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JSU begins construction on planned health fields

By VICTOR MCCARLEY
Staff Writer
Jacksonville State University has started plans to construct a new series of health fields for the use and enjoyment of the students as well as an extended parking lot, all adjacent to the new Coliseum.

According to Dr. Ernest Stone, president of the university, $78,000 has been contracted to start construction of the parking lot, which when completed will make available 1,000 parking spaces at the Coliseum. Drainage construction and leveling of the new complex, as well as construction of the parking lot will begin this summer. Dr. Jerry Cole, director of athletics, stated that completion would be hopefully within 15 to 18 months.

Included in the master plan for construction besides the parking lot are 10 tournament tennis courts, 8 volleyball courts, 5 basketball courts, 3 softball fields, a soccer field, a large track field, 3 football fields, a golf driving range, an archery range, several badminton courts, 6 croquet courts, shuffleboard courts and several horseshoe pitching fields. This enormous complex will be located on three sides of the Coliseum.

Questions have arisen about the continued existence of the present tennis courts. Dr. Stone replied that the present tennis courts would remain. He also commented that the new track field may bring big track competition to Jacksonville State University.

Construction plans also call for a fence to encircle the entire area. This will be done to preserve the fields and keep cars and motorcycles in the parking lot. The entire cost of the project has been estimated by Dr. Stone at $300,000.

The original plans for the Coliseum called for a new football stadium and a baseball field to be constructed on the site of the new health fields. According to Dr. Stone, this plan was dropped for a better plan at a much cheaper cost. For one-third of the cost to build the new stadium and baseball field, the university has been able to improve what is now called, “one of the best baseball fields in North Alabama” and, in addition, draw up plans to greatly improve the present football stadium.

Plans have been made for future construction of a field house, improved restrooms, an improved press box, and a greater seating capacity of 15,480 seats. Construction of the field house, restrooms and pressbox improvements are to begin this November. The seating capacity will improve steadily over the years. Plans for 1,500 new seats to be ready by Fall 1976 are now ready.

The committee appointed to head these changes are Jack Hopper, administrative assistant to the president and director of public relations; Dr. Ronnie R. Harris, head of the department of Physical Education; Ms. Barbara Wilson; Dr. Jerry Cole, director of athletics; James McArthur Jr., head of the maintenance department; and Dennis Fantazi.

Bicentennial celebration has dual purpose

The Jacksonville city square on Tuesday, July 1, was the scene of a celebration with a dual purpose—to kick off the bicentennial celebration in Jacksonville and to raise money to send a young man or woman of Indian heritage to Jacksonville State University.

Some 3000 people gathered in the city from 6:40 p.m. that night to enjoy a variety of activities—fiddling, square dancing, gospel singing, greased pole climbing, gunfights (mocked of course), and shopping for handcrafts, foods and antiques.

Some 40 booths were set up around the square selling items that ranged from lemonade and sassafras tea to corn bread and hot buttered corn-on-the-cob. Proceeds from the sale of items at the booths are to be donated to the Chief Ladiga Scholarship Fund.

As of Monday, July 7, only about $700 had been deposited in the fund through accounts set up by the Jacksonville Bicentennial Committee at the two local banks. However, more is expected.

“The turn-out during the festival was great,” said Hazel Johnson, a member of the local Bicentennial Committee. “But, the amount of money deposited in the scholarship fund at this point is not what we were hoping for.”

She pointed out that the committee hopes to offer a four-year scholarship to a deserving youth of Indian heritage. She added that the selection of the scholarship winner will be left in the hands of Dean H. Lindsay Martin of Sanford University, a noted author, minister and full Cherokee Indian. The scholarship winner will be announced in July of next year, according to Mrs. Johnson.

“That gives us a whole year to work at it,” she said. “We urge local clubs to take this (the scholarship fund) as a project for next year.” She added that accounts for the fund will remain open at the Jacksonville State Bank and the First National Bank of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Johnson said that the fund’s goal, enough money to sponsor a four-year scholarship, is around $8000. She pointed out last Tuesday that only a few of the money raising booths have deposited money in the accounts and many more are expected to do so in the next few days.

Deposits totaled $751.95 early last week.

Drive is success

Last Wednesday, the Red Cross was in Student Commons for the summer blood drive.

This time much publicity was given to the event. Besides the many posters tacked onto the doors, trees, bulletin boards and other places on campus, a whole new procedure in advertising was used—that of television.

WHMA-TV in Anniston put up 12 spots each at 12 seconds each to encourage persons to come and “put out.” The short advertisements were put on such programs as “by the way” and others where they could be inserted.

