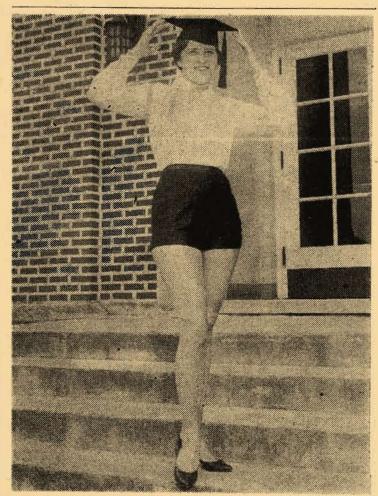
# Final Exams Under Way; Graduation Sunday



GRADUATING-Amid the hustle and bustle that so well confuses the "last round-up" for seniors, is popular Nancy Ringer, the rage of Rome, (Ga.), this issue's "Gem of the Hills".

### **SGA Faces Reorganization Into Bicameral Assembly**

By perhaps the largest plurality ever given to a single amendment to the SGA constitution, bill No. 12 became law last Dec. 12. A fifty-signature petition was floated in accordance with Article XIII. Section 1 of the Constitution bringing the matter of reorgani-

zation to a campus-wide referendum. The overwhelming 5-1 majority (262-50) has been interpreted in some circles as a mandate from the student body. Basically the measure called for a division of the present unicameral assembly, making the SGA a bicameral body including a Senate and a House.

The change (effective Sept. 1) involves complete revamping of the Student Government. Aside from the executive committee which includes the student body president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, the assembly will be divided into two branches the Senate and the House. The House shall include the presidents of the four classes, one representative from each of the four classes, and the editors-in-chief of the Collegian and the Mimosa. The Senate shall include the presidents of each SGA chartered campus organization (formerly assembled as the Presidents' Council), and one representative from the International House. The student body president shall serve exofficio in the House, and the

**Events** Calendar May 19- 5, Examinations May 28, 6 p.m., Graduation exer-

cises June 4. 3 p.m., dormitories reopen

June 5, 8 a.m., placements tests for beginning freshmen

June 5-6, registration for all students

June 6, registration for beginning freshmen and transfer students

June 7, 8 a.m., classes begin

Final examinations began last Friday for about 160 graduating seniors and 2,000 underclassmen. Finals will continue until this Thursday.

Graduation exercises have been changed this year from the customary Friday evening ceremonies to Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, May 28. They will take place in Paul Snow Memorial Stadium, as usual. The reason for the change is to make

it possible for more parents and friends to attend, a spokesman of the administration said recently.

Dr. Oscar Davis, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Gadsden, will deliver the baccalaureate address:

President Houston Cole and Dean T. E. Montgomery will confer degrees on 160 candidates. Graduating with scholastic honors will be: Anne Aldrup, Jacksonville, biology; Billy R. Arnold, Bynum, Joseph H. Brooks, Oneonta, William C. Gardner, Carolyn P. West, Jacksonville, mathematics; Ferrell Drummond, Roanoke, Judith Summerville, Rome, Geor-gia, secretarial science; Marga\* ret Eason, Goodwater, home economics; Linda Bryan Sparks, Jacksonville, music.

# **JACKSONVILLE STATE** COLLEGIAN Published By And For The Students of Jacksonville State College

**VOL. 39** Jacksonville, Alabama, May 22, 1961 No. 19 **College Chorus Wins Bromberg Trophy** In Birmingham State Opera Competition By JUDYE JONES

The College Chorus, under the direction of Malcolm Griffin, won the Bromberg Trophy in the College Opera Competition last week in Birmingham.

The choir competed against the Alabama College mixed chorus and the Howard Men's Chorus. Jacksonville performed four of the Liedeslieber Waltzes, by Brahms, accompanied by Mrs. Dan

## **Organizational Plans Made** For Campus Service Corps

Preliminary organization and planning for a campus Service Corps got under way last week when about 50 students met in Ayers Hall to discuss such a group. A small committee had met previously with President Cole to exploit the idea.

Wade Smith was elected president; Crawford Nelson, vicepresident; Judye Jones, secretary; and Joan Smithey, treasurer.

