

What a sense of security
in an old book which
Time has criticized for us
—Lowell.

THE TEACOLA

Books are sepulchres of
thought.

—Longfellow.

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HIGHLIGHTS OF WORLD NEWS

A hurricane which swept over the coast of Texas last Wednesday caused the death of several people.

Strikes throughout the state and nation continue to exist. Several cotton mills throughout the state are closed on account of strikes and others closed to prevent the operatives from walking out.

Col. Pritchard, Birmingham, was elected department commander of the American Legion at the close of the convention last week. Mobile was selected as the convention city in 1935.

Chancellor Dollfuss of Austria was slain last Wednesday by Nazis. Dollfuss was shot to death as Nazis entered the building under the leadership of men disguised as officers of the home guard.

The middle west continues to suffer from the effects of the drought. It is expected that thousands of persons will have to move out of the western half of the Dakotas and eastern Montana and Wyoming.

Several carloads of cattle have been received by the Alabama Relief Administration from drought areas in the northwest. These animals are being placed on pastures in the counties of the black belt.

Senator Hugo Black has announced plans to speak in every county in the state in the next sixty days. Senator Black will speak on the new deal and explain the Roosevelt policies to the people of the state.

James J. Dooling has become the leader of Tammany Hall. He is a close friend of Postmaster General Farley and is also a close friend of Alfred E. Smith which seems to indicate peace between Washington and Tammany Hall.

North Dakota has the distinction of having two governors. The Supreme Court ruled that Governor William H. Langer was ineligible to hold the office. Lieut.-Gov. Ole H. Olson took the office. Langer shows no intention of giving up his fight to have the Supreme Court decision reversed by the Court of Appeals.

The British government Tuesday announced that it would enforce a complete embargo on all shipments of war materials to Paraguay and Bolivia, now at war in the Chaco Boreal, but "before taking this action" it urged other governments to put a similar embargo in force before the end of July.

Plans are being perfected for the entertainment of the largest crowd ever to assemble in the city of Jacksonville on Friday, August 10. The State Teachers College will celebrate its fiftieth birthday with a pageant showing the growth and development of the school from its beginning to the present time. Outstanding speakers will be heard and a barbecue dinner will be served.

BIG CELEBRATION TO DRAW MANY PEOPLE

EX-STUDENTS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER PAGEANT

More Than 5,000 Expected At Semi-Centennial Celebration

Letters are being received daily from former students and friends throughout the entire state bringing congratulations to the school for its achievements during the fifty years of its existence. It is expected that more than five thousand people will be in attendance on this occasion. Former students, prospective students, county superintendents, high school principals, and teachers generally are being urged to witness the pageant and the speeches. It is also expected that the largest group of prominent people of the state ever to assemble in one body will be in Jacksonville on this occasion.

Dr. Bruce R. Payne, president of Peabody College, Nashville, Tenn., will deliver the opening speech. Diplomas will be awarded and degrees conferred upon more than one hundred people by Governor B. M. Miller.

Many of the prominent people who have had a part in the development of the school will take part in the pageant. These men will act out the parts which they have played in the development of the school instead of being represented by other persons.

TALLADEGA-ST. CLAIR GROUP HAVE CHARGE ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

On Friday, July 27, the Talladega and St. Clair county group had charge of the assembly program for the morning. Mrs. Claxton had charge of the devotional. Mr. Geo. Franklin gave a short and educational talk of St. Clair county. Mrs. Henderson entertained with a selection "A Hen Pecked Coon." Mr. Douglas Pool performed some unusual stunts. A pillow fight was had by four of the college boys; John Baker, John Hall, Douglas Pool and Fred Thomas. Miss Mary Frances Prickett and Miss Ruth Howell sang a duet accompanied by a ukulele. The program ended with a short talk by our president, C. W. Daugeette.

JACKSONVILLE TO WELCOME VISITORS

The citizens of Jacksonville are making extensive plans to welcome the visitors who will attend the semi-centennial celebration of the State Teachers College on Friday, August 10. The city administration has placed a large number of men at work on the streets to have the town looking as clean as possible. The business men are cleaning up their places of business and getting everything in readiness to greet the visitors. It is expected that flags will be displayed at all business places in the town.

MATRON



MRS. ADA PITTS

WHO'S WHO CONTEST

A Who's Who contest is being promoted by the Teacola Staff. The prettiest girl in the school is to be elected from a group of four beauties selected by each of the classes. The Who's Who contest will consist of the following: Most handsome boy, biggest flirt, person with most personality, most artistic, best all-round girl, best all-round boy, friendliest boy, friendliest girl, wittiest person, person with most school spirit, cutest person, jolliest Junior, most dignified Senior, student most likely to succeed, neatest boy, neatest girl, freshest rat, wisest Sophomore, person with best line, and best athlete.

The cost of voting is to be one cent for each vote cast. The proceeds of the contest will be used to help pay the expenses of the semi-centennial celebration.

DEMONSTRATION SCHOOL WILL HAVE SWIMMING MEET

On August 7, from 10 to 11 o'clock the Jacksonville State Teachers College Training School students will participate in a swimming meet.

Gold ribbons will be given to all pupils in first, second, and third grades who perform. Blue, red, and white ribbons for winners for first, second, and third places in the grades four, five and six.