A goal of 225 pints was set, but as Robert Smith, chairman of the blood drive, explained, “In the summer you cannot expect too much, and 150 pints would be more realistic.”

Fortunately, the 150 quota was passed and a total number of 188 reached. In total all 188 donors came to offer their services, but 23 of them were rejected.

Everything went very smoothly, and no bad reactions occurred. The Red Cross people called the blood drive a very great success, with the emphasis on the word very.
said that the search for the "Quetzal" was successful and that not only was the bird sighted but also a nesting area was found. This discovery enabled the students to observe and study at a closer range. The trip was completely biological in nature. The students—Jim Ariai, Kenneth Beeker, Wayne Hinton, Timothy Johnson, Mike Meyer, Miles Albright and Randall Wood—studied plants, some reptiles, mammals, amphibians but mostly birds, which are Dr. Summerour's field of study. Most of the study was done on an island in Gatun Lake called Barro Colorado in cooperation with the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute (STRI), a research organization devoted to the study and support of tropical biology, education and conservation. This organization operates on Barro Colorado where our team of students studied for one week of their 13-day trip. When asked about tropical foods they had eaten, Dr. Summerour replied that they had had many Spanish fruits and much fish, including plantains, mango, and, of course, bananas. One interesting fact is that a mango in the Republic of Panama costs about a nickel to buy if it cannot be picked from a tree. Here, a mango costs about 50-60 cents a piece.

The team experienced an unusual treat when they were served a type of coffee derived by crushing, boiling and straining one kind of tree plant, which Summerour says is very good and hopes to duplicate the process here.

The study team visited other places of interest on the Isthmus of Panama. A trip was made to the mountains of Volcan Baru, to Cerro Punta and to the capital of the Republic, Panama City. Also an orientation to Panama was given in the Panama Canal Zone which has been an object of controversy in recent times. The natives of Panama were very hospitable, however, and little reference was made from the Canal Zone to the group, according to Dr. Summerour.

Ain't no toaster

By GERARD WAGNER
Staff Writer

At General Electric they turn out toasters from assembly lines. They turn them out by the thousands. Some have two slots and some have four slots. They make them with different color trim and you can even have them engraved at a jewelry store, for example:

"To My Pal Tricky Dicky
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Best Wishes Spiro"

They have little brains in these toasters that can make toast light or dark. Just shift the little dial and the toaster does the rest. You can use cracked wheat bread or white bread, the toaster doesn't care at all.

Throughout the world universities are turning out graduates by the thousands. But these graduates are not like toastakers. No toaster ever knew Einstein's Theory of Relativity. No toaster ever knew Albert Einstein! Although Albert probably owned several toasters in his life.

What really makes the educational "assembly line" different? Among other things it is a question of employer-employee relationship. A toaster is highly irrelevant to GE's employers and employees. It is like a low-tax, low-nicotine cigarette to a terminal lung cancer patient. But we do want, on the other hand, you and I are in fact the employers themselves. We are the most relevant thing to the university that turns us out at graduation. The existence of this university depends on the revenue dollars of us, John Q. Public, and the tuition dollars of us, John Q. Student. We are investing great sums of money into employers, good or bad.

We now must accept the role of conscientious employers.

"All the employers that we ever worked for were pretty frugal, right? Sometimes damn stingy, in fact. Somehow all employers remind me of the man in the cartoon clawing over the locked door of the pay-toilet thinking: 'A penny saved is a penny earned.' We are like this, too. We want to get our money's worth. We wouldn't even consider paying a plumber $25 per hour to fix our leak if we never planned to take a bath. We couldn't afford it, all our money would have to go for deodorant.

"We are going to get our money's worth, and to do this we have to submit to the rules that all employers must submit to. We have to give our employees (Professors') good working conditions. Good working conditions mean a good classroom atmosphere. The best class atmosphere is an attentive, inquisitive one. We have to challenge, to ask questions, to demand any knowledge we lack. This will give the good teacher what he or she wants: conscientious students. It will also give any hackadratic employee we might give the message to, that he or she better wake up and "tote that barge and lift that ball" cause we won't tolerate any loafing on the job.

"Questioning! All knowledge is attained by questioning. Every classroom lecture is not "law": it is, however, an experienced opinion based on much study and certainly worthy of our deep consideration. But, if we hear an opinion that differs from ours, we as students have a duty to ourselves to question it. We must hear an opinion that we don't understand that have the same duty to ourselves to demand sufficient amplification. We are here because we want to be here, because we want to understand about this crazy world we live in. We have to challenge that educational demon to all limits. We want to become more aware of our situation and our environment because we are concerned. Concerned employers must be for concerned employees. By helping ourselves we will help this university.

