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MISS MILDEW MILDON

Untimely Death Takes Librarian

Jacksonville students were shocked to learn that over the Christmas holidays Miss Mildew Mildon had died suddenly. The victim of a heart attack, the well-beloved-campus librarian, Mrs. Mildon will stave off the deadline. There will be a table set up in the hall, if you are interested enough, in having a Mimosa, you should be interested in buying some money for the graduate exercises. The column opens with a copy of the results of their work, which has been officially adopted by the Student Government Association.

PROPOSED SPECIAL AWARDS SYSTEM

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Major, R.O.T.C. under Honored

The two people responsible for the decoration were Henry and fourteen of fifteen sisters and brothers. One fine bright morning, when Billy was playing in the yard, he was dis- covered by a hasty old woman in the house to which he had been dropped. "I am his sister," she said, "and he is our best boy."

E Psychiatrist—"I think it's very important. My only suggestion is that we need to try to make the best of the situation."

Fred Arrington—"I know about that."

Joe Mitchell—"It's real nice."

Methcalf—"It's very convenient for me since I spend a lot of time in the science building."

James Cameron—"It's a good thing, and everyone will be happy about how they could really get it fixed up."

Bill Blacker—"Like it, it's a great thing."

Johnny Mulkey—"It's all right, good place to play ping pong."

Wayne Weeks—"It's O.K. Only lets a new ping pong table and some other equipment."

Beth and Evelyn Ford—"We need more organization in the running of the Commuters Lounge."

Elaine Williams—"We don't get down to the men's room when we do (sure enjoy it)!

Melba Wyatt—"Good coffee!"

Wayne Howell—"It gives commutes a feeling of community. It's ours and we keep it up. In some ways it is like it!"

Just a reminder—there will be a very important meeting of the students on January 29, in the lounge at 10 A.M. Let's all try to be there because we'll elect officers."

See Ya Wednesday!"

Three Navy planes from Air Development Division completed the earliest flight in history to Antarctica when they landed at the Air Force Station McMurdo Sound on Oct. 1 marking the beginning of Descriptive Flight.
Dale Nabors Is Appointed S.G.A. Term Vice President

Since SGA vice president, Otis Williams, is graduating this month, the Student Government Association, at the last meeting, had the task of appointing someone to take over his position.

Unanimously selected was Dale Nabors, a senior student from Maplewood. As president of the U.V.U. Club, Dale already has assumed positions of leadership, and should prove well qualified to fill the position of vice president of the SGA. Nabors is a member of the U.V.U. Club's Student Government, a member of the Interfraternity Council and a shy man in "Who's Who Among Students" in America University and Colleges.

The first second time after last spring's election that a vice president has had to be appointed, Otis was appointed to the position last fall when Auditus Anderson took over the job as president. One of the most popular students on the Jazz campus, Otis Williams will definitely be missed. He has come to be known as a most capable and willing worker, taking part in a variety of activities, for which we thank you for your contribution to the student life here and a constant work of. Odell Williams is studying when you can go out to, Ott.

A.S.E.A. In The Midst Of A Very Active, Eventful Year

Jacksonville State College now has an unusually active A.S.E.A. This improvement has been evidenced by the increased number of members. Some forty-five students, under the sponsorship of Mr. Roy Gibson and Dr. Reuben Self, have successfully filled a semester with information which aids in educational training for future teachers.

Already, such speakers as Dr. H. L. Cole, Pres. of JSC; Dr. T. R. Montgomery, Dean of JSC; and Mr. R. F. Nuttall, Superintendent of Education in Tallahassee County, have inspired the members who will hold future education in the palm of their hands.

Such occasions as the annual Christmas party seem to knit the organization together as the members, officers, and sponsors unite in songs and refreshments.

Governor the Jacksonville chapter of the A.S.E.A are: Misses Os, Forrest Faulkner, president; Betty Sue Williams, vice president; Shirley Austin, secretary; and Iva Jordan, treasurer; Treisse Smith, publicity chairman; and Barry Blackwood, reporter.

American Education Week was observed by many members and officers by sitting in on various classes, and by substitute teaching.

Plans of future meetings seem to be quite intriguing. In the spring, a banquet will delight the club members and the other officers will be installed. Of course the convention will arrive the more ambitious ones as the time draws nearer. A skit entitled, "Salute To Our School," will be the program for a meeting in the near future.

The program which everyone is looking forward to with the most enthusiasm is the presentation of the International House Program which features students from every corner of the world in their native costume. These hours of musical interlude are of the main group attractions on the Jacksonville campus.

It should take more than a small tumbling block to hinder the progress in attendance, enthusiasm, and vitality of the Jacksonville A.S.E.A.

MISS JOHNSTON

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Johnston held the same position at Woodlawn High School in Birmingham. She was active in church work in Jacksonville, was assistant teacher of the Florida.

The Old Yarns Come--Pushing aside the 18 for a moment, one of the most alluring stories is the first "Gen." of the year, petite Barbara Cary, a freshman from Alabama City, Ezra the eye in the "Who's Who" picture in the last issue. Looks better all put together, doesn't she. A picture of the newspaper for a major in history and a minor in English.

