Freshmen Represent New Cycle For Registrar's Office

By Lawrence Miles

We, like all the rest of Jacksonville, are eagerly awaiting the arrival of our students—both old and new—for the first semester this fall. But unlike some of the others, we get a particular satisfaction out of witnessing the freshman crop for it symbolizes the beginning of a new cycle in our work. Everyone delights in seeing his job taken on a finished form, for whatever one starts, one desires to finish and finish well. The entering freshmen are given their start by our office; we record their happenings (and who would be surprised if information is reflected in the grades), and then we graduate them. Graduation is the happy time. That is when our satisfaction comes in. Our work ends happily.

Freshmen, in the registrar's office welcome you. This is the place; the record is still a blank sheet of paper. Help us to write on that record only those things of which we can be proud. Make the end result a happy one.

You are a big challenge as the four years stretch out ahead of you. Be assured we will stand ready to help you every foot of the way. That is our dedicated purpose.

Calendar of Events

Enrolling Freshmen
Tuesday, Sept. 6—9:00 a. m.
All freshmen must report to one of the following rooms in Bibb Graves Hall: 297, 313, 321, 377, 374, 275, 269.
Tuesday, Sept. 6—2:00 p. m.
All freshmen must report to the College Auditorium in the high school for assembly.

President Cole Greets Students

To the students:

We are beginning this year the seventy-third year in the history of this college. Over the years, this growth has been constant and consistent. During the coming year we shall have the largest enrollment in the history of the college.

You are becoming a part of the college life on this campus. No doubt you have learned to love the college and in the years ahead you will remain a part of it as happy and profitable.

We suggest that you study hard and participate in some student organization. It will be greatly to your advantage in future years if you will apply yourself and get the most out of your college experience.

We welcome you to our campus.

Sincerely yours,

Houston Cole
President

Evening Session Expecting Large Student Body

The Evening Session began on Wednesday night, Aug. 31, on the campus. The enrollment is expected to be large and many of the rooms in the dormitories have been painted, the new science building will be open for the first time, and the Administration Building will become a dormitory for junior and senior girls. The new addition to Pattons Hall will be completed and was put into partial use in the summer.

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Methodist Church To Hold Reception For New Students

An open-house, and get-acquainted party will be held Wednesday night for all Methodist preference students. It is sponsored jointly by the Wesley Foundation (the Methodist student group on the campus) and the First Methodist Church. The party will be held at the church at 7:00 p.m.

The church is located five blocks south of the campus, just behind the post office. The party is held for all Methodist preference students, but new students on the campus will be the guests of honor. This is an excellent opportunity for new students to get acquainted with the older students who are active in the Wesley Foundation and the church.

Offices of the Wesley Foundation for the coming year are Bill Powell, president; Dewey Buhdridge and Carol Ratliff, vice-presidents; Forrest Faulkner, secretary; Delatha Miller, treasurer; and Miss Alta Millican, faculty advisor.

Chapel Group Doing Well

A Chaplain Committee was established at Jacksonville during April of this year to raise funds for the erection of a new church and the new campus. During the past four months, the committee was responsible for raising more than half of the approximate $15,000 cost of the building.

The New Look at Jacksonville—The newest addition to the campus is the 175-foot smoke stack. Along side is the old stack which is 119 feet high. The heating equipment of the new furnace will provide hot water for all dormitories and will furnish heat for all the buildings on the campus. An average of 108 tons of coal per month will be used in the new furnace. At time of this picture the stack was not completed.

Class Officers To Be Elected On Friday, September 23rd

Thirty-two class officers are scheduled to be selected by the student body on Friday, September 23, in the usual election that will provide the able of Jacksonville's student government.

Sixteen of the newly-elected officers will serve as members of the 1953-54 Student Council, which decides many of the policies governing the student activities here.

Qualifying will begin this week and will end on Friday, September 16, according to an announcement made by Edward Davison, SGA president. The candidates will have one week to do their campaigning. Any necessary run-off election will be held during the regular election.

