Jacksonville State College

WOODY HERMAN ORCHESTRA TO PLAY HERE FEB. 24

'Queen Of Ball' To Be Selected

"The spirit of jazz is aban-
don. When you present it too g r i m , dull, hot, and ur-
ural ..." Thus Woody Herman who brings his great jazz or-
c e t t r a , the Woody Herman Entertaining Unit, to Jackon-
ville for the Military Ball, ex-
presses his sentiments about
music. This highlight of the Saturday evening will be pres-
ented from 8 to 11 P.M. on Tuesday, Feb. 24, in the college gym. The
dance will be semi-formal and
the price of the ticket will be
$4.00 in advance and $4.50 at
the door.

During the dance the "Queen of the Ball" will be revealed. The candidates for this honor are all ROTC sponsors. Compet-
ing for the title are Patricia Pauvott, Palmersdale, B O T C band sponsor; Mrs. Charles Graham, Gadson, Drill Team
sponsor; Sue Little, Centre, Band Group; Jo Moats, Talla-
dega, A Company; Donna Grif-
fin, Crossville, B Company; Fran Chandler, Cofordown, Ga. C
company; and Mary Ann Huff, Ashtabula, D Company. Participants in the contest will be all the sponsors and the
staff.

KNOX HOLDS MUSIC CONCERT

On Saturday, January 24, 1959, Mr. Knox acted as Direc-
tor Cnnservation for a concert Band composed of students
competing for membership in the All State Band later this
spring. The ensemble rehearsed all morning and afternoon Satur-
day at Emma Sansom High School as part of the Gadsden
District Clinic. During this same time, the musicians were
visited and chosen to represent their district in the All State
Band.

The music for this program was placed before the students from the Knox class on Saturday morning and after
only six hours rehearsal, the program was presented for the
general public. Mr. Knox was warmly pleased with the
musicianship of the students and the kind reception he received from the participating band
directors.

"It is always unfortunate that all competing stu-
dents cannot be selected for the band... but the
less feel that nothing stim-
ulates excellence like the con-
servative competition that was in evidence last Saturday."
EDITORIAL

Sirens On The Campus

For the past few years, there has been an increasing number of instances of students taunting each other. We have been conditioned to believe that the desecrating sounds are insurance policies against enemy attack. David Stovian, a student at St. Johns, Annapolis, Maryland, wrote to the "Pulse" (the college newspaper), "I think that by duping the emotions of many Americans, especially those who live near the air bases--"

"THE LEAVES are falling briskly this day down the campus.

Bobby Welch reports that the baseball team made approximately $122 from ticket sales on the movie camera. The SGA had donated an additional $100; collegePhi Kappa Psi has agreed to supply the team with additional equipment. A project was undertaken after a suggestion for help in securing warm-up room was given by approximately twenty-five players.

Two new members have been added to the SGA. Betty Cooper will fill the vacancy on the junior class; and Lila Atkins will be the new SGA representative for the sophomore class. Bobby Hayes reports that the Audee will have Miss snapshot and "Happy" Tinsley as a cheerleader, Best All Round Senior Girls, and as Good Citizenship Girl.

In the fall of 1956, Sandra enrolled at Jacksonville and soon became established as a parsonable but l.e-1eaded gal. More she has been selected for the membership in Phi Mu Chi Beta, Sigma Tau Delta and Kappa Delta Chipsilon, for which she is treasurer this year. She has worked on various committees of each of the organizations and has come to be one of the most valuable members an organization could hope for. Sandra has become one of the most dependable members of the Collegian staff this year. She has also found time to write last-minute articles and important news events for the STU-JAX. She has served as vice-president of the sophomore class one summer and secretary of the junior class another summer. Presently, she is an SGA representative for the junior class. She serves her office quite efficiently and is always ready and willing to go beyond her duty to help her class.

Recently Sandra has become one of the proof new "Mothers" of Daughters of Daughters. She plans to graduate in July with a major in English and a minor in biology. Her future consists of a master's degree and a teaching career.

