

Williams, Conway Win In Run-Off Election

SGA Report To The Voters

By Kay Kirkland

After the long day of voting and tabulating April 3, SGA held its regular meeting. Ottis Williamson, election committee chairman, reported that 810 people had voted during the day. The council was told that there had been some cases of students voting twice, and one boy was caught. This, of course, is a serious offense, and a special SGA meeting was held Monday, April 3, at which the boy was asked to explain his actions.

Since his was not the only case, and he had apparently mis-voted unintentionally, the boy was not penalized, but was released with a warning. Precautions were taken to see that no person could vote twice in the run-off election on April 8.

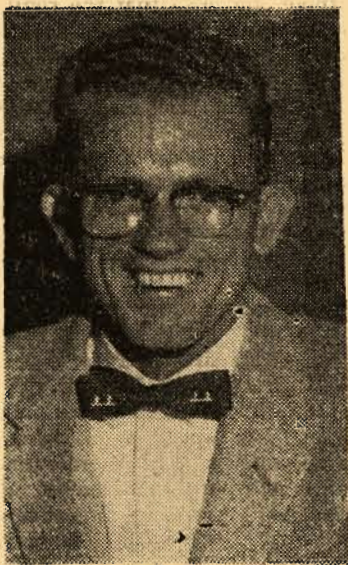
The newly-elected SGA officers were present at the meeting and were introduced to the Council. Betty Alverson, new Mimosa editor, was given permission to appoint a busi-

ness manager for the annual, since no one was elected for the office.

President Tommy McManus announced that there will definitely be no Spring Fiesta this year, but plans are being made for a school picnic. A committee of six, headed by Bobby Kennamer, are in charge of the picnic, which is scheduled for May 15.

You Grab-haunters, watch for signs of improvement in there. Painting and decorating should be going on soon.

"Independent" editor, Glenn Hewitt, reported that more investigation has been done about the Hungarian Student Plan. Approximately \$1000 will be needed to support a one-year scholarship for the student. If a drive is carried out, every person on Jax campus will be asked to give what he can for the success of this program. Student support is very much needed.



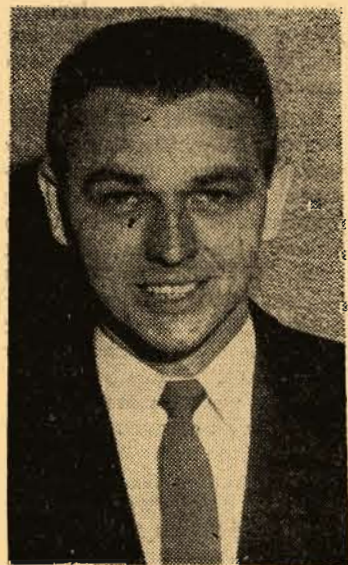
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... president



OPHELIA CONWAY

... secretary



BOBBY KENNAMER

... vice-president



RICHARD BELCHER

... treasurer



BETTY ALVERSON

... Mimosa editor



BILL BROWN

... circulation manager

By Lynn Dyer

At four p. m. on Tuesday afternoon, many eager students gathered on the first floor of Bibb Graves to await the final tabulation of votes in the SGA race. Joe Methvin, the dark-horse candidate of the primary voting, mingled among the students, his face at last showing evidence of the strenuous campaign he had presented over the period of the past few weeks. Dressed nattily in grey tweeds he looked like a man ready to take over a big job or ready to accept defeat in case the majority of the votes were cast for his opponent.

Not far away stood good-natured Curtis Williams in a light suit which seemed to accentuate his red hair. Although surrounded by confident admirers, his face did not reveal the same confidence. Being the type of person he is, he did not underestimate the strength of the votes cast in the primary for his opponent. He had campaigned hard and diligently and having put forth his best effort toward the job he wanted so badly, there was nothing else to do except wait those last long moments while the votes were being counted.

The last votes were tallied and a tremendous roar shook the walls of Bibb Graves. A broad smile broke across the face of Curtis Williams as strong hands gripped him in congratulation. Williams had won the SGA presidency by more than a hundred votes! Joe Methvin was one of the first to congratulate the new president and echoed the sentiments of a good loser with the statement: "It was an honor to have represented the students as a candidate for the presidency of the SGA and I wish to thank all members of the student body who voted in my behalf."

Congratulations to you Curtis Williams. You have been elected to a big job and may you be ever mindful of your obligation to the student body that chose you as its leader.

Other SGA officers elected were: Bobby Kennamer, vice president, Scottsboro; Ophelia Conway, secretary, Isabella; and Richard Belcher, treasurer, Roanoke.

Sadie Hawkins

Week Successful

By Fay Blackwood

A very successful week of legal female pursuit of the Lil' Abner sex reached a climax and conclusion last Thursday night. The "Jacksonville Dog-patch days" consisted of dances, a guinea chase, bingo games and finally a night of square dancing and comedy.

