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Agnew, Williamson To Top Masthead

Many old hands and a few new faces fill top positions on the Sou'wester staff this year.

Jocelyn Agnew of Atlanta, Georgia, is the new Editor, having served as Managing Editor last year, and as News Editor and Office Manager her freshman year. A member of Kappa Delta Sorority, Jocelyn belongs also to the staff of Stylus literary magazine. She has served as a Student Counselor.

Managing editor for this year is a newcomer to the staff—Harvey Jenkins. Harvey has served as Historian and Secretary of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. A junior from Columbus, Ohio, he is a member of Stylus.

Parker Williamson brings experience in business to the important post of Business Manager. A newcomer to the staff, Parker is a sophomore from Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and is an active member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

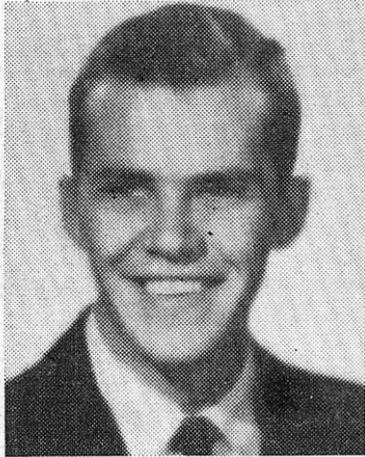
Suelyn Scott, Memphis junior, continues in her position as News Editor. Suelyn wrote a column for the "Commercial Appeal" about Southwestern last year. A Dean's List student, she is a member of Tri Delta Sorority and a student counselor.

Also continuing his last year's job is Birt Waite, sports Editor. He served on the staff as a sports reporter his freshman year. Birt is an active member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity and is a Dean's List student.

John Somervill continues to fill the post of Feature Editor. John, a Memphis junior and member of Alpha Tau Omega, has served on the staff as a feature writer and is a member of Stylus. His "Mothah John" columns will not be soon forgotten.

A new columnist is added to the staff as Susie Bracewell becomes Society Editor. Susie, a member of Kappa Delta Sorority, and the Stylus staff, is from Atlanta, Georgia. She is a Student Counselor this year, and has served the Sou'wester as a News Reporter.

Other positions on the staff are filled by Gwen Bell, Circulation Manager; Marilyn Stewart, Office Manager; Rachael Clothier and Juanita Shettlesworth, Copy Editors; Harvey Bailey, photographer; Delma Klotz, composition; and "Creature in the Dark," a new and exciting columnist.



Allen Reynolds Speaks To Students Of SW

To the Students of Southwestern:

On behalf of the Southwestern student council, let me add one more welcome to the many which will be extended during this orientation period.

Enthusiasm is always high at this time in the school year, and I take it for granted that hopes for a good year are also at their usual high. We the members of the student council share this feeling, but more than that, we feel a responsibility for helping make it that way.

Student government is, of course, not government in the real sense of the word. It is many other things. It is an organization responsible for the planning and execution of student affairs — athletic, social, religious, etc., and it is a reflector of student opinion both within the college proper, and into the community in which the college is located. It should be an instrument for realizing areas of student responsibility and a stimulus for student ideas and opinions.

It is not an instrument for waging war against the administration and the faculty, nor is it designed merely to do busy work which the administration wants to keep off its hands, such as dances, etc.

The organization of a student council within a college or university is an admission by the administration that constructive, thoughtful, student opinion is valuable and desirable, and an admission that students are adult enough to have mature reasons for wanting a college education and, consequently, are capable of significant contributions to the educational aims and ideals of the college. With these things as the justification for a

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Happy Hazing Awaits Frosh

by Jack Streete

I know you can hardly wait until next week when hazing begins. Well, we upperclassmen share your feeling. We want to make you feel at home, and for a week and a half, beginning next Wednesday, we will go out of our way to do so.

I know you must have many questions concerning hazing that have not already been answered, and if there is anything we are interested in it is seeing that your questions are answered, and all of you freshmen are taken care of—properly welcomed, that is.

What could be a better start for hazing than for each freshman to wear a name tag, at least 8"x12", so that we can learn his or her name and home town.

Then, so you won't feel neglected after supper, we thought you might like to show us how talented you

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Convocation In Gardens To Open Fall Session

"FOUR FREEDOMS" SUBJECT OF TALK BY PROFESSOR JOHN HENRY DAVIS

The opening convocation Wednesday will mark the 111th session of Southwestern. This event will be the first formal academic occasion of the year, and will be the first meeting of the year of the entire student body. Hubert F. Fisher Memorial Garden will be the scene of the convocation.

New Profs Added To SW Faculty

Several new professors have been added to the Southwestern faculty.

Lewis N. Amis will be associate professor of economics and business administration. A graduate of George Peabody College for Teachers, he previously was associate professor of economics at Arkansas State College.

Miss Rose Elizabeth Link, formerly an instructor at Randolph-Macon Women's College, will be assistant professor of Spanish. A 1953 graduate of Southwestern, she returns after earning a master's degree in Spanish from Tulane University.

Dr. Helmuth Gilow comes to Southwestern from Iowa State where he has been a teaching assistant for the past three years. While there he was awarded a Master of Science and a Ph.D. in organic chemistry. Having received his B.A. from Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, he will be an assistant professor of chemistry.

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In case of inclement weather, the meeting will be held in the gymnasium. For the past three years rain has forced students inside for the occasion. Rain or shine, the convocation will begin at 8:15 a.m.

Speaker for the event will be Dr. John Henry Davis who will speak on "The Four Freedoms." Reading the scripture will be Professor Fred W. Neal and Professor W. Taylor Revely will give the benediction.

Opening convocation also marks the beginning of hazing. Freshmen girls will be wearing their baby bonnets and the boys will wear their Southwestern beanies. All will wear signs denoting their names and hometowns.

