



Class Officers Dance Slated For Friday, July 7

Dean's List Announced

The dean's list, released this week at Jacksonville State College, shows that 12 students made all A's during the spring semester, and 71 had an average of B plus or above.

Students having all A's were: Denise Arousseau, Paris, France; William O. Chitwood, DeArmanville; Frederick A. Clontz, Portsmouth, Va.; Bobby M. Glassco, Joe R. Medlock, Boaz; Katherine C. Grizzadd, Ft. McClellan; Jimmy N. Lott, Harriett Robillard, Gessemer; Levan G. Parker, Gadsden; JoAnn Stringfellow, Ashland; Charles E. Thomas, Henagar; and Donald F. Yake, Huntington, Ind.

Those having an average of B plus or above were:

Johnny L. Adams, Nellie Jo Carlisle, Munford; Paul R. Allison, Oneonta; William J. Amundson, Porter, Minn.; Judy G. Baker, Richard J. Beschi, Frances E. Brooks, Wanda F. Johnson, Charlotte M. Mashburn, Samuel G. Russell, Gadsden; Jane Barclift, Union Grove; Jane H. Batey, Oxford; Janice M. Battles, Janice M. Becton, Barbara Buice, John H. Collins, Robert L. Cooley, Mary Jim Daugherty, Louise G. Harris, Nona Sue Moore, Anniston.

Siberia C. Bennett, Jesse E. Fain, Glenda B. Morgan, Malissa L. Morgan, Buddy B. Simpson, Piedmont; Stig-Eyrik Bjorkqvist, Finland; James S. Bradford, Mary Maude Clark, Chris M. Evans, Ruth M. Finley, Margaret F. Greenleaf, Maurice Knighton, Jean F. McLeod, Betty Sue Morris, Charles D. Pauley, Judy Shanaberger, Jacksonville.

Mary Inez Brown, Lineville; Theresa K. Brown, Fort McClellan; Elton B. Camp, Albertville; Marian E. Cobb, Martha J. Prestwood, Birmingham; Henry G. Cook, Dothan; Martha A. Crow, Eden; James M. Cummings, Hollywood, Fla.; Frances E. Eslinger, Ringgold, Ga.; Billy R. Gilliland, Boaz; Nancy M. Lincoln; Eleanora Hansard, Centre; Margaret T. Harrison, Olathe; Cynthia D. Hart, Eastaboga.

Robert E. Hill, Alpine; Wenoona D. Jones, Guntersville; Harold Justice, Calcis; Billy Jack Lee, Jimmy R. Watkins, Henagar; Peter J. Lo, St. Louis, Mo.; Jackie Sue Moore, Attalla; Virginia L. Nethery, Warrior; Emma C. Phillips, Sayre; Gertrude B. Powell, Bynum; Carlos Sailors, Stanley E. White, Talladega; Gordon T. Simpson, Knoxville, Tenn.; Judith Summer-ville, Rome, Ga.; Dewey E. Tate, Hollins; Hubert Tumlin, Rainsville; Wayne Turner, Hickory, N. C.; John T. Van Cleave, Wadley; James V. Williams, Wood-

Attend Music Meet At U.A.

Harold Thompson, assistant professor of music, and Linda Bryan Sparks, a recent graduate, represented the college at the annual convention of the Alabama Music Teachers Association in the University of Alabama on June 15-17.

Linda played Suite, Opus 14 (Bartok) Thursday evening when "College Night" was observed. Other music students appeared on the program from Alabama, College, Howard College, Judson College, Auburn University, Sacred Heart College, Birmingham-Southern College Conservatory and the University of Alabama.

Mr. Thompson gave a piano recital on Friday morning in which he played Intermezzo, Opus 116, No. 4, Intermezzo, Opus 118, No. 6, Rhapsody, Opus 79, by Brahms; Preludes, Book 1, by Debussy; ant Callade, F. Major, by Chopin.

McCluer's Helping College Students

When tragedy struck the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon McCluer of Jacksonville and they lost their only daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and a son, John, within a period of a few months, they refused to let it blight their lives and turned instead to the interests of other young people.

They set up memorial scholarships at Camp Miniwanca at Shelby, Mich., which is sponsored by the American Youth Foundation, and since 1948 have sent one or two students from Jacksonville State College each summer. Included among these students have been several from the International House Program.

Mrs. McCluer has taught a Sunday school class at the First Methodist Church and their home has been open to hundreds of students who have come to know them. Mr. McCluer, a member of the official board of the church, has also been interested in religious affairs and in student problems.