"We coexist here with this institution in a delicate balance of give and take. This is one of those rare instances in which seeking to take more will in turn give more to JSU. We not only govern our success but we can contribute greatly to JSU's future success by dedicating ourselves to what we came here for—to learn. Ain't no toaster can do that, baby!"

By VICTOR MCCARLEY
Staff Writer

What would it be like to travel to another country in search of a rare and endangered species of bird? This was one objective of a team of students led by Dr. Charles Summerour to the Republic of Panama this past mini-semester.

Dr. Summerour, an associate professor of Biology, and seven students from Jacksonville State University left May 7 to find the "Quetzal," a contender for the world's most beautiful bird, and also to study the flora and fauna of the region. Another objective was to compare the cloud forest with the lower montane rain forest.

All this and more was accomplished, according to Dr. Summerour, who was the accompanying faculty advisor and instructor. He

Child practicum aids students, community

By BRENDA TOLBERT
Assistant Editor

The psychology department's child practicum, begun on a small scale last January in Mason Hall, has since flourished and moved to Ayers Hall. The clinic gives students an opportunity to gain practical work experience in the field of mental health and to treat children with behavioral problems.

Under the supervision of Dr. Douglas Peters and Dr. Stephen Bitgood, the students design a therapy program utilizing modern methods of psychological testing and techniques of behavior modification.

Frequently there are twelve students working in the clinic. These students devote approximately 10 hours a week to the child practicum. Four hours a week are spent with patients and six hours

in "The Paul Newman Drowning Pool"

By BRENDA TOLBERT
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This is a favorite line in "The Paul Newman Drowning Pool" (PG-13, 1973). Joe Don Baker and the other cast members are extras in this movie. The director, stylishly wearing black rimmed glasses and a black turtleneck, is and always will be: Paul Newman. Newman is an actor who has never taken a lesson in acting. He is so good that he makes you forget even the line that is so well known.

-Joanne Woodward
"Mandingo"

By BRENDA TOLBERT
Assistant Editor

"Mandingo," which stars Tony Franciosa, is a film about the Civil War. It is a film that is both entertaining and educational. It is a film that is a must see for anyone who is interested in history.

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Internships open to political science students

By JAN PHILLIPS
Staff Writer

During the spring minimester, selected students in the school of political science at JSU are given the opportunity to serve an internship through a cooperative arrangement with the East Alabama Commission in Anniston.

This past minimester was the fourth year that the internship program has been offered. Working daily in an office from eight to five, students receive six hours of credit for the four minimester weeks. Because of the nature of the internship, students do not enroll in any other classes.

The course may be counted as a general elective and involves an internship program in some phase of urban and/or regional development. Students work under the direction of the East Alabama Planning Commission on a project in which they are interested. The projects must be determined and set up in advance by consultation with department chiefs in the commission.

To be chosen for the program, a student must have at least 18 hours of credit in political science by the end of the spring semester, show definite interest and have outstanding ability. “Many students apply for the program,” said Dr. J. W. Selman, chairman of the school of political science. “We normally have more applications than places to fill.”

“The program is good because the students are able to see how a middle-size governmental agency works,” said Dr. Selman. During the last minimester, five students served internships while working in the development and planning sections.

Areas of concentration within the department include such subjects as American government, foreign government, international relations, and public administration. Dr. Selman said that primarily students with an emphasis in public administration go into the internship program.

Both part time and full time positions have been offered in various cases to students involved in the internship. One student that served an internship during the last semester is working this summer.

“The program,” Dr. Selman said, “provides excellent practical training as well as a change of pace from the theoretical training offered in the classroom.”

Buddy Causey brings soul and spirit to concert

“Only You Know And I Know” aroused a sparse crowd at Leon Cole Auditorium on Wednesday, June 23. This small crowd of hand-clappers had gathered to hear Sailcat and Buddy Causey.

Sailcat arrived on stage only 4 minutes late and broke into “Left Me A Mule To Ride.” Without waiting any time the group moved on to “She Met Me Halfway,” a number that Court Pickett, the lead singer, wrote. The group had previously played at Jax State during the Spring Splurge.

