

J. S. T. C. BEGINS FIFTY-FOURTH YEAR

DR. BECKMAN THRILLS CROWD IN NOVEL TALK

Students at the college Monday morning head a highly entertaining and original program. Reverend Beckman of Owensboro, Kentucky who is now holding a revival at the Presbyterian Church in Anniston had charge of the program.

After Dr. Beckman's introduction by Dr. Daugelette the student body sang "The Church in the Valley by the Wildwood." While the students were singing, he illustrated the song by a colorful chalk drawing of a steeped church in a quiet valley.

The subject that Dr. Beckman chose for his story was the old one of David and Goliath. His originality of expression, combined with a vivid personality, held the attention of the audience all through the talk. In his story the speaker stressed the fact that smallness of stature and physique does not matter, that it is the man inside that counts. He brought out the fact that David's parents and brothers all thought him too small to do anything; however, he fooled them. He killed Goliath with a slingshot, and, when he went to behead the giant, according to the speaker, the head fell off because the giant had no backbone. As you have guessed, the moral is "size does not count."

Listeners probably heard a good many expressions and illustrations that they had never heard before in a Biblical talk. On the whole, however, a great many laughs were provoked by those expressions.

As a suitable finish, Dr. Beckman, while singing a song with his wife accompanying, sketched another beautiful chalk drawing, showing his ability as singer and artist.

College Faculty Gets New Member

The faculty of the State Teachers College has been increased for the Fall term by the addition of Mr. J. M. Anders, a graduate of Jacksonville, who holds degrees from the University of Alabama and Duke University. Mr. Anders is connected with the history department. Mr. and Mrs. Anders are residing at Daugelette Hall. Mr. C. C. Dillon, former Howard College mentor, who holds a Masters degree from the University of Kentucky has been added to the corps of physical education instructors and is assisting with the football team. Mr. Dillon is married and has two children.

Miss Maud Wright, who has a master's degree from Louisiana State University, has taken over a supervisor's position at the demonstration school.

Among those attending the Alabama-Howard football game Saturday were Forrest Merritt, Paul Murphy, Ed Colvin, Daniel Hunter, and Azelle Carter.

Among the week-end visitors were Kermit Johnson and Alex Montgomery.

TEACHERS LINE-UP

The following line-up will probably open for Jacksonville, October 8 against Middle Tennessee Teachers.

Akers	LE
Felgar	LT
Greer	LG
Hand	C
Jones	RG
Ford	RT
Caldwell	RE
Britton	QB
Brooks	LHB
Hunter	RHB
Baker	FB

B. H. B. CLUB ORGANIZED

The latest addition to the social order of the campus took place last week with the organization of the B. H. B. (Broken Hearted Bachelors) club.

At its first meeting, Pete Mathews was elected president, Henry Lee Greer, vice president, Lamar Triplett, secretary and treasurer, Dan Hunter, reporter, and Lee Jones, cheer leader.

Other charter members of the club include: Rex Hooten, Malcolm Street, Dal Sewell, Boots Lovett, Edgar Sanders, and Ed Colvin.

It was voted that a crying session would be held in the basement of Forney Hall every Saturday night.

Any qualified male wishing to join this club must first present proper qualifications to the club and attend two crying sessions before being voted in.

Malcolm Brewer was voted in as an honorary member.

Jolly Accepts New Position

Milford Jolly, a junior and a resident of State Teachers College for the past three years, left yesterday for Five Points where he has accepted a position in the city schools.

Jolly, one of the most popular boys on the campus, was a member of the Teacola staff, and for some time has been connected with the circulation department of the Anniston Star.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ware and Mrs. C. F. Whorton of Gadsden were visitors at Daugelette and Weatherly Halls respectively Sunday afternoon.

TEACOLA STAFF SELECTED FOR ENSUING YEAR

The 1937 Teacola staff which will be responsible for the publication of the college student newspaper for the coming year has been named and has begun work on the paper. Miss Harolyn Franklin, a senior student from Samson, Alabama, has been selected as editor-in-chief. Miss Franklin, a leader in all student activities has been a member of the Teacola staff for the past three years and has been active in the work during that time.

Malcolm Street, of Gadsden, a junior, is taking over the new post of managing editor. He has also been a member of the Teacola staff for the last two years, having been business manager last term.

Business manager in charge of advertising will be Benny Steinberg, Jacksonville sophomore, who has seen some service in the newspaper field. Assisting Steinberg on the business end will be Hoke Rowan and Milford Jolly a freshman and junior respectively. Heading the sports department will be Rex Hooten from Ashland. Miss Eleanor Jane Johnston, senior from Birmingham has been named society editor. The following reporters round out the staff: Evelyn Sandlin, Nell Tennant, Willie Mae Muskett, Adrian Haon, Lloydene Franklin, Bennie Garmon, and Vesta Hill.