Classes will begin immediately following the convocation. About 625 students will be on hand—the largest number since right after World War II.

College Receives Grant For Baker Scholarships

Southwestern has received \$50,000 from the George F. Baker Trust of New York to be used in scholarships for students entering the college in 1960, 61, and 62.

Ours is the 20th college in the nation selected for the scholarships and was chosen, according to Sheridan A. Logan, executive secretary of the fund, for its faculty, its depth of scholarship, research, and human understanding.

The trust, named for the late businessman-financier, George F. Baker, created its scholarship program for the purpose of augmenting the future leadership of the country.

Mr. Logan said, "The ability of the trust to make such gifts as this one depends directly on profitable business activity and we hope that at least half of the scholarships will go to men of first quality who

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President Rhodes Addresses Welcome to New Students

The Editor has asked me to write you a brief letter, leaving the choice of content up to me. This I am glad to do, accompanied by a hearty welcome to the campus.

First, let me say that your own feeling of excitement and new adventure is shared by those who have been here a long time. Each new year means a new start for everyone.

My first impulse is to tell you at some length about the meaning of a liberal education—something we can help you start but which you will be continuing the rest of your life. I shall obey that impulse at another time.

A phrase I once read somewhere which has been helpful in keeping trains of thought on the right tracks is THE MAIN IDEA. By this is meant the meat of the coconut, the nub of the matter, the essence of what it is all about, stripped of trimmings.

Now, no matter what you may

think, THE MAIN IDEA of your being at Southwestern is that here you have the opportunity of acquiring an intellectual interest and competence. There are other interesting by-products of college, but they are incidental.

What I mean is that for four years presumably you are to be in the uniquely favorable position of gaining insights and meanings and appreciations and values with top-level assistance and in an orderly way. This is THE MAIN IDEA of

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Anne Caldwell Named Acting Dean of Women

Miss Anne Caldwell has been appointed acting dean of women at Southwestern. She succeeds Miss Jane Leighton Richards.

Previously assistant dean of women, Miss Caldwell received her appointment by Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes.

Miss Caldwell is a 1951 graduate of Southwestern. While a student here, she was Miss Southwestern, April Fool Queen, yearbook beauty, Maid of Cotton representative, a member of the Hall of Fame, and a member of Delta Delta Delta.

Before becoming assistant dean of women at Southwestern, she worked for Trans-World Airlines and for Thomas Cook & Son as travel agent here.

She has been active in the American Association of University women and Evergreen Presbyterian Church.



Dean Jane Leighton Richards Takes Vows During Summer

Miss Jane Leighton Richards left her position as Southwestern Dean of Women to become the wife of the Rev. Robert Todd Lapsley Liston on August 7.

Before becoming dean of women four years ago, she was educated at Converse College, Duke University, and Columbia University, and holds both bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees. She was a professor at Flora Macdonald College and Peace College and a professor and dean of women at both Centre College and Converse College.

An active member of Second Presbyterian Church and in the Zonta Club, she has been a member of the local branch of the American Association of University Women, Delta Kappa Gamma, education society, the study committee of the Family Service and many faculty committees on campus.

Dr. Liston presently serves as

president of King College at Bristol, Va. He was educated at The McCullie School, Davidson College, Union Theological Seminary, Marlborough University, and the University of Edinburgh. He holds a doctor of laws degree and a doctor of philosophy degree in addition to his bachelor's and Master's degrees. He was a member of the Bible department here from 1937 to 1940. He also has served as instructor at Union Theological Seminary, pastor at Richlands, Va., and president of Davis and Elkins College in West Virginia.

Dr. and Mrs. Liston are living in Bristol.

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About Campus

by Susie Bracewell

And lo,—the blissful gates to happiness have been flung wide again and we have returned! So as the ole time worn expression seems to go, "Welcome Freshmen!" You will find the pleasures, joys and thrills of life at S.W. all waiting to be discovered—the dignified fun of hazing when you grow to love, honor and respect your fellow students,—the elevating thoughts which come to mind as one whiles away the hours in the picture, T.B. and library card registration line—the intellectual stimulation one receives from reading the Sou'wester—the delightful Memphis climate in February and fun filled exam week when there are no classes and one is free to frolic as he chooses.

But as for our dear departed summer, it was eventful, especially as far as the sorority and fraternity activities are concerned within the last week, all six campus sororities have trekked to various and sundry delightful places for house parties. The A O Pis went to the home of their district director in Wall Doxy, Mississippi; Chi O house party was at Moon Lake, Mississippi; and the Tri-Deltas were off to Lake Wilson, Alabama. The K Ds were tres busy planning fall rush activities at Natchez Trace, Tennessee and Zetas spent a week at Reelfoot Lake near Savannah, Tennessee.

Many members of our beloved student body received free summer vacations under the disguise of Greek convention delegates. The A O Pis sent Jane Thomas and Ann Rust as delegates to their national convention in Vistoria, British Columbia. Mary Ann Kimbrough, Beverly Yates, Suellen Scott and Ann Vines attended the Tri-Delta Leadership school in Madison, Wiscon. Representing Southwestern's Alpha Delta Chapter, Carolyn Shettlesworth attended the National Kappa Delta Convention in Salt Lake City.

A T O fraternity sent Ronnie Holland and John Alford to the chapter officers convention at Penn State. Jimmy Finley and Keith Arman were selected to attend the Grand Conclave to Kappa Sigma at Denver. S A E sent Jerry Duncan as their delegate to the National Convention in Chicago, while Frank Weathersby, as best pledge, was the representative to the leadership convention at National headquarter

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the investment of time and money you and your parents are making. I leave to you further elaboration.