The judges for the occasion are Miss Louise Wright, chairman, Miss Mary Brown, and Mr. R. D. Simpson.

The directors Miss Minnie Sellers, Mr. Woodrow Elliott and Miss Myrtle Taylor invite the parents and all others interested to attend.

STUDENTS APPLY FOR FEDERAL AID

The State Teachers College has been allotted 35 students who are to receive federal aid during next year. Already hundreds of applications for this aid have been received. Special forms are being prepared for applicants to furnish the necessary information. A committee is to be appointed by President Daugeette to select the students who are to receive the aid.

MANY STUDENTS MAKE HONOR LIST OF 5TH QUARTER

Following Make Average Of 'B' In All School Subjects

The honor roll for the fifth quarter has been announced by the registrar's office. The following students made an average of B in all subjects:

Specials: Vernice Allredge, Brooksville.

Freshmen: B. B. Finly, Goodwater; Elgert Wood, Steele.

Sophomores: Lora Black, Crossville; Howard Bookholdt, Verbena; D. P. Culp, Clanton; George W. Franklin, Ashville; Arnold L. Gilbert, Chavies; Kermit A. Johnson, Cullman; Lucille Powell, Henegar; J. C. White, Jemison; Mary Lizzie Yates, Wadley.

Juniors: Newbern Bush, Oakman; Mrs. R. L. Clements, Attalla; W. H. Harris, Jacksonville; Lynn Little, Piedmont; Melvin Yates, Wadley;

Seniors: Jane Leath, Jacksonville.

METHODIST CHURCH CELEBRATES ITS 100TH ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

The one hundredth anniversary of the Jacksonville Methodist Church was celebrated last Sunday, July 29. A large number of people who were original members of the church were in attendance. The services began at 9 a. m. with a love feast which was enjoyed by members and former pastors. The sermon at 11 o'clock was preached by Rev. J. C. Persinger of Leeds, a former pastor of the Jacksonville church. A picnic dinner was served to the entire group in the college gymnasium. Ex-governor Bill Brandon, Tuscaloosa, was the principal speaker in the afternoon services. Governor Brandon lived in Jacksonville as a small boy and tributes were paid during the day to members of his family who have rendered service to the local church.

Rev. Doyce Mitchell, a student at the State Teachers College is pastor of the church having succeeded Rev. B. T. Cantrell who died during the early part of the summer. Rev. Mitchell had general charge of the program of the day.

MORE THAN A HUNDRED STUDENTS BEING USED IN PAGEANT AUGUST 10

Rehearsals are being held daily for the pageant showing the growth and development of the State Teachers College over the fifty year period since its beginning. More than one hundred students are being used in the pageant. Among those who have been selected up to the present time are the following: B. L. Vance, Vera Martin, Maybelle Whitworth, Marynelle Gilbert, Russel Tomlinson, Lucile Jones, Mary Mitchell, Edwin Bruner, Ernest Mintz, W. L. Brown, Irma Yates, Frances Massey, Clark Waters, M. Plunkett, Leon Wiginton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Silvey, John Leath, Mrs. Ruth Butenschon, Mrs. Lily Floyd, A. J.

GREAT ARRAY OF PROMINENT MEN ARE COMING HERE

Practically Every Educational Organization In State To Be Represented

The greatest array of prominent people ever to assemble in one body perhaps will be seen at the semi-centennial celebration of the State Teachers College on Friday, August 10th. It has been the intention of President Daugeette to have all living individuals present who have had anything to do with the development of the school up to the present time and those who expect to have anything to do with it during the next administration.

Practically every educational institution and organization in the state as well as those having any connection with education in the state will be represented at the semi-centennial celebration.

Among those who have stated that they will be here are: Governor and Mrs. Bibb Graves, Governor B. M. Miller, and ex-governors Kilby and Brandon, Superintendent A. F. Harmon, and Superintendent-elect J. A. Keller will be present along with several ex-state superintendents of education; Dr. Henry J. Willingham, president of Florence State Teachers College, Dr. Spright Dowell, president of Mercer University, Macon, Ga., Dr. R. E. Tidwell, director of Extension, University of Alabama, Dr. John W. Abercrombie, Assistant State Superintendent of Education.

Other educational leaders who have stated that they will be present are F. M. Cook, Fairfield, president of High School Principals Organization; Superintendent Charles L. Martin, Andalusia, head of Superintendent's Organization; Mrs. James Pitts Hill, Montgomery, president of Alabama Congress of Parents and Teachers Association, and many others.

Gunn-Stone Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. George E. McConatha of Sylacauga, Ala., announce the engagement of their niece, Mary Katherine Gunn, to Charles Ernest Stone, of Albertville. The wedding will take place on August 18. Both Mr. Stone and Miss Gunn received B. S. degrees from the State Teachers College in 1932.

Boyd, Clyde Brown, Melvin Yates, Elmo Traylor, Travis Shipp, Roy Caddell, Herschel York, Bridges Hodgson, G. C. Weldon, Clyde Qualls, George Franklin, Thermon Holloman, Leroy Brown, Martha Wood, Mildred Varnon, Grace Barnard, Mrs. Nellie Erwin, Mrs. Eunice Powers, Kitty Steele, Rubye McBride, Mary Brown, Frances Steele, Frances Morton, Mary Moore Hurst, Margaret Green, Elizabeth Lester, Billy Elliott, Connie Lee, Beatrice Davis, Louise Corley, Bill Nichols, Stella Hobson, Edra Blakeney, Velma Rogers, Kathleen Franklin, Emma Glascock, Margaret Sue Caffee, Essie Mae Gardner, Sara Box, Mrs. Ruby Jo Rainey and Jerry Davidson.