Forrest Merritt, college director of publicity, will act as adviser for the publication this year. The entire staff solicits the aid and co-operation of the student body in the attempt to give the students superlative coverage of news on the campus this year.

Dr. Wood Named

Dr. C. R. Wood, dean of Jacksonville State Teachers College here has been appointed a member of the Central Steering Committee of the Alabama Curriculum Committee by J. A. Keller, state superintendent of education, it was announced recently.

This committee is formed to study and revise the curricula of teachers colleges in the state.

Other members of the committee are to be Dr. C. B. Smith, president of Troy Teachers College; Dr. N. F. Greenhill, president of Livingston State Teachers College and Dean D. B. Collier, of Florence Teachers College.

"Keep Off The Courts Sans Tennis Shoes"

"We are urging all students of the college to cooperate with the Physical Education Department in its campaign to keep the tennis courts on the campus in tip-top condition" said Athletic Director J. W. Stephenson in an announcement here today. "Persons wearing shoes having heels are requested to STAY OFF the courts," continued Stephenson.

Playing facilities for tennis at Jacksonville have been increased and improved during the vacation period and NYA students are at-

tempting to maintain the splendid condition of the courts throughout the fall season. It is hoped that many of the college students will avail themselves of the opportunity to better their court game but players without proper shoes must be barred.

All courts on the campus are lined off for the very popular paddle tennis as well as the regulation net contests. The annual fall tournament is expected to be announced in the very near future and a large participating group is expected.

Dr. Nixon Addresses Student Body at Opening Session

U. D. C. Unveils Marker At Local Church

Col. Harry M. Ayers, publisher of the Anniston Star, was the principal speaker at the unveiling of a marker placed at the Jacksonville Presbyterian Church Monday afternoon by the John H. Forney chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

The church was used as a hospital during the War Between the States and the marker was placed in commemoration of that fact. A large attendance was noted with many of the college students watching the unveiling.

Aiding in making plans for the event was Mrs. C. W. Daugelette, assistant librarian of Stat Teachers College and state president of the U. D. C.

Teachers College Library Enlarged

In accordance with a program to spend \$10,000 a year for books to enlarge the library of the State Teachers College, 4,000 new books have been purchased by Mrs. Ramona Wood, librarian, and Mrs. C. W. Daugelette, assistant librarian. This makes a total of 22,000 volumes for the library, an improvement to be appreciated by students, teachers, and townsmen alike. New shelves are being built to accommodate them. Many valuable reference books on nearly every important subject will soon be available to students.

Training School Registers Students

The training school in connection with Jacksonville College registered students Tuesday 14. According to reports from supervisors, an unusually large number of students were enrolled in both elementary and high school.

Supervisors of the training school are: Miss Mary Huger and Miss Ferrell Bolton, first grade; Miss Ada Weir, second and third; Miss Ethel Randolph, fourth; Miss Fannie Bush, fourth and fifth; Miss Ethel Mitchell, fifth; Miss Louise Bullock, sixth.

The High School faculty is Mr. Reuben Self, Principal; Mrs. Sara McDonald; Robert Gilbert, English; Newburn Bush, Science; Thomas Shotts and Mrs. Amy Hooper, occupation; Mrs. Amy Hooper and Miss Eleanor Mapes, commercial; Horace Lee Stevenson and Miss Bill Nichols, Physical Education.

Forney Hall Dance Well Attended

The initial dance of the current season was sponsored by Forney Hall dormitory for men, and given at Bibb Graves Hall, Friday evening, September 24. The dance, a stag affair was well attended considering that it was the opening one. Music for the dance was furnished by the State Teachers College orchestra headed by Lamar Triplett.

The Jacksonville State Teachers College began its fifty-fourth year for the training of teachers on Monday, September 13.

Monday and Tuesday were given over to the orientation of Freshmen, the main event of which was a welcome address by Dr. Daugelette.

Among the entertainment given the Freshmen were a free movie sponsored by the Princess Theatre Tuesday Morning, the Freshmen party on Monday Evening, and the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. receptions held at Bibb Graves on Tuesday Evening. The various churches entertained with their annual receptions for all students on Wednesday Evening.

The formal opening of J. S. T. C. was climaxed Wednesday morning by an address delivered by Dr. Clarence Nixon, head of the history department of the University of Alabama, and a former graduate of Jacksonville.