With a great deal of soul and spirit, the Buddy Causey Band arrived with “Free,” one of the band’s most well-known tunes. The crowd of less than 300 persons were urged to come closer to the stage by Causey. Many responded and the show was a hand-clapper until 11 p.m. with songs like John Denver’s “Sweet Misery” electrified.

“I’m a little disappointed with the acoustics of Leon Cole Auditorium,” said one concert goer. (It was reported that Sailcat and Causey had furnished the sound system for the entire event.)

“We lost over a thousand dollars on that concert,” said R. D. Downing, SGA vice-president. Downing added that this was the first time a summer concert had been scheduled in many years. “I’m disappointed at the student turnout.”

Freedom for all was his goal

By DR. PAT WINGO

In the 200 year history of the United States, Thomas Jefferson stands as one of the most remarkable of all Americans. Although his contributions are many and varied, one unifying goal is found in most of his actions.

The goal—Jefferson’s dream—was freedom for all men, for he believed his nation to be “the last best hope” of mankind.

Towards this goal, he penned the declaration which formally renounced the limitations on American freedom imposed by a power 3,000 miles away. In his native state, he led a courageous battle to free men from a state dictated religious denomination and helped establish a university to free men from the shackles of ignorance.

Definitely a product of his time, Jefferson owned slaves, yet he firmly believed in the inherent worth and dignity of every individual, that he denounced the evils of this institution.

As President of the United States, he acquired the vast Louisiana domain to expand the boundaries of freedom and recognized the potential threat of being bound on its western side by territory owned by powerful European monarchs. Also during his presidency, Jefferson was confronted with the danger of the United States being dragged into the Napoleonic wars, certainly a potential threat to the freedom of his young and weak nation.

Buying time, he skillfully threaded a precarious balance between submission and war with his policy of economic coercion.

Considered by historians to be one of the six greatest Presidents and by intellectuals to be one of the four most brilliant men to occupy the White House, Thomas Jefferson must be considered by all Americans one of the greatest citizens of the republic.

Renovation brings income

By CATHY MITCHEM
Staff Writer

The city of Jacksonville soon will receive a new source of income when several renovation sites around the city are completed for public use by late this fall.

The first of these, contracted on May 22, will be a shopping complex on the corner of East Francis and North Pelham Roads. Jack Boozer plans to move his bookstore, drugstore, and his barber shop and retail sales. The combined area of these businesses will be 12,000 square feet and will cost approximately $210,000 to complete. It is being built by Capeland Glass Construction Co. of Gadsden.

Just behind this complex will be a Geno’s Omelet Shop, contracted for A. L. Ford on June 18. It will seat 20 guests and include 1,700 square feet of floor space. Cost to complete is estimated at $29,000.

Located at 402 S. Pelham Road, the lot formerly occupied by the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity house will soon be a Hardee’s Restaurant which was begun on June 11. It will contain 2,530 square feet and cost $200,000 to complete.

Spartan Foods Systems of North Carolina, owner of the Hardee’s chain, Howard Bishop of Jacksonville donated the house on that property to the city of Jacksonville. The city paid $5,000 to move the house which will be renovated for use as a community development center.

A $45,000 pancake house is planned for the future. It will occupy the corner of London and West Mountain Avenues. That property, however, has been reserved for commercial use.

The city of Jacksonville will receive $25 annually for business licenses, a onetenth of one percent profit, and a 2% per cent sales tax collected by the state of Alabama and paid to the city, from each of these businesses.
**Review**

**Work is not for everybody**

By RAY CLARK
Staff Writer


"Working" is a dismal look at how Americans spend half their lives. Studs Terkel has collected hundreds of interviews with people from all parts of American doing all kinds of jobs. These workers enjoy talking to Studs Terkel much more than they enjoy Monday morning blues. They have opened up some of their inner-most joys and hostilities to the author.

Folks talking about how they feel toward their jobs seems to be more effective than authors telling us how people feel. No longer do we workers accept our station in life as predestined. Most want work to mean something to their life. They believe there ought to be more to this world than working.

"Working," is a story about people, written by people. If you ever intend to travel about in the world of work, browse through this book. For instance, if stone masonry appeals to you, read about the gentleman from the Midwest. He has been a stone mason for over 20 years. There are also millwrights, bank presidents, prostitutes and domestic workers.

Whatever your vocation or avocation, "Working" is worthwhile. If you like this book, you will also like Terkel's "Hard Times." It is written in the same style: Folks talking about their lives during the Great Depression.

-- clutching their dreams.

There is work for everybody in the United States.

There are plenty of jobs available in our nation's highest paying profession.