The two students chosen for the scholarships this year are Emma Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Phillips of Sayre, who was salutatorian of her graduating class at Corner High School; and Eleanora Hansard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hansard of Centre, Rt. 1. Emma is majoring in bio-chemistry; and Eleanora in elementary education.

land; Mary K. Williams, Newell; Terry J. Yake, Huntington, Ind.



SHOWN ABOVE—are winners of the Talent Show (left to right) Paul Bain, Sandra Reaves, Sandra Smith, Crawford Nelson, SGA President and Jimmy Deerman.

Best Talent Show In Years Put On By Hayes-Cooley

By JEAN HAWKINS

The ever-ebullient Hal Hayes and Jackie Cooley hosted one of the best-planned talent shows that has been presented during the past several semesters, and there was an abundance of talent.

SGA President Crawford Nelson opened the show by expressing appreciation for the student's support and for participation of the contestants.

The Johnny Shook-Bill Lazenby orchestra led the talent parade with their theme song, "All Of You", followed by these encores: theme from the movie, "Alamo", and "St. Louis Blues". Comprising this fine orchestra were Johnny Shook, Bill Lazenby, Wayne Bates, Homer McCollum, trumpet; Hoy LeCroy, drums; Ken Mitchell, bass; Gareth Bryant, piano; Tom Young, Water Boswell, and Barry Thomas, saxophone.

Tenor Cary Cook sang "Ebb Tide", then brought enthusiastic audience response with the "St. Louis Blues" as his encore.

"Emma's Sandwich Shop," a delightful monologue written by Hay Hayes, was voiced by Jackie Cooley.

Into the coveted winner's circle propelled versatile Jimmy Deerman on his "Tuxedo Junction" dance. Jimmy was awarded second place, individual competition.

The alluring voice of senior Gail Maze was never better as she sang "Birth of The Blues" and "Marvelous."

Petite Mary Ellen Johnson "shot" her way into everyone's heart that night with her rollicking pantomime of "You

Can't Get A Man With A Gun."

Next, the CO's not only rock'd and roll'd but really exploded with their version of "TNT," and followed with a scintillating arrangement of Peter Gunn. This aggregation, headed by electric guitarist Newman Cooley, included Walter Boswell, tenor saxophone; Xavier Minish, piano; and guest alto saxophonist, Glenn Harper.

Shades of Elvis! Billy Church, backed by the CO's, rhythmically sang two well-known tunes, "Boney Maroney" and "Rip It Up."

Ventriloquist Paul Bain, with his associate Homer, tapped to first place in the individual competition discussing the hazards of college life. We hope to hear more of Homer's sagacious advice in future talent and variety shows.

"Here's Pie In Your Eye", a skit written by Hal Hayes, should be retitled "Here's Pie Over You". Mrs. Hudson's deadly right was the show-stopper of this presentation that starred Hal Hayes as the belligerent waiter, Jackie Cooley as the meek customer, and Mrs. Hudson as the say-anything-but-don't-run-down-my-cookin' chef.

Top honors of the group competition went to the duo-pianist team of Sandra Deaves and Sandra Smith for their artistry with the popular-favorite, "Temptation".

After the competition was over, the audience was, as always, charmed by several songs beautifully sung by Linda Andrews. Linda sang "You Can Depend On Me", "Up A Lazy

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Jax-Men Band Furnishes Music

By SANDRA BONILLA

The big social event of the summer, the Class Officers' Dance, is upcoming July 7, from 8 p.m. until midnight, in the college gym. Dress will be formal or semi-formal and music will be provided by the Jax-Men led by Jimmy Shook. Tickets are \$2.00 in advance and will be \$2.50 at the door.

Master of ceremonies for the SGA-sponsored affair will be Hal Hayes. Crawford Nelson, president of the SGA, will introduce the president of the schior class and dates of the presidents of the junior sophomore, and freshman classes with bouquets of roses during the leadout.

The leadout for this dance will be composed of class officers for the summer session. They are: Seniors: Catherine Dunaway, president; Don Hodges, vice-president; Susan Hagan, secretary; Pat Keahy, treasurer; and Ernestine King, social chairman. Juniors: Chriss Evans, president; Paul Bain, vice-president; Eleanora Hansard, secretary; Nancy Chitwood, treasurer; and Tommy Dennis, social chairman. Sophomores: Dicky Justice, president; Paul Allred, vice-president; Sara Dempsey, secretary; Polly Loren, treasurer, and Joy Culver, social chairman. Freshmen: Jim Strickland, president; John Armstrong, vice-president; Helen Steakley, secretary; Etois Igou, treasurer; and Ed Jordan, social chairman.

