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Southwestern Handbook


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SOUTHWESTERN AT MEMPHIS

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## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Welcome to SOUTHWESTERN AT MEMPHIS and to the swelling ranks of college students! You will soon learn, as many before you have, that college is not all work and no play-neither is it all play and no work! It is, instead, learning and fellowship, study within and without the classroom, in an exciting and unique educational community.

The next few weeks, and perhaps even months, will prove hectic as you adjust to life here at Southwestern. To help you become more easily acquainted with the various phases of life at Southwestern, this Handbook has been prepared. In it you will find general information about the various student organizations at Southwestern. For more specific details in areas of your own special interest, you may refer to your college catalog, to me, or to the president of the organization in which you are interested.

I hope that Southwestern will prove to be all you expect from and desire in a college community, and more. I wish you an enjoyable and profitable year.

Sincerely,<br>PEDIE PEDERSEN<br>Editor



Circular in form, the red and black seal of Southwestern is centered by a black shield representing faith. Quartering the shield is a St. Andrew's Cross denoting Christianity, and in the middle of the cross lies an open Bible, the heart of Southwestern's being. Each of the shield's four divisions bears a symbol representing a period in the college's history-as a Masonic College at Clarksville, founded in 1848, as "Stewart College" (1855-75); as "Southwestern Pres"byterian University" (1875-1925); and finally as "Southwestern At Memphis" when it was moved to Memphis.
The intertwined sprigs of oak and laurel under the shield signify strength and victory. Surrounding the shield on the other three sides are the words "Truth, Loyalty, Service"-the fundamental precepts of Southwestern.

## SOUTHWESTERN'S ALMA MATER

Dear Alma Mater, kind the fate
That links our lives with Thee.
For God's own power that made Thee great
Is the truth that makes us free;
Thy torch has touched our hearts with flame.
Our yearning souls refined;
Through Thee we learn the higher aim, And train the truer mind.

Thy stalwart towers of solid stone, Thy vaulted arches strong.
Inspire our loyal hearts each one
To fight against the wrong;
Our lives reflect the beauty of
Thy stately cloister'd halls,
And characters grow genuine
That dwell within Thy walls.
O Leader to the larger light, Southwestern, 'neath Thy wings Thy sons in reverant love unite,
And each his tribute brings;
And dreams such dreams as old men dream, And visions young men see,
Keep lighted in our hearts the flame
Once kindled there of Thee.

## SOUTHWESTERN'S FIGHT SONG

 - ON THE PROWL -Southwestern will win the vict'ry again;
The Lynx cats are on the prowl.
We follow the law of the fang and the claw, And the Red and Black will leave their track All over the foe, wherever we go.
Tonight's our night to howl!
We're leavin' our lair, you'd better beware For the Lynx cats are on the prowl!

R. L. "Bob" Frank<br>Class of '66

## COLLEGE CALENDAR

Session of 1969-1970

## TERM I

September 8-14 ..... Orientation and Registration of New Students
September 10
Wednesday, 2:00 P.M.
Reexaminations September 12, Friday ... Registration of Returning Students
September 15, Monday, 8:00 A.M. ... Classes Begin September 15,

Monday, 10:00 A.M. ...... **Opening Convocation November 26, Wednesday,
12:00 Noon Thanksgiving Recess Begins December 1, 8:00 A.M. Thanksgiving Recess Ends December 8, 10, $12 \ldots$. Comprehensive Examinations December 13-19 Examinations December 19, Friday, 5:00 P.M. ...... End of Term I

## TERM II

January 5, Monday
Registration January 5, Monday, 8:00 A.M. .......... Classes Begin January 9, Friday, 2:00 P.M. ...... Reexaminations March 23, 25, 27 ...... Comprehensive Examinations March 30-April 4 Examinations April 4, Saturday, 5:00 P.M. .......... End of Term II

## TERM III

April 13, Monday ......................... Registration April 13, Monday, 8:00 A.M. ............ Classes Begin April 17, Friday, 2:00 P.M. ........... . Reexamination May 18, 20, 22 .........Comprehensive Examinations May 25-30 Examinations May 31, Sunday, 11:00 A.M. **Baccalaureate Service June 1, Monday, 10:00 A.M. **Graduation Exercises
*Formal academic occasion.


## MEMPHIS ON THE MISSISSIPPI

Tennessee had been a state only twenty-three years when Memphis was laid out by Andrew Jackson and John Overton of Nashville in 1819. The city was incorporated in 1826 with a population of only 500 . Today Metropolitan Memphis boasts a population of over 800,000 and is proud of its rapid growth.
Located in the middle of one of America's richest agricultural regions, Memphis, "The Cotton Capital of the World," is the hub of the agricultural activity in the Mid-South. In the Cotton Exchange on Front Street, one third of the nation's cotton crop is bought and sold. The heyday of "King Cotton" is past, however, for the key to the Memphis economy is diversification. Location, agriculture, transportation, and industry all serve to make Memphis great.
Memphis has taken her place, too, as the cultural center of the seven-state Mid-South. In addition to excellent library and educational facilities, the Memphis Symphony Orchestra, Civic Ballet, the Memphis Academy of Arts, Brooks Memorial Art Gallery, Front Street Theater, and Memphis Little Theater all contribute to the cultural life of the city.
Recreational facilities are many and varied. Persons liking to fish and hunt will find in a close radius of Memphis some of the finest grounds for these sports
 in the nation. At convenient points throughout the city are facilities for golf, tennis, archery, bowling, softball, ice and roller skating, swimming and horseback riding.
Southwestern came to Memphis from Clarksville in 1925. Both city and school have grown together. Memphis affords many opportunities for students to augment their academic learning experience with cultural growth, and it is hoped Southwestern students will take advantage of these opportunities.

## THE COLLEGE

Southwestern is a fully accredited, privately supported, co-educational college of liberal arts and sciences. Southwestern as an entity is composed of a managing administration headed by the President and a faculty of 75 , of which $76 \%$ have their Ph.D. degrees. The student-faculty ratio is ten to one. Twenty directors, elected by the Synods of Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana of the Presbyterian Church, determine the policies of the college.

The college was founded when the Clarksville Academy at Clarksville conveyed its property to the Masonic Lodge of Tennessee, and was merged into the new Masonic University of Tennessee. The program was expanded from that of the Academy, Latin and Greek, with reading, writing and arithmetic added in the interest of a well-balanced curriculum. A prominent Mason and Presbyterian, W. M. Stewart, was chosen as the first President. Later, when the Synod of Nashville began supporting the school, it was renamed in his honor.

In 1861 the school became a college of the Presbyterian Church in the United States. Prior to the Civil War there was a Presbyterian College in each synod. However, the effects of the war were pitifully destructive, and the hardships of the reconstruction era intensified the burdens. The colleges were closed; in some cases the buildings were literally torn down and the equipment destroyed. But the Presbyterians were determined to rebuild their schools.

In view of this poverty and the consequent impossibility of reestablishing all of the educational institutions owned by the Presbyterian Church before the war, Dr. B. M. Palmer, of New Orleans, and other church leaders suggested that all the synods unite and build one university for the whole territory. This plan was finally approved, and after years of agitation and endeavor, Southwestern Presbyterian University came into being in 1875, having taken over as a nucleus the properties of Stewart College.

About 1900 the church came to realize that the
institution was badly located for the territory it was presumed to serve, and an attempt was made to move it. That proposed removal was defeated by the action of the court, and as a result the Church lost much of its enthusiam for the college and neglected it. The tide was at low ebb, but then it was found that Memphis wanted the college and the Synods wanted Memphis to have it. Thus it was, in 1925, under the leadership of President Charles I. Diehl, that Southwestern came to Memphis. Also under the Diehl administration the College became co-educational. A crossflow of stimulus between the College and the city has characterized its Memphis history and both have gained vitality and prestige from the association.

Dr. Peyton N. Rhodes became President in 1949 and served until 1965. He carried forward the original ideas of quality into the College's many new phases. of development and expansion. Campus facilities nearly doubled under the Rhodes administration and adult education was expanded, with Southwestern being singled out as the leading college in the nation in the field of continuing education. Dr. Rhodes exemplified through his campus administration, as well as through his other local and national interests, the Southwestern tradition of service to church and community.
In 1965 Dr. Rhodes retired and Dr. John David Alexander, a Southwestern graduate, was chosen as the new president. Dr. Alexander served the college until 1969. As of yet, his successor has not been chosen.