The annual class elections are sponsored by the Student Government Association, and candidates can obtain qualifying petitions from Davidson, Joe Craig, Martha Terry, or Jimmy Tidmore any time before next week's deadline. The petitions must be returned to Miss Terry, SGA secretary, by 3:30 o'clock on Friday, September 16.

The class officers to be elected include a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, two SGA representatives, a social chairman, and a reporter from each of the four classes. The president, SGA treasurer, and the social chairman of each class shall serve on the Student Council for one year.

The necessary qualifications and the studies for each of the offices is explained in the Student Handbook. Every prospective candidate has been urged to read these regulations.

All class officers must be willing to work hard and must be ready to accept responsibilities.

Collegian To Hold Staff Meet Thurs.

Editorial and promotion policies for the new school year will be outlined at the initial meeting of the Collegian staff to be held on Thursday, according to Editor Bob Croby.

Plans will be made for a complete coverage of student activities, and the organization and class reporters are expected to play an important part in the new policies.

Thursday's meeting will be limited to regular members of the Collegian staff, and will be followed by a general meeting of all organization and class reporters on September 26.

Members of the regular Collegian staff will be announced as soon as all of the positions are filled. The editor is now looking for responsible freshmen and seniors who are interested in positions as reporters or feature writers.

The students who are accepted can gain valuable experience in reporting and editing and will be in a position to accept key positions on the staff at a later date.
Flask—Signals from the Bra- mine a call for action to re- for an important announcement. The signals are ideal all year, young children, for the artist, young people, for the clubbings, students, and you, even for the thoughtful, dedicated reader. From the book Building a Successful College Career by Homer L. J. Cards we have found these lines on how to succeed in college. Mrs. Carter says that if you wish to build a successful college career you should "learn to love your college" way, plan a work-study sched- ule, learn how to take effective notes, develop skill in reading, learn how to prepare a pre- assigned, learn how to prepare for and write examinations, and develop skill in preparing and giving a short talk.

Now, we know you can not follow all of these suggestions without additional help, so we have prepared a display for you in the library. This display is entitled Start Right and is made up of ideas that are full of useful information for college students. Here are a few of the titles Collected Under Year by Sibbord, So This Is College by Flinn, Studenting and Laurellise by Mason, and Writing a Term Paper by Lacey. If you have read these books and have them given in these books, we will guarantee your success in the realm of how to win grades and improve teachers.

We will now show you how to Succeed and offer you a free gift for you. The desk ask for your copy of the bulletin handbook your Key to the Lib- rary.

In this age of hurry and flurry, we are trying to streamline the library procedures. In other words, we make it easy for everyone, student and library materials. Materials are in the library for you to use, however, there are rules, and we are always in the library. Reserve books are shelved in the desk and should be called for by author and title—and be sure to read the rules pertaining to reserve books on the card in the book pocket. Books from the shelves may be checked out for two weeks—and please, honor, and couple the their figures stumped in the borrowed books. This is the only way we are going to consider that you have grown up, and we will not send daily reminders of overdue books. The first overdue will be sent after a book is a week overdue, to help others, as well as prevent possible fees by returning materials before it overdues.

We have a good college lib- rary and we know you will want to use it and want to keep it a quiet center for individual study and reading. We are sorry that the library

12 New Teachers Added to Faculty

MISS CLAIRE COX

MRS. ROY GIBSON

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MISS AVALINE PATTON

MRS. DOUGLAS JOHNSON

MISS DORIS BENNETT

MISS TERESA MILLER

DR. LUKE SMITH

DR. HAROLD STRICKLAND

Five students return from Shelby, Mich., youth camp


Camp Miniwanca is located in Oceana County, Michigan, eleven miles from the village of Shelby and thirty-eight miles from the city of Manistee. The camp is in the heart of the great Michigan fruit and wooded sand dune country on the shores of Lake Michigan.

There is a hugh concrete playground marked for tennis, shuffleboard, volleyball, and captain bath. Waterfront equip- ment at Bayley Lake is unusually complete, including sail boats, canoes, rowboats, docks and a steel diving tower.