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Alverson, Brown To Head 1958 Yearbook "Mimosa"

Officers for the 1957-58 Mimosa were chosen in an easy contest during SGA elections last week. Unopposed for the position of Editor was Betty Alverson, a sophomore from Munford, Alabama. With a good bit of annual experience behind her, Betty shows promise of being a very efficient worker. She is now president of the sophomore class, and a very active participant in extra-curricular activities. Her first job in connection with the Mimosa will be appointing a business manager, since no-one qualified for the office.

Bill Brown, new circulation

manager, defeated Charles Nelson in the April 3 contest. A quiet and thorough worker, Bill should prove an excellent man for the position. A junior from Piedmont, he has been working this year as a circulation manager for the Collegian, and has been a valuable member of the staff.

Interest in the Mimosa offices seemed very low this time, probably because publishing the annual is recognized as one of the hardest jobs on the campus. However, if these two who were elected continue to be active workers, next year's annual should be a fine publication.

'Soundings' To Be Out Soon

In a few weeks the efforts of the Creative Writers Club will be published in their literary annual, "Soundings" and it will go on sale at Bibb Graves. This book is composed by the group of prospective James Joyce, Dylan Thomas or Virginia Wolfe personalities and are familiar faces about the campus who can be recognized as Kay Kirkland, Jerry Hamilton, Ed Parrish, Betsy Robinson, Sarah Johnson, Mohammed Boutaleb, Clyde Martin, Bobby Sharman and Lynn Dyer.

Come along with us on a

pleasant journey through moments of poetry such as "Natural Selection", "The Forsaken" and "A Landing". Laugh at an eccentric old man known as "Uncle George" or get a cat's eye view of the world in a short story of "Confession." Walk along a sandy beach in "The Miracle of The Dawn" or feel sad when you realize that "Nothing Lasts Forever". Ponder the true meaning of a selection entitled "Storm"; all of these selections and more will be found in the 1957 issue of the "Soundings".

Editorials

Religious Emphasis Week Termed As Successful Event On Campus

It is good to see Religious Emphasis Week being observed on campus again after an absence of two years. This year's speaker did a fine job and the sessions were enjoyed by all the students and faculty members who attended. Perhaps next year will see several speakers and an enlarged program.

One of the biggest downfalls of the American people, me, you, and every other American—is the fact that we don't know how to appreciate the chance we have of worshipping the God we chose in the way that we chose. By not appreciating this freedom and realizing fully how big a freedom it really is, we often abuse it.

Did you ever go to church on Sunday and notice how empty the church can be? Did you ever wonder how many churches across the country are just like the one you are in? Did you ever notice the people who go fishing on Sunday or some other place other than to church? In case you haven't, the number is great.

Perhaps one of the times when church is missed most is when you are away from home fighting a war and are unable to attend a service. Chaplains are provided for all the armed forces, but when you are on a bombing mission or in a fox hole being shot at, you can't always make the services provided. Another time when church is missed is when you are in war and see close friends wounded or killed. It makes you stop and think about your own life, and it makes you long for a nice quiet church.

There are many other instances when you wish for this same church and freedom. It is a shame that so many times it takes things that are unpleasant to make us think of our worship. Rather we should think of it at all times, and especially when things are going our way and are pleasant for us. God gives us all things and we have enough to be thankful for to be in church every Sunday.

Next Sunday attend the church of your choice.

Law Enforcement Officers Unpopular Men Until Citizens Need Assistance

Lately there has been quite a bit of criticism directed at the police here. Some of this criticism was justified and deserved. However, a great deal of it has come from those students who have been fined for speeding, running stop signs, and for having faulty mufflers. The biggest and latest complaint seems to come from those students who have improper mufflers on their cars. Two weeks ago the Chief of Police was interviewed and was asked to show the law concerning mufflers. The law is there, and in case you are wondering, it comes under the heading of an anti-noise law, and an anti-nuisance law.

It seems that the big reason that the college students are complaining is that they feel they are being picked on. And the reason they are being picked on is the fact that they have noisy mufflers on their cars. However, several residents of the city have been fined for the same reason.

Why do the police stay in front of the high school or college everyday? For one simple and good reason. Because the parents of Jacksonville love their children and because some few college students insist on driving like maniacs instead of like educated people.

Now as for waking students in the early hours of the morning, that is not called for and Chief Tipton also stated that the Jacksonville police would not

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The Kind Of SGA Students Want

By Charles Nelson

Since the Student Government Association has been subject to some criticism, this writer decided to inquire as to what kind of S. G. A. the average student wants. After asking a number of fellow students the following seems evident as to the kind of an SGA wanted.