While five percent of America's workers say they can't find jobs and while welfare rolls continue to increase almost everywhere, every metropolitan newspaper bulges with column after column of jobs begging for people to be salesmen.

Ask any campus job recruiter—any employment agency—any personnel personnel—there are more than enough job openings—some lucrative ones—for salesmen.

Marketing Survey and Research finds that "one-in-every four persons not engaged in selling has more selling ability than 50 per cent of the people who are in selling."

This survey confirms that 20 per cent of America's salesmen account for 80 per cent of all sales.

But most of those on the outside don't want in because they say the salesman's "image" lacks "dignity."

That suggests that American salesmen have been selling everything under the sun except themselves.

A Louis Harris Survey indicates that among the top pet peevess of most Americans is "the fast-talking salesman."

Herbert Greenberg, co-author of "The Successful Salesman," says every profession has its "fast talkers;" charlatans among physicians, plagiarists among scholars, shysters among lawyers—yet these professions continue to attract adequate recruits. Selling, because of the excesses of some, wears a permanent black eye. Perhaps.

But from the inside out I've studied a direct-selling organization which enjoys the enthusiastic allegiance of 200,000 ethical salespeople who are having fun getting rich and I'm wondering if it's so-called "dearth of salesmen" isn't simply a reflection of laziness.

In selling, you can't possibly profit from a production line slowdown. The salesman succeeds or fails in direct relation to his sales. He can't get by on credentials—without effort. He isn't paid for "hours;" he's paid for results. Is this why only two per cent of this year's graduating seniors expressed any interest in "selling" as a career?

I can't buy that old "image" excuse. The cigarette-heeled, foot-in-the-door, browbeating, un-moral itinerant always was a caricature, anyway.

The fact is that the professional salesman has the "highest income rate and one of the lowest of all divorce rates and one of the lowest rates of mental breakdown." I suspect job satisfaction explains these statistics. The man or woman who chooses opportunity over security enjoys fringe benefits incomprehensible to a paragon.

So if sales jobs are going begging it's not because there's anything wrong with the profession; what's wrong with a generation which, spoiled, timid and spineless, prefers a pension.

-- by Paul Harvey, syndicated columnist.

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**Work for everybody?**

The Chanticleer is the students' newspaper and, as such, should be the means for students to express their ideas, concerns, suggestions and complaints. We welcome students to take advantage of this medium by writing letters to the editor. So, be heard. We want thoughtful, well-written and intelligent submissions. Please try to keep it clean. Only signed letters will be accepted.

Other submissions will also be considered. Poems, however, are not acceptable because they belong in the field of creative writing, not journalism.

If you have an idea for an interesting article, come by and see us. We may not find it suitable for a newspaper publication, but it never hurts to try! 

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**Letter to Editor**

Dear Editor:

Last June 22 we picked up a person involved in an automobile accident, bleeding profusely from head lacerations and other visible wounds.

The point is this: this person carried an I.D. card as a diabetic but no blood type. Many minutes could have been saved had his blood type been known. My suggestion as a student at JSU is why not add this information to the JSU I.D. card?

Bruce Wood

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After 29 years of service

Smoake leaves teaching position

By GERALD KIRK WAGNER
Staff Writer

Alfred J. Smoake, assistant professor of English for 29 years, will retire at the end of the summer term as Professor Emeritus. Along with his many fond memories, from nearly three decades as an educator, Mr. Smoake takes with him a refreshing healthy philosophy of life and a very optimistic attitude toward the continuation of the educational system.

Mr. Smoake has great confidence in the youth of today. He is more than happy to pave the way for his successor.

To say that Mr. Smoake is proud of his family is an understatement. Mr. Smoake says, "My family means so much to me. I don't even like to leave my house for a moment!"

Mr. Smoake grew up as an orphan and had to work extremely hard for everything he attained. As a brilliant testimonial to his determination it can be seen that he is highly proficient in three different professions. Aside from his career at J.S.U., he is an ordained Methodist minister and a very skilled horticulturist.

Mr. Smoake has been a practicing minister since 1935 and his clerical work has taken him from Tennessee to Texas and finally here to Alabama.

His present assignment is at the Methodist Church in Wellington, and before that he was instrumental in establishing the congregations of several of this area's churches.

The last of his three professions is really a hobby. Mr. Smoake says, "I love to garden . . . vegetables and flowers. I have a big rose garden, dahlia garden, vegetable garden and fruit trees . . . you name it, we've got it." He added that aside from the sheer love of nature and growing things he practiced his hobby "to share it with our friends."