Educational innovation is becoming a Southwestern trademark. Last year the school went on a new schedule designed to give each student as much room for educational self-development as possible. Last winter Harvard rated the school second in the south academically. New buildings are going up while the learning process is being modernized. You are entering a college which is on the move. Do not be run over in the transition, but rather be ready to push ahead with it.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

## Orientation and Registration

All students entering Southwestern for the first time are expected to be present for orientation week, which immediately precedes the opening of college. The orientation period is designed to acquaint new students with the traditions, ideals, and regulations of Southwestern and to afford them an opportunity to plan their courses of study in consultation with members of the faculty. During orientation week the new students, in addition to discussing their courses of study individually with a member of the faculty, meet with the representatives of various student organizations, take aptitude and classification tests, receive instruction in the use of the library, attend social events, and hear talks by administrative officers of the college. The dates of the orientation period are listed in the college calendar. New students who arrive when the orientation program is over or well under way, in addition to missing necessary instruction and information, will be subject to considerable inconvenience.

## Academic

The Bachelor of Arts, Sciences, or Music degree is granted on the basis of 120 semester hours of college work with a theoretical C average, or 120 quality points. Quality, points are given by grades as well as hours. An "A" counts three quality points per hour, a " $B$ " two, a " $C$ " one and a " $D$ " or " $F$ " count none. The grade point system of averages counts " $A$ " as four points, " $B$ " as three, " $C$ " as two, " $D$ " as one, and " $F$ " as none.

No student may carry more than 16 credit hours in Terms I and II or more than 8 credit hours in Term III. Not more than three courses in the same department, or two under the same instructor may be taken for credit without special permission from the Dean of the College.

In order to change a course, a student must have the permission of the instructor and the dean. If any irregularity is involved in the course change, a student must present a petition, with his faculty adviser's signature on it, to the Classification Committee. More information may be obtained in the catalogue.

## The Freshman Program

The Freshman Program at Southwestern is designed to encourage students to take a more active part in developing their own educational program during their four years of college. The program includes academic orientation, inter-disciplinary colloquia, close student-faculty communications, and individual curriculum development.
Several colloquia are offered, each of which will include two professors and approximately ten students. The seminars are designed to range as widely as the knowledge and experiences of the students and professors will allow.

Each of these students will enroll in one of the colloquia as one of the four courses he will take the first term, and when the second term begins he will enroll in another colloquium as one of his four courses. Thus each of the students will participate in two colloquia out of the eight. Each one of the colloquia will continue for six to eight weeks, at the end of which time the students will move into an independent study of a topic or problem that has defined itself for them and that can enlist hard and detailed investigation. The purpose is to provide through the colloquia a chance to read and discuss ideas of the wide-ranging sort and then to balance that experience with an independent project in which the student can become involved in independent investigation or a research project.
The fifty students who are selected to participate in the program will be exempted from the stipulated degree requirements on the theory that each student, working closely with his tutor, will see the value in shaping his education towards breadth and coherence and towards real mastery in some skill or field of learning.

## Class Attendance

Regular attendance is essential for success in academic work. Southwestern has confidence in the student body's judgement in this matter. No compulsory class attendance is required of any student.

## Convocations

Convocations dealing with matters of local, state, national and world importance are held throughout the week. Known politicians and performers present short talks on various topics which are usually followed by an informal coffee in the cloister of Palmer Hall. Student convocations are held in the gym. Lectures on issues of our world today, musical performances, and other programs of an entertaining and educational nature are held in Hardie Auditorium.

## Residence Halls

The women's residence halls, Townsend, Voorhies, Trezevant and New Dorm, are under the jurisdiction of student governing boards. A copy of the residence hall's rules is mailed to all women students who plan to live in the residence halls.
Women may receive callers at their dormitory beginning at 9:00 A.M. Sunday through Thursday, the women's residence halls close at 12:00 P.M.; Friday the closing hour is 2:00 A.M.; and Saturdays 2:00 A.M. No telephone calls, unless they are long distance, will be taken in the women's dormitories after 11:00 P.M. on any night.

The Resident Head of Voorhies is Mrs. A. H. Cable. Mrs. Gladys Nichols is the Resident Head of Townsend and Trezevant Halls. Professor and Mrs. R. J. Olcott are Residence Heads in New Dorm. Miss Carolyn Wagner is the Assistant Resident Head in Townsend Hall. Miss Lani Collins and Miss Emily Scarbrough are Assistant Resident Heads in Trezevant Hall. Miss Ruth Ann Sadler is Assistant Resident Head in Voorhies Hall. Miss Marge Sorrells and Miss Linda Pilcher are Assistant Resident Heads in New Dorm. The Executive President of the dormitories is Mary Lou McCloskey. President of Voorhies is Natilee Duning, President of Trezevant is Pat Carter, and President of Townsend is Sally Blankenship.
The five men's residence halls are governed by a president in each hall elected by the resident men. These presidents are: Jeff Carter, Charlie Durham, Eddie Hart, Dan Hatzenbuhler, Rick Hollingsworth, Mark Houston, Chuck McNeal, Jim Moss, Tom Thomas.

## Book Store

The Book Store is located on the ground floor of the Briggs Student Center. All books assigned by professors may be obtained there. The hours are:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 to 4:00
Wednesday and Saturday .......... 8:00 to 12:00

## Dining Hall

Dining hours are as follows:
Breakfast:

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Monday-Saturday
7:30-8:30
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## Lunch:

Monday-Saturday .....................................12:30-1:15
Sunday
Dinner:
Monday-Saturday . ......................... 5:00-6:00
Sunday ...................................... 5:15-6:00

## Health

The Moore infirmary is maintained for the treatment of ordinary student illnesses. Dr. T. J. White, Jr. is the college physician, and Mrs. C. L. Priddy, a registered nurse, is on duty at all times. Students requiring the services of the physician should report to the infirmary at 4:00 to 4:30 P.M. on week days and 8:30 to 9:00 A.M. on Saturday.

## Clinic hours:

Monday to Friday ....... 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.
Saturday................ 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 noon
All routine treatments are to be given during these hours. Emergencies are, of course, taken care of at any time.
The college provides, at no cost to the student, accident, sickness, and hospitalization insurance. Students requiring special services must be referred by the college physician in order for the insurance to be effective.

## Parking of Cars

Parking areas have been provided by the college north of the Science Building and Palmer Hall, for
faculty and staff members and east of Burrow Library, south of Bellingrath Hall and west of Mallory Gymnasium for students. Random parking of cars on the college grounds is prohibited at all times.

## The Thomas W. Briggs Student Center

The Briggs Student Center was completed in May of 1966. This addition to the College's physical plant provides many services for the students and other members of Southwestern community. Located in the building are the Lynx Lair Grill, school publication offices, campus bookstore, two lounges, and various other offices and meeting rooms.

## Forming New Organizations

Students desiring to form any new organization must apply for permission in writing, to the Committee on Community Life. Aims and membership of the proposed group should be stated clearly. Any local campus group wishing to become affiliated with a national organization must make similar application. In order to be recognized as college organizations, all groups, whatever their purpose may be, must have the official sanction of this committee.

## COLLEGE REGULATIONS

Rules are kept to a minimum at Southwestern. The following are traditional properties and customs:

Conduct befitting a lady or gentleman is expected of all Southwestern students. Rowdiness, drunkenness, and other improper conduct will result in disciplinary action of all persons involved. No intoxicants are to be served at any dance, party, or other function given by any college organization.
Students are not allowed to have guns on the campus or to keep animals in their rooms or on the campus.

1. No smoking is permitted in the halls, cloister, classrooms, laboratories, or dining halls.
2. Boarding students may keep cars on the campus only by strict adherence to the rules set forth in the catalogue.
3. Non-resident women may spend the night in the women's residence halls. The resident students must sign the guest in and out properly and, if the guest breaks any residence hall rules, will have to take the penalty.
4. Cars shall be parked on the college grounds only in those parking areas provided by the college.
Students should check specific sections of the Handbook for regulations pertaining to class attendance and certain aspects of academic life.

## BURROW LIBRARY

Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 A.M.-12:00 A.M. Saturday, 8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M. Sunday, 2:00 P.M.-12:00 A.M.
The library staff extends a warm welcome to you to use the materials and services of the Burrow Library in the happiest possible manner. To help you get the most from these, your librarians are always ready to be of assistance.

## Location of Books

It is your privilage to locate any book in the library's holdings by looking it up under author, subject, or title, in the alphabetically arranged card catalogue. A modern catalogue for phono-records enables you to locate listening materials. In the reference room many volumes will lead you to articles and facts on every conceivable subject. The latest issues of periodicals are in the periodical room, while back issues are available at the center desk, if unbound, and in the main stack area if bound.
"Open shelf" is the rule on the books in the stacks which are distributed on the various floors as shown on cards at the doorways to the stacks and elsewhere. If the book you wish is out, you may leave a request for it at the desk. When it is returned you will be notified how long it can be held for you.