The campers live in tents which have wooden floors and double canvas sides.

The students report that their stay at the camp was very interesting and educational. At a day's schedule included a discussion group on "Christian Ideals", two hours of choice ac- tivity including, swimming, tennis, drumming, sailing, and nautical studies, an assembly period, instruction in sunning, games and a rest hour. The day's plan also included time for sunning on the beach, three hours for meals and talking with other students, and a brief evening service.

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New amendments provide better class representation

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I. H. Begins Tenth Progressive Year

Roster Includes 13 International Students for Jax

The roster of international students for the International House program at Jacksonville State College has been compiled by Dr. J. H. Jones, director of the program.

This year, students from 13 foreign countries will be represented with one student from each. All the students were carefully selected by personal representatives of the program, selected by the U.S. Embassy.

The new students will include the following:

- EUI Cho, Seoul, Korea: daughter of a government minister. Miss Cho was selected by J. H. Cook, principal of the East Gadsden High School and will be sponsored by the French Commission in East Gadsden. She is the third member of her family to be brought to this country by Dr. Cook.

- miguel valdes, Cuba: a 17-year-old boy of Havana, Cuba. Son of a banker, he was chosen by Benjamin Cintron of Florida State University. Miss Cho is one of the seven students to arrive in the U.S. more than all your generous efforts in the field of international diplomacy.

- marie-claire bernard, Cuba: daughter of a perfume manufacturer. Marie-Claire is sponsored by a commandant in the French Army, who is sponsored by American Legion Post No. 1 in Paris.

- Jacques Hermia, Liege, Belgium, daughter of a perfumer manufacturer. M. Claire Prunet Committee in Belgium, who is sponsored by a commandant in the French Army.

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The Gooden Times printed an article recently concerning the Koreans who arrived in the neighboring city of Camp Clancy two weeks ago.

The article follows:

Miss Cho is a resident of Seoul. Her father is a handsome goober from Young Nai Presbyterian Church in Seoul, which has a membership of 4,000.

She was born in North Korea. When the Communists invaded Seoul in 1950 her father was forced to flee. Since then the Communists have been in control of Seoul.

She attended the University of Seoul and was the leader of a group of Christian, college students.

When the Communists captured Seoul in 1950 her life was in danger because of her Christian activity. She managed to elude their forces and was forced to flee. She and her younger sister were taken by their mother to the mountain tops where they lived for eleven years, praying and reading their Bibles constantly. Their mother would slip out to the mountain Tops of Switzerland to do her work, making the eight hour trip on foot.

They were forced to leave this place because Communists soldiers came to the mountains to escape United Nations Army and the Communists were afraid they would be found. They went to their brother's house in Seoul and Miss Cho disguised herself as a merchant.

Her father was in the southern part of Korea preaching at the time of the invasion, and was not allowed to re-enter Seoul. He was captured by the Communists and beaten almost to death, then released because he was too old to be of any use to them. During the second invasion of Seoul her entire family fled South.
Jacksonville R.O.T.C. takes honors at summer training

Harold E. Stubble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Stubble, Pinson, shared fourth among 1,200 cadets in the six-week summer camp for ROTC students at Fort Benning, Ga. Stubble was selected as the outstanding Jacksonville cadet among the 29往外 standing the camp.

This was the first time Jacksonville cadets have attended the General Military Science Reserve Officers Training Corps in previous years they have gone to the artillery encampment at Fort Benning. Last year Jacksonville cadets captured the highest honors and the ranking cadet at Fort Benning this year with 40 per cent of the group in the upper 25 per cent of the entire cadet encampment of 1,369.

The potential officers underwent a 288-hour training course designed to equip them to lead small units under any circumstances; emphasize the high-moral ability throughout the course.

Members of the staff attending the camp say that the idea has spread among the cadets to Fort Benning with Lt. Col. A. W. Harvey, commanding officer, and Maj. Nathaniel P. Thompson and Capt. Floyd D. Ransley.

