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## RUSH UP STUDENT ELECTIONS; PALS LOSE CUP TO BUTLER



Miss Dorothy Green, member of Chi Omega sorority, is the new leader of the Y. W. C. A. She was ushered into office, along with the remaining officers and cabinet, at a very impressive service last Wednesday evening. She succeeds Miss Sara Johnson, who is graduating this June.

### GOLFERS PICK FIVE PLAYERS

Who Will Meet Ole Miss' Best Team Soon

The Lynx golf team will polish up their mashies and overhaul their drivers this week for their first match of the season, to be played Friday and Saturday against Ole Miss at University, Miss.

Five players were selected Wednesday to compose the Southwestern team, selected from the entire student body. The team was picked from the medal score of various candidates who tried out.

Harvey Kidd, winner of the recent school tournament, is one member, while the others are Charles Mitchiner, Oliver Cromwell, "Sonny" Beard and Richard Harwood.

The team will leave Friday morning and will return Sunday. The teams will meet in a return match later in the season in Memphis.

Other players who showed up well and will probably be used in the second match are Billy Flowers, Fritz Heidelberg, Joe Davis, Johnson Garrott and Percy Brown.

### NEGRO STICK-UP ROBS DR. ELKINS

Stripped of Valuables by Gunman Saturday

Police are searching for the small spare-rib, yellow-skin negro highwayman who robbed Dr. Will Elkins, custodian of Palmer Hall, last Saturday night under the arc light in front of Bellevue Junior High School.

Elkins was relieved of a 21-Jewel Waltham watch which he had used for 27 years, also a chain and \$3.65 in money. "It wasn't right that the robber take the money," said Elkins, "because this is leap year, and I didn't have an additional penny in my pockets."

Mrs. Elkins informed the local janitor at supper last Saturday that Bower's Stores were selling Chesterfield cigarettes at two packs for a quarter. Elkins, who lives at 1179 Carr avenue, directly behind the Junior High, was on his way to Bower's.

When under the powerful light in front of the school a negro accosted him and poked a gun in his back, forcing him to go behind the building, where he was stripped of his valuables.

Police are expecting momentarily to apprehend the stick-up. In the meantime, Elkins is without his faithful watch, and has been unable to borrow one from his friends here to use until his Waltham is found.

### Ministers Elect

Frederick Heidelberg, sophomore ministerial candidate, will head the Ministers Club as president next year. John Johnson is the new vice-president, and Freshman Roger Wright is secretary-treasurer.

### HOOSIER SCHOOL BESTS PALS AT DRAMATIC MEET

Fail to Place Among Three Winning Casts

### MISS CHICAGO GANG

No Lives Lost As Locals Drive By Auto

BY WILSON FOOTE  
Southwestern Staff Correspondent.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Chicago, the home of the patriots center of crime and pathos, was given an additional touch of drama last week when a quartet of Pal players staged "The Giant's Stair." The eight judges who viewed the nine plays and picked the three best, were unafraid of such a colossal ogre, and forgot the Pals in their final selections.

The Pals staged their play but once at the annual contest, which was held at Northwestern University, and had as the coveted prize the Cunnock Cup and cash prizes amounting to \$250.

The tournament, which was won by Butler University of Indianapolis, Ind., is given each year to create a greater interest in undergraduate dramatics and, also, to find possible embryonic John Barrymores or Jean Eagles.

The tournament attracted much interest inasmuch as schools from North Dakota, South Dakota, Kentucky, Minnesota, Illinois, Indiana, Tennessee and Arkansas were represented.

The first two tournaments were won by the University of West Virginia, which was not represented this year. The winning play was entitled "The Dust of the Road," by Goodman, and was given by Butler. The other plays to place in the tournament were "Finders Keepers," by Kelley, and "Sun-Up," by Vollmer, given by Berea and Arkansas Colleges respectively. The requirements were any play, or part of a play, which could be given in 40 minutes; also, players must be undergraduates carrying full college work.

The Pals presented "The Giant's Stair," a one-act drama. The theme of the play was the solution of a baffling murder. The characters were Mary Allen, a mountaineer's wife; Ann Roach, who skillfully portrayed the part of a woman with an unbalanced mind; Allen Haden, the sleuth, and Charles Rond III, a prosecutor. The plot, briefly, consists of suspense over the finding of a man believed to have been murdered, and the mental effect the incoherent talk of the unbalanced woman produces on the sheriff, who is frightened into confessing the murder himself.

#### ANN WINS ACCLAIM

The play was well given and showed evidences of hard work. There was no prompting and spectators commented on the excellent way Ann Roach took the part of a crazy woman, and on the way Allen Haden registered fear. Mary Allen portrayed the tired, worn-out mountaineer wife and looked and acted the part well. Rond said his two lines without hesitation.

Others making the trip were Prof. Haden, director; Price Patton, student director; Mrs. Allen, chaperone; Ramsey Russell, technician; Addie Louise Murray, prompter; and Wilson Foote, press agent.

The men stayed at the S. A. E. house and the girls at the Kappa Delta home at Northwestern. The cast took in the sights of the bad city, and also the night life.