First of all, the students look for active leadership from their elected representatives, especially the president. He should be able to impress students with a program of interest. After all, the purpose of the SGA is to serve the students by representing them at all times. There has not been such leadership in the present SGA, or in the administration that preceded it.

A major gripe of most students is that they never know what the SGA is doing, if they ever do anything. Most students feel that topics affecting the students should be presented before the student body as a whole, and also that the sentiment as to these topics should be measured before they are voted on in the SGA. The present situation arising from the Hungarian student scholarship fund, is a result of the quick passage through the SGA without a proper presentation of the facts before the students.

Sentiment seems to be running high against this type of SGA action.

There is a great need on this campus for the development of social life. Social activities during the week are almost non-existent, and they are absolutely non-existent when it comes to SGA sponsored activities, with the exception of the recent talent show. I can't see that it would be impossible to have a well-rounded social program sponsored by the SGA. Since we have the parking lots almost completed, why not have a dance outdoors once or twice each week. With proper planning, a well-rounded social program could be worked out. This is an area with wide possibilities for the SGA.

The students and their government should be as one. With the students having elected their new officers, it is to hoped that there will be a feeling of understanding between the students and their government next year in getting things done. It is also hoped that the Student Government Association will get out of its present situation of complacent do-nothing and become a straight-forward and progressive organization in the year to come.

Campus Club News

PHI MU ALPHA

By Charles McCain

Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Music Fraternity of Jacksonville campus was represented at the Province Convention at Athens, Georgia, by nine members of Epsilon Nu Chapter. The nine delegates from Jacksonville, Allan Mason, Rowe Hudson, Rod Ferguson, Dewitt Self, Ed McCollough, Herman Johnson, Jerry Harrison, Wayne Washam, president, and Charles McCain, left in two cars at 3 a.m. Saturday.

After arriving at the University of Georgia Campus the nine delegates entered conferences with the five other chapters in this Province. Among the topics discussed were: Chapter Activities, Chapter Finance, Pledging and Rushing, Fraternity Spirit, and Processes of Initiation. After a luncheon, the delegates from the six chapters toured the campus with student guides. To conclude the festivities for the fraternity brothers, a Formal Initiation Ritual was presented by the Epsilon Lambda Chapter of Athens.

KAPPA PHI KAPPA

Kappa Phi Kappa has just initiated the new members for the year of 1957. The new members are James Keener, Ed McCran, Billy Lamberth, Richard Belcher, Charles McCain, Billy Stalloro, William Pendergrass, Crawford Pike, Eugene Johnson and Dick Townsend.

The officers for the '57 year are president, Hugh Williamson; vice-president Wayne Washam; secretary, Arville Smitherman; treasurer, Bobby McCollough, reporter, Johnny

Humphrey; expansion sec. Donald Murphy.

The organization is looking forward to its annual social that is coming up shortly. The Beta Chapter is working to try to establish Kappa Phi Chapter at Auburn. Plans have been under way for some time, but we are ready now to go into the final stage of it.

WESTMINSTER NEWS

The Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship has had a very profitable semester thus far.

We have had very interesting programs this semester. These programs consisted of a series of Bible studies, a study of different religions, and a program on what prayer should mean to us. The programs were presented by outside speakers and the members of Westminster Fellowship. Among the outstanding speakers that we have had is Miss Ann Hartzog, assistant to the Dean of Presbyterian Assembly's Training School in Richmond, Virginia. Miss Hartzog talked to us about the concept that "Every Vocation can be a Christian Vocation."

Than Pennington and Joyce Bazemore represented Jacksonville Westminster Fellowship at the Synod Conference at Camp Grandview near Montgomery, Alabama this past weekend. The theme of this conference was "CHRISTIAN ETHICS ON THE CAMPUS".

At this conference Geneva Lester was elected treasurer of the Synod Council of Alabama.

The Rev. Ed. Wilson is serving his second year as one of

be on the campus unless called by a housemother, by the night watchman, or by official college representatives.

Remember, the officers of the law have their jobs to do and that job is to protect the citizens of Jacksonville and the college and to carry out the duties assigned to them by the city council. They are just doing their jobs and earning a living. Don't condemn them for this, and don't draw conclusions until you know the facts.

Letters To The Editor

FELLOW STUDENTS:

We take this opportunity to send you our sincere thanks in appreciation of the honor you have bestowed upon us. We feel we can best show our appreciation by putting forth our honest efforts and by doing our best in the coming year. We realize our responsibility to uphold our positions for that which they were meant for the good of the students. Please be assured that we will always do our best.

Curtis Williams
Bobby Kennamer
Ophelia Conway
Rhicard Belcher

Mr. Bob Crosby, Editor
THE COLLEGIAN
State Teachers College
Jacksonville, Alabama
Dear Mr. Editor:

I would like to take this means to express my sincere appreciation to my supporters in the last election.