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THE OUTLOOK FOR A FULL SCHOOL TERM

Many people are wondering what the incoming administration will do for the schools next year. It is an undisputed fact that something must be done if we are to have a minimum school term of seven months for elementary schools and nine months for high schools. It is not likely that the Federal Government will again come to the rescue of the Alabama School System. Alabama must take care of her own schools.

It is true that Governor Bibb Graves asked for immediate relief for the schools in 1927 and extended the term the first year he was in office. He can not afford to do less this time than he did before. The people elected him with the thought that this would be done and we feel that it will be. Gov. Graves has shown in the past his attitude toward the education of the children of the state. He knows conditions better now than he did during the previous administration.

FEDERAL AID FOR STUDENTS

With the Federal government giving employment to all types of people it is quite appropriate that aid should be given to college students. When these people who are given aid are not in school as a general rule they will be unemployed or will be on the government payrolls anyway. While attending school they are becoming better qualified to fill their respective places in the world.

Jacksonville State Teachers College has been allotted 35 students who are to receive Federal aid. This is the largest number allotted to any teachers college in the state. Already several hundred applications have been received for this aid. Many of the students who fail to receive aid will find other ways of attending school.

The committee will attempt to point out ways and means to all who apply to attend school, and many will find it possible to get their education who otherwise would feel that they had no chance.

Jacksonville with her allotment of 35 students is quite fortunate but the number should be larger. The apportionment is made on the basis of the enrollment in October of last year. The teachers college enrollment increased to an enormous extent at the beginning of the winter quarter. Many students waited until that time to enter on account of having to assist in harvesting the crops. If the allotment had been made on the basis of the attendance during the winter, spring, or summer quarter Jacksonville would have been given more than twice the number of students which are to receive aid.

THE WHOLE-HEARTED COOPERATION

The whole-hearted cooperation of the people of Jacksonville and Calhoun county in working toward the success of the semi-centennial celebration should be commended by everybody. Those people who have been asked to serve on committees have responded in a splendid way. They are taking the reasonable attitude that the semi-centennial celebration is not only a school affair but is a county and state affair. Letters are pouring into the office daily from people in all walks of life stating that they will be present to do their part in making the semi-centennial of the institution a great success.

This occasion should prove to be of an enormous value to the State Teachers College. Those people who know of the work that is being done by this and other similar institutions feel that the teachers colleges are filling the most important place of the educational institutions of the country. Without good teachers colleges we can not expect to have good lawyers, doctors, preachers, etc. By attending the celebration and seeing the pageant a person will not be able to go away without having a different attitude toward the teachers college if he now is inclined to be skeptical of the good that is being done by these institutions.

THE CONNECTING ROAD SHOULD BE PAVED

Now that the highway is being paved between Gadsden and Anniston it is quite necessary that the road from Jacksonville connecting with this highway should also be paved. This road is traveled by people from all sections of North Alabama. Hundreds of students and their families travel this road every week in coming to and from Jacksonville. Members of the city council have recently made a trip to Montgomery in the interest of paving the part of this road within the city limits. Every person interested in the town of Jacksonville and in the State Teachers College should do everything possible toward getting a good highway leading to the school. It is not a local project but a project of interest to all of the people in Northeast Alabama. A plan should be devised immediately for going forward with this movement.

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor:

Just think, here it is drawing near the close of the summer school. Do you feel that the time is passing away as it has to me? It seems no time at all since I started in to summer school and, oh well—anyway, what difference does it make? I suppose some of you want to know whether I am a Freshie, Soph, Junior or Senior, do you? Well, if you do it is good for you and remember "curiosity killed the cat."

My old friend, R. C. W., that used to write gave up because he realized what a competitor he was going to be up against. I feel so sorry for him that he couldn't write as well as I can.

Fellow students, what is the matter with you that you won't make any contributions to the paper? I don't expect you to do as well as I, still you could help with something and might someday after long efforts of struggling become as prominent as I am sure I will become.

I would like to ask a few questions if you do not think they will be too personal. Why do the Freshies stare with respect at the upper classmen? Why was R. M. glad when she heard a certain person was back again? This is not just a questionnaire but the "old curiosity box." Thinking of that makes me wish I were somewhere—oh but I must not say too much or some will know who I am, I can't say I would care though!

Sincerely,

A. H.

Dear Editor:

So A. H. comes back at us with his sarcasm. Another thing, he seems to have a fairly good opinion of himself. I would like to tell him what I think of him and his "lousy" writings.

He thinks he is so good, that I would like for him to take a course with Mr. Hendrix in theme writing and see if he had the same lofty ideas and opinion of himself.

I challenge him to write a letter that is worth our reading and not a lot of "tommyrot."

Sincerely,

A. P. K.

NOVELTY FEATURE WALKER - JEFFERSON COUNTY PROGRAM

One of the most entertaining programs of the summer session was given in assembly Friday morning, July 20, by members of the Walker and Jefferson County group.