### Miss Griffith New Head of Chi Delta

Chi Delta literary society, composed of girls of the college, elected new officers at a special meeting held Wednesday. Miss Katherine Griffith was named successor to Miss Sara Johnson, retiring president. Other officers are Janet Moody, vice-president; Katherine Boots, secretary, and Minnie Lundy, treasurer.

### Southwestern Joins College Federation

Sixteen of the largest colleges and universities in the South voted unanimously to admit Southwestern into the membership of the Southern Federation of College Students, at the annual convention held last week at the University of Alabama.

Crawford McGivaren, new student president at Southwestern, attended the convention and presented the petition for entrance, which was immediately accepted.

Among the institutions who welcomed Southwestern by casting favorable votes were: Universities of Tennessee, Alabama, Kentucky, Maryland, Florida, Richmond, Washington and Lee, North Carolina State, Davidson College, Birmingham-Southern, Howard, Millsaps, Emory, Emory and Henry, Georgia Tech, Center College.

Also the association is still in its infancy, definite steps for a permanent organization were formulated at the convention this year.

A few weeks prior to the gathering next year, questionnaires concerning discussions which will come up will be sent out to each member in outline form. Each student president will send in questions under the different topics which he wants discussed. These questions will be timely to the schools from which they are sent.

The convention opened last Thursday morning at the University of Alabama, and the three-day session ended with

a banquet at Hotel Mc Lester Saturday night, given by the student government association of Alabama.

The Federation will be headed next year by the following men: Bob Hill, president (University of Alabama); J. W. Melton, vice-president (Davidson), and Charles Caster, secretary-treasurer (University of Richmond).

There were many prominent speakers on the program, including Dr. George Lang, head of department of philosophy at Alabama, who spoke on "Student Standards of Actions"; "The Outlook for Student Government," by Dr. Charles H. Barnwell, dean of Alabama; "Co-operation of National Student Federation Association and Southern Federation of College Students," by E. H. Miller, of Washington and Lee, and president of the National association. Dr. A. B. Moore, dean of the graduate school at Alabama, spoke on the subject of "Athletics and the College Man."

Round-table discussions on such themes as "The College Y. M. C. A.—Its Influence and Its Benefits," "The Scope and Influence of Student Government," and "School Spirit," were among numerous questions thrashed out by delegates. Ways and means to broaden the scope of all organizations, both religious, social, musical and oratorical, came up for debate.

While at Alabama "Big Mc" stayed at the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity house.

### PHI BETA KAPPA OFFICIAL COMING

Dr. Diehl Gives Luncheon At Peabody Monday

Dr. Oscar M. Voorhees, secretary of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa, national fraternity, will be an honor guest at Southwestern next Monday. It is understood that Dr. Voorhees will organize a Memphis association of the 52 Phi Beta Kappas who now live in Memphis.

Invitation has been extended by President Charles E. Diehl, of Southwestern, to the holders of this title in Memphis, to a luncheon Monday at 12:30 o'clock at Hotel Peabody.

There are six members of Southwestern's faculty who are Phi Beta Kappas. They are Profs. R. P. Strickler, A. T. Johnson, P. N. Rhodes, W. O. Swan, R. E. Huston, and W. C. Watkins.

#### Annals on May 25

Due to delay in getting plates from the engravers, the annual will not arrive on the campus until May 25.

### ENOUGH

Crawford McGivaren came into the Southwestern office last Tuesday night to inform the staff that, since he had been elected student president for next year, he would not need any more free boosts in the "Dear Lily" letters. The staff granted him his request.

### Haden To Teach In Chicago Next Year

Prof. Ernest F. Haden, French instructor at Southwestern, has resigned from the faculty to become effective with the closing of the present term, and will accept an appointment at the University of Chicago next fall. He will teach French there.

Haden, who holds the A.B. degree from Southwestern, will complete his M.A. degree requirements at the University of Chicago next summer.

While teaching in Chicago next year he plans to study on his Ph.D. degree at the same time.

### HONOR WHERE HONOR SHOULD BE

"Of the more than one hundred fountain pens reported missing during the past year, not more than twenty-five have been returned to their owners."

Chester Frist, retiring president, is the author of this startling statement. The indictment is either fallacious or it is true, and we believe that it is true.

We kid ourselves when we think that every student at this school is honorable. In the matter of the pens, say that twenty-five were lost by the owner, and twenty-five were returned, there is yet fifty to account for.

Every missing article is not lost thru carelessness of the owner. Things disappear right and left around the campus, but especially in the dormitories. A typical case was the disappearance the other night of a valuable pencil from one of the rooms in the dormitory. The owner had laid it on the table, stepped out for a few minutes, and, on returning, found it gone. He has heard nothing of it since. Innumerable cases of missing property may be heard from every student.

We point the finger of accusation at no one, nor to any group. We are stating plainly that we have not the sense of honor that we should have. Until such condition is made rid of, we will be but hypocrites when we say that "we are honorable students."

While we are speaking of distasteful matters, permit us to call to the attention of the student body the deplorable conduct which we, as ladies and gentlemen, have assumed lately as our paragon of excellence.

Such indecorous acts as are committed in student meetings everyday, when books are hurled through the air, students yell and laugh like rustics far back in the sticks, when speakers on the platform are subjected to the meanest of indignities—this seems to be the code chosen.