Behind the scenes and doing most of the work to make this dance possible are the various committees composed of the following: Jimmy Austin, Chriss Evans, Terry Baggett, Ernestine King, Tommy Dennis, Ed Jordan, Joy Culver, Dickey Justice, Troy Dobbins, Winston Massey, Jim Strickland, Janson Davis, and Jimmy Tinker.

Mrs. Kelley To Return This Fall

Students and faculty will be interested to know that Mrs. Myrtle Kelley is convalescing satisfactorily from a heart attack at the home of her son, Bill Kelley and Mrs. Kelley, in Decatur, Ga. They formerly lived at Sugar Valley but have moved to Decatur where they will teach this year.

The doctor has given her encouraging information about her condition and she expects to return to the campus this fall. She writes that she misses her friends, and particularly "her boys" at Logan Hall.

EDITORIALS—

School Spirit?

By JACK BRANSCOMB

It's in the air, almost tangibly, this atmosphere of sophistication and calm complacency we find at Jacksonville; and we, the students, are its creators. We feel that the proper response to any suggestion involving unwonted effort on our part is an indolent shrug and a contemptuous laugh. Anyone bright-eyed enough to advocate, say a new club with an active program or an ambitious project, is met, perhaps not with outright contempt, but with knowing smiles and polite chuckles.

Few of us will deny that this frame of mind is prevalent on our campus. To confirm its existence all we need do is examine our own minds and see our reluctance to work enthusiastically at any task except perhaps our own pet project. A sardonic laziness is obviously present; whether or not it is desirable is the question at hand.

Enthusiasm — that quality which middle-aged alumni with tears in their eyes term "school spirit" — seems to run contrary to the natures of most of us. It's a lot easier to let some sucker run for class office than to try for the position ourselves; to complain about the school's weaknesses than to set about remedying them; to let a program wither for lack of student participation rather than stir out of our rooms if we feel a little tired.

It's easier; so what reason is there for us to sacrifice time for our school's activities? None. Except that nothing — no, nothing — is ever accomplished except as a result of someone's unflinching dedication to a belief. Name them — Columbus, Patrick Henry, Lincoln, Wilbur and Orville Wright, Ford, Lindbergh.

We of the COLLEGIAN realize that we are dealing with a subject made almost trite by repetition. But the oldness of our topic detracts not one particle from its value nor from our need today for enthusiasm, for the courage and the conviction to believe in and work for what is good.

The men who founded Jacksonville, like the men who formed the United States of America, had a burning enthusiasm for impractical ideas. Whether the future holds growth or stagnation for our school and our country depends upon us.

Do We Care?

By JOHN DODGEN

Here at Jacksonville State College we have the right to elect any class member in good standing to help govern our student body. We need never say there is any villain in our government, because we alone elect its members. We are at liberty to help, and seek help from the Student Government Association at any time.

Why are we attending college? We sometimes do not seem to be college students, for how often do we function as a unit? A clear example is our election of last week when only 34% of us voted. This count does not include the seniors since none ran.

We must maintain our increasingly hard academic levels to prove our capabilities, but we must also be able to associate and participate in our college functions. We are failing no one but ourselves if whatever we do is not a success.

SGA Is For The Students

It has been brought to the attention of several SGA members that many of the students do not fully understand the purpose of this organization. The Student Government Association is a place where students can come to discuss their own problems, needs, complaints, etc. among themselves and try to work out a solution in an adult-like manner. The SGA is composed of students elected by the student body.

The SGA, at present, is composed of four executive officers, a president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer. The freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior classes are represented by a president, two representatives, and a social chairman. The editors of both the yearbook and student newspaper are members.

Your SGA is composed of students working for the betterment of Jacksonville State College and its students.

If you have any reaction to the above discussed Student Government Association, you may send them to this paper.

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The ROVING REPORTER

By PETE SCARBROUGH

Confronted with an amazing muddle of facts and ideas, this reporter is going to try to present a freshman's eye-view of Jacksonville State for the summer session.

In answer to the question of why freshmen come to Jacksonville, we found reasons ranging far and wide: the main reason being that it is a good distance from home—far enough away to be interesting but not so far that we can't go home week-ends; to meet new people with new ideas; and because most of us have friends coming this fall and a lot of us came this summer to see how we like it.

We have heard about the college through *The Collegian*, our brothers and sisters who have already been here; through our high school newspaper, high school teachers, and classmates.