The purpose of the corps will be to perform a selfless service to the college in lifting the moral tone and in soliciting the interest of the entire student body in taking better care of the buildings and grounds. It will, in fact, be a labor of love for the alma mater; one that will help enrich it internally

while it is growing externally, it was explained.

The student body will be included in the planning and will be hearing more about it in the future.

Present at the organization meeting were: Ann Burgess, Brenda Butler, Verlene Collier, Jane Duke, Philip Dean, Jimmie Honea, Mary Ann Huff, Ronnie Harris, Jane Hubbard, Linda Heard, James Haynes, Wayne Hilliard, Cecelia Johnston, Judith Jones, James Justice, Sandra Lester, Polly Lorren, Arthur Moore, Bradley Mitchell Mc-Kay, David Moon, Gwen Nabors, B. C. McNair, Jane Pruett, James Rayburn, Rodney Shirey, Perry L. Savage, Joan Smithey, Wade Smith, Dewey Tate, Luther Taylor and Thomas Young.

Sparks and Harold Thompson on the piano. Auburn University and Birmingham Southern also performed but not in the competition.

The competition was held in the Birmingham Museum of Art. Judging the contest were Kent Adler, chorusmaster of the Metropolitan Opera; Arthur Winograd, director of the Birmingham Symphony; Mrs. H. M. Ayers of Anniston; and Mrs. O. C. Grimes of Gadsden.

Immediately following the performance, the Alabama Opera Association, sponsor of the choral competition, gave a tea for all the students and guests present. Also, compliments of the association, the students dined at Britling's before the Metropolitan's performance of the opera, "Martha".

The trophy was presented between the first and second acts to Mr. Griffin by Susan Heyward, assisting the chairman of the committee, Mr. Winograd.

Attending the opera from Jacksonville were Dr. Robert Cantrick, Dr. Eugene Mounts, Mrs. Houston Cole, Mrs. Mary L. Lowrey, Mrs. F. R. Daugette, Mrs. W. H. Aderholt, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Griffin, Mrs. R. K. Coffee, Mrs. Ruth Stephenson, Mrs. James Williams, and Mrs. Clyde Johnston.

Jimmie Dean Carnell. Virgina Ellis, Dorothy Powell, Melvin Morgan, Nancy Mackey, Vera McAbee, Nancy Kimberly, James Williams, Terry Segers, Bob Henderson, Suzan ton, Pat Tuder, John Thomas, Sandra Parrish, Eloise Vann. Homer McCollum, Lavon Lang, Fred Wilson, Billy Barker, Sherrye Picknell, Gareth Bryant, Gene Love, Ramona Love, Carolyn Hamilton, Jimmy Couch, Naamon Culver, Ronald Hyche, Gail Maze, Judith Jones, Francis Moss, Alice Williamson, Jimmy Gibson, Ronnie Perkins, Novice Taylor, Tim and Tom Camp, Bonnie Parker, Nancy Norberg, Joyce Eleam, Jimmie Lee, Kate Roberts, Glenn Walden, James Stewart, Cary Cook, Donna Salls, Judy Brittain, Bobby Allman, Carolyn Edwards, Terry Nadell, Chris Freeman, Charlotte Richardson, Nancy McGill, and Bob Cantrick.



vice-president shall serve as president pro tem of the Senate. In joint sessions the president of the S.G.A. shall, of course, preside

Preparation is now being made by incoming President Wayne Hilliard for the transition. He and his staff have a challenge that lies before them; the entire student body should co-operate in this endeavor if it is to succeed.

**Read About JSC's Outstanding Grads On Page 3** 

Left to right: Thompson, Sparks, Moss, Maze and Griffin.

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# **COLLEGIAN EDITORIALS**—

## ALOHA ...

Last January we watched outgoing President Eisenhower sitting on the inaugural platform and we wondered how he felt.

Now we know.

Now that we are leaving The Collegian we are taking with us many of our own worries and fears for the paper's welfare. These worries and fears have always hurt us, but now it's much worse. No longer do we have the authority or means to do anything about them. Other hands have reached out to guide and lead what is now no longer "our" paper.