We cannot confine this rude conduct to these meetings alone. Students—the sedate and dignified upperclassmen included—have flagrantly thrown reason to the wind, and are nuisances in the classroom. This is especially so after the first half hour is over. Then comes the stomping on the floor, loud talking, smacking of neighbors, and conduct unbecoming even a kindergarten child.

We ask the well-bred element of the student body to think on these things.

Think about these things, students! The better element is in the ascendancy at this institution, and it will be a smirch on the good name of Southwestern—our school—if we do not improve the honor of our student body.

### DELEGATES BACK FROM ST. LOUIS

View Ruins of Anhauser-Busch Bottling Co.

Four local scientists, Profs. W. O. Swan, Prof. Francis Huber, George Kyser, and Donald Bode, attending the annual convention of the American Chemical Society in session at St. Louis last week, have returned with the recent discoveries of the chemical world still ringing in their ears.

Outstanding among the new devices on display was a fire extinguisher, which used as its chemical potassium perchlorate.

Dr. George Mayo, of Rochester, Minn., lectured on the subject of "Cancer, Goiter and Thyroid Trouble." Dr. Parks, president, spoke on the subject of "Combustion and Smoke Problems."

The quartet of "strayed chemists" inspected the St. Louis branch of the Anhauser-Busch distillery last Wednesday. They saw huge vats of dealcoholated beer, and found that the old beer wagon house in its now converted form of automobile factory.

Sid Davis, graduate last June, and now connected with the Illinois Glass Co., at Alton, entertained the delegation on Thursday. He led them thru the factory and explained in minute detail each step in the manufacture of mirrors and perfume bottles.

Dr. Huber was a guest of chemists at the Roxana Petroleum Co. refinery. He is making a study hydrocarbons, and was very interested in the processes of gas distilling.

### Ora Johnson Goes To National Meet

Ora Johnson has been selected by the Playground and Recreational Association of America as one of the 50 seniors in American colleges and universities to attend the National Recreation School in New York City next autumn. From the candidates who qualify in scholastic, athletic and leadership ability, the Association invites this limited number each year to receive professional training in community recreation.

The course is for one year. Practice and demonstration rather than theory comprise its method.

### "Edna" Shines Both As Pitcher, Hitter

Captain Garrott is quite the pitcher these days. "Lefty" has pitched 28 innings, giving up 22 hits, striking out 32 men, and winning all three of his games. He hits well, batting above .400 for the three games.

#### Flu Gets Two

Two members of the business office, Miss Martin and Mrs. Bright, have been confined to their homes with influenza during the past week.

### PICK REMAINING OFFICIALS FOR COMING SESSION

Hall and Underwood Are Named Student Officers

### FORM NEW COUNCIL

Sanhedrin to Name High Priest Monday

Selection of students to hold the principal offices of the different organizations next year will be the order of events throughout this week and part of next week.

Crawford McGivaren, elected last week as new student president, was installed in office Monday. Warner Hall and Catherine Underwood were successful in winning the offices of vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the student body in recent elections.

New members of the Honor Council were chosen Friday, and the Council president will be chosen tomorrow. Following this an election was held to select a man from the student body at large to serve as president of the Publication Board.

President McGivaren announces that the classes will elect their new officers Saturday morning. The Boys' Sanhedrin council will choose new members and High Priest at a special meeting next Monday morning. Choice of Y. M. C. A. president will be made early next week.

"Mc" is rushing up the election of officers so that the new Student Council can be formed in time to recommend ways and means of spending the contingent fees from this semester.

### THIS IS REAL COLLEGE NEWS

Co-eds May Reduce Easily by Eating Candy

PHILADELPHIA—Small doses of dextrose candy taken between meals have helped a group of nurses at Jefferson Hospital of this city to remove surplus pounds of too solid flesh.

In studying the question of obesity Dr. Gordon operated on the hypothesis that the craving of fat persons for sugar may be a symptom of sugar deficiency. In such people it may be that the fat-forming food may be misdirected to channels from which energy is not readily derived.

A group of overweight nurses were accordingly selected for subjects and examined to rule out those with glandular disturbances or other physical drawbacks that might be aggravated by the diet tests. The diets, covering from 1,800 to 3,000 calories a day, were then arranged so that fat and protein were taken at meal times while carbohydrate was taken between meals in the readily digested form of dextrose candy.

"The total intake of candy was between 3.5 to 6.2 ounces," Dr. Gordon explained. "The patients were advised to walk 12 blocks both in the morning and afternoon, and to consume the largest portion of candy during exercise. A fairly constant loss of weight occurred in six individuals during a period of three weeks. The greatest loss was 23 Six of the 11 nurses who stayed in the test lost an average of three pounds a week and suffered practically no discomfort from the regime."

### Dr. Diehl To Speak At Louisville Wed.

President Diehl will be one of the principal speakers at the celebration of the Seventy-fifth Anniversary of the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Kentucky, at Louisville, next Wednesday.

Dr. Diehl will talk on the subject of "College Preparation of the Minister of Today."