The number of votes cast was impressive inasmuch as this was the largest vote ever cast at JSTC.

I have full confidence in Curtis Williams's ability to administer the office of President of the SGA. I plan to give my full support for a better student government and feel that through complete cooperation of the entire student body, great accomplishments can be made during the coming school year.

I pledge my efforts and solicit my supporters' full cooperation for a better Student Government Association.

Sincerely,
Joe Methvin

the two advisors to the Synod Council.

Wednesday night, we presented the Family-Night Supper Program. Dr. Walter Courtenay, Religious Emphasis speaker, was our guest.

FUTURE TEACHERS

F. T. A. has had trouble this year in getting students interested in the organization. However, despite this handicap they had made many plans for the semester. Among their projects is that of selling chances on a radio. This is a nice RCA Victor radio, light as a feather, and will be given away on May 1 in Hammond Hall. You do not have to be present to win, so buy your chances now from any member of the club.

At the last meeting of the F. T. A., officers were elected for the 1957-58 year. These newly elected officers will assume their duties at the beginning of next year.

They are:
President—Forrest Faulkner
Vice-president — Betty Sue Williams.

Secretary—Shirley Austin
Treasurer—Marylene Jordan
Publicity—Tressie Smith and Beverly Evans.

Reporter — Faye Blackwood.
From this list of new officers, you can well see what a fine organization we will have next year. Plan to join if you are in the field of education and you can be of help to the club, and the club can benefit you.

WESLEY FOUNDATION

Wesley Foundation members enjoyed themselves over the weekend while attending a Spring Retreat at DeSota State
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Meet Some People Who Lead Double Lives

Working By Day, Studying By Night, These Students Advance To Degree

By Lynn Dyer

There is an innate quality about the people who walk the campus and fill the classrooms of Jacksonville State College every Monday and Thursday night. They walk swiftly and surely through the halls of Bibb Graves, the Science Building or the Physical Education Building and their every step seems to be placed in the direction of a goal; a goal that must be pursued in the darkness of night due to the obligations of a job or a family. These people are the "night people", the multitude of students enrolled in the night school program at Jacksonville State. In appropriate recognition of the fine job they are doing, the Collegian staff would like to present some of the typical "night people."

It was a distinct experience having a cup of coffee with an amiable thirty-four year-old Annistonian known as Mr. Curtis Hall. Greying slightly, Mr. Hall gave evidence of the tremendous task of helping to rear two young sons and two teenage daughters. Now employed by the Alabama State Department in the Unemployment Compensation Division, Curtis was once a full-time student on the JSC campus. He first enrolled in 1938 and completed two years of school before personal reasons interrupted his study. However, in 1953, Jacksonville State once again beckoned to one of her favorite sons and after fifteen years, Curtis Hall walked again through halls filled with memories of his earlier college years, when he enrolled as a night student. In July when he receives his degree in Business Administration, he will have attained the goal he set for himself back in 1938. The brilliance of his personal accomplishments he modestly placed aside as he unfolded a worn newspaper clipping which he presented with obvious pride. It revealed the real success story of his life—his lovely fourteen year old daughter, Gloria Jean, who was recently acclaimed "Junior Miss Anniston."

Handsome, dark-haired Bill Giles of Anniston was the next person I talked with during my visit with the "night people." At the present Bill is a credit manager with the American Discount Company in Anniston. He is also an alumnus of JSC, having graduated with a degree in chemistry in 1953, and is now engaged in post-graduate work, which he plans to complete at the end of the summer session.

Two very attractive young women suddenly invaded the previous all-male aggregation of students in the snack bar and I was fortunate to get the female view point of the night school student. I talked with charming Miss Nina Patty who shared a table with blonde Ola Vay Harris. Both are from the Gadsden area and Nina is employed at the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. as a secretary, while Ola Vay is a cashier, typist at the Alabama Gas Co., in Gadsden. Nina was a familiar figure on the JSC campus

for three years before she decided to complete her education on a part-time basis. Ola Vay, a transfer student from Orange Coast Junior College in Newport Beach, Calif., is now a home economics major and will graduate this summer. Both were enthusiastic advocates of the night school program which gives them the opportunity to continue with their education.

Two distinguished career officers from the Chemical Corp at Fort McClellan sat studying over a cup of coffee. Interrupting their studying, I ventured into a conversation with them about the night school activities. They were quick to express their sincere praise of the courses offered to the military by the JSC night school program. As I ended my conversation with these two professional soldiers who were still endeavoring to add more education to their already full lives, I was left with the wonderful conclusion that our country's future rests in strong, capable hands with men of such caliber acting as leaders of the military.