Now, just two bits of advice—if you are really interested—Don't waste time and don't put off doing your work on time. These besetting sins of students are just plain silly.

Again, don't make up your mind too rapidly about the other fellow. Thomas a Kempis once said, "How seldom we weigh our neighbor in the same balance with ourselves." It may well be that the person you think is a sad sack (if this be the current term) is one whose fine qualities you are too dumb to discover. There are so many things we know for sure that just aren't so!

May your stay at Southwestern be characterized by heightened intellectual insights and deepened spiritual values.

Sincerely,
Peyton N. Rhodes

New Profs

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Prof. Ernest Huff Greene is a candidate for a Ph.D. degree from the University of Virginia where he has been a teaching assistant. He received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in chemistry from the University of Mississippi and has served in the U.S. Navy. He will be assistant professor of mathematics.

Scholarships

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would like to make their life work constructive business activity."

There are about 200 Baker scholars now in residence in the 19 other colleges to which grants have been made.

Southwestern will seek out top quality applicants, who will be carefully screened by the Committee on Admissions and Student Aid, headed by Dr. W. Taylor Reveley, Dr. Rhodes said. Final selection will be made by a committee of local businessmen.

Amount of each award will be based on the individual need of the student. Maximum scholarships will provide for all college expenses for the four year period.

Dr. Rhodes said that although preference will be given to students contemplating careers in business, all exceptionally qualified high school seniors are encouraged to apply.

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Your Student Council

by Marcy Ruyll

In order that the student body may be informed of the projects and activities of the Student Council, The Sou'wester prints weekly "Your Student Council", a detailed report of student council meetings. This enables all of Southwestern to know exactly what is going on in student government so that they may applaud, criticize, or contribute to council efforts. This week's column serves as an introduction.

Southwestern's Student Government began as an organization called the Booster's Club, which was made up of the entire student body. The club was presided over by a President, V. P., and Sec.-Treasurer, but every member had one vote in all student matters.

In 1927 the Booster's Club changed its name to the Student Assembly and formed a Student Council which handled all important questions and served as the executive branch of the Student Assembly. The first council's constitution provided seats on the council for the President of every student organization. However, this proved too large and in 1947-48, the council was re-organized and seats were given to a smaller and more equally representative group. They also changed the name to "The Student Body of Southwestern."

The Student Council is the legislative body of the student government and operates under a constitution approved by the faculty and administration.

Officers

President: Allen Reynolds. The president presides over all meetings of the Student Body and acts as President of the Student Council. He is the official representative of the Student Body in matters affecting the interests of the students. He is an ex-officio member of all committees of the Student Body and is an official member of many faculty-student committees.

Vice President: Jack Streete. The Vice president serves as President in his absence. He also is the automatic President of the Sanhedrin and of the Elections Commission, which conducts all Student Body elections.

Secretary - Treasurer: Beverly Finch. The Sec.-Treasurer keeps a permanent record of the proceedings of the Student Body and of the Student Council, and is responsible for all correspondence of the Student Council. She is responsible for all the financial business of the Council and in absence of both Pres. and V.P., presides over meetings of the Student Body and Student Council.

Commissioner of Publications: Carolyn Shettlesworth. She is the automatic President of the Publications Board, which is made up of representatives from each of the college publications, and chairman of the Student Publicity Committee, which is responsible for campus publicity of Student Council activities.

Commissioner of Religious Activities: John Butt. He is the automatic president of the P.R.C., ex-officio member of the Chapel and Religious Life Committee, and is generally responsible for all campus religious activities.

Commissioner of Athletics: John Hixon. He acts as chairman of the Student Athletic Committee and is generally responsible for all campus athletics.

Commissioner of Social Activities: Dan Whipple. He is chairman of the Social Committee, which arranges the social calendar. He is generally responsible for all social activities of the college.

Commissioner of Education: Jack Thompson. This is a new office this year and his first duty is to head the Freshman Orientation Seminar groups and to be responsible for all other educational activities involving the Student Council.

Commissioner of Undergraduate Women: Marcy Ruyll. She is automatically president of the W.U.B.

Across the Desk

Category: Strangers on Campus

By now, freshmen and new students have spent almost a week of being previewed about Southwestern's own particular brand of college life. All are feeling less and less like strangers on campus, but the strangeness still exists.

All have been welcomed so many times that the words have practically lost their meaning, and all are hoping that the welcoming and the strangeness will soon be over.

Not that freshmen resent the attention that is paid them by the entire school for the first month or so of their college careers. Many wish, however, that they were already a part of the school, and already acquainted with its customs, traditions, campus jokes and sayings, particular dancing style, and most important, its people.

The feeling of strangeness at first is unavoidable. New students are entering an entirely new way of life. Orientation for what seems like weeks, and then hazing for weeks after that may seem tiresome to some who are longing to feel like oldtimers, but both orientation and hazing serve to shorten the time of strangeness rather than to lengthen it. They have been designed over the years to serve this purpose and they do—bringing newcomers straight into the heart of campus life and activity rather than letting them find their way there slowly and on their own.

So, freshmen and transfers—do not grow weary of too much orientation and too many welcomes. The newness and the feeling that you are in a class apart from the rest of the school will be over sooner than you realized when you arrived on the campus for the first time. Instead, enjoy the fact that this is the time when the entire college is concentrating on YOU—on trying to make you feel at home as an important part of Southwestern. Take advantage of every part of orientation, approach hazing with good humor (for its purpose is orienting you not to the school but to the students), and listen well to all who welcome you, for they are sincere. Southwestern is not only glad to have you, but we are doing all in our power to make you feel as if you have always been here. You will know that you belong to the school and that its traditions belong not only to the upperclassmen and faculty, but to you.

