Nineteen New Teachers Added To College Staff

The beginning of the summer semester at Jacksonville State finds several changes in the faculty here. Some of the regular teachers will be away for the summer. Those include Miss Maude Luskow, and Dr. B. H. Mood, English instructors, and Miss Olive Bartmes, a mathematics teacher, who are taking leave until the fall.

Mr. Alfred Roebuck and Mr. Sam Voorhees, who study English instead of teaching it, will be absent for the summer.

The art department will add John H. Cleverdon as assistant professor of art. Mr. Cleverdon is a native southerner, having made his home in Mobile, Alabama. He received a B.A. degree in fine arts from Princeton College at Rush, Illinois. Then he spent twenty-one months in the army. In 1954 Mr. Cleverdon entered the University of Alabama to study studio arts and administration, later changing to studying painting and then graphic arts. He received his M.A. degree at the end of last semester.

Allen Ivey, from Mr. Vernon W. Strong, Washington College, will teach a course here called "Methods for the exceptional child." He graduated from Stanford University, California, in Psychology and was recently appointed to the University of Copenhagen, Denmark, under a Fulbright Grant. His M.Ed degree at Washington College is his Master's Graduate School of Education. He plans to continue his studies toward the Ph.D. degree. Mr. Ivey has had a great deal of experience in classroom work, working as an attendant in a mental hospital, working with the Boy Scouts, as a youth advisor in Denmark, and counseling students at Tufts University.

Included in the group of new English instructors is Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Cohen. Mrs. Cohen is the former Miss Loisian Dumas Anderson of Sebree, Kentucky. She received an A.B. degree from Western College in South Carolina and her M.A. degree from University of Michigan. She then taught in the secondary schools of South Carolina until she moved to Knoxville, Tennessee, and was an English instructor at Wayne University in Detroit, Michigan. Work for her doctorate in American Literature was completed at Duke University. She and her husband recently published a joint article on "American Literature Quarterly.""
"Of All The Stupid..."

Would you believe it? Recently, the students in a class here were given outline maps of the United States and told to identify the forty-eight states. The results were surprising. A large part of the class missed over half the states. Even Alabama was miss-named or left blank—and by national almanacs, too.

This sounds ridiculous, doesn't it? To think that anyone, especially a student who is supposedly much better informed than the average citizen, would fail to recognize his native state on a blank map! But, it's true. This really happened, either because of laziness or simple ignorance. Somebody just didn't bother to pay attention to United States geography. It can be awfully embarrassing to an American citizen when a foreigner knows more about this country than he does. It might be difficult for someone to listen to a news report or read a newspaper about a part of our country, if he doesn't know something about its basic physical appearance.

This is just one example of the "little things" that should be just common knowledge, and are yet neglected by so many. 

It is chiefly a matter of learning whatever learnable crosses your path, especially in school, where practically everything is taught. What you learn is up to you. Just because you are taught in school how to make reports? Very many mistakes in tabulating grades would put you in a difficult position. And there's no need to ignore this during the summer, either.

The reasons for this are many and obvious.

In other words, there is no need to neglect the in-class education which you may be taking to study and learn. Life is uncertain. You can never be sure what you may need to know, and it is certainly not smart to refuse to learn. Can you identify the forty-eight states of your country?

**FOREIGN STUDENTS**
(Continued from page 1)

He sought a taxi to the International House. "It cost me a dollar to get the taxi tab," he said. "And I'm being taught to taxicab men in my home town."

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Class Cut System Is Re-Explained

This article has been written for the benefit of those who are now at Jacksonville College and are not familiar with the system for handling cuts. The cut system is one which every student in the college should understand. The following is a brief explanation.

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OF STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOC.

FOR SCHOOL YEAR Sept. 1956 to May 24, 1957

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**Respectfully Submitted:**
Ellis R. Morris, Treasurer
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**LETTER TO THE STUDENTS**

Dear Editor,

This space was requested to inform the student body that I have turned over all particulars concerning MIMOSA's Business Manager to Ben Prickett who is the new business manager.

I have enjoyed working with the MIMOSA staff this year; a great deal of the enjoyment comes from the help given me by the advertisers, my supporters, and the student body.

particularly thanks go to Mr. Opal Lovett and even more so to Mr. Frank Pawley without whose help my job would have been much more difficult.

In Ben Prickett, I believe you have a good worker who will bring much recognition to his new office.

Deacon Killian

**DANCING SCHOOL NOTICE**

Dancing will be taught in the Little Auditorium each Tuesday and Friday night from 7:00 until 8:30. Everyone interested in learning the basic fundamentals of dancing is encouraged to attend. Qualified instructors will be available for both male and female students. The school is free and an enjoyable time is promised all who attend.
Meet Six New Teachers

New Jacksonville Freshmen
A Very Interesting Group

The freshmen end of Doug-
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mixture of freshmen and sopho-
more girls in the summertime.
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Win Fellowships

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A one-year fellowship from the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission to study radiological physics at the University of Kansas was awarded to Wayne Williams. He will have training at Hanford Atomic Production Operation in Hanford, Washington. He will attend anti-aircraft and guided missile school at Fort Bliss, Texas. Deactdh is also to receive $2500.

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