In addition to regular circulating books which can be checked out for two weeks, there are many "reserved books." These, placed "on reserve" by the various professors, may be obtained at the desk for two hour periods.
Monday through Friday, after 4:30 P.M., they may be checked out over night, and are due the next morning at 10:00. Reserve books may be checked out Sat-
urday after 10:15 A.M. and are not due until Monday at 10:00 A.M.
A fine of $\$ .25$ for the first hour and $\$ .05$ for each additional hour is levied on late reserve books.
The fine on regular books is $\$ .05$ per day. However, the total amount due will be cut in half if the fine is paid when the book is returned. This policy does not apply to reserve books.
On the lower level of the building are the record rooms and the adult education center (AEC) with facilities for discussions, movies, and exhibits, as well as a large assortment of paperback books for sale.


## THE STUDENTS

Southwestern was founded and planned primarily for its students. In the words of President Diehl, "The college we were planning for was to attempt to teach to students something of human life, man and the world, and to lead them to master human life; to know it as a whole."

The Southwestern student, in pursuit of excellence is interested not only in books but also in people. Thus the Kinney Program, through its various service projects, provides the Southwestern student a chance to serve people. And for those students whose only, contact with the outside world is "news at fifty-five," as well as others, the International Studies and Political Science Departments presents the Free World Issues speakers. And held annually is the student sponsored symposium, Dilemma, bringing to the campus leaders in the various fields of arts and sciences.

Southwestern has through the years given to its students almost complete freedom and its accompanying responsibility. Students conduct a course evaluation in which students judge their teachers according to their strengths and weakness. That such an evaluation was a success testifies to the close relationship between students and faculty, a characteristic of Southwestern.

The opponents have changed from the days when Southwestern defeated such football powers as Ole Miss. However, the cardinal principle, characteristic of the College's athletic program, that sports are played for the development of the individual and the enjoyment of the game, remain the same.

The pursuit of excellence does not impede recreation and fun at Southwestern. Campus social affairs are designed to include everyone. Fraternity and sorority formals are open to all Southwestern students, as are the Inter-fraternity Council and Panhellenic Weekends. Open Houses, held throughout the year, are informal, two-hour dances given on Friday evenings. Two big weekends are Homecoming and May Day, celebrated on the weekend nearest May 1st. Homecoming includes the traditional Friday night
open house, the Homecoming game Saturday afternoon, and the dance that night.
Derby Day gives a welcome break in more studious activities as students abandon their dignity to crawl, hop, and run around in the annual fall activity.
The Student Union of Southwestern initiates and executes the various programs and services of the Briggs Student Center. The Student Center being the hub of the campus provides the Southwestern community with cultural, educational, social, and recreational activities that are supplements to your scholastic career at Southwestern. Membership in the Student Union is open to all full-time undergraduate students of the college. All members must fill out an application within the first two weeks of the scholastic term for subsequent review and placement by the Executive Board.
The committees which will be open for applicants in 1969-70 are: Cultural Arts, Public Relations, Social, Recreation, and Films.
The 1969-70 Executive Board of the Student Center consists of: Rick Hollingsworth, Bill Matthews, Sam Marshall, Ann Hord, Joe Brady, and Bilbo Short.
In the spring Mortar Board, an organization for the recognition of outstanding senior women, holds its tapping ceremony. Also at this time the outstanding sophomore woman is honored.

Twice a year, tappings are also held for Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary fraternity for male campus leaders. Newly tapped members are presented ODK keys.
The oldest and most important tradition at Southwestern, the Honor System, has been in operation since the earliest days of the College. The student is expected to be honest not only in tests and examinations, but in all of his undertakings. This honor is not something enforced from the outside but relies upon an inner code, the desire of the student to be honest. Professors frequently leave the room during tests; students pledge when finished that they have neither given nor received help. The students take
pride in this system, and the Honor Council, though quite thorough, has a very low record of accusations. The responsibility for administering the system is entirely in the hands of the students.
Southwestern is not a school that lives in the past, and each incoming class to some degree molds or shapes new customs and traditions. Each student brings to Southwestern his own identity and talent and in the use of them helps the College to reveal a part of its identity. Thus the student life at Southwestern is one of discovery; for both the individual and the College it is a "joint adventure in learning." The only time resisting traditions at Southwestern are those of honor and excellence.

## SPIRIT OF HONOR

Southwestern is noted for the spirit of honor on its campus. Though the Honor System was enacted by the students many years ago, it has not become a meaningless institution, but has grown greatly in stature. The Honor System presently is just as much a part of Southwestern as the academic curriculum itself. Under the System students assume responsibility for honorable conduct not only in tests and examinations, but also in other phases of college life. The student is put entirely on his honor to be honest in all of his undertakings.

The spirit of honor should manifest itself in every phase of life at Southwestern.
The Honor System is administered by an Honor Council which is composed entirely of students elected by their fellow students. This Honor Council operates without interference from the college administration. The Council acts as a court to try any violations of the Honor System, and disciplines any students found guilty of such violations.

Only an intelligent group of people can understand and maintain the real meaning of such a delicate system. Neither the student nor the Honor Council is pledged to police other students. Everyone is to be concerned with his own work and proper behavior. If a student observes the breaking of the spirit of honor and pledge in a noticeable way on the part of another student, then he is obligated to bring the facts to the council for investigation. No one is expected to be overly suspicious; but overprotection of a dishonest student cannot be tolerated.

## THE HONOR COUNCIL

## Article I. Name and Purpose

Section 1. The name of this body shall be the Honor Council of Southwestern at Memphis.
Section 2. The purpose of this council shall be to foster a spirit of honor at Southwestern; and to in-
vestigate and act upon cases of cheating, stealing, and lying (in official matters) on the part of students in connection with academic work or campus life.

## By Laws, Article II. Oaths and Pledges

Section 1. Each student who enters Southwestern shall adhere to the following pledge:

As a student at Soutwestern, I hereby pledge my full and hearty support to the Honor System. I pledge to be honest myself, and, in order that the spirit and integrity of the Honor System may endure, I pledge that I will make known to the Honor Council any case of dishonestly of which I have knowledge at Southwestern.

## By Laws, Article III. Instruction

Section 1. To insure the cooperation of the faculty in the support of the Honor System, the council shali, at the first of each semester, discuss the system with the faculty, reminding them of their obligations to report violations, asking them to request the full written pledge on their work, asking them to remind students before each test that the test is to be pledged, and to clarify in the minds of their students which work is to be pledged and which work is not to be pledged.
Section 2. To insure the full understanding and support of the Honor System by the student body, the council shall, each summer, send letters of instruction to incoming students; explain the system during freshman orientation; request that fraternities and sororities include the Honor System in their pledge training; conduct a special chapel program before semester examinations; see that each student has a copy of the Honor Council Constitution; place printed cards outlining the system in each classroom . . . and empower the president of the Honor Council to meet with the Student Council from time to time to discuss the system.

## LETTER FROM THE <br> HONOR COUNCIL PRESIDENT

It is a pleasure to welcome the Class of 1973 to SOUTHWESTERN AT MEMPHIS. You will be entering an educational community that is unique, exciting and challenging. SOUTHWESTERN is making unbelievable strides in improving both its academic and social life. Southwestern's excellence has earned the college the name of one of the best liberal arts institutions in the South.
I sincerely hope that you will take advantage of the many opportunities that Southwestern offers. This college is meeting the needs of its students and at the same time meeting the needs of a rapidly expanding society.
We at Southwestern truly believe in the education of the total man. I am glad you have decided to come to Southwestern and to become a liberally educated person.
When you enter Southwestern you are entering a community which respects its honor code. It is a living, working honor system which has existed for over 100 years. I hope you will accept all the responsibilities that the Honor System as well as the college places upon you.