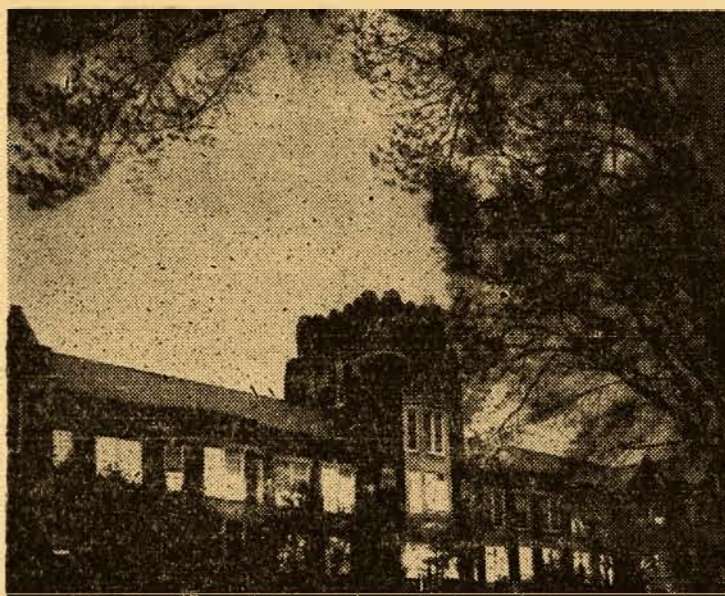
Mr. Jim Mynatt of Gadsden added a touch of dignity as he joined the sparkling collection of night world personalities. Jim is fifty-three years old and looks very much like the now famous Arthur Miller (noted author and more noted husband of Marilyn Monroe) and is apparently just as successful. Jim is married and has two lovely little girls. A junior in business administration, he works for the State Farm Insurance Company in Gadsden. He came to the campus in the fall of 1956 after attending University Center in Gadsden.

Young Johnny Cox from Alabama City looked as if he had put in a strenuous day at the desk labeled "Management Analysis" at the Air Force Center in Gadsden before he hurried to the campus to engage in his studies. Johnny lived on the campus in 1953, but now plans to complete his education by way of his present status as a night student.

The chimes echoed through the stillness of the night and suddenly the administration buildings were dark and quiet again. As intently as they came, the "night people" left once more to gain a few hours of sleep before engaging in their daytime task of providing a way of life for themselves and their families.

The determination and spirit possessed by the people enrolled in night school should be an inspiration to anyone seeking an education, for they are a living example of the free mind that seeks to better itself regardless of the odds. We who are privileged to pursue an education on a full time basis, salute you—our night-time counterparts from the campus of Jacksonville State College.

Dailyvishon: Lecture . . . An occasion on which you are numb on one end and dumb on the other.



BIBB GRAVES AT NIGHT—Lighted up after dark, Bibb Graves Hall seems to be waiting for something to happen. This building is the scene of most of the night school activity.

Dr. Reuben Self Will Head The New Jacksonville State Graduate Division

Announcement is made that Dr. Reuben Self, professor of secondary education at Jacksonville State College, is to be director of the graduate program which will get under way in June.

He will be chief coordinator for advisement of graduate students and will work between faculty and students on general details of the graduate division. He will also serve as secretary of the graduate council, governing body of the division.

The council is composed of Dr. T. E. Montgomery, chairman; Dr. L. W. Allison, Dr. Greene Taylor, education division; Dr. J. M. Anders, Dr. Emmett Fields, social science; Dr. W. J. Calvert, Dr. H. B. Mock, English; Dr. Paul Arnold, science; and Walter A. Mason, music.

Dr. Self has been a member of the Jacksonville faculty since 1928. He has a B. S. degree from the University of Alabama; M. A. degree from Peabody College and Ph.D. degree from New York University.

Registration for the graduate program will be held on May



DR. REUBEN SELF

11 and classes will begin June 5. Dormitory reservations are being accepted at this time for graduate students.

It was also announced that Dr. E. E. Nelson, principal of Albertville High School, will join the faculty in June, and Mrs. A. D. Edwards, Jr., of Jacksonville, has been added to the art faculty as an instructor.

CLUB NEWS

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Park. Dr. Christian from Birmingham spoke to the group about the Bible. Later the group discussed his talk. Hikes, games, and wholesome fellowship provided the best entertainment one can enjoy.

The group was chaperoned by the Rev. Tom Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Manners, Dr. Self, and Miss Kelley.

On Wednesday evening, April 3rd, officers were elected for the next school term of 1957-58. They are:

President—Jimmy Keith. Vice-presidents—Don Chandler and Nancy Chesnut.

Secretary—Sue Welsh. Treasurer—Sonny Lewis.

Social Chairmen—Janice Williams, Sara Anderson, Joyce Simmons.

World Christian Community Chairman—Betty Shephenson. Deputation Chairmen—Miguel Valdes and Lucy Durham.

