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Chapel Fund Goal Achieved

J. S. C. Radio Is Due Soon

By Kay Kirkland

There's a new project in the minds and at the fingertips of a group of energetic physics students and their teacher, Mr. Joseph Freymuth. In about two weeks, a radio station may be set up in the SGA room in the basement of Ayers Hall.

The set will broadcast from a low-powered transmitter, which should carry the sound approximately 50 feet from the station. Wires are to be run to buildings all over the campus. Only radios on the campus will be able to pick up the sound waves.

Plans are to have broadcasts possibly four nights a week from about seven to ten o'clock. One idea is to invite clubs and other organizations to plan programs which could either be broadcast live at night, or recorded during the day and played back. In this way, a good variety of listening material can be had. It may be possible later on to send recordings of some programs to other stations

As the plans stand now, the equipment is complete and technically sound. The most needed thing before operation can begin is assistance.

A fairly large staff will probably be needed to operate effectively. A search is out for such people as engineers, cliss jockeys, and script writters. If you are interested in any of these jobs or in any other connected with radio work, why not talk to Mr. Freyrauth? He probably can be found on the second floor of the science building and will certainly be glad to talk with you.

Included in the group who have worked on this project are Lamar Bannister. Ted Wil-



VALENTINE GEM—The Collegian's choice of a "Gem of the Hills" for the month of February and for Valentine's Day turned out to be pretty Helen Jane Marbut. Helen is a freshman from Jacksonville and is majoring in business. To put variety in her education, she is minoring in home economics. Anyone looking for a lovely valentine?

Collegian Becomes Bi-Monthly Paper

By Bob Crosby

Hard work and a rigid schedule is the order of the day for the Collegian staff as they take a big step forward.

For the first time in the history of the paper, which dates back to 1932, it will be published twice monthly. Over the past livening-five years the Teacola, as it was first called, and then changed in 1954 to the Collegian, has been a monthly publication.

for the entire campus

At present no staff changes are being make, however. Thee has been two additions and there is have that sTM other prospects will join the staff in the very near future.

The two new menbers added

Building Danforth Chapel Is Big Plan For Summer

Plans began about two years ago for the building of a chapel on the Jacksonville campus. Now at long last that dream is a near reality. \$5,123.00 has been raised and the first and biggest job is done.

The chapel story began when William Dariforth, who was

Vote Due

The following amendment will be voted on by the Student body on Monday, Feb. 25. Amendment No. 3

Section 3. Article V. Sec. I (A) shall read: To be eligible for the office of president or vice-president of the Student Government Association, the candidate must have to his credit in the office of the registrar of Jacksonville State College (on or before the day of his election) sufficient nours to be classified as a junior or above. He must also have been a student at Jacksonville for at least three semesters prior to election, summer session not to count,

The following article will also be voted on by the students Monday, Feb. 25.

Article XIV

Section I. The president and vice-president of the Student Government must reside on the campus. If for any given reason either officer should reside anywhere other than on the campus, he shall forfeit his office. Such action will not require a vote of the Student Council, but will be considered as automatic cause for resignation.

NOTICE

Students are warned again, and for the last time, what anyone caught cutting the chow hall line will be fined one dollar. If the cutting isn't stopped, the SGA may find it necessary to appoint people to watch the line. Measures will be taken to see that those people whose names are turned in will be forced to pay their fines.

Collegian

Deadline

February 25

in William Danforth, who was head of the Danforth Foundation, offered the sum of \$5,000 for the building of a sacred place of worship for the college if an equal amount were raised here. The chapel was to be used exclusively for private devotions, group meditation and worship, marriages, christenings, and for student and faculty funerals.

Immediately a committee was organized. Five thousand dollars had to be raised! Dr. Wilkes, Mr. McClose, and a student, Harry Sherman, were to head the drive. There have been three chairmen of the all important committee: Harry Sherman, Dewey Huddleston, and presently, Eob Crosby.

Besides raising an equal amount of money, Jacksonville agreed to name the chapel the Danforth Chapel. The building material is to be either stone or brick, and it is to be erected near the center of campus activities. Hofman's famous pieture of "Christ in Gethsemane", which was donated by Danforth and is worth about \$500, is

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SGA, Report

By Ann Brothers, SGA Secretary

The Student Government Association is very proud of its \$560.00 complete the Chapel Fund Drive Boe Crosby, charman of the Chapel committee, states that actual work on the building should begin in July.

Signs of progless have been

son, Cliff Black, and Bill Powell. The idea came from Mr. Freymuth, whose hobby is radio. Most of the set was built by this group, with the ROTC Department providing antenna wire.