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Activity Timetable

Monday, February 9, 1959
7:45 p.m.—Marching Band, Little Auditorium
6:00 p.m.—Vapers, Little Auditorium
6:00 p.m.—Old Pensacola vs. Triumpha College Gym
6:30 p.m.—Social Science Club, Little Auditorium
6:45 p.m.—Phi Mu Alpha, Music Department
6:45 p.m.—J Club vs. Duques, College Gym
7:30 p.m.—I. M. Club, Lawyer Kho Tzu, Art Department
7:30 p.m.—Jax vs. Georgia State, College Gym
11:00 p.m.—Sundaes, Little Auditorium
Tuesday, February 10, 1959
7:45 p.m.—Morning Walk, Little Auditorium
6:00 p.m.—Old Pensacola vs. Vols, College Gym
6:30 p.m.—Vapers, Little Auditorium
6:45 p.m.—Social Science Club, College Gym
7:30 p.m.—Jax vs. Florida State, College Gym
7:30 p.m.—Jax vs. University of Chattanooga, College Gym
Thursday, February 12, 1959
7:45 p.m.—Morning Walk, Little Auditorium
6:45 p.m.—Sundaes vs. Bulldogs, College Gym
6:30 p.m.—Vapers, Little Auditorium
6:00 p.m.—Fireside Chat, Womans Foundation, Little Auditorium
7:30 p.m.—Basketball—Jax vs. University of Chattanooga, College Gym
Thursday, February 13, 1959
6:30 p.m.—Morning Walk, Little Auditorium
6:00 p.m.—Vapers vs. Vols, College Gym
6:45 p.m.—Vapers, Little Auditorium
7:30 p.m.—I. M. Club, Lawyer Kho Tzu, Art Department
7:30 p.m.—Sundaes, Little Auditorium
8:30 p.m.—Friday, February 13, 1959
7:45 p.m.—Morning Walk, Little Auditorium
7:30 p.m.—Basketball—Jax vs. Birmingham Southern, College Gym

SPOTLIGHT

Two SGA Representatives Share Collegian's Spotlight

Sandra Davis

Sandra does any class have two SGA representatives who are as friendly, cooperative, and dependable as Sandra this year's junior class. These two—Sandra Davis and "Happy" Tinsley—have been unanimously selected to share this week's Spotlight.

Sandra is a very likable campus personality from Crossville. She graduated from Crossville High School in 1956, where she was a member of the junior class. She serves on the junior class. She served on the junior class executive board where she was one of the most valuable members an organization could look for. Sandra has become one of the most dependable members of the Collegian staff this year. She has also found time to write last-minute articles and important news events for the STU-JAX. She has served as vice-president of the sophomore class one summer and secretary of the junior class another summer. Presently, she is an SGA representative for the junior class. She serves her office quite efficiently and is always ready and willing to go beyond her duty to help her school.

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Jacksonville State's Crest Much Neglected Emblem

An obscure, inconsiderable crest is found mounted over a small table in the lounge of Dean Montgomery's office. As people hurry through, it attracts little attention. Probably few students would recognize it, and even fewer would appreciate its symbolic meaning.

This crest, the coat of arms of Jacksonville State College, adopted about twenty years ago, was designed by Grace Stevens McAlbee (Mrs. O. B. McAlbee), a native of Jacksonville and the sister of Mrs. Mary A. Polics, the registrar's office, and N. L. Stevenson, member of his faculty.

The crest, signifying Knowledge and Learning, is composed of a lamp of Knowledge above Seven Stars, and Hope, surmounting a shield encased Griffin, emblazoned with a combination of Laurel and Oak Leaves, underneath which is a Latin inscription, "Exaepl Monumentum Aec Philarn." This means, "I have reared a monument more enduring than a bronze."

The lamp is emblematic of Knowledge and Learning. A golden lamp was presented to students from the women of Egypt in recognition of their arts, and has remained a symbol of learning throughout the ages.

The Hope of Seven Branches is symbolic of the ancient mystic numeral and represents the seven spheres of learning.

The upper portion of the Griffin within the shield is that of the Eagle Owl adopted by the college as its emblem and signifying Wisdom and Lofty Ideals, whereas the lower part is that of a Lion Denoting Strength and Courage. This is bordered with signs of the Trinity. The central portion of the Griffin depicts its readiness to fight for the ideals represented.

The scroll of work of Laurel and Oak Leaves stands for solid and solidity.

Recently this neglected crest has been included in the college information bulletin. As our coat of arms, it is certainly a noble representative of the ideals and goals of Jacksonville State College.

"One of the most tactful men I ever knew," says a California manufacturer, "was the man who fired me from my very first job. He called me in and said, 'Son, I don't know how we're going to get along without you, but starting Monday we're going to try!'"