Mr. Smoake is not only generous with his flowers, vegetables and amiable personality. Two years ago he donated his entire home library to Johnson Bible College in Knoxville, Tenn., where he earned his first B. A. degree in 1936. From Tennessee he moved to Texas and studied at the University of San Antonio earning another B. A. degree. Mr. Smoake earned his M.A. from Auburn in 1947 and immediately thereafter joined the faculty at J.S.U.

Mr. Smoake's immediate supervisor and very close friend during those early years at Jacksonville was Dr. William J. Calvert Jr., Professor Emeritus. Dr. Calvert offered some interesting insights into Mr. Smoake.

Regarding Mr. Smoake's gardening ability, Dr. Calvert states, "The man definitely has a green thumb!" The beautiful boxwoods that line Mr. Smoake's driveway are once nothing more than trimmings that he obtained from Dr. Calvert's boxwoods.

Dr. Calvert also related an interesting story about the dedication Mr. Smoake has to his profession. The two men made it a practice to accompany each other on excursions to various scholastic meetings around the state. Unfortunately, Mr. Smoake was subject to car sickness at times. However, as Dr. Calvert declared, "He had a squeamish stomach in the car, yet he heroically attended these meetings anyway."

In 1947 an episode in JSU history dealing with a Miss X and a Miss Y occurred. Before fall registration that year the administration had just approved the hiring of two new English professors, necessitating the anonymous "Miss X" and "Miss Y" to be used in the class schedule pamphlet since the two new professors had not been appointed all their classes yet. Unsuspecting students naturally signed up for these classes, and Dr. Calvert stated there were some very surprised students when they attended the first class meeting and found that "Miss X" was none other than Mr. Smoake and that "Miss Y" was Dean Miles.

"A grand bridge player" is the phrase Dean Montgomery used to describe Mr. Smoake aside from also pointing out several of his other fine qualities. Mr. Smoake is an avid bridge fan and a long-time member of two local bridge clubs, one of which is the oldest established club in Jacksonville.

Mr. Smoake has always been very popular with his colleagues, and as a former student and present colleague states, "He has always been a popular professor with students, too."

Mr. Smoake demonstrates a profound awareness of the times when he discusses the area of literature and language. He realizes language is a "constantly changing" medium for communication. As far as grammar is concerned, Mr. Smoake says, "We are teaching 'horse and buggy' grammar in a jet age!"

Concerning literary preferences, Mr. Smoake stated that his greatest enjoyment was in reading the works of Emerson, Hawthorne and Thoreau.

After retirement Mr. Smoake plans to devote full time to his ministry. He says, "I will teach the Bible as long as I am able." If his cheerful enthusiasm is any indication, the people around Wellington will be enjoying his services for many years to come.

Mr. Smoake added that he will keep quite active in his garden and in his free time will complete the novel that he has been working on. He said his novel is similar to Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" in that it traces events in the lives of young boys.

If one single phrase had to describe this dedicated individual, it would be the description Dr. Clyde Cox, head of the English department, gave: "A fine, Christian gentleman!"

Mrs. Cass: She was the lady in SCB

By LARRY HEPTINSTALL
Staff Writer

"Dependable, dedicated and faithful" are adjectives Mr. Jesse Fain, director of auxiliary services, used to describe Mrs. Mary L. Cass. If you don't know who Mrs. Cass is, she was the lady in SCB with the ageless smile who took your I. D. and sold you ping-pong balls.

Mrs. Cass retired from the university on June 30, of this year after more than 27 years of service. She came to work here in 1947 at the "Grub" in Bibb Graves Hall and was moved to Hammond Hall a few years later. From Hammond Hall the "Grub" was moved to SCB and reorganized into Chet "em inn and the rec room.

Mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Mrs. Cass has seen two generations of her descendants through J.S.U. and hopes that her great-grandchildren will make the third.

She has provided student housing since the war years. When the housing shortage sent rent prices up, Mrs. Cass kept her rental prices low. Her past tenants include not only her own grandchildren and other students but also a good many of the faculty at Jacksonville State.

Large numbers of people have come through student aid to Mrs. Cass about work. If she did not have a place for them, she would call the other departments and, if that failed, she would call merchants in town. The number of people she has found work for or started on a career rivals the record of the placement office.

Conservation has recently become a popular subject, but with Mrs. Cass it has been a way of life. If one of her ping-pong nets was torn, it was not replaced. Mrs. Cass would take it home and repair it herself. She performed her job as if she were working for herself and spending her own money.