If everything works out, this radio station should prove to be one of the most interesting additions to Jacksonville's campus life. A lot of enjoyment will certainly be had by those who work at the station and those who listen.

Keep your fingers crossed, and maybe soon we can say, "Jacksonville students—on the air!" This month the editor obtained permission from the school administration for the change to a bi-monthly publication. Release date will be on the first and third Monday of each month. Deadline for copy will be the second and fourth Monday of each month. Organization and class news must be double spaced and typed.

The new schedule will mean later and better news coverage

from Hartselle who will assist Kay Kinkland and be at Indenstudy for the position of associate editor. Dake Nabors from Isabella, who served 'last summer as circulation mana gas, has re-joined the staff as sports editor.

Gary Lattrell and Hulon Davis are expected to join the staff soon. Gary is from Columbrana and has had previous experience on the Collegian. Hulon is from Camp Hill and has been writing sports for the weekly paper there.

Staff meetings are held in room 204 of Bibb Graves Hall every Wednesday afternoon. matte on our campus since the last SGA report. New washing machines 'nave 'been placed in Freshnien Boy's Dormitory and Daugstie Hall. Chat-Em Inn has been redevorated and the clever theme "Gamecocks" Nest" has been carried out with paintings.

The SGA plans to sponsor a talent show Feb. 14. Three cash prizes will be presented. If any organization or individual would like to enter a skit or performance, you may contact Ottis Williamson, chairman of the committee.

John Hughes reports that Feb. 9 is the last deadline for (Continued on page two)

EDITORIALS

Does The Shoe Fit?

There seems to be some doubt in certain students' minds about the honesty of certain other students.

Rumors have it that some cheating on tests is being done. These same nasty rumors say, "Yes, I cheat in this class," or, "I cheat in some courses, but never in the courses that I am majoring in."

Some students go so far as to boast about cheating and then boast about their "B" average. This is some-what like boasting about a shiny new car and then saying that it had to be stolen, but that's okay, too.

Everyone learns sooner or later that cheating can cost more than it is worth. Take, for an example, the boy who went into a certain science course, one of the harder courses, with a "C" average. He had worked and earned the "C" average, but on the final test he tried cheating. He was caught and failed the course. Don't you think that it was costly?

Look at it this way. Somebody is paying your way through school, perhaps your family, perhaps Uncle Sam, or perhaps you, yourself. Anyway, the money is being paid for knowledge gained. Now certainly everyone knew how to cheat before coming to college, so there is little to be gained in that field. And if you cheat instead of studying, you or someone is paying for nothing.

Some people spend enough time preparing "cheat notes" that the same time spent studying would warrant "A's."

To fail is bad. It is embarrassing, somewhat of a disgrace, and certainly holds no honor. However, an honest "F" is worth all the dishonest "A's" in the world.

Students say they aren't at fault altogether. They say some instructors allow it. Teachers who allow cheating lose the respect of their students and their fellow instructors. They are classified by the students thusly: "You can't learn anything, but you don't have to study. He knows that everyone cheats, but he doesn't care."

Yes, students who cheat, and instructors who allow it, are both classified by their associates. It is not a pleasant nor admirable classification, but if the shoe fits, you must wear it!

Good Election?

April seems to come quickly and with this fine spring month comes time for S.G.A. elections.

Three years ago candidates were elected strictly on a friendship basis. However, each year finds the students becoming more and more thoughtful as to who is the better qualified for the job.

Students seem to have the habit of looking at past records. They seem to notice what the candidates have done in the way of leadership and the type of character a person has shown.

In past years students have been allowed to run whether they had the necessary "C" average or not. This year's Student Council is studying and proposing methods by which office seekers will be required to qualify in a very strict manner.

Two weeks from now students will be asked to vote on an amendment to the constitution which will require candidates for the office of both president and vice-president of the Council to have been enrolled at Jacksonville for at least three semesters. An additional amendment has been proposed by some students that would require an office holder of the top positions to reside on the campus or forfeit his office.

These are certainly good amendments and should be given considerable thought. The S.G.A. is only as strong as the student body makes it.