After an invocation by J. Ivy Edwards, Dr. Nixon, an authority on the economic condition of the nation, and author of several books, among them, I Take My Stand, delivered his address, which he called "Machines—Spending—Teachers and their Inter-relation."

Dr. Nixon urged the "Mule and Forty-acres" farmers to unite their efforts in a cooperative basis to avoid being plowed under by "steel mules" as he termed machines.

Dr. Nixon denied the popular idea that the people of the United States were living about the national income in 1929. He supported his statements by quoting from the report of the Brookings Institute for that year. Dr. Nixon is an advocate of constructive leisure with the opportunity for everybody to secure an education and to continue that education through the years. In this way the people would develop their cultural possibilities and society would advance the forces of civilization. "Civilization consists of things we do not have to have, he states. It consists of those things that enrich, inspire and ennoble the lives of men."

Dr. Nixon stressed the importance of teachers facing the machine age and imparting the knowledge to students. He pointed out that especial emphasis should be placed upon human relations, saying that formerly more attention had been given to cultivation of stock rather than to the relation of man to his fellow men.

At the conclusion of the address, Dr. Daugelette presented a number of local citizens, including Messrs. C. E. Dondurant, John Nisbet, J. M. Woods, Cashier of the First National Bank, member of the college board and of the county board of revenue, M. A. Stevenson, Austin Johnson, and R. K. Coffee.

Miss Rhonwyn Sims gave a vocal solo, "Lindy Lou" and a trio composed of Misses Sims, C. Dell Davis, and Lou Ree Gregg sang, "Open Thine Eyes," Miss Ada Cur-

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READ THE ADS

How many of you readers of the TEACOLA read the ads sprinkled around through it? Ten to one odds that the number is suprisingly few!

Right now, students of this college are starting a campaign—a new kind of campaign, one in which every student here, young or old, married or single or divorced, will be interested. It is a campaign which every student who has an ounce of feeling of loyalty for this college will take part in. This campaign is a movement for every reader of the Teacola to read the ads in it and to trade with the people who advertise with us. I feel that I can't stress this too much.

We get the money with which to print and distribute your paper from the ads that we print; therefore we must have ads.

You know the fire of loyalty can be quenched and can be made to go out if there is no cooperation and no appreciation of the loyalty; thus, when the loyal merchants and friends of our college aid us by paying us good money to run their ads, they rightly feel that the students should give some return, should show their appreciation by picking the places which to trade that have contributed ads.

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AMONG THE NEW BOOKS

One who is either lucky or bold enough to get back stage in the library these fine fall days is to be envied. The joy of handling the colorful new books; the pleasure of viewing—from a safe distance—Mrs. Wood and the library staff, too busy to order one out; the thrill of being behind scenes among the initiated—these are real September triumphs. They soften a little, ones impatient desire to take out some fifteen beautiful volumes, catalogued or not, to revel in their luxuriousness, to caress them, and to gloat over their beauty.

If the artistic exteriors' red and brown and green and gold tempt one so greatly, what will be his ecstasy when turned loose to feed in the lush pasturage between the covers. Here are war and peace. Here are beauty and truth. Here is abundant life. From Chaucer to Millay, from Richardson to Young, from Marlowe to Shaw, this is goodly company.

Our excellent librarians with the able assistants have a task that would appall less valiant spirits. They have our sympathy along with our envy. Really we should all stay out of the stock room except of course, to feast our eyes upon the new books and to get material for editorials.

Views Of The Press

War or luxury? Great Britain in February voted to spend \$7,800,000 for armaments over a five-year period. Now she finds that she must spend much more. The cost of antimony has increased from \$385 to \$465 per ton; copper, \$265 to \$275; heavy scrap steel, \$18.75 to \$22.50; zinc, from \$105 to \$115. Steel ship plates a year ago cost \$46.75 per ton. They are now \$57. It is war or luxury?

Our small, but dynamic senator from Alabama seems to be making quite a furor in politics. What many people can't understand is why such a squall over something as dead and buried and stinking as the Ku Klux Klan is, should be made. I suppose that was the only thing our friends in Washington could unearth against an Alabamian and Southerner—and Black had already made too many enemies to be let alone. Too many others wanted the bench.

We understand that American customs officials are being forced to refuse young Americans passports to China, Japan, and Spain

because not having enough battles of their own to fight, they have to horn in on the other fellow's. Frantic mothers have wired bewildered officials to stop their offspring from hieing themselves to war. Once daught, the recalcitrant children are denied passports to any foreign country. Such energetic young men should find some less bloody outlet for their energy.