**FLASHES**

**\*\* College Life On \*\***  
**OTHER CAMPS**

**FEMALES TO MALES**

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—Flippant talk about "red hot mamas" is all wrong—at least in frogdom. Lady frog tadpoles simply turn into males when they are kept in hot water too long, experiments by Emil Witschi of the State University of Iowa indicate.

Reporting his researches Professor Witschi stated that he grew two sets of tadpoles from the egg stage until the differentiation into sexes began to be evident.

In one set, in which the temperature of the water had been increased approximately as in nature, the sex ratio was about normal—100 females and 96 males. In the other set the temperature of the water was suddenly jumped to nearly 90 degrees Fahrenheit, when the tadpoles were five weeks old. The females in this set gradually assumed a masculine character, and the frogs emerged as males.

**WHO ARE BEAUTIFUL?**

DENVER, COLO.—Describing college beauty contests as "complete inanity," Miss Anne McKeen Shuler, dean of women at the University of Denver, has taken a decided stand against the practice of selecting the university's most beautiful co-eds.

"Beauty contests put a wrong value on beauty, making physical grace apparently the only standard of achievement," the Denver Clarion, university weekly, quotes her as saying.

"They are degrading and insulting to girls whose brains are entirely overlooked, and place co-eds on a level with follies girls," Dean Shuler said.

**JOURNALISM OF YORE**

AKRON, OHIO—(IP)—\$12 REWARD. Absconded from her master, a MULATTO WOMAN named DINA, about 36 years of age. A good-looking talkative woman, walks parrot toed and rocks much in walking. It is supposed she will dress for disguise in a false cushion and a long hair braid.

"For sale. An elegant chair and horse with harness complete."

"Ranaway from the subscriber an apprentice to the tailoring business, named Asron Crosle, between 17 and 18 years of age. He had on and took with him one dark grey coat and vest of the same with small pewter buttons and new shoes and buckles."

The above advertisements were taken from the Philadelphia American Daily Advertiser for January 8, 1794. The original paper, together with several other newspapers of venerable age, are now in the office of Professor Raymond B. Pease, professor of English. The papers are the property of Arthur Kruse, of the University of Akron.

In 1793, "No Song No Supper," "Wild Oats," and "The Primrose Girl," were playing at the "Theater" in Philadelphia.

"Yesterday a floop belonging to Cap't Clark ran foul of a floop belonging to Mr. Lent. The floop had her bow stove in and her bow-fprit lodged in the other floop after which they went aloft under water. The passengers were all faved."

That is the way it looked to a reader accustomed to modern printing.

The advertisements appeared on the front page and the news all on the inside pages. Among news was a report from Congress for a bill altering the flag of the United States. A letter from President Washington to the House followed.

In the Ulster County Gazette, Kingston, N. Y., for Jan. 4, 1800, on the second page, without a headline, the death of Washington is announced. Quarter inch black column rules are used on the inside sheets.

The same paper gave an account of Washington's funeral with a detailed report on the funeral procession.

Also the paper was published on January 4, there is some news labeled October, because "by the arrival of the factor from Falmouth, we are put in possession of London papers to the 20th of October, inclusive, from which we make the following selections." And there follows, accounts of the French Revolution, with emphasis on the executions.

**A Still Tragedy**

*Maud Muller cared for her father's still, As in these days some sweet girls will. Singing, she polished the copper pan, That brewed a knock-out for any man. But when she glanced at that far-off town,*

*The sweet song died: gave way to a frown.*

*A sheriff came slowly up the lane, The way he sneered gave her a pain. "Say, Maud, I'm putting it up to you, Is this straight goods or just home-brew?"*

*He took a taste—he sang a song; His heart was light the whole day long. He told the judge about the still,— Now Maud has orders she cannot fill.*

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**How Many Were Installed?**

Crawford McGivaren was ushered into office last Monday morning in chapel. Chester Frist, retiring president, turned over the affairs of student leader to the new officer for next year. McGivaren will officiate thruout the remainder of this year and next year until the spring election of 1929.

The annual conference of the Southern College Association, which we joined this year, was held at the University of Alabama last week. McGivaren, naturally, was the Southwestern delegate. While there "Mc" sat in and expressed himself when pertinent questions about college life were discussed. He brought back many helpful suggestions which will be passed on to the new officers of the different student organizations. This is a good sign of further progress next year over the year just closing.

We are still wondering whether the new vice-president and secretary-treasurer were "installed" last Monday along with McGivaren. If they were, we are fooled. If so, then the installation ceremony is too plain.

Would it not be more impressive to both the new student officials and student body to have the president of the college and the faculty witness the inauguration of the new and the retiring of the old? Would it not be better to have the new officers charged as to their duties by those whose places they are taking?

The "installation" this year should not be given such a dignified name. It should be called merely a transference of burdens from one man to another, if our sentiments at the time are a pointer to our interpretation of the ceremony.

The Pals were unable to gain the favorable vote of the judges last week at Northwestern. We are not sorry. We are sports enough to rejoice with the victor, whoever gained it. There will be other contests later, and we will enter these with the same spirit of determination and sportsmanship which prompted us to cast our lot in competition with the eight other participating schools this year.