Publications Chairman—Jackie Gilbreath.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION.

In the past week the Baptist Student Union has elected its new executive council for the coming year. The new president is Charles McCain under whose leadership the B. S. U. of next year will do great things.

The other officers are promotional chairman, Jean Swinney; enlistment, Joan Mauldin; social, Peggy Harris; devotional, Judy McAllister; Morning Watch, Tressie Smith; stewardship, Arville Smitherman; publicity, Betty Sue Williams; secretary, Jean Stewart; music, Gene Brymer; pianist, Susie Hicks; Sunday School, Beverly Brown; Training Union, Conrad Wellbaum; Y. W. A., Donna Griffin; and the B. S. U., Breeze Editor, James Kimbrough.

These new officers will be installed at a banquet which is to be held Thursday, April 18, at the First Baptist Church here in Jacksonville.

ROTC Inspection Very Successful

By Robert Payne

Colonel Zase and Lt. Colonel Kennedy of the third Army Area were here on April 4th and 5th, for the Annual Federal Inspection of our ROTC unit. On April 4th they visited classes asking questions and observing the instruction. On April 5th they inspected the Cadet Battalion and reviewed the parade held for them.

Although the official report on the inspection has not been received, it appears the inspecting officers were very pleased with our unit here.

SCABBARD AND BLADE

New members initiated into the National Society of Scabbard and Blade were Buddy Bates, Charles Coleman, Charles Casey, Wayne Gramberg, Briggs Pharris, Jerry Sparks, Leonard Stafford, and Boyd Simpson. The initiation was conducted on a high level, and in a military fashion. These members were picked on their scholastic averages and their display of development in leadership in general military excellence.

The Joke Box

Employer—"Are you looking for work, young man?" Student—"No—but I'd like a roommate."

"The suit fitted her slender limbs as if it appreciated the opportunity."

"Why did you leave your last position?" "Illness. The boss got sick of me."

Wife to surly-looking husband who is shaving: "What would you like thrown in your cage for breakfast this morning?"

Ad in a Springfield paper: "WANTED: A secretary—who looks like a girl—Thinks like a man, Acts like a lady—and works like a doog."

Voice on Phone: "Tommy Moore is sick today and can't come to class."

Professor: "All right. Who

is this speaking?" Voice on phone: "This is my roommate."

A University of Chicago student writes of a college student's study plan:

He read the textbook.

He studied the notes.

He outlined both.

Then he summarized his outline.

Then he outlined his summary on 3x5 cards.

Then reduced the card outline to a single card.

Boiled the card down to one sentence.

Boiled the sentence down to phrase.

Boiled the phrase down to a word.

Entered the exam.

Analyzed the question.

and then, Forget The Word.

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Sports

Huelon Davis

Sports Shorts

By Huelon Davis
Intramural Softball

(What usually happens on opening day? It rains. It was no April Fool joke but that's exactly what came to pass so the Aces vs. Old Pannell game and the start of the intramural softball season had to take a back seat. But luckily the storm and rain caused only one postponement so on Tuesday, April 2, the Moonglows—Wolverine game got the season under way.

Although playing without a backstop, which is not altogether an intramural problem, the softball program has had reasonable success up to this point.

The softball field was in perhaps the best shape it had been in for the last couple of years until the rain came. A permanent record book is being kept; equipment is always available; official scorers at each game; and officiating up to par.

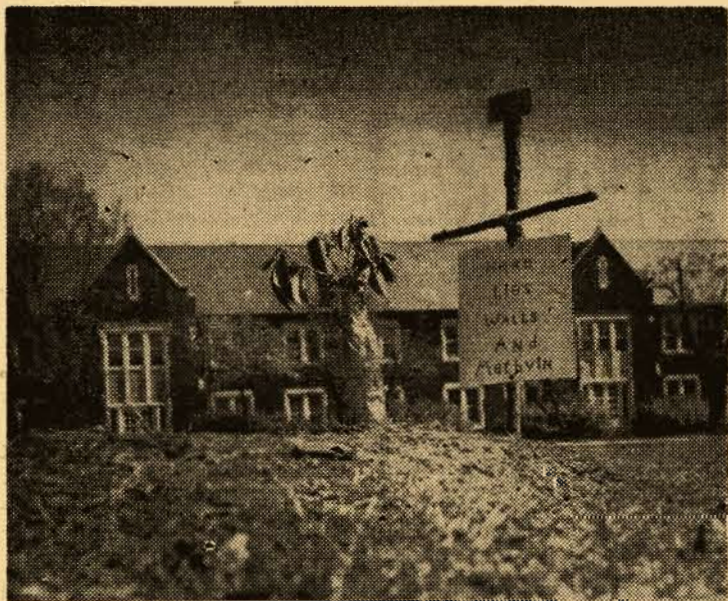
Top Ten

Be sure to look forward to the "Top Ten" in the next edition of the Collegian. The Top Ten is the ten top hitters and pitchers in the intramural softball league. Due to the fact that players have had so few times at bat and pitching starts, Top Ten was not published this time.