When the time comes to vote for someone, make the wisest choice you can. The person you elect will

Honor Students Are Listed For The Winter Semester

Charles R. Perry, Henegar;

William A. Proctor, Cleveland,

Ohio; Robert E. Rogan, Thomas

F. Rogan, Miami Beach, Fla.;

James W. Russell, Section;

Wayne Washam, Albertville;

Gerald E. Williams, Oxford;

Peggy A. Wright, Wellington;

CHAPEL FUND

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to be hung in the Chapel, and

two inscriptions are to be

hung in the Chapel. The first

is to list the names of the clubs

who have had 100 per cent of

the members to contribute to

the fund. These clubs will ap-

pear: W.A.A., Wesley Founda-

tion, F.B.L.A., Civil Air Patrol,

Kappa Delta Pi, Scabbard and

Blade, Ushers Club, and Kappa

Delta Epsilon. The second in-

scription is to read as follows:

The Danforth Chapel

Dedicated To

The Worship Of God

With The Prayer

That Here In

Communion With The Highest

Those Who Enter

May Acquire The Spiritual

To Aspire Nobly

Adventure Daringly

Serve Humbly

ceived a letter recently from

Mr. Kenneth I. Brown, execu-

tive director of the Danforth

Foundation. The letter con-

gratulated you, the students, on

having raised the \$5,000. Mr.

Danforth died in December of

1955. Both Jacksonville and

Danforth have kept the bar-

The first chapter of the

Chapel story is near the climax.

The actual building is yet to

be done, but with student co-

operation, Mr. Danforth's

generosity, and the help of

God, we can almost see the

radiant steeple just over the

"Did you ever hear anything

like that?" asked the enraptur-

ed teen-age daughter, as the

radio played the latest in rock

"Can't say I have," muttered

the father, "although I once

heard a collision between a

truck loaded with milk cans

gain; there will be a chapel.

President Houston Cole, re-

Power

Kate L. Hodges, Langston.

The dean's list for the winter semester has been announced by Lawrence R. Miles, director of admissions, at Jacksonville State College. The semester ended on Jan. 18.

Students making all A's were Louise R. Clark, Bebe Whitaker, Jacksonville; Phil H. Garrard, Johnnie W. Wallace, East Gadsden; Jane C. Pierce, Oneonta; Stitaya Sirisinha, Bangkok, Thailand; Helen O. Smith, Anniston; Paul J. Tillison, Trussville.

Having a 2.5-3 average were the following:

Horace Acton, Blount Springs; Max L. Allen, William Yancey Chewning, Jr., Lillian Howell, Roanoke; Sarah E. Anderson, Gaston; Mary Alice Andrews, Robert L. Cantor, Paul A. Dean, Donna M. Gookin, Nancy J. Harrell, James Harrington, Peggy Smith Truitt, Anniston; Bertha S. Baker, Gordon D. Little, Afton B. Talley, Centre.

Lyndol Bolton, Millerville; Thomas O. Boyd, Ann Chestnut, Carolyn R. Cunningham, Emory Jo Harris, Sue M. Hawkins, Timothy Hopper, Gertrude K. McCord, Janis Gaile Thornton, Jerry D. Waters, Kate Welch, Gadsden; Martha Ann Brothers, Gallant; Alice Beverly Brown, Sylacauga; Weldon T. Childers, Carbon Hill; Sandra A. Davis, Crossville; Margaret Dewar, Erith, (Kent) England.

John B. Drake, Louisville, Ry.; Hazel Forbus, Rosemary McCollum, Lineville; William P. Grieves, Donald Smith, Birmingham; James A. Harden, Hokes Bluff; Carol Miller Harden, Alexandria; Ira Dean Harris, Audrey K. Lindblom, Hilda Mason, Trelby J. Parris, Shirley A. Prickett, Kenneth A. Robinson, J. B. Ryan, Mary Ann Shelton, Ann M. Taylor, Jacksonville.

Sam L. Horton, Jr., Talladega; John J. House, Amsterdam, N. Y.; Jerry G. Howell, Doris M. Russell, Heflin; Sarah M. Johnson, Thann E. Pennington, Fort Payne; James O. Keener, Ashville; Carolyn June Kerr, Alabama City; Dorothy A. Leininger, La-Fayette; Barbara K. McClure, Buchanan, Ga.

Bonnie LaRue Morris, Lanett; Laura S. Oswalt, Edgar G. Parrish, Carma Jo Ray, Mary Gardner Street, Piedmont; and another filled with ducks."

represent you for a full year. Will it be poorly or well done? This is for you, the student to say

No matter who you think best qualified, be sure to vote for him.

way.

'n' roll.

Were You There?

On January 29, Jacksonville's basketball team played the Red Wave from Troy in the college gym. The proceeds from this game were given to the March of Dimes. The ball game was sponsored by the Student Council and during the half-time \$92.81 was turned over to the local committee to fight polio. Troy was well represented at the game-almost as well represented as was Jacksonville.

Bits From Bettye

By Bettye Fossett

Things have been quiet lately, but here are the facts as we see them now. How long they stay the facts, we cannot say

Tootsie Carruth had a visitor lately. I think he is her hometown fellow who attends the University.

