball Squad Visits Raleigh For Return Game

By WHITE SMITH

Tomorrow afternoon Coach Jack Coombs' Blue Devils journey to Raleigh for their second meeting of the season with N. C. State College. The Duketers beat the Wolfpack here last week on Eric Felton's 5-0 shut-out and moved into top spot in the Nation league.

The Dukes were by no means perfect. Their own mistakes put them in hot water more than once, but Felton was always one step ahead of the visitors and managed to keep home plate uncrossed. State will have to face the Wilson, N. C. boy again tomorrow.

Wednesday it was Duke's turn to be whitewashed. A colorful array of ex-professionals from Fort Bragg Reception Center did the job to the tune of 7-0. Van Mungo, hot and cold ex-Giant twirler via Brooklyn, started the mound for the soldiers, and the Coombes found him hard to beat. Only two balls were hit out of the infield in the five innings which Mungo worked. He fanned three, allowed three, all of the scratch variety, and himself collected a single.

Cole, who took over for the soldiers in the sixth, finished the game, yielding two blows but allowed the Devils to trace their way to the seventh. With one out, Wright walked, and Ed Little lashed a hard single to left, his second of the day, but Pickett popped out and Hewitt fanned to the lid.

Fort Bragg scored once in the second and third frames, twice in the fourth, and pushed three into the sixth.

Van Harrington of the visitors led the hitters of both teams with two singles and a three-bagger. Ex-Pitts' Mickey Livingston slammed two doubles. For Duke, Phil's two for four was top, with Freeze, Wright, and Yault getting one each.

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Revenge Boys



Determined to save face tomorrow for last week's 5-0 blitz, the Duke Blue Devils are A. C. State's Jimmie Wilson and Bud Wood, who only two batters from last season's Red Terror team. Both had, incidentally, are native sons of the Old North State—uh, Wilson, right, is a pitcher and hails from Scotland Neck, while third baseman Wood, left, is from Graham, N. C.

Lacrosse Team Inaugurates Campaign Against Carolina

Duke's informal lacrosse team plays host to Carolina tomorrow afternoon at three p.m. This will be the first game for the team, which is coached by Harvey Patterson. The boys have been practicing hard for the contest, which opens the season for the sport. The game should be both spirited and close.

Carolina's team is coached by a former All-American from Drexel Tech. Its club consists mostly of boys who have been transferred through the Navy program or have come to Carolina as civilian students. Student action has prompted the formation of lacrosse teams in both universities. Transportation difficulties have hindered any extensive traveling schedules.

Taking the field for the Blue Devils will be a lineup made up of men who have had either experience last year on Duke's team or have played in other schools. The goal will be defended by A. R. Knight while defense will find Waldo Dotson, Gordon Nagler and Bill Thompson in the field. Tom Davis, Mike Wagner, and Graham Parris will be the mid-fielders. Patterson will be Walter Ross, Tom Pettit, and Jack Hebb. All these boys have had previous lacrosse experience, with Hebb and Davis wearing the colors for Duke last year.

Daily practices have shown marked improvement in the team as the boys became used to playing together. Coach Patterson has worked hard with the links and they deserve strong support.

Six Rifle Meets For NROTC Squad

Lt. (jg) E. V. Muth, officer-in-charge of the NROTC rifle team, released the tentative schedule for the fifteen this week.

Lt. Muth, and CGM S. W. Wilder, the team's coach, organized the NROTC team three weeks ago, and in that short period of time they have been able to bring the team up to a competitive status. This week in a match with a highly touted Division College Army ROTC team, the NROTC squad should great promise by taking a clean-cut victory.

The schedule follows: 1 May—University of North Carolina NROTC. 6 May—University of New Mexico NROTC. 13 May—University of South Carolina NROTC. 20 May—University of Pennsylvania NROTC. 27 May—Duke College NROTC. 3 June—University of Minnesota NROTC.

Netmen Engage In C Tar Heels

Intramural Stars Bid For Laurels In Campus Play

As the intramural season moves into its fifth week of play the competition in the various fields has narrowed down to highly talented players for the number one positions.

Adverse weather conditions have hampered the schedule of games but from the results to date the following softball teams are listed in the undefeated column. In Division I, the top team is the "Bunters." The number one spot in Division II is held down by the Kappa Alpha's hustling aggression. Division III has as its top team the "Chicks."

The close of the softball league will feature a round-robin competition between the first and second teams in each division.

Match play in the individual events is at present moving along slowly due to the failure of the extras to arrange meetings for their respective pairings.

The results of the game which have been played indicate that contestants who seek the top bracket in the horseshoe competition must first reckon with the throwing arms of Stanek and Barden who remain unopposed in their respective pairings.