We have been relegated to the roles of armchair critics-we have been "put out to pasture." Gratefully we accept this newfound leisure but with some regrets.

Now someone else must suffer the headaches and experience the satisfactions that are entailed in putting out The Collegian. We are no longer the voice of the student. However these things have made the past school year more fruitful for us than it might have otherwise been.

It has been a rare and honored privilege to have spoken for the students and we wouldn't trade the experience gained for anything. Our words may not have sounded right to every ear but we don't consider that to be a cardinal sin. Someone has to have the final say as to what will go into print and what will not. This responsibility lies upon the shoulders of the editor-in-chief and it is his job and responsibility to determine how the college will be reflected in the printed media.

At time some aspects appear in sharper focus than others. People complain, make accusations of neglect, or worse, charge deliberate suppression.

Nothing is further from the truth. Our reflection of Jacksonville and world affairs have been the clearest we could achieve. We always have striven for one hundred per cent clarity. If the mirror appeared dusty at times, we did not cloud it deliberately. It must be remembered that we also are students and our term of office served as a "learning experience" for us.

We were not selected for office because we were perfectionists in the field of journalism. When we were offered this job it was a means whereby we could aim toward "perfection". We had attained the final rung on the ladder of Collegian success. We now had to prove ourselves and come as close to perfection as we were capable. We made our mistakes and had our troubles but in the long run we felt that we did a darn good job and are proud of it. We don't feel that we were perfect and are not positive that we even reached and fulfilled the goals that we set for ourselves when we took over the reins. But we are satisfied.

It's been a good year . . .

### Thanks 'Mac'...

The student body of Jacksonville State had been waiting in

## **Readers'** Forum— Letters To The Editor

#### May 3, 1961

Jacksonville State Collegian Jacksonville, Alabama

Dear Jim:

Editor

Although Don McMillian was not elected as president of the Student Government Association, he has gone ahead and served the students of Jax State in publishing, in my opinion, the best yearbook this school has ever had. I did not vote for Don, but now I am happy that I did not because he has served us in a much greater capacity. Reeves Smith and Crawford Nelson will have a big challenge next year in producing an annual that will measure up to Don's.

Everything at Jacksonville is on the move. Ask Mrs. Hudson in the chow hall about how many people are staying up on the week-ends, for instance, and I am sure that everyone will agree with me in saying we had more people to attend the football and basketball games than ever before. This means that Jacksonville is on the move - on the move to a new college with the possibilities of big name athletic events, social fraternities and sororities, and most of all good school spirit.

The SGA has also been on the move under Big Bill Anderson. drewout more this year than ever before; the Collegian has been greatly improved; and thousands of things which are too insignificant to mention have taken place.

Next year there is nothing that Jacksonville will not be able to do, if we can continue to have a close relationship between administration, faculty and students that we have enjoyed this year.

> Sincerely yours Wallace Johnson Room 113 Logan Hall

## A Good Question What's Role Of **Campus Press?**

Should college newspaper journalists promote their own editorial policy? Should faculty, administration and student groups be exempt from published criticism?

"Some say that one builds character by letting students take part in the conflict embodied in editorial spats with the fraternities, sororities, instructors and professors, and the administrative staff. This would be a boon to the sincere students of journalism and political science, working towards goals which they consider very real."

"There is one thing we believe a college paper can do through the use of a provocative editorial approach. It can cause the students to react to the written opinion and take a stand aye or nay - drawing them away from the passive stand they normally take." "Promotion of ideals and the criticism of ideals must be left to the students themselves. Pertinent questions can still be raised. Conflicting student groups can defend their own opinions. Interest groups can push for reforms. The student can be his own critic and his own defense."

### THE AMERICAN WAY





### Citizen's Code Of Conduct Banner and the American flag

By STAN CHAPMAN

"I will never forget that I am an American citizen responsible for my actions and dedicated to the principles which made my country free. I will trust in God and in the United States of America".

#### **Our Responsibility**

It is becoming all the more apparent as our college years pass one by one that the burdens of the United States and the world will be entrusted to us, the spectators of today.

That which seemed so far away several years ago is of the greatest concern today for we realize that it is we and not the other guy who will have to protect and defend our way of life.