Kate Hodges seems very happy lately. Is there a definite reason for this, Bob Rogan?

Gail Clayton, it looks as if you are undecided now.

They must have wonderful shows these days. Everytime Jo Moore and Kay Gibbs go, they see the previews of the coming attractions and just have to go back the next night.

Bill Jones just seems to ring bell in Li'l Kitty's heart. In fact, you may see the ring hanging over her heart by a gold chain.

Shirley Vines and Jack Standridge seem to be getting along just perfectly lately.

We would like to welcome all of our new students. It would be impossible to list all of them, but here are a few of them.

First, there is Nancy Vincent who transferred from West Georgia College.

Walter Wood and Jerry Mc-Murray transferred from Snead.

Ermon H. Jones thought he would see how he liked Jax State, after attending the University of Georgia.

Frank Wedgeworth, who has attended Auburn and Snead, lived with his uncle "Dirty" a week, but decided he didn't like to wash dishes, so he moved in the dorm.

Added to our list of movie stars is Gary Cooper, who is a freshmen.

Kay Croxdale is a sophomore who transferred from Mississippi.

We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anglin who were married recently.

Carolyn Baker and Ed Meyers will be saying the wedding vows soon.

SGA REPORT

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the yearbook. The Mimosa should be ready for the students in ten weeks.

Bob Crosby brought before the council a proposed amendment to the constitution which will be voted on Feb. 25 by the student body, two weeks after this publication.

The Council voted to give the physics department permission to use the SGA room for their radio equipment. In a few weeks, the department plans to be operating a radio station for the campus during certain hours.

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Crowds, if you can call a few students that, at events here have dropped noticeably during the past few months. Not only at ball games, but at receptions, assemblies, and class functions. Yet, in spite of the attendance at past events, the student body cries for more activities.

What should be done to boost the attendance is a big question, and one which apparently has no answer The over-all grades show that students do not spend all their time studying. As a matter of fact, last semester saw more failures than ever before on the campus.

Try to keep in mind that if you don't support school functions, no one else will, and each year there will be fewer functions for your enjoyment.

If Religious Emphasis Week is observed on our campus, this year, students have indicated their cooperation.

The SGA would like to express appreciation to the members of the International House for their invitation for the council to meet with them on Feb. 6. The SGA is open to any student who may wish to visit and express opinions, enter into discussions or to present a problem.

Due to class schedules the time of meetings has been changed temporarily to 6 p.m.

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ROTC News Dr. Strickland Selected As

By Robert Payne January 7, Major General

the ROTC Department this

At the close of the Fall

semester, Lt. Col. Albert W.

Harvey, PM&T retired from

the service because of ill

health. His services and guid-

ance at Jacksonville will cer-

tainly be missed. Since he has,

been PMS&T, the ROTC Bat-

talion has received superior

nounced in the Cadet Battalion:

Cadet Capt. James McManus,

S-1; Cadet Capt. Ben Webb,

assistant S-3; Cadet 1st Lt. Clif-

ford Black assistant S-4, on the

staff. Cadet 1st. Lt. Lesley

Oden and Cadet 1st. Lt. Billy

Yates were appointed platoon

leaders. Promoted to Cadet 2nd

lieutenant were George Box,

Michael Harbin, Bobby Ken-

ing: Arthur Bailey, Wedowee;

Hugh Davis, Glencoe; Jerry

Howell, Heflin; Robert Bar-

nett, Tarrant; Taylor Smith,

Upon completion of college at

nedy and Jesse Wadsworth.

year.

department.

SPOTLIGHT **Bill Lindsey Serves FBLA** Thann In Senior Activities

Sharing the spotlight for February is Bill Lindsey, a native of Piedmont, and president of the FBLA at Jacksonville State.

Bill first attended Jacksonville in 1949 and dropped out



for two years which he spent at Fort Knox. Before starting back to school, he was affiliated with the Sears and Roebuck training program and attended the University Center at Gadsden.

Occupied with business and religious activities, Bill has little spare time. At the Daily Street Baptist Church, he is assistant Sunday School superintendent, a junior deacon, assistant choir director, advisor to the Training Union and an R. A. leader.

His business education will be very beneficial to him when he graduates in May since he has his own men's clothing store in Piedmont.

Also active in civic life, Bill is secretary and treasurer of the Cherokee County Brotherhood Association, a first lieutenant in the National Guard 1181st Engineer's group at Anniston, a member of the Lozahatchee Lodge in Piedmont, and a member of the National Guard Association of the U.S.

Football and tennis are his favorite sports but he also likes his work with the R.A. boys and considers it a real pleasure.