Freshmen reactions range from "everybody's friendly" to "I want to go home". Most of us feel that it is better than we expected and we find that we are going to get a good education. On the other side we hear complaints about "the rainy weather", "inspections", and "monitors".

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

I would like to thank the student body of Jacksonville State College for the way in which they supported the talent show sponsored by the SGA on June 14. A spontaneous enthusiasm was shown by the audience to the efforts of all those who participated in the show. Many thanks to Hal Hayes and Jackie Cooley for the fine job which they did as emcees.

It means a great deal to the SGA members and to the participants of the talent show when their efforts to provide such activities are met with such enthusiasm by the student body.

Sincerely,
 Sandra Lester
 Secretary, SGA

No Vacation For Writers Club

Summer usually means vacation time for most of the clubs at Jacksonville, but not for the Writers Club. This organization, which is designed to encourage writing and future writers, met informally June 13, at the home of Dr. W. J. Calvert Jr., the club's sponsor.

Members Betty Sue Morris and William O. Cheatwood read two poems each and then discussed them with Walter Beason, Dr. Calvert, and Jonathan Calvert, III.

The club plans three more meetings this summer and also plans to attend a writers conclave at Alabama College in Montevallo.

Although no new members are being admitted until fall, those who are interested should submit an original composition to Dr. Calvert next semester.

Class Officers Are Elected



FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS—(Left to right) Ed Jordan, Alexander City, social chairman; Jimmy Tinker, Birmingham, SGA representative; Helen Steakley, Boaz, secretary; Jim Strickland, Birmingham, president; John Armstrong, Scottsboro, vice-president; Etois Igou, Fort Payne, treasurer; Ken Monk, Birmingham, SGA representative.



SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS—(Left to right) Joy Culver, Birmingham, social chairman; Terry Baggett, Fairfield, SGA representative; Paul Allred, Oneonta, vice-president; Dicky Justice, Gurley, president; Mike Oliver, Warrior, SGA representative; Sara Dempsey, Heflin, secretary; Polly Lorren, Springville, treasurer.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS—(Left to right) Paul Bain, Gadsden, vice-president; Nancy Chitwood, Cedar Bluff, treasurer; Tommy Dennis, East Tallassee, social chairman; Winston Massey, Collinsville, SGA representative; Chriss Evans, Jacksonville, president; Jimmy Austin, Cedartown, Ga., SGA representative; Eleanora Hansard, Centre, secretary.

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River," and "Great Balls of Fire". Judging this talent show were Lawrence R. Miles, director of admissions and registrar; Dr. Leon D. Willman, dean of students; and Dr. Charles E. Mounts, associate professor of English.

NOTICE!

Director of Housing A. D. Edwards recently issued an appeal to those students wishing to remain in the various dormitories to file room reservations. This is a necessary prerequisite to insure rooms.

College Receives Certificate At FBLA Convention

John Lester, a senior from Dadeville, and outgoing president of the state FBLA organization, attended the national convention in Washington, D. C., last week. He was accompanied by John Champion, the new state president, and Bobby Forbus, both of Anniston; Judy Scrivener, Sixth District vice-president, and Jean Adams of Mobile.

John Champion was a contestant in the spelling contest; Bobby Forbus in the "Mr. FBLA" contest; Judy Scrivener, "Miss FBLA" contest, and Jean Adams, in the bookkeeping contest.

The national project for the previous year was "Every Chapter Build a Chapter". The Southern Region won first place for organizing the most chapters; a pennant and plaque went to the Alabama Chapter for organizing the most new chapters in the southern region; Jacksonville State College won a certificate for being the school to organize the most chapters in the region. Jacksonville State College also received a certificate on which names will be placed of those who did the most work in achieving this record for the Alabama Chapter.

In addition to the FBLA awards a Blue Ribbon Citation was given to the college chapter by the United Business Education Association for fulfilling its responsibility in the FBLA national project.

Staff Member To Enter Duke

Ever since he was a small boy and everybody called him "Jackie", Jack Branscomb of Chattanooga, Tenn., has been coming to the college campus to visit his aunt, Miss Lucille Branscomb, head of the business department. This summer he is a student and is a member of *The Collegian* staff. He will enter Duke University this fall on a four-year scholarship he won in the National Merit Scholarship Contest.

Jack graduated from Baylor School in May where he won more honors than can be listed here. The Baylor yearbook said of him: "Each year only a few members of the graduating class become a permanent part of the Baylor heritage. Certainly Jack can leave Baylor knowing that this distinction belongs to him. Jack leaves behind a monument of achievement that few can hope to equal."