Edgar Hoover, Director, J. Federal Bureau of Investigation has prepared very dynamically a guide for protecting our America:



Alert yourself-learn the true nature and tactics of commuprograms for social

will always serve as symbols of what a free society can achieve and as goals for less fortunate people of other countries to strive. ADIEU

I have considered it a privilege and a pleasure to work with the Collegian this year in the capacity of managing editor. It has also been my pleasure to work with the paper along-side Jim Bennett, a conscientious and dedicated journalist.

At times my articles and editorials have been, to say the least, controversial. I admit it and further, I arrogate the right. I would indeed be exceptional if I could write articles that pleased all the people all the time. However, I do hope the articles have served as food for thought and thus enabled the reader to better draw his own opinions, more intelligently.

Best of luck to the incoming Collegian Staff (whoever they may be)!



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eager anticipation of the best annual ever published and when the Mimosa came they were not disappointed.

Much praise and congratulations goes to Don McMillan's staff for the fine and worthy yearbook that they have given us. It is one that we won't hide away in a dusty drawer or in a crumpled box in the closet; rather it is something which we are proud of here at Jacksonville State. It reminds us of the tremendous strides that this, the third largest college in the state, has thus far accomplished and of the promising road ahead.

We have only seen a smathering of the progress that is destined for our College and the 1961 Mimosa was a part of it. Again we of the Collegian staff say, "Thanks Mac".

"Khrushchev says our children will grow up under communism. I say his children will grow up under freedom."

Richard M. Nixon

-Lewis and Clark College, Pioneer Log.

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improvement your business. Exercise your right to vote; elect representatives of integrity.

Respect human dignity and individual rights and Communism cannot exist.

Inform yourself; know your country-its history, traditions, and heritage.

Combat public apathy toward communism; indifference can be fatal when national survival is at stake.

Attack bigotry and prejudice wherever they appear; justice for all is the bulwark of democracy.

If the people of the U.S. heed these things, the Star Spangled

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### Dutstanding Seniors Of Year Are Selected

#### By TROY DOBBINS

In the place of the regular spotlight, we are featuring the top 21 outstanding students of the senior class. We make no claims that these are the only persons deserving such an award, but we do proclaim that each of these has accomplished something and deserves to be recognized.

There had to be a limit made; we tried to make it, and hope you agree with this selection.

There actually need to be no reasons given for why we chose Bill Anderson for this honor. As president of our Student Government Association this year, he has gained the admiration of many students. His accomplishments in this position have been too numerous to mention and he has distinguished himself also in Phi Mu Chi Beta, Kappa Phi Kappa, and Circle K.

Speaking of the SGA, we find Ferrell Drummond who proved a capable treasurer for the organization. Phi Beta Lambda and Kappa Phi Kappa can also claim Ferrell, but his most outstanding contributions have been in the SGA.

There just isn't a harder worker in this school than Anne Aldrup. As student nurse, this has required a lot of her attention and a great deal of effort. Anne has been active in Phi Mu Chi Beta serving as vice president and as secretary. This year she was also president of Kappa Delta Epsilon, national honorary education sorority. She is also graduating with special honors in biology.

Another outstanding worker is Jane Barclift. In addition to being counselor in Daugette Hall, Jane is an efficient SGA representative. A member of the Leone Cole Home Economic Club, she is the state historian; member of the Baptist Student Union and Phi Mu Chi Beta. Jane received a Letter of Appreciation from President Cole during ceremonies on "Governor's Day"

A more efficient editor could not exist on Jacksonville's campus than Jim Bennett. This year as editor of the Collegian, Jim has proved himself capable of handling a lot of responsibility. He is a former editor of the Stu-Jax, and was of the J-Book this year. He holds membership in Omega Delta Pi, Phi Mu Alpha and Order of Three Keys.

Always smiling has been the term used to describe Bill Bowen, a Church of Christ minister. This year, Bill served as president of the Student Forum, a Christian organization for members of the Church of Christ, and he received a Letter of Appreciation from President Cole on "Governor's Day".