New Girls Welcomed By Counselor Party

Counselors and counselors were the staple ingredients in Southwestern's "Mixing Bowl" party Monday night, Sept. 14, in the Fellowship Hall at Evergreen Church. Sprinkled in for flavor were entertainment, get-acquainted games, and refreshments.

Freshman girls and their counselors arrived at 7:30 and were given sheets of paper on which they found instructions to find someone who had come over 500 miles, someone whose birthday was the same month as their own, and still another whose last initial was the same as theirs.

Well mixed after searching out a dozen such items, the girls settled down to be officially welcomed by Charlotte Hogsett and Lela Garner, co-chairmen of counselors. Marty Barrett then presented Mary Ann Stewart whose monologue, "The One-Legged Goose," was a crowd-pleaser. Freshman eyes opened wider while Allen Reynolds serenaded with "Maria," and the SAE Sophomore Quartet dedicated their "Thank Heaven for Freshman Girls" to a delighted audience.

which is responsible for hazing and all other activities concerning the women students.

PRC Sponsors Hearth Supper

Opening its 1959-60 year of activity, the Protestant Religious Council of Southwestern will hold a picnic supper for the Student Body on Sunday evening at five o'clock at the Campus Hearth, located behind the library. Special guests at the picnic will be members of the Freshman class. Following the supper will be a period of fellowship and singing.

Jimmy Curtis will be in charge of the short devotional service in Fisher Memorial Garden which will close the evening.

The annual picnic at the campus hearth is the PRC's welcome to new students each year. This council is a student organization which governs all campus religious activities and acts as co-ordinator between the denominational groups. The PRC meets once each month in the dining hall. The time and place of these monthly meetings will be announced in student assembly and in the Sou'wester. The student body is welcome to attend any meetings of the PRC.

This year, the PRC will center all its activities along the theme: "My Life and World Need."

SCHEDULE FOR WEDNESDAY CLASSES

Monday - Wednesday - Friday
Classes: 1st hour classes at 9:00; 2nd hour classes at 10:00; 3rd hour classes at 11:00; 4th hour classes at 12:00; 5th hour (1:00 p.m. classes) at 1:30; 6th hour (2:00 p.m. classes) at 2:00.

Tuesday - Thursday - Saturday
Classes: 1st hour classes at 9:30; 2nd hour classes at 10:30; 3rd hour classes at 11:30; 4th hour classes at 12:30; 5th hour classes at 1:30; 6th hour classes at 2:30.

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Creature In The Dark

Hey kid . . . you with the stupid glaze in your eye. "Obviously you cannot be referring to me, sir . . . I am a mature, enlightened ivy-league freshman!"



Good, thou shalt stop an' listen. This column is entitled "Creature In The Dark." It is primarily dialogue; I, the creature, will discuss great trivial matters with different personalities, whose comments will be honored by the grammatical decoration of quotation marks to distinguish their conversation from my own. I by no means intend to satirize a good thing. (Like cigarettes, alcohol, Eleanor Roosevelt, etc.) Nor do I intend to make fun of God. (I don't know Him personally and He might be

offended.) Occasionally, however, I may satirize Something the Essence of Which I agree with, or possibly, the Essence of Which agrees with me. First off . . . this being a religious college, there are certain things concerning that topic which I must familiarize you with. "Proceed . . . you will not shake my faith."

A basic word that is flung about campus is 'Existentialism.'

"Extra-Sensualism?"

No thank you, the urge is bad enough as it is. Existentialism concerns the inner Self, or what is critical to you. For example, God made the world out of Nothing. Then, you see, your whole existence, way of life, and future goals, de-

Freshman Mixer Opens Season Social Events

The annual Freshman Mixer was held in the gym last Tuesday night for all new students at Southwestern. The party began with the "Get Acquainted" game, and every boy found a slipper to place on his Cinderella's foot.

Soon the freshmen were busy trying to make new friends and remember everybody's name. The balloon dance, where couples tied balloons around their ankles, kept the party moving. After several dances, with music supplied by the juke box, Dan Whipple began to announce the talent for the evening's show. Chris Mays was first on the show with a piano solo, playing classical and semi-classical music. Jerry Duncan followed with his idea of good dinner music on the piano. Then Alan Hughes, also with a piano solo, gave his Ragtime Concert for the group.

Clara Stephens then danced out the theme "School Days," and a quartet composed of Don Wright, Gene Botsford, L. R. Mills, and Brady Puryear followed. Brady also sang a solo.

After the introduction of the Student Council members for this school year, the newly elected cheerleaders, David Johnson, Tommy White, George Awsumb, Jenny Yates, Clara Stephens, Lynn Melvin, Martha Myatt, and Joy Ann Howard, led the group in two school cheers.

pend on what?

"Nothing?"

No, Stupid . . . drop that an' let's talk about, or begin with, the Old Testament. First you must understand that it is written from a 'Prophetic Standpoint.'

"It was NOT written from a pathetic standpoint!"

You want to play bridge?

If you want to ditch about this column, write: Creature In The Dark . . . Sou'wester Office. Or for those romantically inclined, write: Creature In The Dark Sou'wester Office.

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are by giving skits each evening starting Monday, September 28. In the past there have been complaints that the town students probably feel left out during this time, so not wanting this to be the case this year, we will arrange for you town students to perform for us, too. We're so eager to get to know each of you, and we know that you feel the same about us.

As for the rules and regulations, we've provided you with those, too, as you already know; in fact, it would be a pretty good idea if you had them memorized at least by Wednesday. You've probably heard about those two small groups that call themselves the Sanhedrin and the Women's Undergraduate Board—in case you've heard bad things about them, don't believe a word of it. They're really a nice bunch of people when you get to know them, and I'm sure some of the luckier of you will get to do so. They love to help straighten out ones of you who seem just not able to get started on the right foot. You know, give you a helping hand and that sort of thing.