A special feature number was rendered by Miss Kathleen Franklin playing the guitar, harp, and drum at one time. Miss Hattie Barganier accompanied her at the piano. Miss Franklin proved herself to be a "little orchestra." The numbers met with such enthusiasm by the members of the student body that they were forced to play several additional selections.

Mr. "Donnie" Bush as president of the group gave an introductory address, followed by a song in Slavish by Pauline Harvella. Mr. Evans gave an interesting talk on Jefferson and Walker County School Systems. Miss Sue Caffee and Miss Mildred Varnon each sang, and Miss Wilma Sayers gave an amusing reading.

Many students and teachers have commented on the variety of entertainment offered on the program and the unusual talent displayed by members of the group.

Hubby: "Good heavens, I smell something burning."

Wife: "Yes, it's the pie, but according to the cookbook, I can't take it out for ten minutes yet."

Well it's this issue and one more of the Teacola then the fireworks, or rather this issue, the fireworks, and then the last issue. As the last issue will not come out until after school is out so that it might carry the news about the Semi-Centennial Celebration.

Some folks may call us "little" down here in Jacksonville but you just wait and see what a boost the school will receive when the people hear of the things taking place the last week of school.

There will be prominent men from all over the South here to take part on our program. If you are planning to leave before then you are doing the wrong thing. It is an opportunity that anyone should be proud to accept.

I have noticed a lot of rosy cheeks in school here of late and I tried and tried to think what caused the sudden change. I finally thought of it. It is the result of the medicine show which was in town last week. I heard that more than a dozen bottles of the Tonic were sold to girls in Daugette Hall. Some of the girls in Weatherly Hall seem to have a little more "vim, vigor, and vitality" than usual and some of the boys in Forney Hall are quite a bit easier to get along with. There seems to be a bottle on almost every dresser. A boy had a bottle on his dresser, with the label removed, and what did his roommate do but use it for hair tonic?

Last year I tried to sponsor a "Who's Who" contest but failed, but believe it or not, we are going to have one of the largest of its kind ever to be held on the campus. I hope that each and every one of you take a part in it as this will mean a lot to you and also help pay for the barbecue we are to have the 10th.

There is no better way of putting the old school spirit into everyone than an election of this kind. I know because I have seen it tried. On the campuses of our larger universities the "Who's Who" elections are one of the most popular elections of the year.

HORSE-SHOE GAMES ENJOYED BY LARGE GROUP OF STUDENTS

Coach Stephenson's Physical Education Class played a county horse-shoe tournament Thursday evening, July 26, at 6 p. m. Ten counties were represented with one boy and girl each. The best pitchers from each county were selected in former contests that were held.

The counties contesting were represented by the following:

Randolph—Myrtle Taylor, R. C. Hester, Jefferson—Kathleen Franklin, John Baker; Calhoun—Hildegard Ledbetter, Ernest Mintz; Etowah—Mary Nell Gilbert, Ernest Robinson; DeKalb—Audrey Dobbs, Hubert Gilbert; Marshall—Gladys Hawk, Robert Mason; Blount—Verna Rogers, Billie Weaver; Cherokee—Vera Mackey, Ernest Plunkett; Fayette—Verna Sizemore, John Blake.

Randolph county won by a margin of 31 points. Taylor and Hester are all smiles since they received the beautiful blue ribbon.

Jefferson county won second place. Franklin and Baker rung them "coming and going."

Many cheers were given by the large crowd that gathered to witness the tournament.

He: "I have always maintained that no two people on earth are alike."

She: "You'll change your mind when you look over our wedding presents."

Here and There

With LEON C. WIGINTON

I was talking with a group of boys a few days ago about the advantages and possibilities of attending the World's Fair this summer and one of the boys, in all seriousness, spoke up and said he had a chance to go this summer but it came at exactly the same time as the big meetings in his community and he could hardly see how he could miss them.

Big meetings are held once a year but a world's fair is not. A trip to the "Century of Progress" in Chicago I figure will be worth as much to a person as a year in college and it certainly will not cost half as much.

If I can borrow a little money, Maynard Hood and I are going to hitch-hike to the Fair. If any of you kind Ladies or Gentlemen, who happen to glance at this, happen to have an extra amount of cash on hand that you would like to put in safe hands just give me a ring. I will give you a mortgage on a mule and wagon and will let you have a peep into my cellar.

The theme song in Europe seems to be "There'll be a hot time in the old town tonight." Each country for a long time has been waiting for someone to start something. They speak at peace conferences then go home and get more money to supply their army and navy. I, like Will Rogers, am at a loss as to why they keep building ships unless it is just to give the sailors a ride.

A dictator, king, president, or whatever he might be, of some of those countries, has just about as much chance of getting old as a Chicago gangster.

I notice more people are using the swimming pool now. That is one way to stay cool when old man "Sol" is strutting his stuff at about the rate of 100 degrees.

The gale we had last Thursday afternoon not only cooled things off a bit but scared some of our colds so badly that they crawled under the bed. They probably were accustomed to climbing into a storm pit when Mr. Lightning and Miss Thunder began to quarrel.