> Sincerely,
> MARK HOUSTON
> Honor Council President

## THE 1969-1970 HONOR COUNCIL

| President | Mark Houston |
| :---: | :---: |
| Vice-President .................... Rosemary Wood |  |
| Representatives: |  |
| Senior Class | Charlie Tuggle |
|  | Emily Scarbrough |
|  | Mike Patton |
| Junior Class | Dan Hatzenbuehler |
|  | Jeff Carter |
|  | Pat Carter |
|  | Kittie Johnson |
| Sophomore Class | Claude Statton |
|  | Ann Gotschall |
|  | Carol Ann MacCurdy |
|  | Alan Davis |

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT

During Southwestern's early years in Memphis, student body affairs were handled by the Boosters Club, a democratic organization whose membership consisted of the entire student body.
In 1927, the name of the organization was changed to Student Assembly, which formed the Student Council of Southwestern to simplify the handling of student affairs. The formation of this council marked the beginning of representative government at Southwestern, with the Student Council serving as the executive committee of the Student Assembly.
In the 1947-48 college year, the council was reorganized into a form similar to its present structure. Commissioners in charge of planning and executing the major aspects of campus life were elected by the student body. Each class elected a President and representatives apportioned according to the Constitution. Each of these positions represented one vote on the Council.

During succeeding years, student leaders at Southwestern began to plan for a new type of governmental structure which would meet the increasing demands for more effective student government. Finally in 1965 a new constitution was ratified by the students of Southwestern. The organization thus established was named the Student Government Association. which is synonymous with the student body.

The primary innovation in this new system was the complete separation of the legislative and executive functions of student government through the creation of the Student Senate and the Executive Council. After three full years of operation under the new Constitution, Southwestern Student Government has expanded substantially its scope and effectiveness on campus.

## 1969-70 STUDENT GOVERNMENT OFFICERS

| Mike Patton | President |
| :---: | :---: |
| John Allendorfer | Vice-President |
| Ann Barber | Secretary |
| Beth Lazear | Treasurer |

## COMMISSIONERS

| Ron Register | Athletics |
| :---: | :---: |
| Cary Fowler | t Welfare |
| Bruce Levine | collegiate Relations |
| Brad Green | Publications and Publicity |
| Bill Matthews | Social Activities |
| Mike Storey | Elections |
| Steve Mallet | Education |
| Chuck McNeal | Religious Activities |
| Mike Ripskey | Undergraduate Men |
| Pat Carter | Undergraduate Wom |

## CLASS OFFICERS

| Senior Class |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| President | Mike Kelly |
| Vice-President | Cecilia Miller |
| Secretary | Pedie Pedersen |



| Sophomore Class | kie Rutledge |
| :---: | :---: |
| Vresident ${ }^{\text {President }}$ | Dan Kenner |
| Secretary | Jeanette Bir |

Freshmen officers and Senators will be elected in the fall.

## MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

The Southwestern Student Senate Consists of elected representatives from each of the four classes. The president of the class is also a voting member of the Senate.

CONSTITUTION
of the

## STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

## of Southwestern at Memphis

## Preamble

We, the students of Southwestern At Memphis, in order to effect an organization for student self-government, to promote an exchange of ideas among the students, faculty, and the administration, to provide for student welfare and the organization of student activities, and to assume all responsibilities and powers possessed by us in our capacity as students, do hereby establish this Constitution of the Student Government Association of Southwestern At Memphis.

## Article I

The name of this organization shall be the Student Government Association of Southwestern At Memphis.

## Article II

Every regularly enrolled student in this college shall be a member of the Student Government Asso ciation of Southwestern At Memphis.

## Article III

Section 1. The Executive Power of this Student Government Association shall be vested in the President.
Section 2. The Executive Council shall be composed of these officers: the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, commissioners, elected by the Student Government Association; and other members which may be appointed by the President with the consent of a majority of the Student Senate. The President shall be a rising junior in his second semester of college residence at the time of his election, and the other two Executive Council officers shall be either rising juniors or rising seniors in their second semester of college residence. Both the officers and the commissioners must maintain either a cumulative 2.0 average or at least 2.4 average in the preceding semester in order to be eligible for nomination.

Section 3. The President of the Student Government Association shall preside over meetings of the Executive Council, direct the individual members of the Council in pursuance of their specific duties, make legislative proposals to the Student Senate, serve as an ex-officio member of all Student-Administration committees, and present the opinions of the Student Government Association to the Administration and Faculty.
Section 4. The Vice-President of the Student Government Association shall assist the President in directing the Executive Council, serve under the direction of the President to coordinate the activities of the Student Government Association, and preside over the meetings of the Student Senate.
Section 5. The Treasurer of the Student Government Association shall be responsible for all financial transactions of the Student Government Association.
Section 6. The Secretary of the Student Government Association shall maintain records of the meetings of the Executive Council, and the Student Senate and shall handle such correspondence as shall be assigned to him by the President.
Section 7. The number of the commissioners, their duties, and their responsibilities shall be recorded in the Executive Code as established by a majority vote of the Student Senate.
Section 8. The President may call the Student Senate into special session. Notice of eight hours must be given.

Section 9. The President may initiate such legislation into the Student Senate as he considers to the pursuance of the Preamble of this Constitution, and any member of the Executive Council may speak on behalf of any legislation so initiated.

Section 10. The President may veto any legislation of the Student Senate. However, the Student Senate may override his veto by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of those present.

## Article IV

Section 1. The Legislative power of the Student Government Association of Southwestern At Memphis shall be vested in the Student Senate.

Section 2. The members of the Student Senate shall be the Vice-President of the Student Government As-
sociation, the Presidents of the four classes, and Senators elected by their respective classes, each class being represented equally with the exception that if the enrollment of any class exceed a number to be established by the Student Senate, that class shall have an additional representative according to class enrollment based on a ratio established by the Student Senate. There must always be at least three Senators from each class.
Section 3. The presiding officer of the Student Senate shall be the Vice-President of the Student Government Association. He shall cast a vote only in the case of a tie.
Section 4. The Student Senate must by majority vote approve all executive appointments made by the President; it must approve the expenditure of all Student Government Association funds; it is empowered to request any executive officer to give reports to the Student Senate.
Section 5. The Executive Code shall state the powers and duties of the Executive Branch of the Student Government Association, as stipulated in, and in pursuance of this Constitution. Any measures enacted in pursuance of the powers and duties assigned to the executive by or in pursuance of the Constitution shall be listed in the Executive Code. The Executive Code shall be established by a majority vote of the Student Senate. It may be amended by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of those present at two successive meetings of the Student Senate.
Section 6. Any change in the Executive Code affecting the composition of the Commissioners of the Student Council will not be effective during the administration in which said legislation takes place.

Section 7. Any regularly voting member of the Student Senate may introduce legislation in the Senate.
Section 8. Legislation introduced in the Senate by the President of the Student Government Association takes precedence over that introduced by a Senator.
Section 9. The Student Senate shall meet at least twice in every month. On presentation of a petition from thirty-three (33) percent of the regularly voting members of the Student Senate, the President of the Senate shall call a meeting of that body to convene no
sooner than eight hours and within thirty-six hours of the presentation.
Section 10. Elections shall be conducted by an Elections Commission as established by the Student Senate and operating under an Elections Code as approved by the Student Senate.
Section 11. The Senate shall establish its own rules of procedure.
Section 12. Any member of the Student Government Association may discuss on the floor of the Senate legislation under consideration by the Senate.

## Article V

Section 1. All questions concerning the interpretation of this Constitution or of student government legislation shall be referred to a permanent constitution commission.
Section 2. The membership of this commission shall be as follows:
a) The Dean of the college, or a faculty member appointed by the Dean to act for him.
b) A faculty member appointed for a term of two years by the President of the Student Government Association, with the approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the Student Senate.
c) The student membership of the Constitution Commission shall consist of five students, none of which shall be members of the Student Senate or Executive Council. These five members shall be as follows:
(1) The Constitutional Representatives of the Junior and Senior classes.
(2) One senior appointed by the President for a term of one year with the approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the Student Senate.
(3) Two students appointed in alternate years for terms of two years by the President with the approval of two-thirds ( $2 / 3$ ) of the Student Senate.

The President shall appoint with the approval of two-thirds ( $2 / 3$ ) of the Student Senate one alternate for each student member he appoints, each alternate serving a term, as alternate, coinciding with his respective member. Such alternates shall be ranked as first, second and third, and shall fill for any absentee student member accordingly. Al-
ternate members shall be ranked in order of their appointment, and in cases of simultaneous appointments, a Senior alternate shall have priority.
Section 3. The terms of the appointed members shall begin with the term of the appointing President. In order to initiate the provision that a student be appointed each year for a two year term to the commission by the President, one of the first such appointees shall serve a term of only one year, and shall be designated as such at the time of his appointment.
Section 4. The commission shall establish its own offices and rules for procedure and elect its own officers, except as provided for in this article.

Section 5. Student members of this commission shall be rising juniors or rising seniors at the time of their election or appointment.
Section 6. Questions concerning the interpretation of this constitution or of Student Government legislation shall be referred to the commission if any three elected officers of the Executive Council, or three senators, or fifty members of the Student Government Association shall petition the commission to rule on a question.