Needless to say, Bill has ambition and ability and well deserves his place in our "Spotlight."

He is married to the former Jane Kerns who works for a lumber broker in Piedmont.

Kappa Delta Pi

Newest member of Kappa Delta Pi, national honorary

By Betty Stephenson This month the Spotlight shines on a combination of outstanding abilities, ambitions, and a keen mind. This combination comes under the name of Thann Pennington. A nineteen year old senior from Fort Payne, Ala., Thann is majoring in Elementary Education. She is an old veteran here at Jacksonville, having begun her ed-

ucation in Fall of 1954. As a result of her ability and ambition. Thann has earned many honors during her school life. At DeKalb County High she was a member of the Beta Club, Latin Club, and the newspaper staff. As an active band member, she played the piccolo and flute.

Her list of college honors is long and varied. Active in



THANN PENNINGTON

Westminister Fellowship, she served as president in 1956 and is now serving as secretary. In 1955 she was selected to attend the American Youth Founda-tion Camp in Michigan on a Danforth Scholarship. Recently she was elected historianreporter of Kappa Delta Pi of which she is a member. Last fall she was elected state publicity clerk and editor for Westminster Fellowship. To prove Thann is an excellent student, she was chosen in the group of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities for 1956-57.

Thann has been named to the staff of the Going to College Handbook published annually in Richmond, Va., also. While at Jacksonville she enjoys working on the Collegian staff.

In the future she wants to teach in Alabama for a year or two, preferably in the lower grades, and then attend graduate school at Peabody in Nashville.

Student's Choice Teacher Garvin, deputy commander of Editor's note: At the suggestion the third army was here, acof the students the Collegian companied by Col. Theiring, has now entered a new feature chief of the Alabama military entitled, "Students' Choice." district, for a command inspec-This article will feature a tion of the ROTC Department. faculty member chosen by a General Garvin was very poll of students. pleased with the work being done and the achievement of

"Students' Choice" is, I'm sure you'll agree, an ap-propriate title for Dr. Harold Strickland.

A long list of schools have known this man-some as a student, others as an instructor. Dr. Strickland finished high

Anniston; Thomas Walthall, Birmingham; Jack Glenn, Jacksonville; Carl Harrison, Johnny Reynolds, Paul Cothran, Merle Wade, Gadsden; Philip Taylor, Horton; George Wigley, Oxford; and Lamar Bannister, Jacksonville. Upon completion of the ceremony their second lieutenant bars were pinned on their uniforms by their wives,

Also at the ceremony Major Jones presented Merle Wade with the Third Army ROTC Certificate of Merit Achievement award for outstanding military leadership while in ROTC.

On March 13 the ROTC will have its annual military ball, in honor of the graduating seniors. Committees have already been appointed to serve in preparation for the dance. A big-name band will play for the dance, the name to be announced later.

The rifle team has shown vast improvement this year and on Feb. 15, will journey to Marion to compete with Marion Institute. Later they will have a match with the University of Alabama.



DR. HAROLD STRICKLAND

school in Albertville, his hometown, then entered Auburn to receive in 1928 a bachelor's degree, and in 1938 a master's degree in the field of chemical engineering. His doctorate degree was received at Peabody College for Teachers in Nashville, Tenn., in 1955.

After graduating from Auburn Dr. Strickland taught first at Hamilton High School in Hamilton, then for about the next 20 years, at three other schools in Selma and Gadsden.

Taking time out from teaching, Dr. Strickland helped Uncle Sam's army out for two years, serving as second lieutenant. He also was an instructor at Maxwell Field where he taught aerodynamics and navigation.

When asked why he chose to teach after he earned a master's degree in chemical engineering, our "teacher of the month" replied that during the depression, employment as an engineer was not to be found. As a second choice, he was forced into the teaching field. When the depression ended he had been teaching for 12 years and liked it so well he has been doing it ever since. All of his teaching has been done in the field of science, and in Alabama.

Not until September, 1955, did Dr. Strickland become a member of Jacksonville State's faculty. However, in a very short time he has made his place as one of the best science teachers anywhere. He says that he enjoys teaching at Jacksonville very much.

Married since Chrismas Eve, 1928, to lovely Margarette Howard from Auburn, Dr. Strickland lives now in Gadsden. The hobbies of this scientifically-minded man are wood-working and every kind of sport.

Those students who have had Dr. Strickland as a general science teacher can vouch for the fact that an hour with him seems much more like half that long. An expert at explaining the most difficult things in the simplest manner, he really teaches.