We thought that by Friday you would be ready to show us how well you know the College Handbook. This being such an important part of hazing, we know that all of you will make a good grade of at least eighty. Friday night the Sophomore class will have a party for you (see how hard we are trying to make you feel welcome), and I know that you will have a wonderful time. Saturday the whole freshman

Timely Tips For Novices On Campus

by Sallie Meek, Senior

Welcome Frosh! You finally made it on the first leg of an extended (some find it more extended than others) visit on our secluded campus. Since seniority is some excuse for raving, let ole Sallie give forth with a few timely tips for campus-goers.

1. Spy about. There are a few spots which are omitted in The Tour of Campus. So—take an afternoon out and peruse the less publicized points of interest. To begin with, there is too a concrete tennis court for the uninitiated, and it's way out behind the rubico ones for the initiated. While in the area, note the choir shack, itself a quaint landmark.

While snooping, don't forget the Lair. It's easy enough to find—just follow other people. (Contrary to rumor, there really is a moldy cave thereabouts in which this rag is produced.)

Then it's always smart to send a reconnaissance party out looking for the bookstore. Knowing its precise location prior to the fateful hour of buying makes it easier to avoid being anywhere near the vicinity.

2. Shun the sequestered life. Mix and mingle with the upperclassmen early. Then they will single you out for their private hazing project.

3. Take care in the Lair. It is full of smoke, bridge-fanatics, and senile seniors. Such are the ways of the world, and here is the place to forget the nobler path.

4. Feel at home. Ignore the fact that everyone is staring at you. Disregard the strangeness of a new place and unfamiliar college creatures. Remember this is your home until you return to The Outside.

5. Read your "Sou'wester." It is a veritable storehouse of information carefully selected and edited for your enjoyment and edification.

class will take a group of children from St. Mary's Orphanage to the zoo. There will be no hazing from the upperclassmen Saturday. Hope you won't miss it too much.

Monday, the senior class will have a tug of war in which we will see how much brawn the freshman boys can amass. Either you or we will get all muddy, and I doubt if it will be us upperclassmen.

So that you won't feel that things are beginning to slack off, Friday night we will have a bonfire and pep rally, the wood for the bonfire having been collected and stacked by the freshmen Friday afternoon. Again you'll be given an opportunity to show your talent after the bonfire, as we will all go to Hardie Auditorium for Freshman Talent Night.

You will all be expected to attend the football game Saturday afternoon at Ferguson Field and see the Lynx beat Hendrix. Your names will be checked off at the gate, and it would be a shame if just a few failed to show up, and hazing had to be extended several days. Anyhow, if you didn't come to the game you couldn't be in the halftime entertainment which the juniors have planned for you.

After the game, if you have had the right attitude towards hazing and are all at the game, hazing will be over, and we hope by then you will feel that you are truly a part of Southwestern, which is how we will have been trying to make you feel for a week and a half.

Marcy Ruyl And Jack Streete Make Plans For Happy Hazing

by Betty Gardenbum

The time has come, the walrus said." I, being a dignified and thoroughly orientated upperclassman, have descended in behalf of the walrus to speak to you of mysterious and frightening things. Freshmen, prepare to lose your liberty. I realize this will be an untrodden way for you who have hitherto been free to do what you darn well pleased all your gentle years. But now is the time for you to grow up and realize that, alas, the highest aim is to do that which those older than you wish you to do.

I am, of course, referring to our enlightening and uplifting program of hazing here at College. We who have already fought the good fight and come out relatively victorious feel that all should have the chance we had. After all, some day your courage must be tested. Why not now, while there's still time to readjust in case you turn out to be a coward. We have planned many interesting problems for you, and hope you will bear up with a reasonable amount of fortitude. Now, don't get me wrong. Many come through. Many. However, it might be well for each of you to think seriously about this venture. These may truly be the times that try men's souls.

Because we are not really inhuman, we have chosen two competent people to help guide you through this venture. They are well-fitted for their jobs, having shown an amazing amount of hardness and authority in earlier tasks. They have assured us that they will not be lax in any problem of discipline, a fact that must be borne in mind when dealing with younger children, and that they will let nothing slip by their eye. I know you will ap-

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council's existence, it is clear that we have no voice, no power, no function without an actively interested student body behind the council. We will be counting on just such an interest throughout the next year.

Hazing begins soon for a shortened, more concentrated period than we have previously had. In my own opinion, this is a valuable part of a freshman's introduction into college life. It can be a lot of fun and really meaningful when both upperclassmen and freshmen enter into it with the right spirit. It can act as a sort of catalyst to give the freshmen a sense of class unity, and a sense of belonging to the whole student community.

This year we have added the Freshmen Orientation Seminars to our program after some very intensive planning. They are designed to round out the scope of the orientation program, helping the freshmen to evaluate their role in the process of higher education, giving them some insight into the tremendous value of class discussion groups and "bull sessions," and finally, giving them some experienced tips on how to study. These groups will be led by some thirty trained upperclassmen and women, most of whom are not council members.

Other projects such as the weekly study and discussion groups, high school visitation (evangelism for college) teams, a student council evaluation committee, committees for U.S.N.S.A. student center, etc.—all promise a wide scope of worthwhile and challenging activity with a lot of student participation necessary.

The members of the council are always eager for suggestions and constructive criticisms. They are dependent upon your continuing interest. We will work hard to keep you informed—weekly meetings of the council are always open to the student body. Here's hoping we will all have an excellent year.

Sincerely,
Allen Reynolds, president
Southwestern Student
Council

preciate our looking into this matter so thoroughly for you, and that you will welcome them and treat them with their due amount of respect.

