Dean Montgomery Attends Educational Conferences

Dean Theron Montgomery, represented Jacksonville State College at the American Association of Colleges and Teacher Education in Chicago recently. He left Wednesday for San Marcos, Texas, where he was a member of a Southern Association visitation team to make an appraisal of Southwest Texas Teachers College.

En route to San Marcos, Dr. Montgomery visited Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, and the University of Texas, at Austin, where Dr. Ralph Green, director of the Commission on Higher Education for Texas, is located. Dr. Greco and Dr. Montgomery completed their doctorates together at Duke University.

Dr. Montgomery, in commenting on the Chicago meeting, said the most significant action taken was the outlining of a new book on “Religion and Education” which is being printed for distribution to all teacher-training institutions by the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education. The book has been compiled by a committee composed of Catholics, Protestants and Jews after educational leaders became convinced that education must be judged by their high school records.

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Funds Received For Student Assistance

Dr. Houston Cole has announced that Jacksonville State College has received $10,000 for student loan scholarships from the National Defense Education Act of 1958.

A scholarship committee has been appointed to evaluate the applications and grant the loans. The committee is composed of E. Baskin Wright, chairman; Mrs. M. R. Sawyer, Lawrence H. Miles and Floyd Tredaway.

The loan scholarship established to assist students desiring to go to college but unable to finance their own education, will be granted for one semester or one summer session at the time. In order to continue eligible for additional loans, students must maintain satisfactory scholastic progress and a good record of conduct.

College students must have a scholastic grade point average of 1.5; entering freshmen will be judged by their high school records.

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Two Students To Complete JSC Graduate Work In May

In May two excellent students will graduate from Jacksonville State College as the first graduate students to complete their work for a master’s degree at this college. These two students will be Henry J. Terry from Springfield, and Wendell E. Robertson from Horton. Both students have done their advanced work in history and education.

Mr. Terry, who is the “dorm father” in Freshman Hall, plans to teach high school American history, preferably in Alabama. He says that he decided to do his advanced work because he felt that students and faculty members alike would prefer the vacation now instead of between semesters after Mr. Harriman and New Year vacations overlapped into January.

Week Of Spring Holidays Scheduled March 6-16

When the chimes rang out at five o’clock Friday, March 6, classes will be dismissed at Jacksonville State College, making this announcement recently. He remarked that he felt that students and faculty members alike would prefer the vacation now instead of between semesters after Mr. Harriman and New Year vacations overlapped into January.

Orchestra To Give Program March 2

Dr. Louis Barron of the Jacksonville State music department will conduct the Calhoun County Civic Orchestra March 2 in the Lewis College Auditorium. Mrs. A. Page Sloan, Jr., coordenator for Jacksonville State College, announced that the orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Barron, will give a program of classical music.

Program

Overture to “The Merry Widow,” Bellini Symphony No. 40 in “G” Minor, K. 550 Mozart

Andante Allegro assai

Arts: “Mi chiamano Mimì”, from “La Bohème”, Puccini for mezzo and Orchestra Mrs. Sloan

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The cost of living was so low that you could buy a yard of material for five cents. Now we pay ten times that amount for anything."

Perhaps Martha Washington didn't have a government consumer price index to tell them if their living costs were rising. They never even heard of that sort of government activity. A lot of the things they buy cost them much less. A lot of things you use you never heard of. The government has just told us it cost a bit more to live in January than it did in December. Mrs. Washington must have had her own means of figuring that out. And maybe you do, too.

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James Southlander
Named Commander Of CAP Unit

Jacques Bouchard, Jacksonville College senior, has been appointed to the position of Commander of the Jacksonville Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol, succeeding Robert Burns, who has recently moved to California. 

The new commander has initiated a training program for cadets, and has appointed a staff consisting of the principles of flight, weather, navigation, and other subjects related to flying; radio communications; career opportunities in aviation and the latest developments in the air and space age.

He has announced that this program, which includes study sessions and field trips, will continue every Saturday at the Jacksonville College main campus.