Section 7. The commission must rule on all questions submited to it as provided in Section 6 within three weeks after the submission of a question. Any weeks in which exams or college holidays occur will not be counted in the two week period.

Section 8. The commission may not act except to rule upon petitions submitted in accordance with Section 6.
Section 9. The commission shall be the final authority for all questions relating to the interpretation of the Constitution and to Student Senate legislation. Their decision may be overridden only by Constitutional amendment.

## Article VI

Section 1. Any elected Executive Council member or any member of the Student Senate may be removed from office by a two-thirds (2/3) majority of the entire Student Senate membership at two successive meetings. Any appointed Executive Council member may be dismissed from his position by the

President with the approval of a majority of the Executive Council.
Section 2. Vacancies in the Executive Council or Student Senate shall be filled in the following manner:
a) Elected members of the Executive Council shall be replaced by a joint session of the Student Senate and Executive Council in accordance with Article III, Section 2. This choice shall be confined to an elected member of the Executive Council or the Student Senate.
b) The duties of the class president shall be assumed by the respective vice-presidents.
c) A Student Senate member shall be replaced in a special election among members of the class involved.
d) Appointed members of the Executive Council shall be replaced by the President with the consent of a majority of the Student Senate.

## Article VII

Section 1. Any action of the Senate shall be subject to recall within five days of that action. A petition signed by one hundred members of the Student Government Association shall place the Senate's action in abeyance, and refer the question to the Student Government Association in a special or general election to be held no sooner than ten days and within fifteen days after presentation of the petition to the VicePresident of the Student Government Association. One-fourth ( $1 / 4$ ) of the Student Government Association shall override the action of the Senate provided they constitute a majority of those voting.

Section 2. One hundred and fifty members of the Student Government Association by petition may initiate legislation for consideration by the Student Government Association. On receipt of a petition, the Vice-President of the Student Government Association shall present the proposal to a special or general election no sooner than ten days nor no more than fifteen days. The legislation proposed shall be in effect if one-fourth ( $1 / 4$ ) of the Student Government Association is in favor of legislation provided they constitute a majority of those voting. If such legislation is in contravention on existing legislation of the Senate,
such legislation of the Senate shall be considered overridden.

Section 3. A referendum or initiated act shall not be held on the same subject during the same administration. Such action of the Student Government Association shall not be subject to any action of the Senate within the same administration in which a referendum or initiated act is held on said question in subsequent years.

## Article VIII

An amendment to this constitution shall be proposed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote in two successive regular meetings of the Student Senate. It shall be adopted as a part of this Constitution by a majority of the Student Government Association voting in a special or general election.

## Article IX

By-laws shall be adopted by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate. A majority of the Student Senate shall determine whether a proposed measure shall rank as ordinary legislation or as a by-law.

## Article $\mathbf{X}$

This Constitution shall be adopted as the Constitution of the Student Government Association of Southwestern At Memphis when approved by a twothirds (2/3) vote of the present governing body at two successive meetings and by a majority of the Student Government Association voting in a called election.

## Article XI

Positions taken by the Student Senate on political or social issues, not specifically and immediately involved with life at Southwestern, shall be known to the Student Body either through Student Assembly, student publications, or general distributing, and shall take effect five days thereafter. At the time the Senate stand is presented to the Student Body, the Student Body shall also be reminded of its constitutional right of recall.

## COMMITTEES

## Academic Affairs Committee

The Academic Affairs Committee is committed to a belief that any educational institution can be effective and perform its proper function only to the extent that it can foster and maintain an atmosphere conducive to academic excellence. The committee attempts to stimulate students toward an interest in the liberal education and in Southwestern as an institution, and promote dialogue between faculty, administration, and students. In the first year of its formation, the committee held a course evaluation as one of the means to accomplish these ends.

## Hall of Fame

The Hall of Fame Committee chooses a minimum of three and a maximum of seven seniors to Southwestern's Hall of Fame. The selections are announced in the Lynx, and their pictures are placed in Palmer Hall. The committee consists of the sophomore and junior class presidents, junior senators, the Dean of Men and the Dean of Women.

## Who's Who

Approximately 20 seniors, the number varying with the senior enrollment, are nominated by a committee composed of the senators and executive council members from the sophomore and junior classes, for this nationally recognized honor. In selection, emphasis is placed upon the number of activities participated in, the quality of the work done and the service performed for the school and the community. The list of nominees is presented to the student body and additional names may be added to this list upon valid recommendation by the students. A faculty committee makes the final selections from these nominees.

## COMMISSIONS

## Athletics

## Commissioner-Ronald Register

The AC is maintained to attempt to create school spirit in support of athletics, both varsity and intramural. In carrying out this object, the commission works with the Athletic Department and student body in the pursuit of an ever-improving program. Among other things, each year it sponsors the SAU trip.

## Education

Commissioner-Steve Mallet
The commissioner of Education is in charge of informing the student body of the educational programs and activities that take place on campus and in Memphis. He also takes an active part in planning the educational activities on the campus, including the Freshman Orientation Seminars.

## Elections

Commissioner-Michael Storey
The Elections Commission is composed of students interested in serving the school through service to the student body. There are usually 15 to 20 members on the commission who divide the work of publicizing, running and tallying all student elections. All student referendums and popularity elections as well as Student Government elections must procede through this commission. Interested freshmen are urged to contact the elections commissioner.

## Intercollegiate Relations

Commissioner-Bruce Levine
The commissioner of Intercollegiate Relations is in charge of coordinating programs with other colleges. These activities include sending representatives to programs of other colleges and bringing speakers to Southwestern's campus. Its main duties concern N.S.A. and the Midwest Model UN in St. Louis.

## Religious Activities

Commissioner-Chuck McNeal
The Religious Activities Commission is open for membership to the entire student Community. At present it consists of 20 interested students. The function of the Religious Activities Commission is to serve the Southwestern community as an ecumenical body coordinating the various religious activities on campus. Such activities include the Christmas midnight Communion Service, fund drives, aid to student denominational groups, Religious Evaluation Week, and fall and spring religious retreats, as well as a full schedule of speakers.

## Publications

Commissioner-Brad Green
The Publications Commission selects the editors and business managers of the campus publications. The commission is responsible for the proper conduct and the financial management of the Sou'wester, the Lynx, "Ginger," and the "Handbook." The editors of the publications are responsible to the Publications Commission, and, any suggestions concerning these publications should be submitted to the Commissioner via a mailbox in the Student Center.
The Publications Commission is also responsible for publicizing information which affects the entire community (dances, athletics, and elections excluded). All announcements should be submitted to the commissioner or the Publicity Co-ordinator two days in advance.

## Social Activities

Commissioner-Bill Matthews Assistant Commissioner-Janice Holt
The Social Commission is responsible for maintaining and improving the social life on campus. Specifically, it plans any dances, concerts, or social functions sponsored by the Student Government Association, as well as co-ordinating all social events sponsored by all campus organizations through planning of the school social calendar.


## Social Commission

The social committee is composed of one representative from each fraternity and sorority, one representative from the independent men and women groups, and the Social Commissioner. At the beginning of each term of office, each member is required to pass a test over all the rules regarding campus social affairs.

## Student Welfare

Commissioner-Cary Fowler
The Welfare Commission seeks to determine and act upon student needs and desires of a collective or individual nature. Acting on its initiative or as a liaison between students and administration, the Welfare Commission has worked to attempt to improve conditions in numerous areas including: food service, student do-ops, bookstore, freshman orientation; and many individual suggestions and complaints.

The Welfare Commission itself is somewhat unstructured. Individual members work in areas of their own interest with the support and aid of the whole commission. Policy is determined by the students by concensus. Membership is open. The Commission as an active, progressive vehicle for change, and sort of a fun thing to do. Join Us!

## Men's Undergraduate Board

Commissioner-Mike Ripskey
Orientation of all new men students is the main function of the Men's Undergraduate Board. This assistance towards becoming an integral part of the Southwestern Community is provided each new student by counselors sponsored by the Board. These counselors begin their program during the summer with communication to the new students and continue their assistance during the week of orientation and then throughout the year as the need arises.

Although MUB is particularly concerned with the incoming new men during orientation, it is also concerned with the welfare of all men students and stresses the importance of a well-rounded life at Southwestern. To accomplish these goals the Board works together with the Dean of Men and the SGA.