There is no less credit to the Pals. They played the game clean, as all Southwestern students do, and if they did not win it makes no difference. Honor goes to both winner and loser. Both worked hard and faithfully and both could not win.

Pepper, the bobcat mascot, is still at the zoo waiting to receive his host of admirers. We should be proud of this cat, for he has the spunk in him to keep his place in this world. When N. J. Melroy, zoo superintendent, placed him in the large cage with the only other bobcat, he promptly went over to her and smacked her a terrific blow with his right paw. Ever since he has been headman. Altho he is just one-tenth her size, yet he rules his household like a real man should do. He tolerates no sass.

Up betimes and to school, only to find the cloister blocked by the amorous couples wishing each other good morning. Then to chapel to find the radiators covered by still more groups. On to class after the ringing of the bell only to look out of the window to see couples headed in all directions which lead outside the ken of professors and students. Mused awhile to conclude that studies were not the thing this month. Up and out of class in search of a girl. Luck was good and located lonely girl in cloister. Congenial to her and we headed for the unknown. Repeated same next day, and so on. Wish spring were over so my sleep could be started at 9 o'clock instead of 1.

**ECHOES FROM THE MORGUE**

Choice News Excerpts of Past Years As Revealed By Sou'wester Files

APRIL 23, 1926

Thomas H. Appleton was elected president of the governing council of the Tennis Association, at a meeting held last Tuesday.

Southwestern will open the debating season by taking on Bethel tonight in Hardie Auditorium.

Plans are under way for the first Pan-Hellenic dance to be given by the co-eds of Southwestern.

Southwestern chapter of Chi Omega entertained at luncheon in the fraternity room on Friday, April 10.

Chi Alpha sorority entertained informally with a party at the Palace Theater.

Chi Delta literary society met Thursday afternoon, April 15, in the girls' social room.

The girls' Pan-Hellenic was the guest of the A. O. Pi sorority last Thursday at the regular monthly meeting.

APRIL 22, 1927

Political fireworks will burst Monday morning when nominations for the president of the student government will be heard from the floor.

Fourteen co-eds and four eds are listening in on the lectures being given by Bob O'Brien, superintendent of the Memphis Recreation Dep't.

Professor W. O. Swan has returned to the campus from dedicatory services of the new science building at the University of Richmond.

It was a whitewashed Catalink that arrived on the campus Tuesday morning, the first issue since the publication was officially sanctioned by the college.

Chi Omega officers for next year are: Mary Allen, president; Elizabeth Baker, vice-president; Eleanor Beckham, secretary; Jane Hyde, treasurer.

Walter C. Watkins, who will graduate from Princeton University this June, will be the new faculty member at Southwestern next year.

Southwestern will open its fifty-third session of college work next September 15.

Southwestern ministerial candidates have organized and have chosen William Orr as president.

Members of Chi Omega sorority had open house last Friday night in the log cabin chapter lodge.

A. O. Pi sorority has elected the following as officers for next year: Catherine Underwood, president; Virginia Winkelman, vice-president; Dorothy Vanden, corresponding secretary; Mary Evelyn Wailes, recording secretary; Minnie Lundy, treasurer.

**PRUNES**

**\*\* Stewed By \*\***  
**COLLEGE WITS**

Every man believes in freedom of speech until someone else starts to criticize his work or accomplishments.

Carolyn: Have I any mail?  
Elder: What's your name?  
Carolyn: It's on the envelope.

Has the girl really got personality or did she hear the latest Two Black Crows record before you did?

Freshman opinion of fraternity life during "hell week" is right in line with that of Sherman's discourse on war.

Doctor: Use the dumbbells every day and get some color in your cheeks.  
Rootbeer: Oh, doctor, it's must easier to use color on my cheeks and get dumbbells.

The bride of two weeks came to her mother weeping bitterly.  
"What's wrong now?" asked mamma.  
"John's so stubborn, he says he won't have a big church funeral when he dies."

**SONG OF THE VAGABOND**

When spagbetti grows on Lepidodendron trees,  
When Sahara's sands grow muddy,  
When Cal and Al swap B. V. D.'s,  
THEN—I'll be willing to study.

Let me tell you a joke?  
Shoot.  
Pos Elam.

"The reason they call sailboats 'she' is because they make a better showing in the breeze."

Dean of Women: Young lady, this is the third time that I've caught you.  
Fair Co-ed: Don't be partial to me; the other girls might not like it.

"Why did the old-fashioned girl faint when someone told her a risque joke?"  
"Well, you see, it wasn't considered nice to laugh."

A sophomore is a person who waits for a freshman to come along and push the revolving door.

"Laughter creates appetite," said the Scotchman, starting to cry at the dinner table.

She: And can he kiss! Oh, boy!  
Her: Yes, I know. He plays a bass saxophone in the orchestra.

"When you're one of the family, father will give you a position on his newspaper."

"Thanks, honey, but I don't think I could handle a route right now."

Memphis, Tenn.

Dear Lily,

We got back from Chicago without even a bullet wound. Weren't we lucky?