DO YOU KNOW—

1. What happened to Bob Austin?
2. The man of mystery?
3. The girl that has a date every night?
4. Why Hollywood marriages do not stick?
5. The "flirtatious" married lady?
6. The man about town?
7. The girl with "it"?
8. Who made up this list of questions?
9. Why Coach Steve's glasses are broken?
10. How R. C. Hester and Miss Taylor won the County horseshoe tournament?
11. How the girls beat the boys in indoor baseball?
12. Why Dessie Giles is so fat?
13. Why we are getting better service in the library?
14. How Corrie Stancil learned to swim?
15. How many Seniors will get their degrees on August 10?
16. Who our school beauty will be?
17. Who Herschel Lindsay dated Sunday night?
18. Who made all Excellents on their rating sheet in practice teaching?
19. What Louise Wright and Jasper Buchner would do if they had to walk?
20. What Stella Hobson's "secret sorrow" is now?

Give till it hurts, does not mean talking until you are tired.

HOW IT IS DONE

Several articles have appeared in the Teacola recently giving the experiences of young men and young women in attending the State Teachers College when there seemed to be no way for them to get an education. Since these articles have been appearing many students have asked for specific information as to what can be done in attending school next fall. It has been decided that information in detail should be given in the paper for the guidance of those interested people.

If a young man or young woman wishes to get the most out of school he must expect to pay a reasonable amount for it. Students are advised to stay in the dormitories if their funds will permit. Board and room may be secured in fire-proof dormitories in Jacksonville with hot and cold running water in every room at a cost of \$20.00 per month. If a full term's board is paid in advance the cost is \$50.00 for three months. If board is paid one month in advance the cost is \$18.00 per month. This shows that board and room may be had in the college dormitories at a cost of \$150, \$162, or \$180 for nine months depending upon the way the payments are made. Those students staying in the dormitories find ample time for all student activities. They also have an opportunity to enjoy the real spirit of college life.

It so happens that board in private homes may be secured at lower costs ranging even as low as \$12.00 per month. In a case of this kind conveniences can not be offered such as may be had in the dormitories, however, many people feel that they can not afford to pay for these conveniences.

For those who do not feel that they can afford to pay board at all room rent may be gotten at prices ranging from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per month. If provisions can be brought from home there will be no other cost to the student for his living expenses.

The school owns a farm on which is located a large house for the use of worthy young men who wish to attend school at a minimum cost. A limited number of young men can

get rooms in this house free of charge. They may bring their provisions from home and be able to live as cheaply here as they can at their own homes.

It is sometimes possible for students to secure room rent in town on the credit basis and pay for it after the person has secured a position. Any arrangement of this kind has to be worked out between the individual student and the landlord.

In every case the students are required to pay the fee of \$21.00 a quarter which totals \$63.00 for a period of nine months. The cost of books considering the fact that used books may be re-sold should not be more than \$7.50 to \$10.00 for nine months.

Those prospective students should choose between the different methods of living which have been mentioned. First, living in the dormitory; second, boarding in a private home; third, renting rooms and doing light housekeeping; fourth, staying at the school farm where room rent is free (for young men only). Add the cost of board to the cost of fees and books and it is possible to see the chances of getting an education. Every student should try to work out his own plans and no one should give up in despair until he has presented his case squarely to President C. W. Daugeette.

At the end of nine months a person who has pursued the required course and passed the necessary amount of work may secure a certificate to teach for one year. This certificate is renewable on the basis of three months additional school work. On the completion of the two-year course a student receives a certificate good for six years. If he teaches successfully four of the six years on this certificate it may be changed to a permanent certificate which is good for life if a person continues teaching. The completion of a two-year course in a teachers college not only gives a person a certificate to teach but he may return to this institution or enter other colleges if he so desires and receive a college degree in two more years.

CORSSING THE BAR

Sunset and evening star
And one harsh call for me,
My car must be parked wrong again
And I must pay my fee.

But such a court as moving seems
asleep,
And while their snores still roam
I silently do rise out of my seat
And turn home again.

Twilight and evening bell
And after that the fight;
The cop that nabbed me in the day
Caught me again that night.

For though from out our borne of
time and place,
The tide may bear me far,
I hope to meet my sergeant face to
face
When I have crossed the bar.

—With apologies to Tennyson.

BILL YOUNG TO BE OFFICIAL ANNOUNCER AT CELEBRATION

Bill Young a popular and well known announcer over radio station WBRG, Birmingham, will be the official announcer for the pageant to be presented here at the semi-centennial celebration on Friday, August 10. Mr. Young is one of the best known radio announcers in this section of the county. He will need no introduction to Alabama people. His selection insures the fact that every person will receive full information concerning the pageant.

White-Williams

Many former students will be interested in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Annie Mae Williams of Ashville to Mr. Bill White of Ashland on July 14 at the home of the bride in Ashville.

Mrs. Williams has been teaching during the past several years in St. Clair county and Mr. White is coach at Mellow Valley High School in Clay county.

HISTORY CLUB HAS FINE SOCIAL

The members of the History Club enjoyed a delightful lawn party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felgar Friday night, June 29, 1934. Many games were played and a famous saying contest created rivalry and fun. Miss Nan Shappard directed the games.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gilbert, Miss Bela Fordham, Estelle Hubbard, Eleanor Atchinson, Nan Sheppard, Irene Honeycutt, Clara James, Pauline Marshall, Myrtle Taylor, and the Felgar family.

Father (to son who was misbehaving) "Why can't you be a good boy?"

Tom: "Well father, I'll be good for a nickel."