From all accounts, more things than the picture were exciting at the midnight show of the Dixie Land Theater for colored people. Near the end of the picture a one-seated car in which were three men passed in front of the "Harlem." Many white people were for sport, seeing the picture, "The Pace that Kills. As the car passed in front of the theater a bomb was hurled from the moving car—No, not nitro-glycerine, but a stink bomb. To quote one eye-witness, it smelled of "things done dead." Can it be that the Dixie Land Theater is keen competition?

Jacksonville Group Returns; Europe

Dear Mr. Editor:

At your request I shall give you a brief account of the European tour recently made with a party of five. Four members of our group, Miss Louise Bullock, instructor at the college, Joe Wilson, of Piedmont, now entering upon his third year as a student here, Felix Rutledge, of Anniston, enrolled here the summer of 1936, and I, were from Calhoun county. The fifth member of our party was Hubert Turner, of Carthage, Tennessee, who is now enrolled in the Senior Class of the famous old Webb School at Bell Buckle, Tennessee.

Since I am no longer occupied with the never ending job of acting as chauffeur, valet, garcon, interpreter, and guide in those foreign lands where only strange tongues are spoken, and with my untiring effort to satisfy Joe Wilson with his multiplicity of questions, I am free to comply with your wishes. I am sure you will be pleased to learn that Joe himself has found a remedy for his malady: "If you are not cured by making the voyage over on the Georgia, you should return on the Britannic." For the greater part of nine days on our return voyage Joe remained flat on his back in bed where he could only say from time to time: "I know what's the matter with me; it's the rocking of the ship. And, boy, I can't eat this English cooking, but just wait until we get back in the United States on terra firma, I am going to have a good old hot dog with a weiner in it, two of them, and an orange crush."

Aside from a slight mal de mer and Joe's and my dislike for snails, we remained unusually well and enjoyed a most delightful and profitable visit to France, Germany, Italy, Belgium, and England. We were favored by excellent weather, ravenous appetites, and an unquenchable zeal to see and do new things, and we feel that we left nothing undone in taking the fullest advantage of this rare opportunity.

In all, we traveled approximately seven thousand miles by automobile and six thousand by motor vessel. With careful observation and enthusiasm we visited the leading art galleries, museums, cathedrals, chateaux, and other monuments, as well as the battle fronts, the beautiful mountains, glaciers, lakes, and the Italian and French Riviera. After several weeks of city, village, and country life, we feel that we have acquired a broader understanding of and a more sympathetic feeling for our foreign neighbors. It was our unusual pleasure and privilege to be the guests of friends, on one occasion, in a Swiss chalet, on another, in a family of French peasants' farm home, then, on an immense estate, a vineyard, and finally, in the home of French friends for a delicious dinner—and what a dinner!

It was of great interest to us to see at first hand just how the Swiss chalet is constructed and how the Swiss live. As for the peasants, we learned that they raise, thresh, and grind their wheat, and bake their own bread. They work the cows which furnish them milk and butter. They have their own chickens for eggs and to eat. They raise enough grapes for their yearly supply of wine. The farm that we visited is not large, but the kind old soul, a widower and World War soldier for four years, and his son own their property. They live, for the most part, from what they raise at home. I have always known them to be kind, courteous, and sympathetic, in my estimation it

DR. NIXON SPEAKER AT OPENING SCHOOL

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tis played the accompaniment.

Dr. Daugette, who is beginning his thirty-eighth year as president of J. S. T. C. is being complimented upon his long and successful administration at "The largest and best teachers college in Alabama! This title is due to the wise guidance that Dr. Daugette has given the institution as its chief executive.

is that type of people who merit being called the salt of the earth. Independent? Very! And as happy as can be!

Then on the large estate where one million grape vines grow, and which produces several hundred thousand gallons of wine annually, we were shown how the land is irrigated, the vines cared for, grapes gathered and pressed, and the wine made and stored. We were invited to gather as many bunches of grapes as we could eat. Our eyes being larger than our stomachs, I am embarrassed to confess that those vines were lacking enough grapes to supply a skua of hungry soldiers.

And finally, the dinner! Well, Miss Bullock in her very charming manner expressed the sentiment of us all when she said on leaving, Madame, c'était un excellent diner. It was, and we were quite touched by the very hospitable reception accorded us in the home of those splendid French friends.

Realizing that it would take too much space in your paper to give a detailed account of all the unusually interesting things we saw and did, I shall conclude by stating that my companions were themselves unusual. They cooperated in every respect to help make of this a pleasant and educational tour, and coming to know them as I did, I am not surprised at the keen interest they manifested in seeing and learning all they could about the masterpieces in art, architecture, and in everything for which a trip of this nature should be planned.