We got pinched in Chicago three times for violating traffic rules in some form or other. Once we bribed the cop with \$5, and twice we talked a cop out of a ticket. One time the cop said: "I'll leave you hillbillies from Tennessee go this time, but watch your step." We also had two minor accidents: Prof. Haden bumped into a truck as he tried to count the number of stories the Wrigley building had. Charles Rond III, was disappointed in Chicago; he thought Grant's tomb and the Woolworth building were there, but seeing they weren't he was sorta disappointed. Allen Haden said he was chagrined also because he didn't see any machine gun fights. "But," he said, "the Northwestern co-eds aren't as good looking bimbos as I anticipated."

Price Patton and Ramsey Russell averred that Burlesque shows in Chicago are the berries. They recommend the Haymarket and the Star and Garter.

Mary Allen visited around and dated some of her old boy chumps. Mrs. Allen stayed with a son in Downers Grove, a suburb.

Addie Louise Murray and Ann Roach had a big time. "Al's" boy friend from Champaign was up and the girls saw a little night life. They got a big kick out of shooting the Yanks the well known Southern banana oil.

I surprised my folks and had a big time. On the way back we spent the night at Champaign. The girls stayed at the Chi Omega house. Oh boy! there sure are good looking mamas in that house. The Haden brothers visited "Brute" Stewart at the S. A. E. house. Ramsey rushed the Pi K. A.s; Pat, Rond, and myself stayed at the T. K. N. house and played with Laddie, the big St. Bernard dog that lives there.

A big time was had by all. "Evangeline" and "Our Lady" ate a lot of gas, but took us there in fine shape.

Love,  
Tebo.

**I'm The Gink**

I'm the hoodlum gink who thinks that the student meeting every morning in chapel is the time for throwing books and sailing airplanes. It gives me much pleasure to be the first each day to hurl a song book half the length of the auditorium. Gee! ain't it great when the book hits some one on the head! And the silly looks students have when they turn around to see who flung the book—boy, it is screamingly funny! I hit a girl the other morning with a hat I found on a vacant seat next to me. What little did I care that it knocked her glasses off? Why none at all! I wouldn't have to pay for them if they were broken! Don't be silly, I know I'm a nuisance and start other ginks doing the same childish stunt every morning—but why should I worry? I'm in the back of the room and no one can hit me without I know it!

**Sloan Will Be Back For Next Feb. Term**

"It is bad enough having to leave school just six weeks before graduation, but when I can't get my hands on a Sou'wester, that makes it still worse." Thus writes Stanley Sloan to Donald Bode.

Sloan, who left school recently on account of his health, is now at Prescott, Ariz.

"Doctors have my case well in hand," he writes. "I expect to be sound again in six months, and will return to Southwestern next February to finish my work."

**WHO'S WHO IN SENIOR CLASS**

**Iola Shepherd**

Miss Iola Shepherd was born the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shepherd, September 15, 1927. She attended Lauderdale Grammar School and also spent four years at Miss Hutchinson's School. After finishing there she attended West Tennessee State Normal for one year. When Southwestern opened in Memphis she entered as a Sophomore, and has attended here since.

While attending Southwestern she has been a member of Chi Alpha sorority, also a member of Chi Delta Phi, Chi Delta, and the Y. W. C. A. She has been Pan-Hellenic representative from her sorority the three years that she has been at this school, and was secretary and treasurer of the Council in 1926-27. She is at present a member of the Honor Council, and has been a member of the Sophoclean Club for the past two years. The Glee Club and Sociology Club count her as one of their number.

Questioned as to what she would do after she graduated, she replied, like most every girl, that she would teach, maybe!

**Chi Alphas Elect**

Chi Alpha sorority has elected new officers for the coming year. They are: Sarah Moore, president; Lois Johnson, vice-president; Margaret Williams, secretary, and Barbara Embury, treasurer.

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The ancient and glorified struggle between Goliath and the midget will flourish this week when Southwestern and West Tennessee Teachers' College renew their intermittent athletic squabbles in a two-game baseball series on Thursday and Friday. The games will be played on the local diamond, with two tilts to be staged at Normal later on in the season.

The Tiger has had his tail twisted so often there are but few hairs remaining in his tail, and his coat has become shaggy from repeated drubbings. But the Tiger always comes back, and the Lynx will have its hands full getting the verdict again this season. Coach Zach Curlin thinks he has developed some real baseball players. On the other hand, Pos Elam's charges have been exploding with bevs of base hits lately, and have swept thru all opposition like a Kansas

cyclone, losing but one game in six starts. "Lefty" Garrott, captain of the Lynx, will pitch the opening game.

Oscar Hurt will ascend the mound Friday and will also shoot an assortment of curves and hops at the Tiger. Hurt has been pitching great ball with the exception of his initial effort. He beat Normal last season, allowing but two hits, and fans believe he can take the part of a "Tiger-tamer" again.

Elam will use his tried and trusty line-up, with "Handsome" Hughes at first, Charles Terry prancing about on second, and "Honus Wagner" Bowen guarding shortstop. None other than "Chained Lightning Ty Cobb" Garrott will have possession of the hot corner. The outer gardens will be Ora "Amigo" Johnson, the diminutive Babe Ruth; Arthur Dulin, whose big bat has started to bust the ball lately, and Harmon Ayers, who can roam the outfield and slap the horsehide with the best of them. Clarence Emmett "Buster" Smythe will work behind the bat in both games.