Eighty-Six Students Enroll As Practice Teachers Here By Judy Archer

Eighty-six students are practice teaching in Jacksonville public schools. Those teaching in the high school are: Meredith Sanders, Pinson; Ken Roberts, White Plains; Earl Poore, Oxford; Ray Sparks, Guntersville; Bill Harris, Anniston; Wayne Wallace, Jack-sonville; John Shelton; Lee Parker, Alexandria; Harold Askew, Munford; Sarah Mc-Craw, Anniston; James Walker, Glencoe; G. L. McDaniel, Gadsden; James Sallas, Goodwater; Huey Blackerby, Munford; Hugh Williamson, Pell City; Betty Johnson, Hokes Bluff; Carole Hardin, Glencoe; and Betty Yarborough, Crossville.

Sandra Sweeney, Cedartown; Jan Mason, Jacksonville; Betty Moore, Birmingham; Henry 'Hammond, Fort Payne; Bill Hampton, Albertville; Imogene Phillips, Weaver; Anna Moore, Attalla; Ruby Kelsoe, Jacksonville; Bob Crosby, Goodwater; Shirley Guy, Vincent; Betty Anthony, Centre; Mrs. Ann Taylor, Jacksonville; Rezelle Goover, Gadsden; Sam Black, Decatur, Ga.; Peggy French, Anniston; Joan Miller, Delta; Mrs. Barbara McCluer, Buckanan, Ga.; Faye Blake, Dora; Evelyn Rice, Gadsden; Peggy Pruitt, Attalla; and Jane Ramsey, Collinsville.

Jolley, Fort Payne; Billy Hicks, Raymond Williams, Jacksonville; Joe Hamilton, Cedar Bluff; Robert Murphy, Eufaula; Tom Murray, George White, Jacksonville; Charles Lamineck, Muscadine; Billy J. Laney, Rainsville; Ernest Winchester, Talladega; Joe Anglin, Huntsville; and Wayne Brothers,

Boaz. Those who are practice teaching in the elementary grades are: First grade-Bertha Sue Baker, Centre; Dorothy Ellis, Catsleberry; Opal G. Chumby, Crossville; Elizabeth Moore, Addison; Mrs. Winslow S. Thomas, Henegar.

Second grade-Joyce Baze-more, Anniston; Zona Bishop, Grant; Bettye Y. Frost, Oxford; Lamer Otwell, Jasper; and Jo Ann Whetstone, Birmingham.

Third grade-Jewel C. Elliott,

the end of the fall semester, the following men were given their commissions and sworn in by Major Jones in a special ceremony at the ROTC build-

rating on every inspection both state and federal. Major Jones will serve as PMS&T until a new colonel is appointed to the To take the places of the graduating seniors who received their commissions, the sweethearts, and mothers. following promotions were an-

education society, is Peggy Smith Truitt (Mrs. Sam Truitt) who was initiated recently at the semi-annual initiation dinner of the Epsilon Phi Chapter.

Taking part in the initiation were officers of the chapter: George Broom, Gadsden, president; Laura Oswalt, Piedmont, vice-president; Carol Harden, Alexandria, secretary; Doris McAlpin Russell, Heflin, treasuper: Audrey Lindblom, Jacksonville, scholarship committee; Imogene Haskew Phillips, Anniston, chairman membership committee; Jackie Aldridge, Boaz, historian; and Miss Lucille Branscomb, faculty counselor.

Just for fun. Thann likes fishing, swimming, hiking, and tennis. Thann has a very keen, inquisitive mind and likes to read about unusual people and happenings.

In spite of all the honors which she has received, Thann remains her own sweet self She is sincerely interested in helping others and is never too busy to give an encouraging word.

What a crazy world. Its wonders never cease. All the civilized at war. All the savages at peace.

The physical education ma-

jors who are practice teaching this semester are: Ray Bullock, Jeff Cummings, Gadsden; Ray Cater, Cedartown, Ga.; Venoy

Sylvania; Mrs. Bettye S. Rhinehart, Gadsden; Thann Pennington, Fort Payne; and Mrs. Ruth Austin, Boaz.

Fourth grade-Mrs. Eleanor Kirkpatrick, Piedmont; Martha Long, Boaz; Mrs. Kathryn Shamblin, Gadsden; Mildred White, Scottsboro; and Kate Hodges, Dutton.

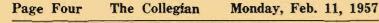
Fifth grade-Jerry Sue Brannon, Ragland; Nell Smith, Fort Payne; Mrs. Elvie Weaver, Weaver; and Merle Sims, Gadsden.