With all good wishes, I am,
 Cordially yours,
 JAMES H. JONES.

Miss Katherine Cheatwood of Gadsden, was a recent visitor at the College.

Out of town people seen on the Campus last week-end were: Miss Cleo Lambert, Mrs. Nettie Giles Harper, G. I. Lovett.

Miss Catherine Savage spent last week-end in Ragland, Ala.

Misses Rachel Wheeler, Jean Howell, Louise McGilivray, Louise Beal, Martha Owens, Virginia Satterfield and Eleanor Jane Johnston spent last Saturday afternoon in Cedartown, Ga.

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Society News

Daugette Hall Holds Morning Watch

The girls and teachers of Daugette Hall met Sunday morning at 8:00 for their weekly morning watch service.

After Miss Trecie Minor read the scripture lesson and lead in prayer, Miss Douglass Olsen gave an inspirational talk. Following this, Miss Rhonwyn Sims accompanied by Miss Eleanor McClendon at the piano, sang a prayer, "Just for Today."

After several hymns, the meeting closed with the repeating of the "Watchword."

GREER NAMED CHAIRMAN OF SOCIAL COM.

At a meeting of all boys of Forney Hall, Mr. Gary, Professor of Science at J. S. T. C. and adviser and head of Forney Hall, welcomed all the Freshmen to the dormitory.

After his welcome address, a social committee was elected, headed by Henry Lee Greer as Chairman. He, in turn appointed as assistants Marshall Bush, Charles Matthews, and Adrien Haon.

Lou Ree Gregg House President

The girls of Daugette Hall met Monday night for the purpose of electing their house officers for the Fall Quarter. Mrs. Pitts had a program arranged composed of the following numbers:

Reading by Miss Caroline Robinson.

Solo by Miss Ruth Mae Ware.

Whistling Solo by Miss Evelyn Phillips.

Every one enjoyed the program and immediately after the presentation of the program, the floor was turned over to Miss Evelyn Page who presided until Miss Lou Ree Gregg was unanimously chosen for new president.

After Miss Gregg took charge the other officers were chosen.

Vice-president, Margaret Hinds. Secretary-treasurer, Elsie Spurlock.

Reporter, Edith Hestle.

Social Committee, Oleta Argo, Avon Jordon, Winifred Smartt.

Pianist, Eleanor McClendon. Chorister, Margaret Hinds.

Women's Glee Club Starts Activities

The Women's Glee Club of the State Teachers College held its first meeting on the new year Monday afternoon at Bibb Graves Hall. The meeting, a sort of get-together affair, was called to order by Miss Ada Curtiss, head of the College Music department, and director of the Glee Club.

Among the old members returning for the club this year are Rhonwyn Sims, Alta Millican, Lou Ree Gregg, Edith Street, Jarrell Carpenter, Elsie Hawkins, Eleanor McClendon, Margurite Posey, and Rachel Wheeler.

The new members added to the group were Hattie Smith, Evelyn Phillips, Eller Driskill, Opal Parker, Eleanor Simmons, and Grace Barnard.

The Glee Club will convene again this afternoon for the purpose of selecting officers for the ensuing term.

Y. W. C. A. Elects Officers

At a meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday morning, officers for the Fall quarter were elected. Miss Rhonwyn Sims, representative of Daugette Hall, took charge of the meeting, and the following students will serve as officers for the Young Womens Christian Association: President, Miss Rhonwyn Sims; vice president, Jewell Jackson; secretary-treasurer, Eleanor McClendon; Reporter, Elizabeth Jordan.

Mrs. Ada Pitts, matron of Daugette Hall, who has been sponsor for the Y. W. C. A. for several years, resigned her post. The new sponsor is Mrs. Dana T. Davis, matron of Weatherly Hall.

Plans for the organization's conference which is to be held October 8-10 at Camp Mary Munger with Birmingham-Southern acting as host, were discussed. It was decided that the local chapter should send two delegates to the conclave, the president and the vice-president, Misses Sims and Jackson, respectively.

The Y. W. C. A. is one of the oldest organizations on the campus and has for many years done a very effective work in the college. Elaborate plans for the coming year are being worked out according to those who are in charge.

W. A. A. NEWS

MARIE VAUGHN, Reporter

The W. A. A. (Women's Athletic Association) welcomes all former and new students! When a girl registers she becomes a member of this organization and is assigned by chance to one of the four women's athletic clubs. These are Achaeans, Aeolian, Dorian, and Ionian. The colors are blue, gold, green, and maroon respectively.