The cadets included Earl W. Alldrup, Jr., Jacksonville; Don Budiger, Byram; Paul E. Calhoon, C. G. Harrison, Jacksonville; Larry H. Lyss, Alco; C. Raynolds, Jr., and Merle L. Wad, Jacksonville; Joe W. Craig, Owens Cross Roads; Thomas E. K. Stubbles, Jacksonville; William B. Tucker, Colfax; Thomas H. Waitvilt, Birmingham; Albert W. Vester, Leesburg.


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Jacksonville quarters were circu-lated that his thinking with respect to religion and philos-ophy were not sound. If the par-ents had any foundation, the representatives of the International House Program and association with the group there made a definite change in his attitude.

Hanna Metelev, a young Jewess of a D.P. family from Poland, who was a student here, wrote Dr. Jones: "I returned from Israel only recently. This summer I had a chance to apply many things that I learned in the International House. Among them was no need to accept young people of different nationalities in a natural and manner-of-fact way and to be interested in their background. At one time I shared my hotel room with two Russians. It was a wonderful experience. And then my French came in quite handy, and it made me feel less of a tourist."

Two sisters from Belgium, Lily and Francine Cullote, have been students at the Interna-tional House. The older sister, Lily, wrote to Francine to Dr. Jones, "Friends have readjusted herself quite well to Euro-pean life. Her major at Jack-sonville has helped her a great deal. It has broadened her out-look and made her better understand-stands your country which she admires and Beasts of all her friends. She is a member of a small group of students which meets every week at the Uni-versity to talk about in the American personality, in dis-cuss problems of your country and to speak English. In this group these are other students who also have gone to America but no one of them has kept such a happy memory as we have...For them there was no international house...no second home, no acquaintances with young students in sur-roundings like a family, no trip to Florida or invasions from

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either into any of the courts of the Lord in this community.
God bless all who teach and all who serve in any administration or other capacity in our schools, and be it is impossibility of heart they may ever look upon the Lord, who are the Fountain of all wisdom.
To give an eternal in the people. We must be the house of God in America, God is everybody, and everywhere is, so 'God bless us every one.'"

Each year Religious Emphasis Week comes to us to help us encourage the stu-dent away from home, to keep in touch, and to strengthen the moorings that at home hold us more readily to our own form of organized religion. The emphasis personal ev-a-na tive required when away from home-especially for the first time—is more readily stimulated by Religious Emphasis Week. Use this opportunity, not as an end in itself, but as a potent means of establishing yourself in your religion, dur-ing your sojourn away from home, be that for a shorter or longer period of time.

Then, too, may we all, heart-ily and unstintingly, give our moral and practical support to those who in the coming year build a chapel on the campus—as a house of prayer for all people. What a splendid witness and chal-lenge to the place religion would hold in our education if such a building itself furnish, to any nothing of the inestimable spiritual power that would ever radiate from its constant use. May this long time dream of many of us speedily become a reality. "A for a closer walk with God."

Calm and heavenly frame,
A light to shine upon the road
That leads not to the Lamb;
So shall my walk be close to God.

Calm and green my frame;
So lighter shall mark the road.

That leads me to the Lamb.'"

intelligent and kind people..." American students who have been a part of the program have done well for themselves. Also, C. L. Mungaret, of Ariz-theon, has completed his third year on a teaching fellowship at the University of California at Los Angeles, where he is learning in French. Tomaso Wateco, also of Ariz-theon, is studying in Russian and book by book fellowship at the University of Washington, has received off-ers from the University of California at Berkeley, the University of Illinois, Brown Uni-ersity and Harvard. He has also a Fulbright scholar-ship after graduating here. (He has accepted an assistantship in French at the U. of California to work on his docto-rate.)

Samuel Minn of Glanton had a fellowship at Tulane University and graduated from the Army language school at Monte-tery, Calif. Martha Elton MacFadden of Glanton is in Eu-rope on a Fulbright scholar-ship; Dan Traylor of Godwin has a teaching fellowship at the University of Alabama since returning from service in Korea. Many others have taken positions in various language fields.