The first of this race of Student Helpers is Marcy Ruyl, whose official position is that of Head of the Women's Undergraduate Board (a worthy organization). The second is Jack Streete, Head of the Sanhedrin (magnificent bunch!) Marcy has served valiantly in past years as a Student Counselor, Sec-Treasurer of her Sophomore Class, a member of the W.U.B. and Student Council, Organizations Editor of the annual, a member of Chi Omega, and Sigma Nu Sweetheart.

Jack, by the same high standard, has shown forth in such offices as past Treasurer of his fraternity, KA, Junior class Vice President, President of the summer session Honor Council, and in the "S" Club and in ODK. This year he will do such honorable jobs as parliamentarian for KA, Vice President of the Student Council, and Freshman Seminar leader.

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! Are you bursting with creative genius and bubbly talent? If so, scramble right down to your Sou'wester office (which you will find neatly concealed under coke bottles and leaves on the far side of the Lynx Lair)—or better yet, come to the important meeting mentioned on your orientation schedules for September 29 and follow it up by attending the journalism clinic on October 1 and October 8. The staff will welcome you with open arms and hastily put your abilities to work.

Whichever—reporting, typing, copyreading, or photography—is your meat, there is a chair for you and a spot on the masthead. Don't hide your candle under a bushel—obliterate it in the newspaper office.

About Campus

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ers in Evanston, Illinois. For PiKA, Dave Wessell and Bob Crumpler attended the district convention at the National headquarters building here in Memphis in preparation for a national convention next summer. And Bob Patience visited campuses in the Southeastern Region to study the activities of various PiKA chapters.

Kappa Sigma has announced the newly elected officers for fall semester. They are: Grand Master, Dick Bunn; Grand Master of Ceremonies, Jimmy Finley; Grand Procurator, Keith Arman; Treasurer, John Edwards; Scribe, Jim Cloud and Guards, Tom Garner, Doug Newman, and Robin Stevenson.

Also many congratulations to Sarah Cobb who was initiated and is now a real genuine AO Cutie Pi, and to Elaine Ettman, Zeta's newly initiated member.

There are those among us who have returned to school in a strange starry-eyed condition, so we will pass out many, many, bouquets of flowers and big red hearts—to Gwynne Salmon, who has won the heart of a Sigma Alpha Epsilon and to Neva Kyser and Mike Stoakes and Ann Myers who are pinned.

The engaged catagory includes Marcia Wooten and Larry Kennon, Pem Kremer and Tommy Reid, a Presbyterian pre-ministerial student. And lots and lots of congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Viar and Mr. and Mrs. David Glenn.



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Lynx Clash With Millsaps In Gridiron Opener Sat.

ENCOUNTER AT 2:00
AT FARGASON FIELD

The Southwestern football team will make its season debut this Saturday afternoon at 2:00 in a tussle with invading rival Millsaps of Jackson, Mississippi. The tilt will be staged over the Lynx' home gridiron, Fargason Field, complete with a new scoreboard.

A scouting report of fairly reasonable reliability finds the biggest gun in the Major backfield to be Bob Lowry, their 160-lb. fullback who's a fast, hard-hitting runner and unusually effective for his size. What Lowry lacks in size though is more than compensated for by a highly-touted tackle, 230-lb. John Woods.

Rugged Woods

Woods, a real bully, is strong and fast. He rated to be one of the best linemen Millsaps has ever produced.

On the other side of the fence, Coach Mays has in stable one of Southwestern's best grid aggregations. He has more speed in the backfield and more weight and power in the line than last year's squad which ran up a 5-3 record.

Vet Echols at Quarter

Seasoned field general Robert Echols will direct the attack from the quarterback slot. Though only a freshman last season, Echols soon mastered Mays' variety of the split-T attack and ran the option play as if he invented it himself.

Two sophomore lettermen, Bob Gay and Frank Weathersby, and freshman Stan Sanders are on hand and will add generous portions of experience and know-how to the signal-caller slot.

Four Solid Halfbacks

At halfback the Lynx have a quartet of experienced ballcarriers. Junior lettermen Tommy Clinton and Malcolm Gillis will be joined by veterans Billy Landers, also a junior, and soph Glenn Hays.

All of these men are fast, game-wise backs and will be counted on heavily against Millsaps and all season long to do the lion's share of ball-carrying duties.

At full Lou Johnson, a transfer from TPI, will most likely get the starting nod, while behind him will be junior vet George McCormick and freshmen Jerry Manley and John Ashcraft.

Hollingsworth at End

Alternate captain Paul Hollingsworth will be joined by letterman Ray Zbinden at the starting end

positions. Both men scale in at 183 lbs. Junior letterman Jim Stowers at 195 lbs. and standout shotputter Wes Busbee at 183 lbs. will also see a great deal of action at the terminal slot.

Hefty Doug Newman weighing in at 235 lbs. and 218-lb. Butch Kimbro will beef up the starting tackle positions. Newman, a sophomore, and Kimbro, a junior, are both returning lettermen, as is Jerry Duncan, a 195-lb. junior, who will press both men for their starting slots.

Two Frosh Prospects

And that's not the whole picture, as 225-lb. Larry Cox and 200-lb. Tom Faber are also likely candidates to see their share of tackle duty. Both men are freshmen.

At guard Mays has a rugged pair of holdovers in 190-lb. Buddy Tollison and 210-lb. Mike Rowland. Sam Drash, at 185 lbs. and a junior, will doubtlessly play a lot of guard for Mentor Mays who also has 190-lb. Robbie Adams and 180-lb. Mike Truscott on call whenever needed.

Burly team captain Wilson Viar, a 205-lb. senior, will hold down the center slot. With him at the pivot will be Frank Coyle, a 205-lb. soph transfer from Tulane. The versatile Coyle will also be used extensively at tackle.