The Squadron provides orientation and proficiency flights for its members. Jeff Gibson is the Squadron's chief pilot and is assisted by Flying cadets of the Aniston Squadron.

ALUMNI OFFICERS PLAN BREAKFAST—Meeting to plan the alumni breakfast recently was held at right: Solon H. Glover, secretary-treasurer; R. P. Steed, Business manager; Miss Katherine Kilbyrew, Anniston, president. The breakfast will take place March 13 in the Terrace Room of the Twiliter Hotel at 8 a.m.

PHI BETA LAMBDA Hears Gutzmann

The Phi Beta Lambda held its regular meeting on Wednesday, February 14, in the Phi Beta Lambda room in the Student Union.

The meeting was called to order by Phi Beta Lambda President Leslie Earl Gutzmann, a student majoring in Business Administration.

Gutzmann's talk was on the topic of financial management and its importance in the modern business world. He emphasized the need for students to become familiar with financial management principles in order to succeed in the business world.

He also discussed the importance of networking and the role of Phi Beta Lambda in connecting students with potential employers.

SEVERAL of the attendees expressed their interest in participating in future meetings and activities organized by Phi Beta Lambda.

PHI BETA LAMBDA Holds Fund-Raising Dinner

The Phi Beta Lambda held its annual fund-raising dinner on February 15, in the Phi Beta Lambda room in the Student Union.

The dinner was attended by several members of the faculty, including Professor J. B. W. Anderson, who gave a speech on the importance of supporting Phi Beta Lambda.

A business meeting was held after the dinner, during which plans were made for future meetings and activities.

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C. E. Walker Gets Denver U. Degree

Mr. Carl Walker, who is a faculty member at JSC in the Business Department, recently received his Ed D. degree from the University of Denver.

Mr. Walker, who was steeled with police when he was 14 years old, has gained much distinction in the field of education. He received his B.S. degree in business education and English from Murray State College, Murray, Ky. Later he was awarded an M.A. degree in English from the University of Ky. Of course his M.Ed. degree and Ed.D. degree are from the University of Denver.

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TRECEAL PRESENTED BY THREE STUDENTS

The Department of Music at Jacksonville State College presented Linda Bryan, Pianist; Margaret Gudsen, violinist, and William Davis, trumpetist, in their junior recital on Thurs- day evening at 8 o'clock in the Leone Coliseum Auditorium.

The program was as follows: Impromptu in C Minor (Beethoven), Sonata in E Major (Beethoven), Two Ballades (Brahms), Miss Bryan; Aria (Pergolesi), Prologue from "Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo), Miss Gudsen; "The Little White Ball," (Britten) St. Petersburg (Last), Two Pieces (Prokofieff), Miss Davis.

SHE'S GOING TO MAKE MORE PICTURES TOO. Pretty Nancy Simmons, widow of BAZINGA's "Chief" is planning to enjoy the AEA vacation by making pictures so that she may remember the spring of 1959. Nancy is an English major from Walnut Grove. Since she is only a Freshman, look for her name in future editions of this paper as she participates in campus activities.

By Wanda Wallon

Several issues ago we wrote of intestinal fortitude and one John Drake who showed how much he had when he was faced with a serious illness. Today we say, "Welcome back, John!" It's more than good to see John's smiling face again; it's inspiring.

Get ready for Spring elections. We want to help some more people get into A.S. for next year.

It's refreshing to walk into the lounge and not see and hear the usual "social" party talk. Of course, people are out, but there seems to be a difference in the way they communicate. By the way, the lounge is so clean now? We didn't see it before and now we appreciate the fact.

If you missed the Hi-Fi party last Wednesday, in the lounge you missed a treat! Free cof- fee, good music, and a congenial group of people made for a very interesting time. Peggy Morgan has very graciously consented to bring her Hi-Fi back next Wednesday, so if you want an enjoyable hour, drop around about ten a.m.

Word reaches us that the Social Sciences Club is about to become a part of a national organization. This is a great step forward which should be taken by other organizations.