Fernand Marty, a member of the group of foreign lan-guage students who came from France, is a member of the faculty of the University of Tennessee at Middlebury College, Middle-berry, Vermont—the most ele-mentary language school in the country.

BAYONET TRAINING—Cadet Calvin L. Smith, (left) (Jacksonville State College), Vincent, and Cadet James C. Spragby (University of Chattanooga) prepare to go into the long with the bayonet during an individual training at the 1955 General Military Science Reserve Officers Training Corps Summer Camp at Fort Benning, Ga.
Special Honor
Sherman Receives Special Certificate At Graduation

Harry Sherman, Anthropology senior, became the first student to complete the "Distinguished Achievement" at Jacksonville State College. The award was presented during the Summer graduation exercises.

The unprecedented award was presented for the college's "outstanding student" by Dr. Houston Cole, president of the college. The award marks...

"To Whom It May Concern,
...

HARRY SHEPHERD

The award winner will enter the University of Tennessee in September, where he has been accepted by the Regional Science Foundation assistantship in botany.

Program For Lab Schools Announced

The Jacksonville Laboratory Schools are currently striving to keep in step with the rapidly expanding program and the growth of the college. The building...,

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On the chartered bus to Chattanooga. Attend the Jax-Nooga Game

SEE ANY STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICER FOR RESERVATIONS

Students Employed At Ridgecrest Camp

Ridgecrest, August 9–10. Harry Logan Sherman has been teaching in the high school of Seoul, where is interested in the American way of life and wants to learn about everything. Her optimism and alertness in the few days she has been here indicate that she will not only learn everything she can about America, but she will be an inspiration and will endear herself to all who come in contact with her.

Her years in this country...,

INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARS
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Prospects Bright For New Gamecock Football Season

Facing what is probably the roughest schedule yet, Jacksonville's Gamecocks took to the gridiron today in preparation for their ten-game slate which gets underway September 16th with Coach "Scrappy" Moore's potent University of Chattanooga Gamecocks. Although this year's squad is somewhat smaller than the usual Jax tenacious, an air of optimism prevailed as at least one trainer was on hand for each position.

During the last Spring training sessions Coach Don Salls made some changes which he hopes will work out to good advantage. Freddy Casey who was a right half on the 1954 squad was shifted to quarter back along with Carl Harrison, a former left half Joe Roberts, an erstwhile tackle, moved in a notch and performed well at guard. Another switch was made in Johnny Johnson, who went from end to center.

Pundits, this year's aggregation should go a little better than the '54 edition, as to a number of the boys have put on a little weight. Also, the recent shoppers tendency is to add a little lift to the lineup.

By position, the old timers came in about this line: Bill Clark (Attalla), Ray Burgess (Gadsden), Joe Roberts (Vance), Bob Johnson (Taylor County), Joe Bowers (Blountville), and Wayne Murdock (Wheat Grove).

Jax coaches Don Salls, Ray Wedgeworth, and Tom Roberson plus a two-day a-men for their charges until the opening of school. They then revert to the regular one practice session a day routine. Salls plans to start scrimmages as soon as possible and hold at least one night session before the season actually gets underway.

By way of comment, Salls stated that he felt this year's squad was probably the next versatile group that he has ever coached. Most of them know fundamentals and are able to adapt themselves to the given situation. Thus, in the case of this, the Gamecocks will likely show a more wide open offense than heretofore and will also likely use a more varied number of defenses.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 16 Chatta-nooga (Tenn.)
Sept. 24 Murfreesboro College
Oct. 1 Carson-Newman Home (Tenn.)
Oct. 3 Clinton College
Oct. 8 Cullinsville (Ga.)
Oct. 15 Athens (Ga.)
Oct. 22 Athens (Ga.) Homecoming
Oct. 29 South Georgia (Lakeland, Fla.)
Nov. 12 Florence Home
Nov. 18 Charleston (S.C.)