Although basketball and baseball have taken much of his time, Bill has maintained a high

lot of responsibility as far as the paper is concerned. Besides writing his own column Stan Chapman is very efficient in handling other phases of work connected with the paper. Stan has also served as pres-

ident of the Law Club, Stu-Jax news editor, and associate editor. With the Stu-Jax Chapman started a series on world news which prompted not only controversy and interest among students but a campus conscious of international affairs and the dangers of communist infiltration.

A transfer student from Coastal Carolina Junior College, Janson Davis has contributed much to the Jacksonville State campus. This year, Janson was business manager for the 1961 Mimosa and did an excellent job. Among the organization in which he holds membership are the Accounting Club, Circle K, and Canterbury Club. He was also a member of the homecoming committee.



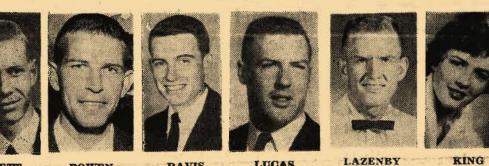
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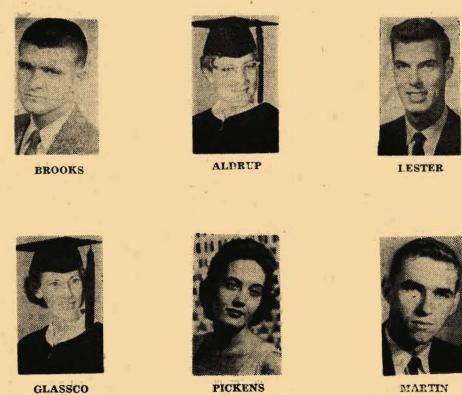


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national honorary society for those who have been conspicuous in religious work. She served as publicity chairman for the Wesley Foundation, which is a part of the Methodist Student Movement. Betty Jane received a Letter of Appreciation on "Governor's Day."

A never tiring worker is Bob-

by Lucas. This year Bobby has

been head basketball manager

and assistant football manager.

He served as president of the

senior class and as vice-pres-

ident of the "J" Club. A member

of the P. E. Majors Club and

Circle K Club, he holds a Cer-

tificate of Achievement and is

listed in Who's Who in Ameri-

Another graduating senior is

Don McMillan. His capacities

for working, plus his friendli-

ness and ability to get along with others are traits which

make him very outstanding. Don

was editor of the 1961 Mimosa,

and he presented us with the

best yearbook ever produced on

this campus. His work there

and with various other organ-

izations qualify him for the title

A prominent figure in re-

ligious work on campus is Betty

Jane Pace. This year, Betty ser-

ved as President of Pi Tau Chi,

-outstanding.

can Colleges and Universities.

A senior that will definitely be missed on the Jacksonville campus is Louise Pickens. Louise has been cheerleader for three years and was head cheerleader this year. This girl has done more to promote school spirit than anyone in a long time. Louise holds many honors, but will be remembered as an outstanding cheerleader.

All of the admirable qualities of a young woman, who is both ambitious and intelligent belong to Nancy Ringer. Nancy, a counselor in Daugette Hall, is a member of the Wesley Foundation, ROTC sponsor, Mermaids, and of the SGA.

One can definitely say that Judith Summerville is not afraid of work; her record proves that statement. A member of Phi Beta Lambda, she was state treasurer this year. Judith is a dorm officer, a member of NEA, and class treasurer.

Bobbie Glassco, a home eco-nomics major with a science minor, will graduate with the highest scholastic average ever attained at Jacksonville State College. Mrs. Glassco, who is from Boaz, has an average of 2.98. A member of the Leone Cole Home Economics Club, she was chosen as the outstanding home ec student of the year.

Few students receive as many honors and accomplish as many things as Joe Garner.

Joe served as president of the Student Government Association during his junior year. He is listed in "Who's Who" and holds a Certificate of Achievement. A counselor and memberber of the Ushers Club, he is a former cheerleader and class favorite.

A busy young lady this year was Ernestine King. In addition to being a counselor in Daugette Hall, she made "Who's Who." and received a Letter of Appreciation. She served as secretary of the senior class this year and is vice president of Phi Mu Chi Beta.