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## REAL SNAKY BUSINESS BROUGHT ABOUT THE WORLD'S FIRST DOMESTIC SQUABBLE

BY VERN BAUMGARTEN

Eve had the blues—the original Garden of Eden blues. Personally, she thought Adam was getting to be a pain in the neck. This vamp Lilith was taking Adam for his bank roll, while she had to hang around home doing nothing but play solitaire, as Adam was the only boy friend in the country right then, he was starting the original butter and egg man. He had given her a phone ring, saying he had to stay at a conference of the Animal Association, but she would bet her last fig leaf that he was airing Lilith around.

Well, she could go out and gas awhile with the serpent. He was always hanging around, a regular drug store cowboy. So she went out and, sure enough, the serpent was hanging from an apple tree, puffing a cigaret with all the sinuous grace of a latter day sheik.

"You look like a million dollars today, Eve, old top," he said. The serpent had a great line, as it was original then and not worn out by perpetual use. "Have a cigaret on me."

"WHERE IS ADAM?"

"You haven't seen Adam drifting around?" asked Eve.

"Naw, I ain't," replied the serpent. "He's a dumb egg if you ask me. A good looking dame like you around here and he spends all of his time around the club shooting craps with the monkeys. I'd stick closer to home than a postage stamp if I got the breaks like him," which was all apple sauce, pure and simple.

"It's the truth," sighed Eve. "All I do is stay around the house and cook the grub."

"Talking of grub," said the serpent, "have you ever tried eating any apples?" and he tore one off of the tree.

"They're poisonous," Eve said.

The serpent laughed a nasty laugh. "You're all wet, old girl. You wait here and I'll give you a taste of some stuff I made out of apples that will make you feel like a new person."

TAKES HEALTHY SWIG

Well, Eve was feeling blue, and she agreed while the serpent slid off. He had been doing some experimenting lately and had started a still. He had made some apple brandy that was the real thing and had more kick than a Missouri mule and Jack Dempsey combined. The first time he had tasted it he had fallen off the top limb of a tree and when he came to, he had been tied in 15 different knots. He had one heck of a time getting himself untangled. He came back carrying a five-gallon jug, and poured out a stiff swig and handed it to Eve. She drank it and guzzled about 10 swigs and then passed out. When she came to she had a snorting headache and felt like a plugged nickel.

THE ORIGINAL BATTLE

Just about then Adam strolled in. Eve hopped up and grabbed the rolling pin. "Where you been, you big bum!" she hollered.

## SPEAKING OF ATHLETICS

By Bud Foote

Claude Bowen, a darkhorse candidate for shortstop at the beginning of baseball, has blossomed out and is the most graceful fielder on the squad. His ability to scoop up ground balls, and ability to get rid of the ball and throwing out runner at first, stamps him as the "find" of the season. He is also hitting well, registering a triple against Milliken.

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T. M. Garrott has found himself. He subbed three years at tackle in football and, in the Mill-saps game, found out that he was really a backfield man. He subbed around in baseball playing the outfield, first base, and also catch. This year he has apparently "found himself" at third base. He waited until his senior year. Better late than never, as some people never find themselves.

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A Dulin has at last found his batting eye. After going hitless exactly 18 times, Art snapped out of it and knocked out three hits against Jonesboro A. & M., one being a double. Now that he is out of his slump, he may rouse himself to do some timely clouting for the Lynx before the present season fades into history.

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Brick Viers is blossoming out as a home-run hitter. In the last three games he has smacked out a round-trip blow on each occasion. In the Central High game he liked the offerings of Merrill McDougall so well he proceeded to bust one into the next neighborhood. Twice against the Ole Miss Cubs he duplicated his Ruthian act.

When a girl looks sweet enough to eat, don't give her the opportunity.

Adam looked surprised. "I've been to a conference, old girl." Then the fireworks started.

"Who's old?" shrieked Eve, and she beamed him then and there. When the rolling pin broke under the strain, she hung a frying pan over his head and draped the remains of a kitchen chair over his left ear. "I'll teach you to come home this early in the morning with a bunch of lies." Then she cut loose with the flat iron, which ironed out several wrinkles in Adam's dome and flattened his bump of revelry.

The rest of the battle is too racy to talk about, but thus started the first real quarrel in the Garden of Eden that changed it from a peaceful health resort into an original Madison Square Garden—all on account of the serpent feeding Eve on a gallon of apple brandy. So the fault was the serpent's and not the apple.

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Students Elect Co-Eds To Fill Offices Next Year

These co-eds will be outstanding in student affairs on the campus next year.

Miss Catherine Underwood, lower left, is the new secretary-treasurer of the student body. She succeeds Miss Virginia Hogg.

Miss Ann Gilliland, upper left, is the new chapter head of Kappa Delta sorority, succeeding Elizabeth Carnes.

Miss Dorothy Vanden, upper center, is the new leader of the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority. She succeeds Miss Underwood.

Miss Catherine Richey, upper right, is the president of the Girls' Pan-Hellenic Council Miss Virginia Winkelman, retiring president, will graduate this June.