"But his honors do not tell, for example, of the hard work and perfectionism that have made Jack's record what it is; and they do not tell of the friendship and respect which Jack has earned from every member of the Baylor student body and faculty."

"When Baylor loses Jack, she loses one of the finest boys she has ever had."

Jack was salutatorian of his class and in addition to the scholarship to Duke, he won a four-year scholarship to Birmingham-Southern College as top winner in the Phi Beta Kappa scholarship examinations. He was a NMSC finalist in 1960 and a finalist in the Birmingham-Southern Career Scholarship Contest in 1961 also.

His scholastic record reads like a fantastic story, and his well-rounded personality is shown by the honors in music, fine arts and athletics.

SGA Meets, Reports Made

The Student Government Association met on June 20, 1961. The meeting was called to order by the president, Crawford Nelson. Ed Jordan, chaplain of the SGA, gave the devotion.

Committee reports were asked for.

Crawford reported that the insurance committee would meet with Mr. Solon Glover on June 21st.

The different committees for the summer dance gave their reports.

Ernestine King reported that the decorations committee had not decided on a definite theme.

A report on the band was given by Chriss Evans. "The Jaxmen" will play from 8:00 until 12:00 for \$140.00.

Terry Baggett was commended for the good job he had done on the posters publicizing student activities for the week-end of June 23.

Chriss Evans reported that the student activities for the week-end would be a wiener roast at 5 p.m. on Saturday and either a swimming party or square dance afterwards.

Miss Eleanor Kelley Gets Assistanship

Miss Eleanor Kelley, assistant professor of home economics at Jacksonville State College, has been granted a research assistanship at Michigan State University and has been given a leave of absence for next year. It was announced this week by Dr. T. E. Montgomery, dean.

Miss Kelley will work on her Ph.D. degree in the sociological area of clothing, which will also be the subject of her dissertation.

She holds the master's degree in home economics from Auburn University and has been on the Jacksonville faculty since 1956.

Her home is in Birmingham.

Wesley Thompson made a motion that we have the swimming party if the weather were good and a square dance if the weather were bad. Winston Massey seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Jimmy Austin made a motion that we have the CO's at Chatem on Friday night, June 23. Chriss Evans seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Janson Davis made a motion that 25 cents admission be charged for Chatem on Friday night; with the CO's getting 75% and the SGA 25%. Terry Baggett seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Ray Jordan said that nothing would be done about the flag pole.

Troy Dobbins gave a report for the lead-out committee for the dance. The presidents, vice-presidents, secretaries, treasurers, and social chairmen of each class will be the lead-outs.

Ed Jordan made a motion that we accept the committee report. Wesley Thompson seconded the motion. Discussion was asked for. Ed Jordan withdrew the above motion.

Tommy Dennis made a motion that the committee's report be accepted. Terry Baggett seconded the motion. The motion passed with a 9-7 vote.

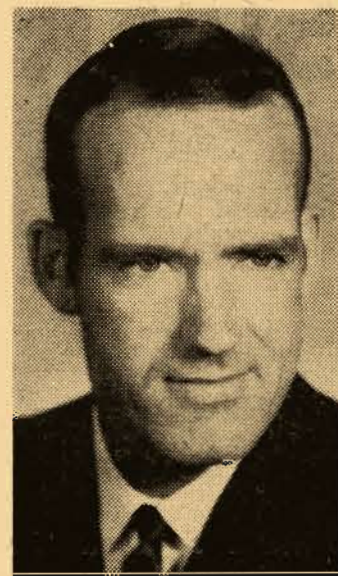
The committee left the selection of the emcee for the dance up to the SGA. Chriss Evans nominated Hal Hayes. Jo Rossiter nominated Crawford Nelson. Tommy Dennis moved that the nominations be closed. After a vote was taken, Crawford Nelson was nominated as emcee.

Crawford brought up the discussion on the twelfth amendment passed last spring which proposed a two house student government. The amendment was found to be void since it was repealing an amendment which does not exist. The SGA officers will ask Dr. Selman to write an article explaining the nullification of the proposed amendment.

In the SGA constitution, Amendment No. 7 reads that the SGA Council can consist of any other members whom the council agrees upon, other than the

Spotlighting—

Two Seniors Are Honored In This Week's Spotlight



JOHN McDOUGAL

By HELEN STEAKLEY

This Week's COLLEGIAN Senior Spotlight proudly shines on John E. McDougal. He is a very deserving senior from Geneva, Alaoma.