Bill Lazenby has received many honors since coming to Jacksonville State College. He has served as treasurer of the SGA, Kappa Phi Kappa, and the band. He is a past vice-president of the Ushers Club and past secretary of the band.

This year, he was president of the band, member of Phi Mu Alpha, and a counselor in Glazner Hall for freshmen men.

John Lester has served as State President of the Alabama Phi Beta Lambda and Future Business Leaders of America. John also served as both advertising manager and treasurer of the student directory. Other services rendered during his college career were: monitor in Glazner Hall, serving on special committees of the various classes, and active participation in Jacksonville's Civil Air Patrol. Larry Martin a graduating senior received an assistantship to Tulane University for two years. He will receive a stipend of \$3,000 and his tuition annually during the period. Larry is in advanced ROTC, has the rating of Cadet First Lieutenant and is a member of the Rifle Team. He will have military deferment until his graduate work is completed.









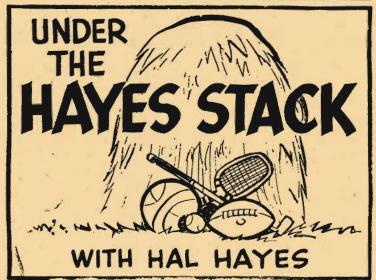


scholastic standing in all his work throughout his four years here.

Graduating with scholastic honors in math is Joseph Brooks. Joe, as he is better known, is a member of Scabbard and Blade, national honorary organization for advanced ROTC students, of the BSU, Omega Delta Pi, and he served as president of his class during his junior year. He has received an assistantship at the University of Kentucky to work on his master's degree in mathematics.

The managing editor of this paper, the Collegian, has proved himself capable of handling a

PICKENS



"Do well every little thing, Each little act.

"Victory and reward can well be

#### Matter of Fact." - Coach Don Salls.

The day slowly slipped into the zone of twilight and the dark, often misty blanket of dusk had fallen over the Land of the Gamecocks. In other fortresses of the campus where men and women make their home away from home, activity was buzzing. Every-



where you looked movement, the hurrying kind, could be seen. Chat-em Inn, delightful haven of many, await-

ed with a gigantic Sock Hop. A real swinging rock'n roll combo was scheduled for an appearance there.

Room 112, Logan Hall, had its door closed. Down at the other end of the corridor, around 106, it was as if a horde of honey bees were having a convention.

Reflections of a study lamp seeped under the huge door of 112. Inside, heads were bowed over thick, regulation size text books, whopper tests and facsimiles thereof are taken from.

The persons in mention were Bobby Joe Johnson, Cecil "Farmer" Dunn and Gerald Halpin. The scene, with that trio of bruisers, resembled a meeting of Elliot Ness and his Untouchables. Best

They were studying. In the a.m. a test was forthcoming: Preparations had to be made.

Elsewhere, Rooms 129 and 123, Glazner Hall, were "burning the midnight oil". Occupants, Larry. Reading Joe Davis and Ronnie Harris, respectively, were concentrating on their studies.

This sequence of events is not as unusual as Alwaysone might think. That is, if one recognized the names of outstanding Gamecock football stars.

A misconception, seemingly, among many of our scenic campus dwellers is that our athletes are just athletic minded young men and not academically inclined. But hang onto the rafters, RC bottles and cakes, you're in for a shock.

Athletes of Jacksonville State, from the football circle, basketball domination, baseball group and tennis congregation, are good students, on the whole, and secondly they are good athletes. Certainly not all athletes are honor students, but far more of them are than one would first suspect.

For instance, Gerald Halpin, standout end of the football Gamecocks, is a very frequent name on the Dean's List. A physical education major, the Lineville senior, is minoring in history.

Dunn, "Farmer" if you please, has been here two semesters and the first time he missed that coveted list by two quality points. And that's pretty darn good considering the hours he put in on the turf of Paul Snow Memorial and the fact that he's in pre-medicine.

Like Halpin, Johnson is majoring in physical education. He, too, had the honor of joining the dean's list escape him by only a small number of those ever precious quality points.

# **Grid** Team

Donna Vaughn, called from the ranks of the feminine to play a game designed for boys, spearheaded a 'much thinned Pannell Pin-up girls football team to victory last night (May 10) 22-0 over the Daugette Darlings in the annual Powder Puff classic. Jackie Jackson was the coach of the winning eleven.