Action in the handball competition has pointed to the combination of Dudenhofer and Johnson, last year's defending champs, versus Dudenhofer, runner-up.

Keenly contested tennis matches have labeled Tichner and Green as the men to beat. They will also combine forces to provide a formidable doubles team.

The newly organized Duke Engineers have taken the Duke sports scene, will open its season on Tuesday evening, May 2, at 8:15 in the Durham Athletic Club.

With a strong Durham Transportation Company team furnishing the opposition, the contest will be played under the archrivals. A charge of twenty-five cents will be made for admission.

The squad has been practicing for a number of weeks. It is composed almost exclusively of men who have had experience in collegiate baseball, including players from Auburn, Catholic University, and Duke.

Manager Frankie Hopp, who holds down the second base position, performed on the Blue Devil club of last year and declared this week that the Engineers are ready to play ball and will make a good showing. He added that the team would greatly appreciate the support of Duke students, as the Durham team will undoubtedly be backed by a large number of townsmen.

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Devils Hopeful Of Ending Jinx At Chapel Hill

By JACK RYAN

Suffering from a starting defeat at the hands of Georgia Tech last Saturday in Atlanta, Duke's tennis team will meet Carolina at Chapel Hill tomorrow. This will be the second match of the season for the Blue Devils and will likewise mark another good chance to defeat Carolina on the courts, a feat that has not been accomplished in years of rivalry. Duke's chances are good this year, though Carolina boasts a strong squad. The Tar Heels, however, with Tech found them on the wrong end of a 9-0 count, however.

The Tar Heel team is built around two returning lettermen, with transfers and intramural stars filling out the roster. Playing the number one spot is Ray Morris, who won two titles in tournament he entered in Philadelphia. Morris played number two last year but only has moved up a notch. Don Peck, who played number three last year, now holds down the number two slot. The number three place is being held by Ray Morris, who won the Jago. The rest of the squad is made up of Bob Johnson, Charles Morris, and the new recruit, Jago.

All of these boys have had past court experience, many of them winning important tournaments. Carolina has had two matches, one with Tech and the other with the Blue Devils. In the first match, the Tar Heels were beaten 7-2. Morris was the only singles victor in the match. In the second match, the Tar Heels were beaten 5-3. In the doubles, Morris and Peck over Norris and Crawford, 6-3, 6-0. The rest of the matches were topped as Navy's squad is well-filled with court veterans.

Duke will probably start the same team against Carolina that it sent against Tech. Tichner will again play number one, Ashby and Green in the two and three positions, and Morris and Wankler will fill out the rest of the squad in that respective order.

Cox has been trying to match the boys in doubles, pairing them in the order which will give him the best results.

Carolina's coach, John Kenfield, has had trouble with this year's team. Since '41 he has lost no less than thirteen boys through the draft or graduation. This year's squad is made up mostly of men who have never won the colors of Carolina but who are quickly shaping into a fast and strong team.

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Tri-Delts Rise From 8th Place To Win Scholarship Cup

Award of the Pan-Hellenic scholarship cup will be made soon to Delta Delta Delta which moved from eighth place to first among sororities in grades for the fall semester according to statistics released yesterday by the registrar's office of the Woman's College.

Independent coeds, while carrying a slightly lighter load of subjects as a whole, earned on an average of 7 quality points per student more than sorority girls.

Six sororities, Delta Delta Delta, Delta Gamma, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Alpha Phi, Kappa Alpha Theta, and Alpha Chi Omega, rated higher in quality points per semester hour than the all-student average of 4.82. In addition to the six mentioned, two others, Alpha Epsilon Phi and Zeta Tau Alpha, earned more quality points per student than the Woman's College average of 2.71.

In quality points per semester hour, the sororities followed the above mentioned in the following order: Zeta Tau Alpha, Kappa Delta, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Phi Beta Phi, Phi Mu, Alpha Delta Phi, and Sigma Kappa. Delta Delta Delta led in quality points per student with other sororities falling in order as follows: Alpha Phi, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Delta Gamma, Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Zeta Tau Alpha, Kappa Alpha Theta, Phi Mu, Alpha Delta Phi, and Sigma Kappa.

The top sorority average last year of 1,820 quality points per semester hour, made by Alpha Chi Omega, fell to 1,636 for the fall term.

WAA Final Open House To Be Held

Final open house of the year of the WAA series will be sponsored tonight in the Woman's College Gym from 7:00 to 9:30. Open to all students of the University, the affair will feature table swimming, dancing, volleyball, ping pong, basketball, and badminton and is under the direction of Del Lewis, vice-president of the organization.