Top Eleven for Fall, '57

As everyone knows, graduation dealt the Gamecocks football roster a jolting blow last year but who knows, next Fall could be as good or better than ever.

E. G. Taylor at center; John O'Bar and "Toe" Luttrell, guards; Tom Langston and Ed King holding down the tackle slots; and Ray Burgess and Bud McCarty at ends looks like a strong line to me. Reserve strength in slots, may be a weakness yet some of the under-rated players on the roster may develop into stars. As for the backfield the potential is there but inexperience may be the big handicap. New-comer Joe Ford looks pretty good at quarterback and Keahey, Nickols, and McBee make up a backfield that could carry the mail. One thing sure though, come next Fall and we'll all see and know.



SIGN OF TRIUMPH—Someone who was a little over-tri-
umphant planted this scene close to Hammond Hall after elec-
tion results were final. The "inscription" says, "Here lies . . ."

SADIE HAWKINS

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DeLeath Rives and his combo stole the show Monday night with a delightful program of music. Different students have remarked that they had great fun and felt a close student participation which is both un-

usual and satisfactory.

Tuesday afternoon at 5 p.m. Ottis Williams lined the guinea chasers up for the big race. Of course it was a "lovely day for the races." The girls who entered their boy-friends cheered as the guinea was set free; the chase was on.

Injuries Plague Gamecocks As Spring Training Is Ended

By Huelon Davis

Jacksonville's Gamecocks rounded out their fifth week of spring training Friday and are looking forward to the annual "J" game to be played April 19.

Old man weather, injuries, lack of experienced players due to graduation and drop outs, the latest being Ed Christian, center from East Tallassee, and "Tank" Jones, tackle from Guntersville, have brought about numerous headaches to the Jax mentor and his aides.

In an effort to cope with some of the disappointments, a few changes have been made. Ray Burgess has been shifted from slotback to his old end position; E. G. Taylor shifted from guard to center; and Jim Kilpatrick and Ed Blackburn have been moved to halfback positions.

Last Tuesday, Joe Ford, a big, rough, wide-awake new-comer from Gadsden was moved up to the first string quarterback slot in an effort to solve the big quarterback problem. Other players still in position to overhaul the slot now held by Ford are Gary Howell of Sylacauga, a good high school passer; Wayne Coalson, a junior college candidate; Harold Shankles and Jerry Washington, holdovers from last year's team.

The reason for the quarterback squabble is due to the fact that the passing hasn't developed. This has been stated time and time again but the problem still exists.

Coach Salls said that the rain, injuries, lack of players on scholarship with eligibility and the long lay-off due to the AEA and paving have resulted in the most disrupted spring training that he has had in the last 10 years.

Those with injuries are Frank Hixon, suffering with a bad ankle; Tony DeLeo, head and leg injury; and Jerry Duke is having back trouble. Also not out for spring training on the injured list is Dean Akin, a highly regarded pass receiver.

Gamecock Starting Line-up Set
Although the complete squad has not yet been divided, Coach Salls did announce a starting line-up for the red and white team.

It is not definite as to who will captain each team but most likely it will be the quarterbacks. Ford and Shankles are slated to be the two starting quarterbacks so for the time being we will assume they will be the team captains.

The coaching of the two teams is to be handled by Coach Roberson and Coach Wedgeworth but as yet it is not known who will coach which team. A flip of the coin will be determining factor.

The Red—E. G. Taylor at center; John O'Bar and Jimmy Luttrell manning the guard slots; Ed King and Tom Langston, tackles; and Hershell O'Dell, Bud McCarty, and Ray Burgess will be stationed at the end positions. In the backfield with Ford will be Wayne Keahey, Billy Nickols, and Jerry McBee.

Composing the White team, quarterbacked by Shankles, are Jimmy Hawk, center; Tony DeLeo and Roy Fulmer, guards; Mack Carson and Stanley Burger, tackles; and Frank Hixon, Phil Powell, and James Brown

at the ends. Jimmy Kilpatrick, Doug Davidson, and Jerry Dukes will share the backfield duties with Shankles.

As you notice the Red team contains more lettermen and more experienced players so we predict the Red team to ease by the less experienced White team.

As for the final game it will be held Friday, April 19 at 3:30 but there will also be a big scrimmage Wednesday night, April 17 at 7:30 which is expected to be quite interesting.

As for last week's work, fundamentals again received the most attention. On the brighter side, the coaches have been pleased with the way the running game has come around so the Split "T" and Spread "T" may give the Gamecocks a much sought after scoring punch which will be needed to cope with the rough schedule of next fall.