John is a 1954 graduate of Geneva High School. During his high school years at Geneva he was a member of the Beta Club, member of the "G" Club, and a member of the basketball team; also he was captain of the football team during his senior year.

After four years in the U. S. Air Force, John enrolled at Jacksonville State in September of 1958. He is majoring in physical education and minoring in history. While attending Jacksonville, John has been a member of the Physical Education Majors Club, member of Kappa Phi Kappa, dormitory director for freshmen, and has played on the Jacksonville Tennis Team. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Coley McDougal of Geneva, Alabama.

Upon his graduation in July, John plans to coach high school physical education and teach history.

By HAL HAYES

Out of a class that will undoubtedly produce some outstanding men and women of our state and nation, Miss Jackie Johnson, Albertville, and John McDougal, Geneva, stroll today into the limelight of COLLEGIAN Spotlight. And were they not deserving, dear hearts, they wouldn't be present.

Both are seniors.

The Betty Crocker of person-

regular total number of members, Wesley Thompson made a motion that the International House be allowed a representative next spring. Winston Massey seconded the motion. The motion passed.

All members that had not turned in the talent show money were requested to turn it in.

A committee was appointed to see about the public address system which was being worked on last spring. Appointed were Ray Jordan, chairman; Mike Oliver, Ernestine King, and Ken Monk.

Chriss Evans made a motion that Crawford Nelson present the bouquets of flowers to the dates of the class presidents and let Hal Hayes emcee the lead-out. Troy Dobbins seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Tommy Dennis made a motion that we adjourn. Chriss Evans seconded the motion.



JACKIE JOHNSON

ality, friendship and courtesy is Miss Jackie Johnson of Albertville. She is a senior majoring in English.

Always ready with a warm smile on her lips and kind salutation for all, that's Jackie. This highly admirable quality, plus the outstanding intellectual traits of a good student will make her outstanding in her chosen field of education.

And come the waning days of the month of July, Jackie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson, will go out into the world as a teacher of America's youth. She didn't say, but knowing her love for the neighboring state of Florida, one might suspect that the "Land of Sunshine" might be her future home.

A 1957 graduate of Albertville High, Jackie was very active in all extra-curricular activities of that school and was an equally good student. She was a member of the Aggie Half-Million Dollar Band for eight years, playing the sax, FTA, annual and school newspaper staffs, Quilt and Scroll, Beta Club, and an officer in the band.

Since coming to Jacksonville State, Jackie has been a really busy girl. But she has found time for many of her fond loves, such as listening to good music, dancing, swimming (when one can and without foul weather) and having fun.

Does she study? Well, you don't exactly make the dean's list three semesters by just sitting in the Grab all of the time, soaking in one soft drink after another. This gal's going places — She's got it.

Ex-Staff Members Accept Positions

We were pleased to notice in Tuesday's Birmingham Post-Herald that Jim Bennett had a by-line on a story with pictures. Jim is one of our proteges, having been editor of *The Collegian*, and we were proud that he was accepted as a reporter for the Post-Herald when he graduated in May.

Another member of *The Collegian* staff, Antoinette Thompson, is working this summer for *The Anniston Star*. She also had a by-line on a picture story recently. She will return to school this fall and will rejoin *The Collegian* staff.



GEM OF THE HILLS—Carole Pemberton of Wattsville is this issue's 'Gem'. A junior majoring in mathematics, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pemberton. A popular student, she served as an honorary captain for the ROTC during the regular term.

Ken Porter Gets \$21,000 For Inking Bosox Contract

By HAL HAYES

COLLEGIAN Sports Editor
 Abreast with the era in which baseball talent scouts are throwing their money around as if it were confetti, Jacksonville State's Ken Porter has "opened" his own banking account. His bonanza, a flame-throwing left arm, pocketed \$21,000 in Boston Red Sox Bonus money.

Porter, "Mr. Nice Guy" off the field but as stingy as a Jack Benny in flannels, signed Thursday night. Territorial Scout Willard Nixon and Chief Scout Tommy Thompson were present at the signing.

According to the contract, "a honey" in the words of a well-pleased Porter, he is to report to Alpine, Texas, to the Pioneer League. Here his manager will be former Red Sox mound great, Mel Parnell.

Thompson and Nixon first heard about Porter when he began throwing "aspirin-looking" fast balls for the Gamecocks of 1960. Next the Bosox duo saw Porter throw for the Anniston Linnen Thread Millers of the North Alabama Semi-Pro League. And quite a show they saw.