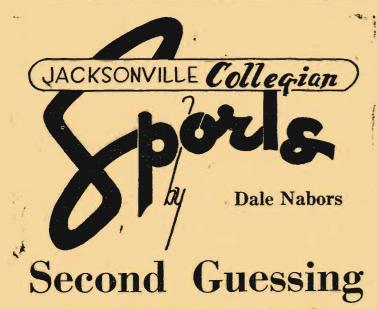
Sixth grade-Mary Andress, Anniston; Mrs. Christine Long, Anniston; John Hendrix, Graham; and Mrs. Willie Harris, Jacksonville.

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Never a dull moment penetrates itself into his class. For instance, in explaining to a group of students the size of a molecule, he said, "Think of the very smallest thing you can imagine, and divide it by 100,-000."

This and the kindly interest he shows in each and every student with whom he comes in contact, mark Dr. Strickland as a favorite teacher for Jacksonville students.





Jaxmen Having Bad Year On Hardwood

Jacksonville's hardwood five are running into tough competition this season, a fact which no one needs or cares to be reminded of. The team was weakened considerably last spring and summer by graduation. Height average dropped from about 6'4" down to a near 6' or below. Graduation not being bad enough, sportively speaking, two boys were lost to Snead College because of better scholarship offers when the state colleges were ordered to cut down on aid to players. Other hardships which have faced the team include injuries to Joe Ingram and the suspension of center Tom Langston. All this added up to a bad need of reserve strength and here too, the Jaxmen are hurting.

Despite hard luck and losses the team has continued to fight in every game played. They have shown great spirit and a willingness to stay alive.

Next Look Tough Also

Considering the facts known now, next year holds little promise of being any better than this season has been. Don Ginn, 6' 5" center, and Don Wilson, guard, will most likely return to the "scenic campus" for next season. Both boys have played here before and have gotten a year's experience at Snead College. Buddy Mayes will be lost by way of graduation.

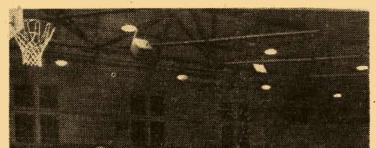
About the only advantage, if any, next year will be more experience for Durham, McCarty, and McNabb. These boys will carry the bulk of the load next year.

Mid-Winter Look At Football

Looking at football shows much better promise than the present basketball picture. Several players were lost after the last season, but there seems to be plenty of good prospects to fill any empty shoes. Of course it'll be hard to find the line backer who can add up to another Billy Hicks.

There are many uncertainties in the line, but the backfield might read something like this: Shankles, quarterback, Smith and Keahey, halfbacks, and Duke at fullback. Of course this is only speculation; there are many other bright spots to break into the backfield.

It looks like the biggest worry that Coach Salls has is the schedule.



Recaps By Dale Nabors

Jax 87-Athens 70

On Jan. 8, Jacksonville's Gamecocks overpowered an Athens five by the score of 87 to 70.

Freshman Gary Durham led the winning attack with 20 points. Buddy Mayes scored 16 points and Billy McCarty, 15 points.

Jax 66 - Mocs 58

On Jan. 10, The Jaxmen defeated the University of Chattanooga Mocs by a score of 66 to 58.

Jacksonville led the Mocs all the way, and the Gamecocks were out front by eight points at the halftime.

Forward Bill Laney set the scoring pace for Coach Tom Roberson's five with 22 points, while guard Buddy Mayes dropped in 20 points.

Others scoring for Jacksonville included freshman center, Gary Durham, 10; Bill Mc-Carty, 7; Grizzell, 4; and Mc-Nabb, 3. Bobby Jackson and John Shelton also saw action in the Jacksonville line up.

Florence 64-Jax 56

Florence State defeated Jacksonville 64-56 for the Lion's second victory of the season over the Gamecocks.

Jacksonville lost the services of ace-guard Buddy Mayes when he ran into a wall and suffered lacerations of the head. He received 10 stitches at a Florence hospital.

Billy Jack Laney and Buddy Mayes led the Gamecocks scoring with 18 and 16 points respectively. Others scoring including Doyle Grizzell, 7; Jerry McNabb, 6; John Shelton, 5; Gary Durham, 3; and Bobby Jackson, 1.

Howard 102-Jax 96

On Jan. 22, Howard defeated Jacksonville by a score of 102-96.

The Bulldog attack was led by forward Bill Lankford who fired 34 points through the hoop.

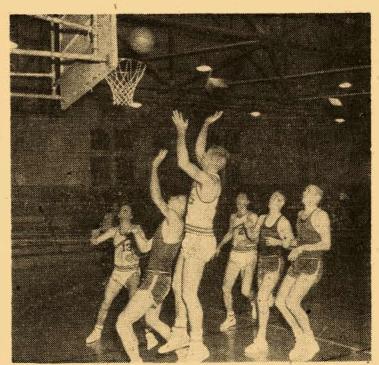
Forward Billy Jack Laney was Jacksonville State's scoring ace with 30 points, his highest total of the season. Joe Ingram and Buddy Mayes tallied 19 and 16, respectively, while Gary Durham made 11 points.