## Women's Undergraduate Board

## Commissioner-Pat Carter

The Women's Undergraduate Board, composed of a cross-section of representatives from the women's groups on campus, promotes co-ordinated activities for the women students at Southwestern. WUB's purpose is to cultivate a strong school spirit, bring attention to good scholastic standing, and foster a spirit of honor among all women students. The board sponsors annually, the Student Counselor Program to aid new students with their adjustment to the college environment, several get togethers for women students on campus, a tutoring program in cooperation with Mortar Board. It also works throughout the year with the Dean of Women toward more and better coordination of activities for women students.


## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PUBLICATIONS COMMISSIONER

When I ran for the office of Commissioner of Publications, I pledged myself to make the publications of this campus representative of all facets of student life. In this context, I invite and urge all stu dents (experienced or not) to participate in your publications, either directly or indirectly. If you would like to work on any of our publications in the upcoming year, contact the respective editor of that publication. Or, if you have suggestions for improving these publications, submit them to me (via a mailbox in the Student Center, or room 211 Ellett Hall).

The Sou'wester, The Lynx, and "Ginger" are consistently in need of staff members. The publications of this campus will be what you make them. So, if
you are interested-give a little time, give a little effort, and make your publications representative of you.

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Sincerely,
brad green
Commissioner of Publications
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## The Publications Board

The Publications Board is an administrative group which has jurisdiction over all official publications. It selects the editors and business managers of the various publications, who are responsible to the Board for the financial status and proper conduct of the publications; it is also responsible for publicizing campus events and selecting the April Fool's play.

## The Lynx

The Lynx is Southwestern's yearbook, issued each year in May. It contains an account, mainly pictorial, of the school year-its activities, personalities, organizations and social life.
The Editor and Business Manager are chosen in the spring by the Publications Board. They, in turn, select their staff from those applying at the publications meeting held during orientation week.
Tommy Wolff ................................ Editor Margaret Ann Cary ................ Assistant Editor Kenny Graeber ................... Business Manager

## The Sou'wester

The Sou'wester is the campus newspaper, published every Friday. It is a molder of public opinion and a subject of conversation on campus and in the community.

The editor, managing editor, and business manager are selected in the spring by the Publications Board. They select their staff from those students who are willing to give a little, or lot (as the case may be) or their time per week to work on the newspaper.
Judy Warren
Editor
Hershel Lipow
Managing Editor
Karen Francis ................... Business Manager

## Ginger

"Ginger" is a student periodical. Since is is a new publication, it is completely open to new ideas and improvisions. The magazine contains a wealth of creative material-both written and artistic. "Ginger gives the creative mind a place to speak.
William Seeto
Editor
David Carter
Managing Editor

## Peter Casparian

Ed White
Tri-Associate Editors

## Ed Stevens

## Arg

Arg is what you make it.

## the handbook

You've got it in your hand right now. The purpose of "the handbook" is to help new students, and sometimes old, become better accquainted with Southwestern by providing information about all campus organizations, regulations and traditions. Pedie Pedersen

Editor

## Educational Activities



Here at Southwestern, we believe that the truly educated person is not only one who has learned all that his books can teach him, but is also one who continually tests and strengthens his knowledge by living and working with others. Listed in this section are various activities, some of which are under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Education, all of which provide opportunities for students to apply and use their knowledge in areas outside the strictly academic sphere.

## High School Visitation Program

The High School Visitation Program has two objectives: to encourage capable students to attend college and to interest students in Southwestern as their college home. As there are two different objectives, there are also two sets of panels, with one presenting the benefits students derive from a college education and the other, whose members represent various phases of Southwestern's campus life, encouraging students to attend Southwestern.

## The Southwestern Panel

The Southwestern Panel, composed of students from all four classes, speaks to church groups, both
youth and adult, on various aspects of college life. It has the dual purpose of encouraging students to attend a small college like Southwestern, and of informing the groups of the college's plans and accomplishments.

## Kinney Program

In September, 1955, the Danforth Christian Service Project was established on Southwestern's Campus. The program focuses on commitment and craftsmanship in order to help the student realize his role in the community as well as in the campus.

In 1966 , the project was renamed in memory of Dr. Lawrence Kinney.

Students in the project do volunteer work in such places as Tennessee Psychiatric Hospital and Institute, Wesley House, as leaders of church youth groups etc. The Educational Improvement Project in which Southwestern students attempt to supplement the education of underprivileged youth is part of the Kinney Program. Churchill Davenport is in charge of EIP, and Tom Thomas and Kitty Johnson are Co-ordinators of the Kinney Program.

## Dilemma

Dilemma is a weekend symposium organized and sponsored entirely by students on topics of national significance. Having been held for the first time in 1966, Dilemma seeks to promote an active dialogue between creative thinkers and concerned students and to encourage thinking on its chosen topic. Through lectures and seminars outstanding speakers present the diverse points of view of the disciplines related to the theme. Included also in the weekend symposium are discussions, a play, an art show, and a film series.

The symposium sessions will be open to the students of surrounding colleges and to interested citizens of Memphis and the Mid-South. All those students interested in working on the Dilemma Committee should contact Hardy Green, chairman.

## Debate Club

The Debate Club is interested in promoting better speaking and logical thought, stressing persuasive
speaking and speaker poise. It is also interested, however, in increasing the reputation of Southwestern in this area, where the emphasis is more academic than any other.

Plans for next year call for the formation of a debate council and for more emphasis on the service aspect of the organization by the sponsoring of speakers and the holding of debates on topics important to both the school and the students. Those interested in joining the club should contact Professor Ray Hill, the faculty advisor.

## Student Services

## Guidance and Placement

The Guidance Center is located in Stewart Hall at 669 University Street, just west of the campus proper. This office works closely with the student's faculty advisor in offering assistance to students in their educational and career planning and their adjustments to the demands of campus life. Counseling is availible to students who desire to improve their study habits and attitudes. Professional testing is offered to students who seek to understand more fully their interests, aptitudes, and abilities as these relate to their educational and career aspirations.

In a liberal arts college where few studies are of direct occupational significance, many students find career planning difficult. To help solve this problem, the college offers a career guidance and placement service. The placement office serves as a clearing house for information on openings in business, industry, government services, and social agencies as well as for those desiring to enter educational work. Arrangements involving part-time, off-campus, and summer jobs are also handled through this office.

An extensive file of college catalogues and scholarship information and other financial aid is maintained for use by students. Current occupational and industrial information is also available.

## Honorary

## Organizations



To those people who have excelled beyond the greatest expectation in their particular field and have also maintained a great interest in the world around them, a well-earned tribute is owed. Honorary organizations serve a dual purpose: to recognize those who excel in their academic fields, and to promote interest and further knowledge in that particular field of study.

## Alpha Psi Omega

Alpha Psi Omega is an honor society for those achieving a high standard of work in dramatics. It permits wider fellowship for those interested in the college theatre. Admission is gained by acquiring a total of 150 acting and production points through participation on various dramatic, activities at Southwestern. In order to maintain membership, a member must earn 25 quality points a year. Students wishing to become pledges of the group and work toward membership should make application to the faculty advisor, Professor Ray S. Hill.

## Chi Beta Chi

Chi Beta Chi is a national honorary scientific fraternity. It attempts to foster an interest in all branches of science, and to afford an opportunity for those students who are engaged in science to meet and exchange views and information on developments in their fields, both on the campus and in the world.
Membership is limited to students majoring in one of the sciences or mathematics. To be eligible, one must have completed 25 hours in his major and a total of 60 academic hours with at least a 3.0 average.
Each year the group honors at a banquet all those freshmen who have made an "A" for their first semester's work in mathematics or in one of the sciences.

## Mortar Board

Southwestern's chapter of Mortar Board, the first and only national organization of senior college women, seeks to recognize outstanding senior women and to promote the ideals of leadership, scholarship, and service.
Each candidate for active membership must have an accumulative average equal to ten percent of the highest grade on the grade scale added to the all campus average. Membership is limited to a maximum number of ten senior women who are tapped in May of their Junior year. At that time Mortar Board also honors the most outstanding sophomore woman chosen by the group.
Service Projects carried out by Mortar Board on the Southwestern campus last year included selling a student activities calendar, and sponsoring a tutoring service and a scholarship banquet.

## Omicron Delta Kappa

ODK, founded at Southwestern on May 25, 1927, is a national leadership honor fraternity for men. The organization is based on the idea that leadership of exceptional quality and versatility in college should be recognized, and that outstanding students, faculty and administration members should meet on a basis of mutual interest, understanding, and helpfulness.