Against Guntersville, Big Kenny was really humming. Final statistics read 18 strikeouts for the big, 6-4 freshman from Cordova and only 3 surrendered hits. Offensively, he looked real good too, bashing out a double

and a single in three trips up to the plate.

Through the night of his signing, Porter had toiled 68 innings on the mound for the Millers and set 97 men down through the strikeout route. His overall record was 3-0.

Last season, his first with the men of Jacksonville, saw a 7-3 finish for the big portsider. He went 29 frames on the hill and fanned 59. His earned run average was 1.56.

Shortly after the moment of glory for the former Little League sensation of Cordova, Porter issued the following statement to COLLEGIAN sports:

"It was, without a doubt, the greatest pleasure of my life to have played for Jacksonville State and under such a coach as Frank Lovrich. It's a wonderful school and you have really got to go a long distance to find a better man of baseball than Coach Lovrich.

"I learned more baseball in one season under Coach Lovrich than I did throughout my Little League, Pony, Colt Leagues and high school days put together. I owe that man a lot.

"Remember, it was Coach Lovrich who pulled the strings that first got a scout to come down and watch me pitch. I really appreciate his interest in me and I sure hope I can make good especially for him."

Kenny is the 19-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Porter of Cordova.

Intramural Sports Roundup

By BOB HAYES

The Cobras, lacking the deadliness of their monicker in two prior engagements, train their guns toward the unbeaten Bums in tomorrow's summer softball league play. Action begins at 6 o'clock Tuesday night at Bilko Field, located behind college gym.

Games are played on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights in this summer's program under the direction of Coach H. L. Stevenson and his P. E. 421 and 422 classes.

Thursday (June 29) the Tomcats tangle with the Bums and Friday sees the Cobras and Tomcats tying up. There are three teams in the league.

Through next week and until we again meet here, action reads thusly:

Tuesday, July 4—Bums vs. Cobras; Thursday, July 6—Tomcats vs. Bums; and, Friday, July 7—Tomcats vs. Cobras.

The remaining section of the schedule follows:

Tuesday, July 11—Bums vs. Cobras; Thursday, July 13—Tomcats vs. Bums; Friday, July 14—Cobras vs. Tomcats; Tuesday, July 18—Bums vs. Cobras; Thursday, July 20—Tomcats vs. Bums; and, Friday, July 21—Cobras vs. Tomcats.

In releasing the schedule for the summer, Coach Steve also mentioned that in the event of postponed games, the two managers involved should see John Allen and plan the time for the "make up" game. Allen and Arland Carter are serving in the capacity of co-student directors for the summer months.

How the league standings got that way:

The power-packed Bums vaulted into the leadership role in the summer softball league on a note of ultimate power today (June 15) as they kayoed the Cobras 15-6. This opened play for the summer months.

"Tweety" Johnson, fireballing Cedartown, Ga., junior, was the driving force behind the mighty Bums. His fast ball was really breaking and he looked tough, with a capital "T", in registering his first victory of the year.

Big men with the stick for the winners included Hondo Wilkes, playing manager Doggie Austin and Donald Duck Hodges. Each of them clouted drives for the distance.

Losing pitcher Winston Massey had the lone homer for the Cobras.

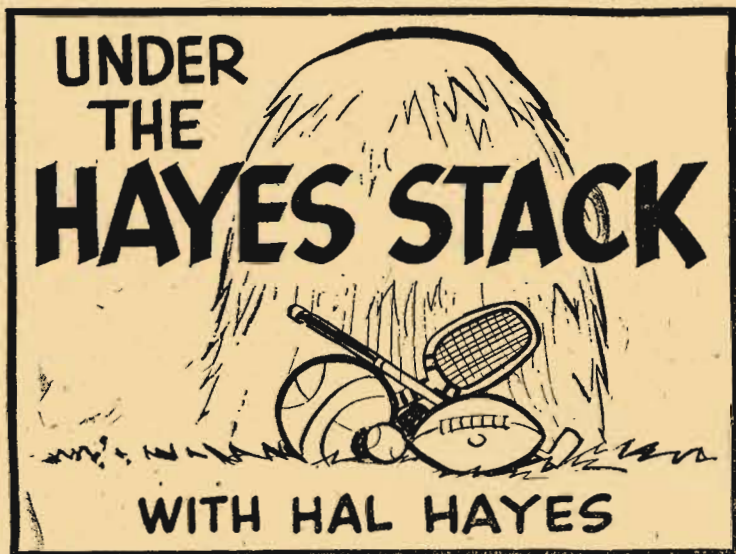
Big "Tweety" Johnson again proved too much for his opposition. This was Monday, June 19, and the Tomcats were the recipients of his punishment.