Mother: "For shame, you ought to be like your father, good for nothing."

CHURCHES WELCOME ALL NEW STUDENTS

The Baptists Student Union and the Epworth League of the local churches are planning to extend a warm welcome to Baptist and Methodist students as they arrive in Jacksonville this fall. A committee has been appointed for each of the organizations to extend invitations to the new students to attend their organizations.

The committee for the Baptist Student Union consists of the following: Lucile Jones, Reece McKibbens, and Verna Sizemore. The committee for the Epworth League consists of Merle Cofield, Eberle Burge, Billy Hay, Fay Borders, and Oscar Laminack.

U. D. C. ORGANIZATION OFFERS MANY PRIZES

The following is a list of prizes by the U. D. C. organization:

(For Members U. D. C.)

The Mildred Lewis Rutherford Cup—For the best essay criticism of a History or Biography dealing with the periods of the War Between the States, or Reconstruction.

\$25.00 for the best essay on Mosby's Rangers.

\$10.00 for best essay on "Forty Years of Historical and Memorial Work in the U. D. C."

The James Pickney Harris Medal—For best essay on "The Rebuilding of the South by Young Confederates."

The Orren Randolph Smith Medal—For best essay on "Women Writers of the South During and Following the War Between the States."

The Anna Robinson Andrews Medal—For the best catechism or questionnaire on "History and Accomplishments of U. D. C. in its Forty Years."

\$10.00 for best essay on Confederate newspapers.

\$2.50 for best essay on "The Private Soldier of the Confederacy."

The Adelia Dunovant Cup—For best essay on John C. Calhoun, Apostle of States Rights.

\$10.00 for best essay on "The Enduring Spirit of Robert E. Lee."

\$10.00 for best sketch showing the descent of Robert E. Lee from the Barons of Runnemede.

(For Any One)

\$25.00 for the best essay on "The Necessity of Preserving Southern Historical Material."

\$25.00 for the best essay on "Confederate Leaders after the War."

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Rules For Essays

1. Not over 2500 words. Number stated at top left hand corner of page.

2. Typed, doubled spaced, signed with fictitious name, real name, Chapter and address of writer in sealed envelope, clipped to essay. Keep carbon copy. Outside of envelope put fictitious name and subject of essay. Winning essay will be kept. Send stamps if others are to be returned.

3. Essays must be sent by September 15, 1934, to Division Historian, Mrs. C. W. Daugeette, Jacksonville, Alabama, who will forward to Historian General, Mrs. John H. Anderson, Raleigh, N. C., not later than Oct. 1, 1934.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. T. Rowe visited Fayetteville last week end.

Miss Mildred Varnon spent last week end in Birmingham.

Miss Estelle Johns spent the week end at home in Alabama City.

Mrs. J. Floyd visited her husband in Alabama City last week end.

Mrs. Jack Rowe spent the week end with Nellie Gauntt at Oxford.

Miss Edna Earle Garren spent the week end at her home in Bangor.

Miss Grace Samuels spent the week end with her parents at Altoona.

Miss Pauline Allen spent the week end in Birmingham with friends.

Mrs. Apperson spent the past week with her son Henry in Jacksonville.

Miss Bela Fordham spent last Tuesday in Anniston with her brother.

Miss Ina Elrod and Miss Florence Kemp spent last week end in Gadsden.

Miss Geneva Lowery spent the week end with Miss Sarah Box in Anniston.

Miss Bonnie Ruth Bowers and Velma Rogers spent last Sunday in Rome, Ga.

Little Jack Pitts Christian is visiting his uncle John S. Pitts in Sylacauga.

Miss Edith Davis visited Miss Fondelle Christison last week end in Gadsden.

Miss Polly Mitchell and Miss Rosaline Stallings spent last week end at Fyffe.

Mr. Jasper Buchner and Miss Reddie Likes spent the week end in Collinsville.

Miss Kathryn Griffin and Miss Martha Murphree were visitors to the S. T. C. last Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Anders and Miss Marguerite Green were week end visitors in Tuscaloosa and Gordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Childers former students of S. T. C., were visitors to Jacksonville last week.

Misses Mary Borwn and Emma Glasscock spent the week end at the former's home in Alabama City.

Misses Benny Alverson and Melba Strickland of Alexandria were the recent guests of Miss Evelyn Little.

Mrs. Wilbur Aaronson, of Cullman, has returned home after a visit to her sister, Miss Emma Glasscock.

Miss Maude Rhodes was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Eunice Rhodes Powers, in Anniston during the week end.

Miss Amelia Godfrey, a former graduate of the S. T. C., was the guest of Miss Rose Barnard last week end.

Mr. Lee Waits Miles has been a visitor to Jacksonville for several days. He has a position as coach at Bowdon College, Bowdon, Ga.

Miss Mamie Lois Carr of Anniston and Miss Anita Manning of Birmingham were visitors of the State Teachers College Saturday.

WITH the ALUMNI

Mr. Lewis Mason, principal of Disque School in Gadsden was recently elected president of the Gadsden Civitan Club. Mr. Mason is very popular among the people of Gadsden.

Mr. Boyd Turner, principal of the Elementary School at Scottsboro, was the presiding officer at a recent session of the State Civitan Club in Tuscaloosa. Mr. Turner is one of the most popular teachers in Jackson county.