Grid Schedule Has New Foe

The Lynx's 1959 football schedule finds one newcomer and one absentee from its '58 counterpart against which the team ran up a 5-3 record. Absent is that rugged mid-western power Wabash, an outfit Southwestern clobbered handily in one of their finest outings last season.

Replacing the Indiana squad will be an old basketball and golf rival, Ouachita College of Arkadelphia, Arkansas, The Ouachita contest will take place Friday afternoon, Oct.

23, in Arkadelphia. All other games will be played on a Saturday.

Same Ole Austin

A look at the schedule will find that the Lynx's Homecoming opponent is Austin College. A little confusion might be avoided if it is pointed out that this is the same Austin College the Lynx play annually.

There is also a Stephen F. Austin State College in Texas, but it is a member of the Lone Star Conference, while Southwestern's opponent is an independent outfit from Sherman, Texas. Stephen F. Austin is the Austin which Memphis State U. has scheduled this year.

More Austins

Adding to the confusion, there is also an Austin Peay State playing out of Clarksville, Tennessee. This Austin has been appearing on the Lynx' track and other schedules but should not be confused with this fall's grid opponent.

Although Southwestern will field one of its finest "elevens" this season, the football wars will be just as tough as ever. Except for Millsaps, all the schools scheduled this year will be fielding teams compiled as a result of a stepped-up football program.

The 1959 football schedule:

Sept. 19 Millsaps	home
26 Miss. Coll.*	Clinton
Oct. 3 Hendrix	home
10 Centre	Danville, Ky.
17 Austin (H'coming)	home
24 Ouachita	A'delphia
31 Howard	Birmingham
Nov. 7 Sewanee (Parent's)	home
*Night	

Pigskin Predictions

by Prof. Prognosticator

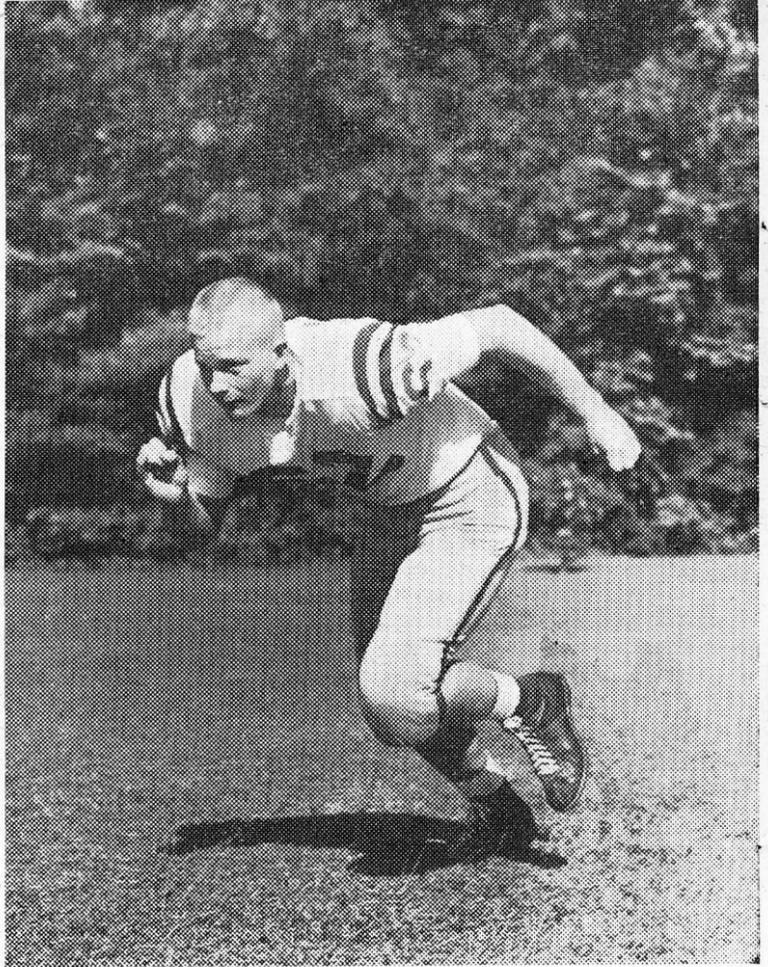
Selecting gridiron winners in the season's opening round of contests is about like belting a Missouri mule a good one in the aft quarters and waiting around too long to see what happens next. And that's the situation we feel ourselves in as the wraps come off the season this Saturday for the first time with fifteen big 'uns all across the country that just got to have winners. And since we're too dastardly to pick ties, here are our fifteen nominees for the Sept. 19 winners' circle:

Millsaps at Southwestern: It took a 66-yard TD run and an upright-splitting PAT to eke out a 7-6 Lynx victory over the Majors down at Jackson last year. Southwestern has the home team advantage this trip and is not so hampered by injuries as it was in the same tilt a year ago. Also the 'cats are heavier in the line and have more fire-power in the backfield, so pick SOUTHWESTERN to pick up win No. 1.

Georgia Tech at Kentucky: This game shapes up to be about as even as they come. The Wildcats dumped Bobby Dodd's crew 13-0 last fall and have the advantage of playing at home. But Kentucky has question marks at quarterback and tackle. Also it's generally agreed the Engineers look stronger this year and ought to have enough to bring home a GEORGIA TECH victory and sweet revenge.

Ole Miss at Houston: All across the country the Rebs have been getting recognition as one of the big ones to watch during the forthcoming campaign. And to lend considerable to these advance reports, Johnny Vaught has plenty of power and depth in the backfield and 6 of 7 starting linemen still on hand from the '58 season. The Rebels use Houston as a perennial whipping boy upon which to unleash a barrage of pent-up frustrations. So, OLE MISS easily.