The closet the Tomcats came to hitting safely against Tweety was in the final inning of play when a deep fly ball was erded. "Tweety" had his no-hitter. And the final score marked into the official league books was Bums—8 and the Tomcats—0.

Hondo Wilkes, streaking to the top in homerun leadership with the speed of a Roger Maris, again parked one for the distance. This came in the fourth inning with no one on base.

NOTICE!

It has been observed by the Office of the Dean of Students that paper bags and other trash are being thrown down on the parking lot. Commuters are requested to please avoid throwing papers down on the campus!



COLLEGIAN SPORTS EDITOR

"Crystal-bu Run", namesake of teevee's "Malibu Run", is now in operation.

John Robert Cooley, Jackie, I think is what they call him, and Pete McNair, I'm pretty sure that's his name, are the stars of the show. And, they're giving matinee performances every Monday and Wednesday afternoons at Crystal Springs.

Drop in and see 'em.

Both, ex-pupils of Beginner's Swimming 001, Jackie and Pete are "old hands" at the skin-diving business and are highly capable teachers. They began their classes Monday, June 12, and according to Pete, Jackie's the only one who has come anywhere near drowning.

The classes, restricted to students 14 years of age and over, are being held at Crystal Springs, a sharp resort pool 9 miles from school out the J'ville-Gadsden highway. And, they have a nice restaurant there too, but I'll stick with my Metrecal.

Pete, an ex-Navy Frogman of 14 years standing . . . er . . . swimming, stated recently that the students will receive the same training as he underwent when he first earned his "fins". The classes are to run a minimum of 20 hours.

Pete, graduate of Ensley High sometime between the turn of the century and 1954, was trained in the Aqua-Lung and Deep Sea Diving Schools of the Navy. He has accumulated seven years of experience, including the waters of the South Pacific, Korea and Japan.

An ex-Marine, Jackie first became acquainted with water at the age of 9, when he took his first bath. (I'm only kidding, he was at least eight and a half.)

In a truer vein: Jackie, Talladega High grad, has been diving for three years, and gained experience and training while working with Navy Gunfire Control. He served with the U. S. M. C. for three years.

If any of you would like to take skin-diving lessons from the team of Cooley and McNair, one may contact them here in school, at Crystal Springs or at their apartment on East Francis.

Or, quite possibly, you can call Mike Nelson at "Seahunt" and he'll let 'em know.

Austin Top Star In Intramural Play Too

Jim "Doggie" Austin, JSC's Most Valuable baseball Gamecock of 1961, is making quite a name for himself in the softball activity of the Jax State summer league. He is playing-manager of the league leading Bums.

Up 8 official times during the course of the infant season, has hammered out 7 hits for a fabulous .875 batting average. One of his pokes was for the distance.

Defensively, Austin, junior from Cedartown, Ga., is as solid as a rock in field. He has handled in excess of 20 chances and muffled none for a perfect fielding average.

The same Austin we thrilled to during baseball season. The only difference is that the ball is just a little bigger. But "Doggie" hits it and fields it with the same glamor that made him outstanding for the hardballing Gamecocks.

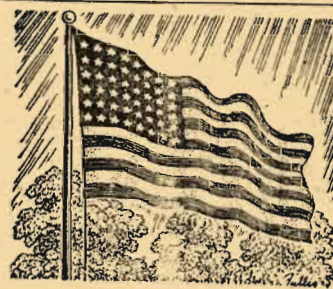
Next Time In The COLLEGIAN

Hal Hayes, rotund sports editor of the COLLEGIAN, plans a "Lets Look At The Stars" roundup in UNDER THE HAYES STACK two weeks from today when the COLLEGIAN again hits the halls. Hayes will evaluate the summer softball activity of JSC and keep his readers in on the top stars of the program.

Too, Hayes will make his own All Stars selections.

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"Tweety" Johnson, one of the top softball pitchers in school this summer, stands in the spotlight of COLLEGIAN sports next time. The always-smiling native of Cedartown, Ga., tells of his thrill of throwing his first no-hitter in collegiate competition.



JSC's Holiday On July 3rd

An announcement has been made, in regard to July 4, by college officials.

Students and faculty will be given a holiday on Monday, July 3, which will allow two consecutive days rather than observing July 4, which is on Tuesday.

Classes will be dismissed at 10:00, Tuesday, July 4, for a brief ceremony in front of Bibb Graves Hall and will resume as usual at 11:00 o'clock.



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