Miss Rosa May Clark, lower right, was recently installed as president of Chi Omega sorority.

As yet the Chi Alpha sorority has not chosen new officers to serve next year.

Miss Dorothy Green (picture on page one) is the new president of the Y. W. C. A., succeeding Miss Sara Johnson. She was installed last Wednesday.

Elections to the Honor Council and class officers have not been made as the Sou'wester goes to press.



NEW Y. W. C. A. OFFICERS USHERED INTO OFFICE BY RETIRING LEADERS

Dorothy Green, New President, Charged With the Duties of Office by Sarah Johnson

The charging and installation of the new by the retiring Southwestern Y. W. C. A. officers was held in Hardie Chapel last Wednesday afternoon in a very impressive ceremony.

Miss Sara Johnson, retiring leader, turned over the office of president to Miss Dorothy Green, who, with her new officers and cabinet, will lead the co-eds of the institution thru the next year. Miss Green accepted the charge.

Representatives from several organizations, all interested in the Y. W. C. A. and Southwestern, were present to witness and to take part in the ceremony. The visitors included members of the City Y. W. C. A., the advisory board, and the Southwestern Women's Club.

President Diehl, speaking for the school, took as his theme, "Y. W. C. A.'s Contribution to Southwestern"; Mrs. Berwind Kaufmann, chairman of the advisory board, spoke for the board, and Miss Johnson spoke for the "Y. W." members.

Following the service the Y. W. C. A. was hostess to a banquet in Neely Memorial Dining Hall. The hall was beautifully decorated in a color motif of orchid and silver, which was carried out in the place cards, favors and decorations.

T. D. G. Give Dance

Tau Delta Gamma fraternity will be host at a dance next Tuesday night at the Memphis Country Club. Music will be furnished by Abe Fortas and his orchestra.

The man got up on the scales to weigh and found he had fallen off. He got up again.

Bill seems to get a great deal of pleasure out of his math. class. "Yeah; out of it."

INQUISITIVE

The inquiring reporter will ask five students or faculty members each week, picked at random, their opinions of important questions of campus talk.

Question—Should a professor, after his lecture is over and students have become bored, dismiss the class before the hour is up.

"Mun" McGivaren—Of course. If a prof. has completed his lecture the students don't object to being dismissed early.

"City" Thomason—Absolutely. Down at Pea Ridge where I come from, there ain't nothing to bore students except cows.

Ed Church—It all depends. Discussion after a lecture is often helpful. On the other hand some young profs have the idea that they must take up the whole hour and throw bull, which is uninteresting and destroys the effect of the lecture. In this case classes should be dismissed early.

"Edna" Garrott—Usually a prof prepares a lecture to last the whole hour. If he finishes early he should let the students go. He has finished his talk, and there is no use in stretching the lecture out until the bell rings.

James Jackson—Why not? Students will appreciate a little rest and the lecture will do them more good if they are not bored to death.

LITTLE SAVED WHEN FIRE RAZES NORVELL HOME AT OLIVE BRANCH

Bucket Brigade Unable To Stem Flames—Negroes Save Shakers and Frigidaire

Fire originating from a chimney spark completely razed the Norvell home at Olive Branch, Miss. early last Friday morning. All the effects were burned save two silver salt and pepper shakers and a frigidaire machine.

The Norvell family was in Memphis at the time. The family cat, who was trapped in the basement, was burned to death.

The fire was discovered by a passing milkman before daylight. He turned in the alarm, but the bucket brigade fire department was unable to throw water onto the roof. The home was leveled to the basement.

Two negroes rushed into the blazing home to save valuables. One of them passed up a large chest of silver to take two small shakers from a sideboard. He stuck them in his pocket. Both men then went into the kitchen, where they toted out the frigidaire and set it on the ground a safe distance from the house. It took five men to pick the icebox up after the fire department had retired from the ruins.

Being told of the fire the family returned to Olive Branch only to see a mass of charred ruins. Loss was estimated at \$27,000.

PERSONALS

Campus Touches of Collegians and Their Friends

Pauline Barton is confined to her home with the mumps.

Kappa Delta sorority takes great pleasure in announcing the initiation of Millie Walls on last Tuesday night.

Elizabeth Alston visited in Wynn, Ark. last week-end.

Gladys Gibson returned recently from a three-month European tour. She will enter here again next fall.

Harriet Shepherd, Elizabeth Williamson and Ellen Goodman spent Saturday night with the dormitory girls.

Mary Frances Young, former student here, was a visitor to the campus recently.

A Freshette who lived in a mist of romance was observed being kissed. When asked, "Will you marry Your amorous Harry?" Said the maiden, Oh no! I got Frist."

She: "How do you like my hat?" He (absently): "Fine! But do you realize that you have a run in one of them?"

Wonderful Strategy Brings T. M. Renown

T. M. Garrott, the reformed sub, has at last done something that will make his name stand out forever in baseball. In a recent game it took three hits to score T. M. from second base. This is believed to be an all-time record. It equals the record of "Dago" Trelawney, who got off-side in football while backing up the line.

Another bonehead play that is familiar with sport followers is the famous Merkle dud play in the world series. Other famous goats are Peckinpaugh of Washington; Koenig of the Yankees,



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