Vaughn sprinted 85 yards with a punt and went 83 on a sweep play early in the night to put the Pin-ups in the running. On both excursions, she received brilliant downfield blocking from Broughton Harwell. Cotton Ginn, Joyce Talley and the entire line led by Shirley Hanson and Judy Lambert.

The Pin-ups recorded their final touchdown of the night late in the fourth quarter when Joyce Talley tossed an 18-yard spiral to Martha Crow who was alone in the end zone. Talley marched over for the two-point, extra point attempt marking the second of three attempts she had successfully the additional points.

Outstanding for the losing eleven, coached by Jesse Gentles, Billy Hodges, Don Hannah, Ray Jordan and Carson Southard, were Jo Richards, Marie Andrews, Brenda Young, Rubye Bell and Jackie Bollen.

### **Johnson Hurls JSC Circle K To Victory**

BOAZ, ALA .- Lightning does strike twice in the same fashion.

Jacksonville State's hard hitting and conservative pitching Circle K softball team toppled Snead's Circle K club again today (May 13) 18-3. The Renegades of JSC had earlier notched an 18-14 win from Snead.

"Tweety" Johnson, making his initial start on the hill for the Jacksonville nine, was the winning pitcher. Maynard Nelson was tagged with the loss.

### Dr. And Mrs. Cole **Entertain Students**

Members of the Student Council were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Cole at the annual dinner at The Club in Birmingham on Friday, May 12. This event is always keenly anticipated each year and is a highlight on the calendar of the SGA.

A beautifully served, delicious dinner was enjoyed followed by dancing and conversation.

Included in the group were: Bill Anderson, Vinemont; Larry Hawkins, Alexander City; Ray Jordan, Wade Smith, Donna Vaughn, Joan Smithey, Gadsden; Willis E. Connell, Jr., Gaylesville; Bobby Lucas, Birmingham; Wallace Johnson, Jasper; Louise Pickens, Eden.

Sandra Lester, Dadeville; ayne Hilliard, Hueytown; Sam Houston, Lipscomb; Jane Hubbard, Jerry Gist, Anniston; Tommy Dennis, East Tallassee; Thomas Young, Crossville; Jane Barclift, Union Grove; Joe Garner, Catherine Dunaway, Hartselle; Ernestine King, Rainsville; Crawford Nelson, Heflin; and Marie Andrews, Troy.

## Pin-Up Girls Leave-Of-Absence Is Granted **Gamecocks' Frank Lovrich**

#### By HAL HAYES **COLLEGIAN** Sports Editor

Frank Lovrich, the John D. Rockefeller of JSC baseball is taking a leave-of-absence as coach of the Gamecock diamond lode. This announcement was made late last week.

His leave is effective September 1.

The outspoken mentor, a member of the old New York Giant minor league baseball chain for 6 years, is going to South Dakota State on a fellowship while he works on his doctorate in Sociology. He came here in 1957.

During his three seasons as head wrangler of Gamecock baseball, Lovrich has posted a record of 61 victories and only 22 losses. For the past two seasons his clubs have been runnersup in the Alabama Collegiate Conference.

Upon Lovrick's entry into the Jacksonville athletic picture, baseball had been in hibernation since the retirement of Coach J. W. Stephenson. During the 35 years of Coach Stephenson's reign here glory for baseball came in abundance.

A native of Louisiana, Coach Lovrich signed a pro baseball contract with the Giant chain upon receiving his B. S. degree from Southeast Louisiana Col-lege. During the off-season months he worked toward his master's degree and has done some work towards his doctorate.

The infant season of 1958 found the Lovrich-led Gamecocks matching the top winning season of Coach Stephenson with a 18-6 finish. The following year, anchored with the likes of Hank O'Neal, Bob Ford, Hondo Wilkes and pals in the lineup, JSC gloried to a 20-5 season mark

While monsoon season played havoc with his schedule, Lovrich guided the Gamecocks of

### Cheerleaders Are Named

By HAL HAYES Pert and petite Miss Brenda Ginn was last Monday night elected head cheerleader for

next year. Shet is a junior in the college from Anniston. A special meeting of the newly elected cheer leaders was called Monday night shortly following

GINN supper and Miss Ginn was elected then. Voting were the cheerleaders elected by the student body May 10.