In an interview with Coach Salls, he stressed the point that it had been a pleasure to work with this squad despite the question marks and limited Spring training, because of the hustle, spirit, and belief in the new offense that the players have shown.

Try Outs

Last Friday, try outs were held here on the campus but as to whether anyone drew any special attention is not known. Most of the prospects were high school players with the exception of a couple of junior college candidates.

Gamecock note . . . Next fall's prospects depend a lot on the recovery of injuries and eligibility. Akin, Duke, and Carson have injuries that may clear up by next fall but depend on medical reports at that time. Eligibility also poses a big problem. Some of the players must attend summer school to be eligible and some of the transfer students may have some shortcomings. Besides the injuries and eligibility, the draft also may interfere. So as you can easily see the football status at Jacksonville is quite indefinite.

Senior Ball To Be Held May First

"Senior Ball" always means something special to students in school. Jacksonville students are no different, and many are already looking forward to the "big night"—May 1, that is. Jax seniors are not alone in preparing for the event this year. Sophomores, too, are helping with all the plans and work which invariably preceded a successful dance.

The theme for the big event has not yet been definitely selected. Final selection will be done by a decoration committee appointed at the joint class meeting last week. Watch for more information about this.

Bids should be on sale for the dance this week. People from either class will have the bids on hand. Just ask them.

Orchestra for the Senior-Sophomore Ball will be Buddy Morrow's excellent group. Morrow, who has appeared on the campus once before should provide some good entertainment. It has been hinted that there may also be a floor show.

Tennis Season Ends On April 9

By Huelon Davis

Jacksonville State College's tennis team scored victories over Marion Institute and Florence State College in matches April 5 and 6 respectively, then on April 9 lost to Howard for the second time this year. Jacksonville's collegiate record is now an even 2-2 mark. The Gamecocks tennis team is under the instruction of Mrs. William J. Calvert, Jr.

In February's (April 5) match, Jacksonville easily downed Marion, 4-3, winning three single matches and one doubles event. The second doubles match was forfeited to Marion because of darkness after Jacksonville's Dennis Kirkpatrick and Frank Stewart had won the first set, 11-9.

Results:

Singles

Tom Nebrig (M) defeated David Christian, 6-2, 2-6, 8-6.

Tommy Gillespie (J) defeated Bob Bourdeaux, 6-1, 7-5.

Dennis Kirkpatrick (J) defeated Bill Fisher, 6-0, 4-6, 6-3.

Frank Stewart (J) defeated Will Provine, 6-1, 6-2.

E. N. Stephens (M) defeated Bill McCarty, 5-7, 6-2, 9-7.

Doubles

Tom Murray and Bobby Motley (J) defeated Bill Fisher and Tom Nebrig, 6-4, 4-6, 7-5.

The second doubles event was called due to darkness.

Jacksonville 5, Florence 4

Saturday afternoon (April 6) Jacksonville defeated Florence State College, 5-4, winning three single matches and two doubles.

Results:

Singles

Jerry Garrett (F) defeated David Christian, 8-6, 6-3.

Tommy Gillespie (J) defeated Johnny Jones, 6-1, 4-6, 6-1.

Roger Burdge (F) defeated Dennis Kirkpatrick, 6-4, 2-6, 6-4.

Frank Stewart (J) defeated Sonny Thompson, 6-2, 6-4.

Wayne Vaughn (F) defeated Bill McCarty, 6-2, 6-3.

Paul Dean (J) defeated Hugh Craig, 3-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Doubles

Jerry Garrett and Johnny Jones (F) defeated Tom Murray and Bobby Motley, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3.

David Christian and Tommy Gillespie (J) defeated Roger Burdge and Sonny Thompson, 6-1, 8-6.

Dennis Kirkpatrick and Frank Stewart (J) defeated Wayne Vaughn and Sonny Thompson, 6-4, 6-2.

Jacksonville 0, Howard 9

In Jacksonville's last match, Tuesday, April 9, Howard completely outclassed the Gamecock's netters winning all nine events.

Results:

Singles

Carlton Cook (H) defeated David Christian, 6-2, 6-0.

Don McDougald (H) defeated Tommy Gillespie, 6-2, 6-1.

Max Gartman (H) defeated Dennis Kirkpatrick, 6-1, 6-0.

Walt Attaway (H) defeated Frank Stewart, 6-2, 6-1.

Jack Wilson (H) defeated Bill McCarty, 6-0, 6-1.

George Newby (H) defeated Paul Dean, 6-4, 6-1.

Doubles

Cook and Gartman (H) defeated Murray and Motley, 6-1, 6-0.

McDougald and Attaway (H) defeated Christian and Gillespie, 6-3, 6-3.