Rice at LSU: Paul Dietzel's Tigers were the big surprise bomb last year after being picked as only a middlin' good SEC outfit. Now they're the marked team of the country, and ten Southern teams of various ruggedness are all making special plans to up-end the highflying Bayou Bullies. But Rice hasn't got the horses this trip and ought to fall before LOUISIANA



FORWARD WALL stalwart Mike Rowland will lend his 210 lbs. of brute force to the Lynx' cause in their forthcoming opener against Millsaps from Jackson, Miss.

SPORTS

shape-up

by Sports Staff

TRANSFERS BRIGHTEN GRIDIRON PICTURE

Until a couple of key transfers answered the call for pre-school practice sessions, Southwestern coach Richard C. "Rick" Mays had a problem guaranteed to take first prize at the most fiendish nightmare festival.

And this essentially was the dilemma. A total of five out of six football lettermen were not returning at the end position. A total of zero out of two fullback lettermen were also on hand. The situation was just a little less than bleak.

Surprise!

But up popped Frank Coyle, a rugged 205-lb. center from Rembert Springs, Tenn., and Lou Johnson, a 185-lb. fullback from Cookeville, Tenn. Coyle turned down the remaining three years of a 4-year scholarship at Tulane to attend Southwestern, and Johnson transferred in from Tenn Tech (TPI), where he picked up two years of varsity experience.

In team captain Wilson Viar and Coyle, the Lynx have a terrific one-two punch at center. This situation has enabled Mays to switch centers Ray Zbinden and Jim Stowers to the end slot, where they along with alternate captain Paul Hollingsworth bring the returning lettermen at that position up to three.

Zbinden Experienced

Zbinden, a senior, was an end in his high school days and feels right at home. Stowers, who had no high school experience, has been getting bigger, tougher, and meaner each year.

This season as a 195-lb. junior,

STATE.

Also:

Alabama over Georgia
Arkansas over Tulsa
Cal. over Wash. St.
Clemson over N. Car.
Fla. St. over W. Forest
Florida over Tulane
TCU over Kansas U.
W. Va. over Maryland
Oregon over Stanford
Purdue over UCLA
Texas over Nebraska

Jim and shotput-standout Wes Busbee, also a junior and 183-lbs., will add invaluable quantities of depth and experience to make the end picture a great deal rosier and Coach Mays a great deal happier.

Lou Fills Gap

Lou Johnson's impact on the fullback situation has been almost as revolutionary. Lou's combination of size, power, and experience will fill a mighty big gap which otherwise would have probably caused Mays to switch a halfback to full.

Conversion of a half to the fullback slot would have opened a big hole in reserve strength, especially in face of the fact that halfback has been the Lynx' most injury-riddled position in recent years.

Three More Potentials

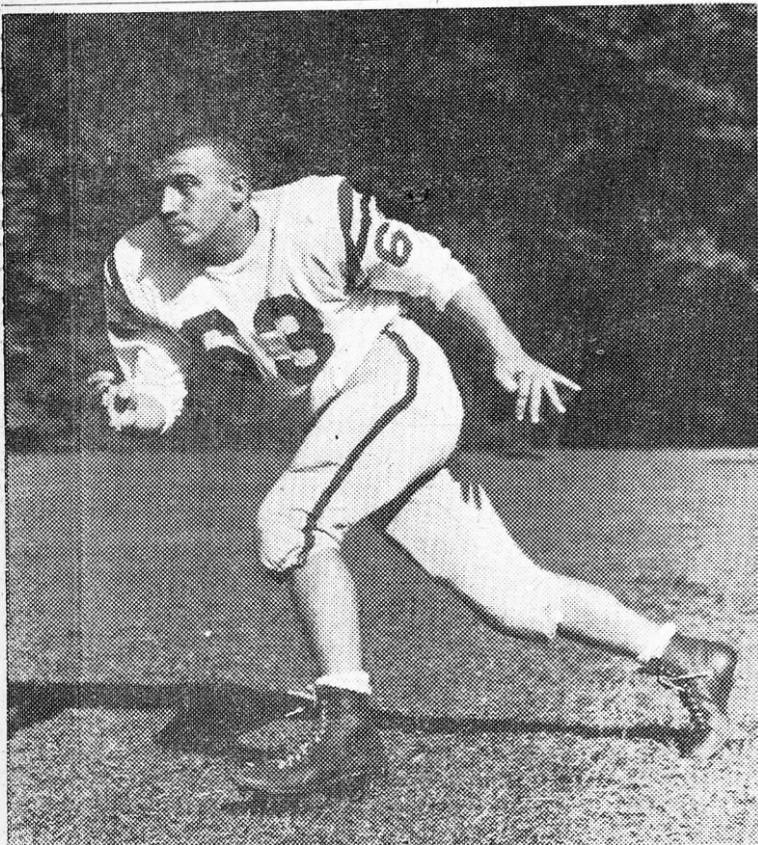
Another bright angle about the fullback outlook is that Mays has a veteran, George McCormick, and two newcomers, freshmen Jerry Manley and John Ashcroft, who will be making it hot for Johnson all season long in their bids to fill the starting fullback berth.

McCormick, a junior at 184 lbs., is an experienced squad member who might well come into his own this year, while the 180-lb. Manley has speed to burn. And Ashcraft definitely is one not to be counted out. Among other things, Mays acclaims him the squad's best punter.

Two-Deep At Each Slot

So with the Lynx at least two-deep with experienced ball-players at all other positions, the unusually "bleak" situation looks anything but bleak. In fact, the way things have been shaping up, Southwestern's chances for matching their 5-3 '58 record are next to certain.

From shape-up's vantage point, chances for improvement over the '58 mark are better than good.



ROUGH AND READY BUDDY TOLLISON will be right in the thick of things Saturday when Southwestern meets Millsaps at 2:00 on Fargason Field.