Jacksonville has grown steadily over the past years and has recently flourished. Much of the quaintness and fellowship enjoyed by a smaller school has given way to progress. Old ways must give way to new ways, as most people when they grow older must make way for younger people. But the loss of Mrs. Cass is one that comes harder than most.

She has been among those individuals that make up the "heart" of this institution. Her loss may not be felt by the computerized portion of our faculty and student body, but those of us who came into contact with her personal touch will remember her always.

When asked what she would miss most after retirement, Mrs. Cass replied simply, "the people."
Van Cleave to preside over faculty senate

By MASSOUD ZANDI
Staff Writer

Recently, Dr. John Van Cleave was elected as the President of the Faculty Senate with Dr. Charles Johnson as Vice President.

The Faculty Senate is an organization elected by the academic faculty. It has three committees: the Welfare Committee, the Admission and Scholarship Committee and the Committee on Policies.

The Faculty Senate meets monthly during the school year to discuss and consider all the matters which involve faculty as well as students.

Dr. Van Cleave said that the Senate has a monthly publication which contains newsworthy activities concerning its members.

The Faculty Senate's members for 1975-76 are: Dr. John Van Cleave, President; Dr. Charles Johnson, Vice President.

Arts
Mr. George Teague 1 year
Dr. Clyde Cox 1 year
Dr. Robert Felgar 2 years
Dr. Charles Johnson 3 years
Dr. Fred Grumley 3 years

Dr. Van Cleave
Science and Mathematics
Mr. Robert Maclae 1 year
Dr. William Reid 1 year
Dr. John Van Cleave 3 years

Social Sciences
Dr. Glen Brown 1 year
Dr. Mary Martha Thomas 2 years
Dr. Donald Patterson 2 years
Dr. T. Allen Smith 2 years
Dr. Jerry Smith 3 years

Business Administration
Mr. David B. Cary 1 year
Mrs. Hazel Hicks 2 years
Mr. Hal Smith 3 years
Mrs. Louise Clark 3 years

Education
Dr. James Reynolds 1 year
Dr. Charles Walker 1 year
Dr. Leon Willman 2 years

Dr. Johnson
Mr. Elmer Chaney 3 years
Dr. Louise Clark 3 years

Library Science and Instructional Media
Dr. Franklin L. King 1 year
Mrs. Miriam Franklin 2 years
Mr. John Turner 3 years
Mr. Thomas J. Freeman 3 years

Health and Physical Education
Dr. Malcolm Street 3 years
Mrs. Frances Lange 3 years
Mrs. Beatrice Salsbury 3 years

Graduate
Dr. James Reeves 3 years
Dr. Ralph Parnell 1 year

SGA announcement

The SGA is beginning construction on an amphitheater in the wooded area next to Merrill parking lot. Anyone interested in helping or in lending tools, please come by the SGA office or sign your name on the chart on the bulletin board outside the office. The amphitheater will be for the students and is a good project. So get involved and help us help you.

Van Cleave Earns Ph.D.
Dr. John Van Cleave was born in 1940 in Demorest, Ga. He moved to Wadley, Al. where he finished high school and attended college for one year.

In the fall of 1959 Dr. Van Cleave entered J. S. U. as a math major. Upon graduation he ranked third in his class. After joining an ROTC program, Dr. Van Cleave was elected as the President of the Faculty Senate.

Chew Knighton

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On Tuesday, July 15, Charles Edward Knighton, better known as Chuck, will perform for one of the weekly Coffeehouse concerts.

Chuck was born in Rhode Island, but his parents came to Alabama when he was 8 months old. They made their home in Anniston where Chuck attended Oxford and Anniston High Schools.

At the age of 12, he became very much interested in music. When he was 15 he could play the guitar.

Presently, at the age of 22, he sings and plays the guitar, using many songs of Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young, the Eagles and Jim Croce.

Norred performs

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On July 8, 40 to 50 persons showed up in Chat 'em Inn to enjoy what they thought would be some good music in the first Coffeehouse of this summer. Although there was a good candlelit atmosphere and free sandwiches, Blind Boy Norred and the Burgess Brother Band could not compete with this congenial climate.

The Band consists of Jack Burgess who plays the mandoline, Dennis Burgess who handled the bass and the guitar, and finally "Blind Boy" Norred who, with his Dylan-type of voice, more or less puts down the quality of the rest of the music.

Although the group also received his M.A. from the University of Birmingham.