The latest activity of the W.A.A. was the appointment of the new 1944-45 W.A.A. board, composed of the presidents of all the sports clubs in the Association. The new members are the following: Mary Jane Gott, basketball; Helen Mickelson, badminton; Peggy Taylor, riding; Gloria Fleckenmeyer, tennis; Jenn Rockey, hockey; Nancy Sour, swimming; Corley Ross, Neridian; Bill Church, softball; Morlyn McCure, fencing; Betsy Buchanan, minor sports; Jane Ammerman, bowling; Ruth Romaine, modern dance; Mike O'Malley, outing; Shirley Lister, golf; Betty Lee Boren, publicity.

The purpose of the Board will be to promote activities in various sports for students.



Captain A. T. Clay reviews the Duke Naval Training Unit with his successor, Captain C. P. McFeters before departing for sea duty. Captain Clay was a senior at the Academy when the new unit was first organized. Now many years later, they meet again for the first time, and the veteran of the Battle of the Solomons takes over where Clay left off.

Engineer's Ball Feature Queen And Girl Band

With ticket sales opened to the entire campus, the spring Engineers' Ball sponsored by ESEA, to be held on May 6 will feature the selection of the Engineers' first beauty queen.

Cherry Folger and her all girl orchestra, the "Darlingdells," from the Woman's College in Greensboro will be another highlight of the dance. Folger is senior Woman's College music major and is well known as a trumpet soloist in the Orchestra.

Traditional tapping of Delta Epsilon Sigma, local honorary engineering fraternity, will take place during the intermission, in addition to the announcement of the newly elected officers of the Duke Engineer. Certificates of merit are to be presented to all the outstanding members who have worked on the staff of the Duke Engineer this year.

Tickets priced at \$1.25 will be sold on West Campus today, and next Tuesday, on East Campus all next week, and may also be obtained through fraternities' representatives and Neal McGuire.

Sponsors of the dance and their dates are as follows: Camille Newman with William

Freese, President of ESEA; Betty Jo Green with Alexander Shaw, Vice-President; Marjorie Knowles with Ed Johnson, Secretary-Treasurer; Peggy Tipton with Ralph Snyder, Navy representative; Betty Brooks with Jimmy Arley, Marine representative; and Dottie Grooms with Neal McGuire, civilian representative.

Decorations will remain secret for the dance, which will be held in Memorial Gym.

I Cover The Campus

By Don Marion

The N.R.O.T.C. Ball was the nicest dance of the year. . . Jack Busby's date caused quite a sensation. . . And a few girls looked at Alexander's woman with greenish eyes. . . Midge White has been bit by the well known bug that comes with spring. . . New Arrivals at Van Straten's—garbade stacks—Prim Beach suite. . . Khaki and white cap covers—Chris Hall is sharing her bed with Pegram's favorite mouse these days. . . Sorry to see Wright Hollinsworth leave. . . The COGS dance Friday was more than some girls could take—others didn't mind being "taken" at all. . . B. J. Mayhew and Flora Best don't seem to be mind being rivals. . . See ya at the Woman's Panel (if it get asked).

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Student Officers Selected To Head NROTC Battalion

New NROTC battalion organization going into effect May 1 will find thirty-four new men gaining experience in leadership and command.

While the battalion staff and drum and bugle corps organization remain the same, all company and platoon officers and petty officers have been changed. This is in keeping with the policy of rotating officers every two months in order to provide an opportunity for as many cadets as possible to develop leadership qualities. Student officers were chosen by the NROTC commissioned officers on the basis of Naval Science grades and qualities of leadership.

The two companies are commanded by W. H. Miller and P. W. McCreight. Platoon Commanders are W. B. Kurtz, DeForest Hope, R. M. Carpenter, and L. C. Allen.

Company Mustering Petty Officers will be J. Herbert Cox and Rufus Ashby, while Platoon Mustering Petty Officers are R. N. Saunders, F. F. Ward, J. L. Graham, and J. C. Wheeler. Platoon guides are to be P. L. Harris, S. L. Gaillard, A. J. Steele, and J. P. Riley.

New Squad Leaders are A. G. Copley, J. W. Willis, Henderson Bulk, H. C. Beaudouin, A. M. Brown, O. M. Thompson, D. H. Muller, L. G. Hale, J. R. Nunnally, L. C. Jones, W. C. Henry, and W. W. Watson.

Jack Ryan is leader of the color guard, while other members of the color guard are E. A. Bailey, W. S. Cole, and W. N. Street.

Guidon bearers are S. D. Ranson and A. E. Strickman.

D-Men Swing Out At NROTC Sing

A swing concert by Dud McCaskill and his newly formed "D-Men" will be the main feature of the NROTC sing this Sunday night, in the woman's college auditorium, led by Jack Ryan and accompanied by Norman Schuell.

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