Mr. R. L. Clements is superintendent of schools in Attalla. He has held this position for several years.

Mr. C. C. Parrish, former principal of the Glencoe High School, will be principal of the school at Mundeford next year.

W. B. Lipham, a graduate of the two-year course, who has been in other work during the past few years, is in school. Mr. Lipham will be principal of the elementary school in Wedowee next year.

Mr. Ernest Wright, Boaz, is now working toward the completion of the third year of college work. He will be principal of the Boaz city school again next year.

Mr. Claire Strickland, a graduate of the two-year course, will teach in the high school at Piedmont next year.

Miss Irene Teal has been attending Peabody College this summer working toward the M. A. degree. She will teach in the Douglas High School again next year.

Mr. Alvis Hamric has returned from Auburn where he has done work this summer toward the M. A. degree. He will return to Choctaw county in the fall.

Reports come from Peabody College that the W. Taft Porter, Bonard Hamric, Irene Teal, James McClendon, and Leamon Camp are making excellent records in the graduate school.

NORTHWEST COUNTIES HAVE PICNIC JULY 14

The Northwest Counties consisting of Winston, Marion, Franklin, Lamar and Fayette went on a picnic to Oxford Lake on Saturday afternoon, July 14. The group enjoyed swimming, boat riding and a very appetizing picnic lunch was served.

The following people were present: Dr. C. R. Wood, faculty sponsor, Lois Bottoms, Leon Wiginton, Cullen Hunnicutt, Bill Edd Hollingsworth, Rose Barnard, Verma Sizemore, Mary McClendon, J. C. Davidson, Louise Wright, Zera Mackie and Cora Davidson.

Upwards of 1,000,000 adults attended school of some kind in the United States in 1933-34, a movement which presents a most hopeful outlook for the national welfare and the individual.

Camp schools were established for the 300,000 C. C. C. workers toward the last half of the school year for 1933-34.

Workers' education and parent education made its greatest advance in the school year of 1933-34.

The movement to permit the entry of educational films without payment of customs, duties or tariffs is making progress. Twenty-five countries, including the United States, have signed the Geneva Treaty to that effect.

DR. DAUGETTE

President C. W. Daugette was elected to the faculty of the State Normal School on October 8, 1894. Upon his arrival President Jacob Forney was disappointed in his youthful appearance. Instead of assigning him to regular teaching the first day he was permitted to observe the work of the school for awhile. The following letter was written by President Jacob Forney to Dr. C. W. Daugette telling him of his election as a member of the State Normal School faculty at Jacksonville, Alabama:

Jacksonville, Alabama
October 8, 1894

C. W. Daugette, Esq.
Tallasse, Ala.

My dear sir:

I am authorized by Capt. Wm. M. Hames, president of Board of Directors of State Normal School, to announce that at a meeting of the Board this morning, you were elected to a position on the faculty of the school. You will be given work next Tuesday, the sixteenth of October and the salary is \$60 per month of four weeks, eight months work in the present session.

I have not written to you sooner fearing to raise your expectations uselessly. I have had considerable trouble in carrying my point with the trustees, a good deal of pressure being brought to bear upon them in other directions.

I congratulate the school, and you upon your election, and I feel proud of my own action in the matter. While the salary is not what I had hoped to offer you, still I think that you can feel assured of an advance upon this offer for the next session's work.

It would be useless to go into particulars of the work in this letter. I hope to see you by the last of this week and get you in harness for your next Tuesday's beginning.

The general outline of your work is this: Four science classes. Freshman class, Physical Geography and Botany; Sophomore class, Physiology and Physics; Junior class, Chemistry and Dynamical Geology; Senior class, Structure and Historical Geology and Astronomy. We try to present the elements of the sciences and show how they may be studied in the common schools of the land. Very little of apparatus is with us, but I hope to fit up a good chemical laboratory this fall. You will have some work in superintending the experimental work and in laying out terraces and filling up ditches and gulleys. Your education at Auburn will be given full opportunity for practice.

I presume that with the changes which your presence will effect, that you will have about seven or eight periods of work with two or three periods idle.

I feel sure that you will like the field opened up to you here, and I know that the school will be benefited by your election.

Mr. Wright and I are both young men, graduates of the University of Alabama, and we have our reputations to make as well as you. I am sure that we then can make a big success of the school and bring our names and fames prominently before the people of this state in the course of a very few years.

Hoping to see you soon, and in the expectation of a long, pleasant, and profitable school work with you, I am

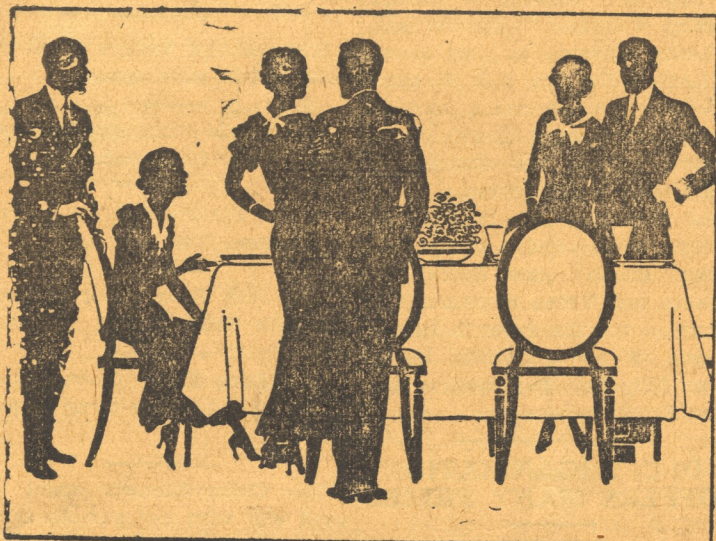
Very truly,
(signed) Jacob Forney.