Those students elected to serve at football and home basketball games for next season are Ears Cummings, Wally Johnson, Jimmy Deerman, Winston Massey, Jackie Bollen, Joyce Talley, Patty Faucette and Miss Ginn. Sherry Styles and Pete Danford were elected alternates. The new 'First Lady of Jacksonville Cheering for 1961-62' is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ginn of Anniston.

1960 to a 12-3 overall worksheet and a second place finish in the ACC. The club responded by placing six men on the All Star team, including the entire outfield.

Presently, in 1961, the Gamecocks stand with an 11-8 card.

Thomas Young's Warriors rule today as Champions of the Spring Intramural Softball Program. This is the result of their stunning 7-1 conquest of the last Tuesday.

Led by the hitting of Wallace and Ed Usry and the pitching of Don Richardson, the Warriors swept through their schedule for the season like true champions. They, quite often, rushed from the brink of defeat and turned almost tragedy into happiness and victory.

COLLEGIAN sports salute Tom Young and his Warriors for their outstanding efforts. Likewise, our hat is off to Coach H. L. Stevenson, Chriss 'Pappy" Evans, Tom Maddux and Company who supplied our school with one of the finest intramural programs in a long time, and to all students who enjoyed it.

### **Cagers Reach Home Stretch** In Basketball

Press deadline, oh, press deadline . . . how you do rob us.

The championship of the Alabama Collegiate Baseball Conference remained in the balance as COLLEGIAN sports went to bed late last week in readiness for today's appearance in the halls.

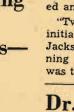
Any combination of one St. Bernard loss and two wins for Jacksonville in their remaining two games would bring the championship laurels to Gamecockland. St. Bernard was to have trained its slugging feats on Florence Saturday at the home of the Lions.

Jacksonville visited Troy last Wednesday and was to fight it out with Athens on Saturday. A loss in either game would rob the Gamecocks of the crown by one-half game and honor St. Bernard.

Since last we were called together through this media, the Gamecocks have won 4 of 7 games to run their season's calendar to a 11-7 mark.

Most recently, the Gamecocks mastered St. Bernard, clipping one full game off the Saints' first place holdings, and split with Livingston in a double header. The loss to Livingston did not affect the standings because the Saints have not played as many conference games as has the local nine.

It was hard throwing Jim Porter, yielding 6 hits, who paced the Gamecocks past St. Bernard. The final score was



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As entering freshmen, Davis and Harris whizzed right through their courses and lodged their name into the honor role. Harris, football end and basketball guard, posted a 2.4 for the fall semester and Davis, mathematics major, went onetenth of a point higher for a 2.5 finale.

From basketball, "Mr. Friendly" Billy Bowen joined teammate Harris among the top echelon of Jacksonville's elite students. Baseball sent Donald "El Butcho Satchmo" O'Neal into this cycle of glory by virtue of his outstanding academic achievements over the three years he has been a student here. Count John Allen of baseball fame to this roster also.

Further delving into the academic prowess of Gamecock athletes, one can not permit the name

of Charles Baker to elude the list of honor students who also carry the colors of ole JSC in the name of athletics. The hustling senior, P. E. major, has continually ranked real high in academic standings of Gamecock athletes.

Athletes, real athletes, and students are one and the same. In short:

"I searched for English, English I could not see

"I searched for Biology, Biology eluded me

"I searched for concentration and found all 3."

With a 3 for 5 afternoon, shortstop Rayford Talley was leading stickman for the winners.

In Livingston, the Gamecocks took the first game 9-1 and dropped the nightcap 514.

Pitcher John Allen outduelled Ben Chapman, Jr., in the first game to record the victory for the JSC club. Allen surrendered 7 hits while his teammates packed him with the same number.

Four back-to-back singles in the third inning of the second game proved the downfall of the Gamecocks, 5-4. Jim Lewis was tagged with the loss for the hometowners.