Membership is restricted to junior and senior men and is on the basis of achievement in one of the five phases of campus life, scholarship, athletics, religious and social affairs, music, speech and dramatics arts, and publications. Men students must have an average of at least 2.4 to be tapped.
Each May, ODK honors the most outstanding sophomore man selected by the group. It traditionally sponsors once a year a visiting speaker of note, and together with the Mortar Board sponsors a scholarship banquet, honoring top scholars in each of the four classes.

## Phi Beta Kappa

Phi Beta Kappa is the oldest Greek letter society in America, and, more importantly, it is the oldest (and perhaps the only) fraternal society devoted to the recognition of excellence of scholarship in the liberal arts and sciences.
The national organization was tounded in 1776 at the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia. The Gamma of Tennessee Chapter on campus was initiated in 1949.

Election to this organization is the highest scholastic honor which can be conferred upon a student. To be eligible, a student must have an average of at least 3.5 over seven semesters of approved college work. This past year the largest class in the history of Southwestern Phi Beta Kappa was added to the distinguished roll.

## Pi Kappa Lambda

Pi Kappa Lambda, national honorary music fraternity, rewards and distinguishes outstanding work in the musical field. Alpha Epsilon Chapter at Southwestern is composed of faculty members who elect students not exceeding $20 \%$ of any one class on the basis of their records in all subjects. The chapter established May 14, 1949, and is open only to candidates for the Bachelor of Music degree.

## Psi Chi

A national honorary psychology fraternity, the Southwestern Psi Chi chapter was established in 1952. The fraternity, which is associated with the

American Psychological Association, affords its members contact with the profession of psychology, in order to give them and others a greater interest in and further understanding of the science of psychology.

Membership, by invitation only, is limited to students who have at least a " $B$ " average in twelve hours of psychology.

## Sigma Pi Sigma

This national honorary physics fraternity, which was only recently established on campus, offers its members a chance to keep abreast of the latest developments in their science, both on campus and on the international scene.
A student must be a physics major in the upper third of his class in order to be eligible for induction into Sigma Pi Sigma.

## Departmental Organizations



Knowledge simply learned is simply forgotten, but knowledge that is employed will become a meaningful part of the person. Such an opportunity is provided by the department organizations, where members meet to share and enjoy experiences discovered in learning.

## LANGUAGES

## Der Deutsche Verein

The German club attempts to foster an interest in German culture, sports, historic sites, and literature. Through talks by students who have spent their junior year in Germany, films, meetings with professors, and a practical usage of the language during the meeting, the club attempts to gain true insights into the culture behind the language it studies.

## La Cordura

Southwestern's Spanish club affords students studying the language a chance to acquaint themselves
with life in Spain and in Latin America. Monthly meetings offer native speakers, films, slides and an occasional "fiesta."

## Sans Souci

Sans Souci, the French Club, gives students an opportunity to speak and hear French at its monthly meetings. The programs are devoted to French literature, language and customs. Sans Souci also cooperates with the L'Alliance Francaise of Memphis in various activities. Advanced French majors, and second year students with a " B " average are eligible for membership.

## MUSIC

## Madrigal Singers

The Madrigal Singers is a student organized and led group which specializes in music of the 16 th and 17th centuries. The group performs many times during the school year for many different clubs and organizations. Membership is by invitation only.

## The Organ Guild

The Guild Students Group is a branch of the American Guild of Organists. All members are students who are presently taking organ lessons. The main goals of the group are learning about organ construction and music, as well as touring and playing different organs in Memphis and the Mid-South.

## The Southwestern Singers

Membership in the Southwestern Singers, under the direction of Mr . Tony Garner, is open to any student who is interested in music and who likes to sing. They hold Christmas and Spring Vesper services, and give performances for television and various organizations in Memphis. There is also an annual choir tour.

## SCIENCE

## American Institute of Physics

American Institute of Physics is a national organ-
ization of professional physicists. The Southwestern student affiliated chapter, established in the spring of 1963, sponsors visiting lecturers in various fields of physics. Dr. Jack Taylor is faculty advisor.

## American Chemical Society

The American Chemical Society is a national organization for professional chemists. Southwestern's student affiliated chapter, established in the spring of 1964, has been extremely active. Programs include monthly seminars given by distinguished invited speakers, students, and faculty members; each spring a formal banquet is held. Dr. Ray Vaughn is the faculty advisor.

## Religious

## Organizations



There are four religious groups on the campus: The Baptist Student Union; The Christian Science Organization; The Methodist Student Movement; and United Campus Christian Fellowship.

These groups provide an informal setting for students to meet and discover increasingly the relevance of faith for the student.

## Baptist Student Union

The Baptist Student Union has the dual purpose of giving the Baptist student an opportunity to relate himself to others who share common ideas, and of aiding him in making a religious adjustment in his new surroundings.

## Christian Science Organization

The Christian Science Organization at Southwestern offers an opportunity for students of Christian Science to take an active part in living and understanding the Christian ideas. Weekly meetings are held throughout the school year and one lecture is sponsored each year by the organization.

## Methodist Student Movement

To foster a clearer and stronger understanding of God, man, and their relationship is the underlying purpose of the Methodist Student Movement. Wednesday night discussion groups are augmented by field trips, dinners, and worship service.

## United Campus Christian Fellowship

The UCCF on a national level is a union of four denominational student fellowships-Christian, Evangelical, Church of Christ, and Presbyterian. The UCCF consists of faculty as well as students and is con-
cerned with treating the college and university as a total community. On Southwestern's campus the UCCF seeks to deepen the Christian faith of members of the academic community and to increase the understanding of the responsibility to which God calls members of the academic world in the political, economic, and social realms.

The Greeks


## Women's Panhellenic Council

The Southwestern Panhellenic Council is a body composed of three representatives from each chapter of the National Panhellenic Conference sororities here at Southwestern. The purpose of this body is to arbitrate any disputes or rivalries which may arise among the constituent groups, to regulate and coordinate all rush procedures on this campus, and to serve as a representative voice for all the sororities to the Administration, the college community, and to the civic community.

The Panhellenic Council sponsors two scholastic awards. Aside from presenting several informative programs for freshman women interested in rush, Pan holds a Panhellenic Banquet for all Greek women in the spring to restore a sense of unity after the formal rushing period. Pan also has a biannual Pan Weekend, alternated with IFC Weekend, on which individual sororities have individual parties which culminate in a large, schoolwide formal Pan dance.

The officers of the Panhellenic Council for this year are:

| Lynda Campbell | President |
| :---: | :---: |
| Ann Greer | Vice-President |
| Susan McNeely | Secretary |
| Ellen Osterbind | Treasurer |
| Donna Fisher | Reporter |

Please consult these or any other members of the Pan Council for any questions you may have.

## Alpha Omicron Pi

Alpha Omicron Pi was founded January 2, 1897, at Barnard College, Columbia University, New York. The founders were Jessie Wallace Hughan, Helen St. Clair Mullen, Stella George Stern Perry, and Elizabeth Heywood Wyman. The Sorority now has 91 active and 109 alumnae chapters in the United States and Canada.

The AOPi chapter at Southwestern was founded November 20, 1925, and was named Kappa Omicron after its neighboring chapters, Kappa at RandolphMacon and Omicron at the University of Tennessee.

Rosemary Wood
President
Chi Omega
Chi Omega was founded April 5, 1895 at the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. The four undergraduate founders were Jobelle Holcomb, who was a visiting professor at Southwestern for one year, Ina May Boles, Alice Simonds Cary, and Jean Vincenheller. The sorority today has 133 active and 130 alumnae chapters.

Kappa Beta Chapter was founded May 19, 1922, at Clarksville and was moved to Memphis when Southwestern changed sites in 1925.

Diana Whittemore ................... President

## Delta Delta Delta

Delta Delta Delta was founded Thanksgiving Eve, 1888, at Boston University by Sarah Ida Shaw and Eleanor Dorcas Pond. The sorority now has 105 active chapters and 282 alumnae chapters located in all states and Canada.

Delta Psi chapter was installed at Southwestern in

1929 after a local sorority, Delta Theta Pi, petitioned the national organization and was accepted.

Ducky Smith ......................... President

## Kappa Delta

Kappa Delta was founded October 23, 1897, at Longwood College, Farmville, Virginia. The founders of the order were Mary Sommerville Sparks Hendricks, Julia Tyler Wilson, Sara Turner White, and Lenora Ashmore Blackiston. Today the organization numbers 110 active chapters and 336 alumnae chapters.

Alpha Delta chapter, second national sorority on the campus, was established April 4, 1925.