Singerman Praised In Music Magazine

Albert Singerman, a member of the music faculty of the college, appeared in recital at Carnegie Hall on Dec. 29, "Musical America," a national music publication reported the success in his manner:

Welt equipped from the technical standpoint, Albert Singerman presented his recital with Beethoven's Sonata in E minor, Op. 2, No. 1. He gave it an unusually sensitive performance, with keen perception of the work's emotional and intellectual context.

Schumann's "Etudes Symphoniques" received a solid, serious, but appreciative reception. The pianist's tone was warm and never too intimate, and passages that might have been more delicately shaded or more delineated, but the dreamy and active aspects of the music were both stressed.

Perchett's Sonata No. 8 is a very interesting work, at time quite playful. Mr. Singerman played with a very different sort of crystalline tone and rhythmic pulse. His main voice was more appealing to the mind than emotionally stimulating, but there was a happy equilibrium. The pianist brought a light touch and avoided the familiar Schumannian clichés.

Louise F. B. L.

KDE Meets

Kappa Delta Epsilon met Wednesday, February 4, at ten o'clock.

At Gall Burgess, second vice-president, graduated in January, the business at hand was to elect a new second vice-president. Yvonne Mears was elected unanimously to that position.

Kate Welch, the president of KDE last year, was accepted for membership in the Split, Ill. KDE at the university this year.

Some of the new members for KDE will be pledged, and initiation banquet will be held.

ROT CADETS RECEIVE COMMISSIONS — Eight Jacksonville students are pictured who will receive Regular Army commissions. They are, from left to right: Richard Belcher, Thurman Greene, Sonny Roberts, Robert Burdell, Robert Brown, Wilson Sherrill, Gary Greve, and Jerry McNabb. President Houston Cole is shown extending congratulations. Cadet Colonel Wilson J. Sherrill, Alabama C11, was presented the ROTC Certificate of Meritorious Leadership Achievement by Dr. Cole in his office. This certificate is awarded annually to the cadet selected on the basis of leadership development through the ROTC program.

MAN-WOMAN OF THE YEAR — Floyd J. Treadway (left) and Mrs. T. E. Montgomery (center) were named "Man and Woman of the Year" at the Chamber of Commerce Banquet, H. L. Stevenson (right), chairman of the selection committee, made the presentation of the certificates.

The Lawyer

Did you know that the first person to be executed for speeding was sentenced in 1901? The date was August 24, 1866, the place Virginia. It was a tragic event, but not for the offender. He had been noted by the traffic police and had not yet reached the end of his sentence. In 1891, the speed limit was reached at the speed of 12 miles per hour. It could be said, that these taxes are the price of freedom. There are many benefits that we receive from the government that are a direct benefit from the taxes we pay. A large nation like ours needs a vast amount of money to maintain a military force to defend our country. Taxes are paid for advancements in science and technology of other countries that do not pay taxes. The world today is divided into "have" and "have nots." The nations that are associated with the "have" countries need our aid and protection. If we could not offer the things they need and demand, they would turn to the other side. If this were to happen, they would be compared to a man in the desert with sand in all directions. If water were pouring out of the water tower, the water would not be of any use to him.

Taxes are now, not new, but the grumbling over their payment is. Taxes are paid for our defense, and their tributes and taxes that were much higher than those today. The tax collector has never been a man well liked by the community. The public has more than one reference to the crusade and humanity.

Some of the country's most notorious criminals have been protected by the government at the expense of income tax evasion. These men were not found guilty of the crimes they committed because they had neglected to pay taxes. The amount of money that they did not pay was the money that was taken from the government and that was their downfall.

As we good citizens have an obligation to our country to pay the price of freedom; the price we pay is small in comparison to the benefits we receive and the freedoms we enjoy.

FBLA Report

The Jacksonville Chapter of Future Business Leaders of America held its first regular meeting at its last meeting, President David G. Major, an Agricultural student, was elected as the new President. Vice-President, friesia C. Collier, is the vice-president for this year.

The program for the next meeting to be held on February 11, 1959 will consist of the election of the new officers. The state and national offices; making of pictures for the Christmas cards and other official business.