Congratulations to our com- menter, Mary Ann Huff, who resigned to become a Kappa of the ROTC Ball. It was a difficult choice to make because all the bacteria were beautiful. Congra- tulations are also in order for the honorary Lt. Col. Sue Littl, who has been an ROTC sponsor for two years in a row.

Of both these girls we are very proud.

Patience—the ability to ride your motor when you feel like stripping your gears.
Grid Slate For '59 Released By Salls

As the Jax State football team swings into spring training to find out as soon as possible who will be the starting lineup this season, Coach Salls looks toward the 1959 grid schedule which will be announced soon. The Gamecocks will face nine opponents, a good schedule for college football. Coach Salls will name the starting lineup Monday March 2, with all but two members from the '58 squad returning. The only two lost by way of graduation are E. G. Taylor, the big 200-pound tackle and captain of the '58 team, and end and punter Jim Clepper, who was a leading pass receiver on the team last season.

With the returning lettermen from last season's squad which compiled a 5-4-1 record, there is an optimistic outlook for the Gamecocks and season record at Jax State in many years. Although the outstanding performers from '58 are Grover Whaley, one of the most consistent receivers on the college football; Roy Pulmer, a very consistent place kicker; guard; Jim Glasgo, the other co-captain of the '58 squad and huge 205-pound tackle, Glasgo was voted the "Outstanding Linebacker" on the '58 team and was named on the Tampa University All-Opponent Team.

Many Lettermen Return For Gamecocks' Spring Practice

In the backfield, Little-American halfback from Fort Payne.

It has been over said that school spirit is completely dead here at Jackson State, but this season the Jacksonville basketball team and fans proved to everyone that just isn't so. The fighting Gamecocks were behind the Troy Red Waves by fourteen big points at half time. The Gamecocks led by speedy Cecil Dupree staged a great comeback in the second half.

The second half of the game was probably the most inexpensive spot to equip and put into cooker. It's a pressure melting pot-it's a pressure cooker.

The question has been asked, "Why doesn't Jacksonville have a major college+ and universities located on its routes. The first time these young men will see the Carolina..The Carolina..The Carolina.

At the Chattanooga-Jacksonville game which climaxed the season.

SOUTHERN AIRWAYS OFFERING DISCOUNTS ON STUDENT TOURS

A football game which climaxed the season.

SECOND GUESSING

Time has come for the vast number of spring sports to swing into the spotlight. Nine busy schedules, practice and squad competition. However, before we move on into these spring activities, we should give a final congratulation to Coach Robinson and the baseball team for their fine season. The Gamecocks ended the season with a 11-12 record; but considering the Alabama and Auburn games as exhibition games, the hardwood boys ended at the .500 mark with a 11-11 record. With the large number of new and inerpreted players on the team, this is not a bad season. With only one senior on the team, Don Wilson, next season should be the most successful season the Gamecocks have had on the hardwood in many years.

There has been some comment about all these optimistic views of the 1959 football team and basketball team. With the fine material and outstanding athlete prospects on this campus there is a reason to be optimistic. The baseball and tennis teams are next to get the optimistic look out.

Back to the sports, we see a busy schedule just a few weeks away.

Coach Frank Lovrich takes the Jax State baseball team on a Louisiana tour which see the Gamecocks begin their season with exhibit games March 9 against Southeastern Louisiana and March 10 against Southeastern Louisiana. March 13 and 14 it sees the Gamecocks facing Northeastern Louisiana at Monroe, La.

The tennis team, which began practice Feb. 16, will also make the Louisiana trip.

The fall sport which takes a spotlight in the spring also is football and Coach Don Salls will greet all two from last years squad Monday March 2, the official starting day of spring training.

The question has been asked, "Why doesn't Jacksonville have a football team?" There are many schools that do not have a football team. All sports are probably the most inexpensive spot to equip and put into competitive competition. This could develop into a new interest at Jax State.

Many Lettermen Return For Gamecocks' Spring Practice

COACH STEVE AWARD goes to basketball captain Don Wil- son as a reward for outstanding sportsmanship and skill ex- hibited during the season. Coach Salls made the presentation Feb. 21 at the Chattanooga-Jacksonville game which climaxed the season.