Others scoring for the Jax team included Bill McCarty, 9; Jerry McNabb, 5; Doyle Grizzell, 4; and Bobby Jackson, 2.

Troy 78-Jax 82

Troy State College overcame a 14-point halftime deficit to defeat Jacksonville, 87-82.

Troy started fast and rolled to a four-point advantage in the opening minutes, but Jacksonville rallied to take a 43-33 margin off the floor at halftime.



TWO POINTS FOR JAX—Joe Ingram sinks the ball for Jacksonville against Troy's Red Wave. The Wave trailed by ten points at the half-time intermission, but pulled the game out late in the third quarter after Gary Durham had fouled out.

Intramural Basketball News

Pannell Hall Leads League Moonglows In Second Spot

By Dale Nabors

Intra-mural basketball is providing very interesting entertainment as the season nears completion. Typical of the exciting action is the recent game between the Moonglows and the Rebels.

Those who witnessed this game saw one of the most enjoyable of the year as the Moonglows, coached by Don Moon, came out victorious by a 36 to 34 score. This was truly an exciting, action-packed contest from the opening whistle with the lead changing numerous times throughout the game.

The Rebels, coached by Wade Burleson, took charge early in the game and were leading 9 to 3 when the first quarter ended. However, the Moonglows came back strong in the second quarter and were ahead 16 to 15 during half time intermission.

The third quarter saw the Rebels take command once more. In this quarter they outscored the Moonglows 11 to 2, permitting them to enter the final round on top by a 26 to 17 count. The Moonglows were not to be denied, however, as they staged a final "comefrom- behind" battle to win the game.

With one minute remaining in the contest, the Rebels were leading 34 to 32. At this point, Donald Smith was fouled, and made good on both free throws to tie the game. With only seconds remaining, Smith was again fouled and once more he dropped in both tosses to give the Moonglows their winning margin.

By Virgil Nix *

Old Pannell still leads in the intramural basketball league by sporting a 5-0 record, but they are closely pushed by the Moonglows who have a record of 5-1.

Old Pannell is represented by Wayne Whitley, Pat Williams, Billy Nale, Wayne Deaton, Rayburn White, Max Allen, Jerry Dupree, and Jerry Higginbotham. Their height and ability make them the team they are.

The Moonglows under the direction of their capable manager, Donald Moon, include Don Smith, Phil Powell, Wayne Keahey, Billy Hammonds, and John Lee, They are threatening to replace Old Pannell in the league leadership.

The Sharks, Rebels, Walls, and Scholars are the other teams to watch. They are close behind the league leaders.

The Walls is the team which could beat Old Pannell for the title. They play them Feb. 14, and have added additional power to their club. At the first of the semester they came up with four good all-around players. Jay Dye, towering 6' 7" center, Peanut Sherrell, Billy Bowen, and Wayne Traylor added strength to their club. Ted Spears, Travis Connor, Jud Forest, and Thomas Walls are the other capable players.

The Rebels under the direction of Wade Burleson are another fast moving team. Little, Dean, and Burleson are the big guns.

McCARTY TRIES FOR A SCORE—Bill McCarty is shown above as he attempts to score two points for the Gamecocks. Jacksonville player in the background is Billy Jack Laney. Jacksonville's guard, Buddy Mayes, was the game's leading scorer with 24 points. Others scoring for Jacksonville included Billy Jack Laney, 18; Joe Ingram, 15; Billy McCarty, 11; Gary Durham, 8; and Jerry McNabb, 6.

SUPPORT

THE

GAMECOCKS

Players taking part in the contest for the Moonglows were: Smith, John Lee, Wayne Keahey, Powell, Billy J. Hammonds; Tony Deleo, and Don Moon.

Representing the Rebels were Paul Dean, Cleo Littleton, Wade Burleson, "Coot" King, Corky Newman, Bill Weatherly, Robert Brooks, Bobby Motley, and Mike Livingston. The Sharks are lead by Shankles, Shark and Dobbins, and are getting stronger each game.

The Scholars boast such players as Tony Akin, Tooter Bowen, Doug Saint, Roy Fulmer, Fred Langston, Eddy Wynn, Joe Middleton, and Kenneth Cornelius.

Things might be worse. Suppose your errors were tabulated and published every day like those of a ballplayer.