All F. B. L. A. members and all interested Jacksonville business students are urged to attend the meetings. The F. B. L. A. needs your
**JACKSONVILLE College**

**SPORT SHORTS**

Mr. H. L. Stevenson and his crew of helpers are doing a good job of directing the intramural sports on the campus. However, the needs are great in the intramural sports program.

Due to an increase in the enrollment in our school the number of boys participating in the intramural sports program has increased. More boys mean more games to be played and of course, the more games that are played more and better equipment is needed.

During football season about eight or nine teams played in the intramural touch football league. All of the games were played on a field that is just not adequate enough for the touch football league. Two teams are supposed to have the number of players on, but this way happened because a few of them. Officials Robert Darby, Bob McCarty, Sam Kenamer and Herb O'Dell did a good job officiating the games but there was no stop watch to be used and the measurement of time for the quarters was far from accurate.

The basketball league with ten teams fighting for the championship is now completing a successful season. Night classes and late afternoon classes have made scheduling a problem. The main problem concerning this is the lack of a good time-keeping system and the need of an official scorekeeper.

With softball season will come the same problems that we had last summer. Just a few weeks ago we had a poor field, backstop with holes in it, and too few balls and bases.

Our hat is off to Coach Stevenson and his boys for doing a wonderful job with the equipment they have to work with. With Jacksonville suffering from growing pains in all areas the facilities for the rapidly growing intramural program should be improved in accordance with his growth.

**SECONDE GUESSING**

While thinking over the sports action on the Jacksonville State campus, our Thoughts are immediately brought to the outstanding play the basketball team has done this year. It's a first that a basketball team can claim their last five games. They have won 4 of their 6 games since mid-season exam week.

Some stories have been over Livingstone State, 64-62; Car. State 76-57; Tenn. Wesleyan 42-46; Berry College 68-69; and the Gamecocks lost to Oglethorpe twice in their high scoring games, 30-19 and 30-17 respectively.

The Jax State five turned in their finest performance of the season in their 82-65 victory over Tennessee Wesleyan. Jacksonville had lost to the Tennessee team, 68 to 62 earlier in the season.

There has been a lot of talk around the campus and in the dormitory corridors concerning the poor attendance and support of the Jacksonville basketball team, especially at the home games. Quite a few commuters and resident students, who had left their act books at home and some who had lost theirs, were turned away from the Tennessee Wesleyan game for attempting to see the game on borrowed activity books. The activity books were taken away, several were torn up. Speaking for a large number of students, this going to school is kind of a pinch-penny proposition; and it's tough paying twice to see a ball game.

However school laws are made to be enforced and in a school involving as many students as we have there has to be a law against the loaning of activity books. Many laws though are flexible, so maybe some one will consider the student a little. After all, the ticket is paid for what difference does it make who uses it?

There are several who probably won't see the last basketball home game—the loafer and the borrower of the activity books who were among the students.

May be they will let a so-so sports writer in the game free, the second guesser has lost his activity book and the allowance is gone for the week.

(Later) They didn't let me in the Oglethorpe game.

**D'AGOSTINO Signs Cards' Contract**

Frank D'Agostino student, assistant line coach here at Jacksonville last year, is re- reported signed to play professional football with the Chicago Cardinals.

After being named to almost every All-Southern ench队 in 1955, his last year as an Au- burn quarterback, D'Agostino was drafted by the Philadelphia Eagles. He played two seasons before en- tering the State of Alabama to finish his education.

The Chicago Cardinals, who plays at about 240 lb. was named as the Cardinals as a free agent.

The signing of D'Agostino, made two former Auburn players on the Cardinals' roster. Joe Chil- ders, teammate of Frank in '55, is a fullback for the Cardinals.

**ROOK TOURNAMENT**

Who won the rook tournament? This is a question that has been asked me several times in the last few weeks. So I would like to tell everyone on the campus that there were none other than W. W. O'Neill and Alvie "Woody" Hamilton.

Waymond O'Neill a great guy from Ceodartown, Georgia, teamed with the old Governor to literally walk the tables and win the tournament sponsored by the Flea. The top rook on the campus defeated Jim Tarver and Franklin. Rates for the championship were made at $1 per man and $2 per team.

Congratulations to Mr. W. W. O'Neill and Woody Hamilton from this sports writer and the entire Colleegian Staff. We would like to say congratulations to the Fleas for sponsoring the tournament of which the proceeds went to the Beulah Ratliff Fund.