The purposes of the W. A. A. are to provide opportunities for all girls to take part in organized athletics, to encourage every one to enjoy and practice desirable recreational habits, and through participation to acquaint the women with the principles and practices in women's activities approved by leaders in this field.

Throughout the year the four clubs compete in various activities. At the end a loving cup is awarded the club with the highest rating.

The 1937-38 officers were elect-

ed last spring as follows. Achaeans: president, Grace Hamric; vice-president, Louise Ellis; secretary, Elsie Hawkins; treasurer, Elsie Spurlock — Aeolian: president, Mary Turner; vice president, Winifred Smartt; secretary, Elizabeth Luker; treasurer, Oleta Argo — Dorian: president, Rachel Wheeler; vice president, Jean Howell; secretary, Audrey Scott; treasurer, Flodia York — Ionian: president, Virginia Satterfield; vice-president, Marie Vaughn; secretary, Edith Street; treasurer, Sarah Ford.

These sixteen officers make up the W. A. A. Board which has charge of all the business of the association. The Board officers for this year are: president, Rachel Wheeler; vice president, Mary Turner; secretary, Virginia Satterfield; treasurer-social chairman, Jean Howell; reporter, Marie Vaughn.

The Board met Thursday afternoon, September 16, to plan the annual Fall rally and early Fall sports. The members decided to hold the rally the second Tuesday of the quarter instead of the third as in the past. It was voted that rally attendance, volley ball practices, and volley ball tournaments each would count toward the year's loving cup 10-7-5-2 points (10 points for the first place, 7 for second, 5 for third, and 2 for fourth) and that payment of fall dues (ten cents each for the quarter) would score 5-3-2-1 points.

The Board will have its regular meetings alternate Monday evenings at 6:15 in the Women's Physical Education room, number 18, of Bibb Graves Hall. The next meeting is September 27.

The annual rally was Tuesday afternoon, September 21. All met in front of Bibb Graves Hall and hiked to Germania Springs. Soon after arrival there was a program of welcome to the freshmen and an outline of plans of the association. Then, each club gave its color ceremony. Following this the members of each club assembled around a camp fire for supper. Thirty-one Dorians, twenty-six Ionians, twenty-three Aeolians,

eighteen Achaeans, (total of ninety-eight) and the faculty adviser, Miss Minnie Sellers, were present.

According to a custom of several years, the Wednesday following the rally was Color Day. Many of the women wore white and their club color emblems.

Volley ball practices for all clubs began Thursday afternoon, September 23, at 4:30 on the courts below Daugette Hall. These continue for five meetings every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. When the practices are completed, A consolation-elimination tournament will be held for the four club teams. First, the Achaeans and Aeolians play and the Dorians and the Ionians. Then, winners and loser play. Every girl, whether she knows nothing or much about volley ball, is invited to attend the practices. To be eligible for team, one must meet three or more of the official practices.

The volley ball managers and assistants are: Achaeans, Jacqueline Eden; Aeolian, Jarrell Carpenter and Martha Owen; Dorian,

Mr. Bennie Garmon visited Sylacauga, Alabama.

Mr. Hhomas Barnes spent the week-end in Jacksonville.

Meryl Millican and Jimmie Parrish; Ionian, Marie Vaughn and Bernice Gallant.

Present score of clubs: Dorian, 10; Ionian, 7; Aeolian, 5; Achaeans, 2.

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TEACHERS GRID WAR TO OPEN FRIDAY

Reserves To Tackle Snead Eleven at Boaz

The 1937 football season for the State Teachers College will be officially opened Friday evening at 8 o'clock when the State Teachers College "B" aggregation ties into the Praying Parsons from Snead Junior College at the field of the latter. The game will mark the opening of the grid wars for the charges of Coaches Shoots and Dillon and a great deal of interest is being shown over the coming contest. The Snead combination is rated as one of the strongest elevens in junior college circles and the contest is expected to tax the Reserves to the limit.