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According to Dr. W. J. Reid, department chairman of physics, majors in that field have no problem getting into graduate schools. Those who choose to terminate their study with the B. S. degree have usually been able to find jobs related to their field of study.

Since the establishment of a major in the department of physics and basic engineering in 1970, JSU has produced 3 to 4 majors a year in comparison with Georgia Tech's 5 to 8 per year.

Gary Chandler received his B. S. in physics from JSU and went to college for a master's degree at the University of South Carolina. Marshall Corlew, a JSU physics major, has received his degree as an environment engineer at the same university. A second year student in the Ph. D. program in physics at Clemson is also a JSU physics graduate. He is B. S.

In the spring of 1975, Mr. John Collins received his B. S. in physics from JSU. He refused a $7,000 assistant-ship from M. I. T. and moved to the University of South Carolina. He received his degree as a physics graduate now working toward his Ph.D. in nuclear engineering at Purdue University.

Dr. Reid sees physicists as those seeking to understand and apply the fundamental laws describing the physical universe. He recommends that students choose physics for their major subject both as a challenging approach to personal development and as a step towards a career as a professional physicist.

Graduates seeking a professional career in physics have many fields open to them such as physics education, research physics, and technical personal and administration in federal, academic and industrial laboratories.

Members of this department include Dr. William J. Reid, chairman, who received his Ph.D. from Clemson University; Dr. Pullen Yeh who received his Ph.D. from Rutgers University; Robert A. MacRae who received his M.S. from Vanderbilt University; and Thomas Hicks who received his M.A. from the University of Alabama.

Stateside physics proves promising field
Health fields complex

Plans for the health fields complex to be built on three sides of Pete Mathews Coliseum are pictured above.


The new and existing parking will accommodate 1,000 cars. Lot No. 1 is to be hard-surfaced. The area (exclusive of tennis) is to be so devised as to double as a secondary parking lot. A, B, and C roads denote the new exits for increased parking capacity. The final and exact location of the various facilities may change, however, to facilitate grading and/or drainage.

Events at other colleges

University of Massachusetts (NOCR)—"Jump!" some students shouted playfully to the young man on the roof of the 28-story University of Massachusetts Library. He returned the shouts and dropped some model rocket engines that sounded like firecrackers on them. He then took a running leap and plunged 286 feet to his death, two years. Dana L. Farnsworth, assistant librarian, estimates that on a warm day there will be about 275 students on the roof at the same time, including some who are on the roof to see and hear about the biology department's trip to the Bahamas.

Auburn University (NOCR)—A credit card system of paying for meals in the University Dining Hall has been initiated this summer at Auburn University. Students, faculty and administrative staff are eligible to apply for the credit cards. Students who do not have established credit references may obtain parents' signatures to receive the cards.

Other studies show that the rate of deaths among young people is less severe among older people, but it is second only to accidental death as a cause of death in the college-age group. Each year 10,000 college students in the U. S. try suicide, 1,000 succeed.

Auburn University (NOCR)—Dr. Ernest Stone makes a graceful jump after a speedy tennis ball at an expedition game that matched him and his partner Coach Clarke Mayfield against Mayor John Nibert of Jacksonville and Gen. Joseph Kingston.

Dr. Van Cleave joined the U. S. Army and received a Bronze Star from the 9th Division for his service in Vietnam. Dr. Van Cleave returned to Auburn in 1969 to work toward a Ph.D. degree. In 1969, he joined the J. S. U. faculty. This clinic, which initially gained patients solely by word of mouth, now receives referrals from the mental health center at Anniston and Gadsden. Dr. Peters hopes to see the inception of a cooperative program among the departments of psychology, special education, sociology, and nursing which would enable them to treat more patients. This hope should be realized within the next two years.

On Parking

The type of parking place would be used catching up on the latest gossip, be smart, walk to class.

Norred

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Announcement

A slide presentation and discussion on the Republic of Panama will be held this Friday at 11:30 a.m. in Room 14 Ayers Hall. All students are invited and urged to attend to see and hear about the biology department's trip to Panama this past mini-semester.

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That's exactly what 2-year-old Joey Hawkins (right) did last July 4. The son of Elnora Hawkins, a student at Jacksonville State University, Joey was an eager participant at the watermelon cutting celebration in honor of the country bicentennial. The event took place in front of Ramoa Wood Hall. Before Joey had his big, juicy slice of watermelon, however, he listened to a speech by Dr. Ernest Glenn, who had some slight trouble with a podium which was slowly collapsing on him. But pretty soon it was time for the watermelons to be split open, and there they were, lined up all in a row (center).