1955 Gamecock Roster

Bill Clark 175 6 Sr. 2 Atalla
Bill Burgess 185 6 Jr. 1 Alexandria
Tom Burch 180 6 Jr. 0 Statesboro
Joe Burke 180 6 Fr. 0 Lincoln
Joe Basinger 180 6 Jr. 1 Lineville
Alex Manford 185 6 Jr. 0 Jacksonville
Bobby Johnson 180 6 Fr. 0 Jacksonville
Bill Comer 180 6 Jr. 0 Jacksonville
Bill Mulligan 185 6 Fr. 0 Jacksonville
Bill Spencer 180 6 Jr. 0 Jacksonville

BUREAU OF TACTICS—These three Gamecock football coaches will direct Jacksonville's most promising team in several years through a tough ten-game schedule this fall. They are: Don Salls, Head Coach; Tom Roberson, assistant line coach; and Ray Wedgeworth, line coach.

Jacksonville 1955-56 basketball team will begin practice sessions two weeks this week in preparation for the big season opener against Athens on December 1.

Coach Tom Roberson will build his new team around a solid nucleus of six of last year's Gamecocks, including Captain Tim Richey. The big forward was one of the mainstays on the 1955 squad which ran rampant through most of a tough schedule.

Returning with Richey will be the Gamecocks' four guards, Buddy Moye and Joe Ingraham; both are good floor men and should work exceptionally well with a big of experienced tall men under the basket.

The trio of "old-timers" include Bryan Yale, the boy who looked especially promising as a '54, big Joe Craig, a consistent scorer and excellent board man, and Larry Overall, the Piedmont product who should come into his own this year in the back.

Spring and summer recruiting pitched up several of the state's outstanding high school talent including Lexie Ralph, who was a star at St. Bernard Jr. College last year; Gerald Grogan from Lincoln, and Don Wilson from Gadsden. These boys are expected to make up a strong reserve for the team.

Below is the hesitant schedule of the '55 year's squad which ran rampant through most of a tough schedule.

It is being published for the student's benefit and in hopes that the students will give the team the support that it deserves.

December 1, Alabaster (Tenn.)
Dec. 6, Livingston (here)
Jan. 13, Florence (here)
Jan. 20, Troy (Tenn.)
Jan. 24, Athens (Ga.)
Jan. 25-28, County Tournamentcurtain.
Jan. 31, Athens (Ga.)
Feb. 2, Berry (Tenn.)
Feb. 4, Athens (Ga.)
Feb. 7, Florence (here)
Feb. 11, Chattanooga (Tenn.)
Feb. 14, Athens (Ga.)
Feb. 17, Troy (Tenn.)
Feb. 21, Pensacola (Fla.)
Feb. 28-March 3, District Tournament.

Drills Begin; Nooga First

Jacksonville's Gamecocks began practice on Tuesday, September 7th, and the team is one of the most promising ever to wear the Jacksonville colors.

Fifty boys turned out for the first day of practice, and the soonest to loosen up.

Starting today the team will practice three times this week, however, these drills will be held in full practice-pace with pads on. The heavy work is expected to be in excellent shape for the opening game with Chattanooga.

Jacksonville will be the underdog in this game but will probably have some surprise in store for the Moccasins.

Coach Don Salls says of this year's team, "This is the finest squad we have had, in terms of being mentally alert, passing good condition, and of having the desire to play and to win." Salls further stated that he hopes for student and faculty support equal to that of last year's contest between Jacksonville and Florence.

SGA is sponsoring a bus to carry the students to the game and some of the other games away from home. This will be one of the more interesting things and will be within the financial range. Remember, a trip to Chattanooga means a chance, too, to see famous Lookout Mountain and Chickamauga Park, as well as the opening game of the Southern Conference.

It is the hope of the faculty, student body and SGA sponsors to have a solid school support for this game. Jacksonville is capable of having a

Your support means a lot to the students and the school in its participation with one of the SGA officers today.