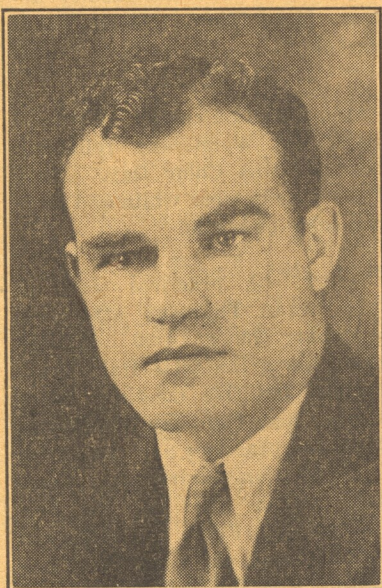
Competition for the varsity grid-ders will begin under the flood-lights at Murfreesboro, Tennessee October 8 when the Eagle-Owls will clash with the highly-touted Teachers from Middle Tennessee Teachers College. The opener will be the first official S. I. A. A. struggle for the Jacksonville team since its entrance into the conference late last year. The locals will be seeking revenge for the 12-0 licking which the Tennesseans plastered on them last year and will be attempting to make an auspicious S. I. A. A. debut.

The addition this year of C. C. "Dizzy" Dillon, former Howard College mentor, to the coaching staff has greatly aided the squad. Dillon, a veteran of the coaching game, has worked primarily with the linemen and has developed a comparatively green squad into a fighting machine. While the men still lack experience under fire much progress has been made in the past three weeks of rigid training.

Returning ten letter men from last year's roster, the coaches were nevertheless faced with the problem of replacing key men in both the line and backfield. Gone are such sterling performers as Baker and Maxwell, backs, and Hudson, Brown, Carter, and Bassett in the line. Aaron Hand, husky center, is back for another season of sparkling play at the pivot post. Hand will be understudied by Braxton Lecroy a reserve last year. The guards will be manned by two lettermen who have had considerable experience but who lack weight, Henry Greer and Herschel Jones. Jones opened a majority of the games last season and Greer was used rather frequently. Among the newcomers, the most likely to crash the starting lineup at guard is Theo Lauderdale, a rugged sophomore from Phillips High School. Lauderdale is green but very determined and likes the rough going.

The tackle berths will carry more weight than has been the case for a number of years. The veteran Forby Ford is back for heavy duty at the right side and has been showing great form this fall. Opposite Ford will probably be Bob Felgar, giant newcomer, whose 208 pounds more than offsets his inexperience. Pushing Felgar for the starting nod is "Swede" Machen, a red-headed sophomore, weighing 204. On the flanks will be Arnold Caldwell a starter at left end. Caldwell, the key man in the passing attack, reported weighing 197 this year and is looking forward to his greatest year. On the other end will be Shelton Akers, a converted center whose experience will give him the edge over Hulsey, Sewell, and Morrow, other wing candidates.

Operating behind this wall will be a quartet of fast-stepping



TOM SHOTTS

Pictured above is Tom Shotts, former Auburn football star who is head coach of the State Teachers College grid team. Shotts has been at Jacksonville for several years. He is being assisted this season by C. C. "Dizzy" Dillon, former Howard College coach and a veteran in the coaching field.

backs. "Great" Britton, the Akron whirlwind, is expected to get the signal-calling job in the opening battle. Willie Brooks, who will handle the passing chores and "Flash" Hunter will man the halves with Excell Baker holding down the fullback spot.

OWL GRID SCHEDULE

October 2—Middle Tennessee Teachers at Murfreesboro, Tenn.
October 9—Hattisburg State Teachers at Hattisburg, Miss.
October 16—Marion Military Institute at Jacksonville.
October 23—Piedmont College of Demorest, Ga., at Jacksonville.
October 30—West Tennessee Teachers College at Memphis.
Games pending are: Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn.; Cleveland Teachers College at Cleveland, Miss., and U. S. Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla.

Jax High Plays Ochattee Friday

The Jacksonville High School football team will open its home season Friday afternoon on the local field when they face the hefty Ochattee Indians. The Jacksonville team has dropped two close games to strong opponents this season and are expecting to break into the win column Friday. The Ochattee team was trimmed by Piedmont Friday but they have the potentialities of a winner and are going to shoot the works Friday.

One of the largest crowds ever to attend a grid contest in Jacksonville is expected to witness the game. The kickoff is slated for 2:30.

The probable line-up:
Jacksonville—Johnson, left end; Miller, left tackle; Haywood, left guard; Thomas, center; Myrick, right guard; J. Johnson, right tackle; Kendall, right end; McNeal, quarterback; Farrell, left half; Steel, right half; Cowden, fullback.

Miss Elsie Hawkins spent the week-end with Miss Elouise Hughes in Weatherly Hall.