Muslim Christian Association Has J.S.C. Campus Chapter

The fourth meeting of a very new organization on Jacksonville's campus was held last Wednesday afternoon. The Muslim-Christian Fellowship, began here as a part of a larger national organization, is composed of people interested in the two religions and in promoting fellowship between the two groups.

Meetings are held every other Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. in the President's Lounge. Topics discussed at the meeting include: Principles of Islam I: The Divine Origin of the Koran; Islam; and 4. Judaism-Christian Influence on Islam; 4. The Influence of Judaism-Christian Influence on Islam.

As stated in the Handbook for Fellowship of Muslims of Christians, "the movement for Muslim-Christian cooperation on a world scale is inaugurated at a convention of Muslim and Christian leaders held by the Bahhamad, Lebanon, April 22- 27. About 40 leaders from organized bodies of Muslims are equal number of leaders from worldwide in 'Judaism and Christianity share enough beliefs and interests to join hands in controlling the problems that face the contemporary opportunities of our times.'"

GUS UNGER

Gus Unger Cadets Unger Represents ROTC

By Robert Cantor

Gus Unger, a senior from Chapman High School, is currently representing Jacksonville State College at the convention of the National Association of Student Councils. The convention, which was held in St. Louis, is held every two years for the purpose of discussing matters of military education and other matters of similar interest to Student Councils and Blaze. Attending the convention were 120 cadets representing a cross-section of the country's colleges. They heard speeches from many distinguished military and civilian leaders and received messages from President Brucker, and Taylor. Pres. Ehrlichman spoke at a roll call for a successful convention. The convention culminated in a formal breakfast to which was invited from city schools in the city.

Gus Unger reported that the meetings at the convention were most informative and enjoyable and served as an ideal place for exchange of ideas and working out a joint program of Student Councils and Blaze detachments around the country.

Clair and director of mission body at the First Baptist Church, Miss Johnston graduated from Judson College, earned a B.A. degree from Judson and a master's degree in Biblical studies from Columbia University.

"Well beloved," correctly describes the place Miss Johnston held at Jax State. During her term as librarian, she never failed to be always considerate and helpful to every student and faculty member. Regarded as one of the outstanding librarians in the state, Miss Johnston and her facilities expand with the growth of the college, leaving a satisfactory and efficient library at Jacksonville College.

The services for Miss Johnston were held on Monday afternoon December 16, at the First Baptist Church.

Net to Build

"I don't mind the style or color of the shoes, but I want you to get a young thing told the assistant.

"To wear with what, mist?"

"Short and fat, elderly business man.

The first Marine Helicopter Squadron was commissioned at Quantico, Va., in December 1947.

In some states, it's legal for a man to beat his wife. But in our present-day world of athletic feminism, how can a man with two broken arms beat anybody?

MISS DOUSI BENNETT

Miss D. Bennett Is Named Librarian

Jacksonville State College has appointed a new head librarian. She is Miss Doris Bennett and the succeeds Miss Mildred McNeese who died during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Bennett, a pleasant looking lady, very familiar to every Jacksonville student, has worked with the library staff here for three years. A native of Bonneau, she did her undergraduate study at Jacksonville and her graduate study at Sam Houston College in Nashvile, Tennessee. She holds a master's degree in library science from that institution. Before coming to Jacksonville, she was a librarian at another school.

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Comments

At the beginning of the fall semester, a new student accident and sickness insurance claim was filed by the Continental Casualty Company, Montgomery, Alabama. The policyholder, Mr. R. E. Williams, no one was compelled to buy the insurance, any student who wished to apply could. Many availed themselves of this opportunity.

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"Student" Points

Exams Examine

The time draws near when we will be through with the final exams. The wildest tales (we'll never tell) are told as the last exams are consumed. By now you all know your final exam will be in a few days, some of you no students will have a final exam. While you were "cramming" away, of the lunch and coffee and bread and breakfast, the other students who had a final exam because she had a test.

That first little action would constitute a protest.
SPORTS SHORTS

Huelon Davis

If the success of the Intercollegiate sports program at Jackson-ville State is based upon the won-loss column, the year of 1957 proved to be only average, for the cage team won only 8 of 21 contests and the gridiron record showed only four wins as opposed to four losses. Otherwise, the success attained in the past year can be compared favorably with any year of the past.

With the beginning of the year we find the hardwood court boys in the midst of a season that will be remembered.

Jacksonville started the year on the winning side of the score, for on Jan. 8 the Gamecocks overpowered Athens 67-70 and on Jan. 10 the Jaxmen defeated Chattanooga, 69-58.

Then, arch-rival Florence toppled our Gamecocks for the second time in the current season, 64-58.

On Jan. 23 the Gamecocks again ran head-on into defeat, this time at the hands of a strong Howard five, 102-96.

Then Troy overcame a 14 point halftime deficit two days later to handed their card straight defeat, 82-70, to Oglethorpe, 80-67 and for, the second time, Chattanooga, 113-94. The 112 points was a new school record.

On Feb. 8 the Gamecocks once again fell into hands of defeat this time in Georgia State, 68-54.

In the last cage game of the season our cage five avenged an earlier defeat and took the measure of an all Tennessee Wesleyan team by a slim 81-80 score.

The 91-90 victory gave Coach Roberson's Jaxmen a final record of 8 wins and 13 defeats.

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