Freshie: "Please, teacher what did I learn today?"

Mr. Hendrix: "What a peculiar question!"

Freshie: "Well, they'll ask me when I get home."

A \$1.50 Dinner for 6



IT'S fine to be able to serve a fair dinner to six people at a cost of only twenty-five cents each, but it is still better to be able to serve a dinner like the following which will taste more as if it had cost fifty cents or a dollar per person.

Individual Casseroles of Salmon and Asparagus 59¢
Fried Potatoes 10¢
Shredded Lettuce, Radish and Cucumber Salad 20¢
Hot Rolls 23¢
Cherry Cobblers 28¢
Coffee with Cream 10¢

Individual Casseroles of Salmon and Asparagus: Drain the contents of a No. 2 can of all green asparagus tips, and lay the tips in six shallow, buttered flat casseroles or baking dishes. Sprinkle

with salt and pepper. Break up the contents of one tall can of red salmon in rather large pieces, and lay on top. Pour over one cup sour cream, thinning it with a little asparagus liquor if too thick. Salt and pepper slightly, and bake until piping hot and the cream slightly browned.

Cherry Cobblers: Add the syrup from a No. 2 can of red pitted cherries to two tablespoons sugar and one tablespoon flour, mixed together, add one tablespoon butter, and bring to boiling. Add cherries and bring again to boiling. Divide among six individual ramekins or small baking dishes. Cut out rounds of pastry the same size as the tops of the casseroles, slash each in center, and lay one on each ramekin. Bake twenty-five minutes in a hot—400°—oven.

RECREATIONAL EXERCISES For Children and Adults BY Extension Division State Teachers College JACKSONVILLE, ALA.

Test your knowledge and compare the answers with those on another page of this issue.

WORLD HISTORY

1. What were man's first tools and implements?
2. What was meant by the New Stone Age?
3. How early do we have records that the Phoenicians had an alphabet?
4. To what does Egypt owe her existence?
5. When did the Egyptians begin to keep written records?
6. Under the rule of what great king did Babylonia become a power in the Orient?
7. How did the people of Babylonia regard their king?
8. What was the earliest form of religion?
9. What were used as safes in the early banks?
10. What book has been found that tells most about the Egyptian moral standards?

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Who is heavyweight wrestling champion of the world?
2. Who is president of the New York Stock Exchange?
3. Who has been named Negotiator of Tariff Trades?
4. Who recently won the British Open Golf Championship?
5. Who was recently voted the best orator in the U. S. Senate by newspaper writers?
6. What is the total bonded indebtedness of Alabama?
7. Where is the ancestral home of Franklin D. Roosevelt?
8. In what line did Marie Dressler become famous?
9. Who is America's new Open Golf Champion?
10. Who is president of the American Federation of Labor?

Grandmother "Bill, you're growing to be a living image of your father. You have his eyes, his nose, his mouth, and - - -"

Bill (gloomily): "Yes, and I have his trousers, too."

Queer Music



By simply manipulating his hands in the air, Charles Stein plays music on the theremin in the Science theater at the new World's Fair in Chicago.

POSSIBILITIES FOR STUDENTS

Many young people throughout the state are now worrying about their inability to attend college next year. If these students will use all of their resources in the right direction there will be a way for every worthy person to secure a college education. In this issue of the paper the cost of school attendance at Jacksonville is given. This institution provides a way for all. Students are urged to read the articles that have been run giving accounts of experiences of former students. No one should give up all hope until he has taken the matter up with Dr. C. W. Daugette, president of the State Teachers College. As a general thing those with the strong determination find it possible to get an education.

ANSWERS RECREATIONAL EXERCISES

WORLD HISTORY

1. Those that lay ready to his hand.
2. When men began to polish and grind some of their implements.
3. Tenth Century B. C.
4. The Nile River.
5. 3400 B. C.
6. Nebuchadnezzar.
7. He was considered the earthly representative of the gods.
8. Nature worship.
9. Huge earthenware jars.
10. Book of the Dead.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Jim Lontos.
2. Richard Whitney.
3. Francis B. Sayre.
4. Henry Cotton of Belgium.

5. Senator Borah of Idaho.
6. \$79,335,000.
7. Hyde Park, New York.
8. On the stage and the screen.
9. Olin Dutra.
10. William Green.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt, aboard the U. S. S. Houston, arrived in the Hawaiian Islands Wednesday and was greeted by a huge throng who turned out to see the first U. S. President to visit that possession. Gov. Joseph B. Poindexter and other dignitaries of Hawaii were on hand to welcome the President ashore.

Additional farm relief can be attained through consolidation of present inefficient local governmental units and consequent reduction of taxes, the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics has reported to Congress.

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FALL QUARTER BEGINS SEPTEMBER 17TH

C. W. DAUGETTE

PRESIDENT