Roster of the Jacksonville State Teachers College Football Team

Name	Prep School	Position	Weight
Arnold Caldwell	Sylacauga	End	197
Shelton Akers	Guin	End	172
Jerry Hulsey	Union Grove	End	159
Elvis Morrow	Weedowee	End	166
Troy Sewell	Pisgah	End	171
Robert Felgar	Jacksonville	Tackle	208
Forby Ford	Hackleburt	Tackle	180
"Swede" Machen	Millerville	Tackle	203
Henry Lee Greer	Gadsden	Guard	162
Theo Lauderdale	Phillips	Guard	176
Herschel Jones	Kennedy	Guard	165
Aaron Hand	Heflin	Center	189
Braxton Lecroy	Isabella	Center	172
Francis Britton	Akron	Back	150
Willie Brooks	Alex City	Back	157
Excell Baker	Crossville	Back	173
Daniel Hunter	Jeffcohi	Back	165
Emmett Plunkett	Douglas	Back	160
Wallace Nabors	Glencoe	Back	144
Rex Hooten	Ashland	Back	130
Murray Fredrick	Hackleburt	Back	149
Ollie Russom	Corner	Back	167

Coaches—Tom Shotts (Auburn) head coach; C. C. Dillon (Howard) line coach. Colors—Purple and White.

HIGH SCHOOL GRID DOCKET

Sept. 17—Glencoe at Glencoe.
Sept. 24—Ranburn at Ranburn.
Oct. —Ohattee at Jacksonville.
Oct. 8—Open.
Oct. 15—Alexandria at Jacksonville.
Oct. 22—Piedmont at Piedmont.
Oct. 29—Oxford at Oxford.
Nov. 5—Lincoln at Lincoln.
Nov. 12—Albertville at Albertville.
Nov. 19—Hokes Bluff at Hokes Bluff.

Miss Bush Returns; Voyage To Tropics

Miss Fanny Bush, instructor at Jacksonville S. T. C. and a supervisor at the training school has just returned from a vacation in the tropics. After setting sail on S. S. Sixaola at New Orleans, she visited first Havanna then Christobal. From the Panama Canal she crossed the Isthmus to Balboa and Panama City. After seeing the Pacific coast, she went back to Christobal. Miss Bush states one of the highlights of the trip was the bazaars there at Colon.

While at Almirante, Panama the group took a trip into the jungles where hundreds of beautiful flowers such as orchids and hibiscus grew wild on trees. They saw the natives gathering coconuts and bananas to be sent back on the Sixaola. They had the experience of eating various tropical foods prepared by the ship steward.

Miss Bush stated, "The population is made up chiefly of Spanish-speaking people; there are some Hindus." She also gave an interesting account of her visit to the native schools. According to Miss Bush, boys and girls go to school separately. There are only six high schools in the country. Teachers are very rarely able to speak English. All colors of people go to school there. The children are taught religion, sewing, cooking, manual training, art, music, etc. They are, she said, "exceptionally well-behaved." The teachers especially teach cleanliness. Miss Bush stressed the great possibilities in that part of the world that we have overlooked to a large extent. She states emphatically that there is a great need for a relationship between our country and theirs, that both countries could benefit greatly from closer contact with the other. That is the end to strive for.

Turner Prexy Of Town Girl's Club

The Town Girl's Club, an organization for the college girls who reside in town, met in the auditorium Wednesday morning for the purpose of electing their officers for the fall quarter of this school year. The officers elected were:

President, Mary Turner; vice president, Marguerite Posey, secretary, Jarrel Carpenter; treasurer, Clara Mae Hendrix; Reporter, Mildred Presley.

No special plans for their social for the fall quarter were made, but it is hoped that it will be a dance.

Mr. Henry Greer and Mr. Aaron Hand spent the week-end in Heflin, Alabama.

Thursday and Friday
WARNER BAXTER
WALLACE BEERY

—in—
"SLAVE SHIP"
with Elizabeth Allan

One Day Saturday
JACK HOLT

—in—
"TROUBLE IN
MOROCCO"

—also—
Charlie Chase Comedy
Popeye Cartoon

Mon. Tues. and Wed.
GARY COOPER
GEORGE RAFT

—in—
"SOULS AT SEA"
—with—
FRANCES DEE

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Frosh Footballers Look Good In Workouts

The Freshmen gridders of the State Teachers College are improving steadily under the coaching of C. C. Dillon and are expected to be one of the strongest Frosh units among State Teachers Colleges in Alabama by the close of the present season. Heavy scrimmages against the varsity have aided greatly in whipping the "Rats" into shape.

Among the outstanding candidates for the yearling eleven are Ed Hudson, husky half back, E. Hudson, 180 pound tackle, and Hill, another tough lineman.

No definite announcement concerning the opening game for the team has been made as yet but some word concerning the schedule will be forthcoming shortly.

Miss Daisy McKinnon, teacher at Munford, spent the week-end here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Maude McKinnon.

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