Natilee Duning ...................... President

## Zeta Tau Alpha

Zeta Tau Alpha was founded at Longwood College in Farmville, Virginia, on October 15, 1898. The nine founders were Alice Bland Coleman, Ethel Lee Coleman, Ruby Bland Leigh, Frances Yancey Smith, Alice Grey Welsh, Helen Crafford, Mary Campbell Jones, Della Lewis, and Alice Maude Jones. Zeta has 106 active and over 200 alumnae chapters in the United States and Canada.

Beta Sigma chapter at Southwestern was installed May 15, 1929, the 67 th chapter in the sorority chain.

> Cheryl Thornton .................. President

## INTERSORORITIES

Southwestern's intersororities have as their purpose the recognition of outstanding sorority women and the promotion of friendly relations among soroity women. There are two national intersororities on campus. Both were founded at Randolph-Macon Women's College. Members meet for lunch in the intersorority colors on certain days of the week.

## Pi

Members of Pi wear green and white with the traditional arm band. Composed of fifteen members, the organization recognizes a May Day Pi as the final new member of the year. New members are announced in assembly on Wednesday.

## S.T.A.B.

S.T.A.B. members wear red and white with the red ribbon and dagger of S.T.A.B. They honor a Found-
er's Day S.T.A.B. each March as the thirteenth member. New members are also announced at Wednesday convocation.

## FRATERNITIES

 INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCILThe Inter-Fraternity Council has as its dual purpose: the regulation of fraternity activities and the development of close relationships among the various Greek groups and the community of the college as a whole.
The executive council consists of the presidents and two representatives from each of the six groups on campus. This year the officers of the council are:

| Chip Hury | President |
| :---: | :---: |
| Bobby Doolittle | Vice-President |
| Kim Kersey | Secretary-Trea |

The IFC is fairly autonomous in regards to legislation and executive direction. However it does work closely with the Social Regulations Council, the Social Commission, and the Administration so that goals may be achieved in the best interest of the individual groups and the college community at large.
The spirit of the Inter-Fraternity Council this year will hopefully be one which actively works through all fraternities toward the realization of the highest ideals of these Greek groups.

Rooted in the belief that an individual's participation in fraternal group life can meaningfully broaden his total education, the Inter-Fraternity Council will continue to encourage both the exercise of meaningful traditions and progressive change.

## Alpha Tau Omega

Founded September 11, 1865, at Richmond, Virginia, Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity is one of the largest social fraternities today, with 129 active chapters.

Established on the Southwestern campus in 1882 when the college was still at Clarksville, ATO was the second national fraternity on campus.

Eddie Hart
President

## Kappa Alpha

Kappa Alpha Order was founded at Washington College, now Washington and Lee University, in Lexington, Virginia, on December 21, 1865, by four students who sought to develop learning, gentlemanly conduct and high moral standards. The Order seeks to stimulate the chivalrous ideals of the Christian gentleman, manly honor and respect for womanhood which are part of the heritage of the old South.

Alpha Epsilon Chapter was founded November 16, 1887. Presently there are 94 active chapters of the order and approximately 60 alumni chapters. Kappa Alpha is the largest fraternity in the South.

Larry Pansons
President

## Kappa Sigma

Kappa Sigma Fraternity was founded in the United States on December 19, 1869, at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville. The fraternity traces its origin to the year 1400 at the University of Bologna, Italy.
Today Kappa Sigma has 134 active chapters and 79 alumni chapters in the United States and Canada. Phi Chapter, founded at Southwestern on April 12, 1882, during the 482nd year of the Fraternity's existence, was moved to Memphis with the college in 1925.

Jim Gannon
President

## Pi Kappa Alpha

Founded at the University of Virginia March 1, 1868, there are now 150 chapters throughout the United States.
Due to the meaningful traditions of Theta chapter, the PiKA National Headquarters was established across the street from the Southwestern campus.

Alan Boon .............................. President

## Sigma Alpha Epsilon

SAE fraternity was founded at the University of Alabama in 1856. Since the founding, SAE has grown into the largest national collegiate fraternity with over 171 active chapters and 86 alumni chapters. Originally SAE was to be a strictly southern fra-
ternity, but due to the efforts of mothers of members of the local chapter located here at Southwest ern, the fraternity grew in every part of the United States. Prominent SAE alumni include World War II war correspondent Ernie Pyle, past U. S. President McKinley, movie star Lloyd Bridges and past Tennessee governor Frank Clement, to name a few.

The local chapter of SAE here at Southwestern, Tennessee Zeta, boasts of a fine and loyal history not only to the national fraternity, but also to the campus as well. It won the highest award from the national fraternity in 1966 for being the chapter that exemplified the most spirit and zeal. On the campus it has had countless numbers of athletes, members of the SGA and school sponsored service projects.

John Purvis ...................... President

## Sigma Nu

Founded at the Virginia Military Institute in 1868 as the Legion of Honor, Sigma Nu has a chapter in every state of the Union except South Dakota. The active chapters number 136 with 75 alumni chapters and nearly 100,000 living members.

Epsilon Sigma chapter was founded at Southwestern in 1934.

Charlie Durham ................... President

## PANHELLENIC AND IFC RUSH RULES

## Pan

1. New women students should not discuss sororities, except with members of the Panhellenic Council and with the Dean of Women.
2. Rushees should not discuss sorority preferences with other students, including other rushees and boys.
3. No invitation of sorority membership shall be indicated or extended in any manner at any time except in formal bidding, which will be handled by the preferential bidding system.
4. All new women students are not to enter any sorority lodge except for official campus functions.
5 . No individual sorority member of pledge or parent thereof, or alumna, or alumnae chapter may give a party of any kind and invite any new women
students without the permission of the Panhellenic Council.
5. A woman must be a student currently enrolled for nine semester hours of credit at Southwestern in order to be eligible for rush.
6. If after accepting an invitation to a party, a rushee finds it impossible to attend, she must notify the President of Panhellenic or the sorority president or presidents involved.
7. A rushee may withdraw from rush at any time by contacting the Panhellenic President or the Dean of Women's Office.
8. Violations of the rush rules must be reported to a member of the Panhellenic Council or a summer representative within 24 hours after they occur. Infractions will then be handled by the Judiciary Committee as outlined in the by-laws of the Southwestern Panhellenic Constitution.

## IFC

1. Freshmen students interested in pledging a fraternity may indicate this desire at a meeting with the IFC on the last Monday before the Thanksgiving recess. If not able to sign up at this time, students will be given until the final day of classes of Term I to register.
2. Students not signing up for rush at this time will not be able to pledge until after the beginning of Term III. Students who fail to fill out a preference card or who do not accept the tendered bid of a fraternity will not be allowed to pledge until after the beginning of Term III.
3. A fee of $\$ 3.00$ will be charged to sign up for rush. Failure to pay will result in exclusion of the person from rush.
4. Freshmen students may not enter fraternity houses after the opening of the dorms until after pledging except to attend rush parties or to attend open houses to which the entire student body is invited, or, beginning the third weekend after the beginning of classes, upon invitation he may enter a house between 10:00 Friday morning and 12 midnight Sunday evening.
5. On the last night of rush, no more that a passing hello may be spoken between new men and fraternity men from 6:30 P.M. until after pledging the fol-
lowing day, except when the new men students are visiting the fraternity houses in their assigned groups.

## INDEPENDENT MEN

Last year, the non-fraternity men completely reorganized the Independent Men in order to increase participation in all phases of campus life. New and old students who are unaffiliated are cordially welcome to participate in the activities of this group.

## INDEPENDENT WOMEN

The Independent Women is an organization open to all non-Greek affiliated women. Anyone desiring to become a member may apply to one of the officers to do so.

## Athletics



## ATHLETICS

Southwestern recognizes that sports and triaining in physical education are of value to the individual and that intercollegiate athletic competition can be both entertaining and broadly constructive. The College, therefore, maintains both an extensive intramural and varsity program. However, Southwestern still holds to the premise that these must complement, not over-shadow, the academic. Thus the College gives no athletic scholarships, giving every student a chance to earn a place on a team, and its admissions and academic standards require an athlete to maintain the same level of scholarship as other Southwestern students.
Southwestern is a member of the five school College Athletic Conference and its intercollegiate teams are known as the Lynx. The College enters competition in seven sports: football, basketball, tennis, golf track and cross-country.
The intramural program is extensive and all students are encouraged to participate. Fraternity, sorority and independent teams participate in flagball, basketball, volleyball, softball, golf, track, tennis, handball, badminton, bowling, and pool, among others.

There are also various athletic organizations, whose purpose it is to create interest in athletics and to promote school spirit.

## Men's Intramural Board

The Men's Intramural Board, composed of representatives from the six fraternities and the independent men, has charge of all men's intramural athletics. It sponsors tournaments among the fraternities and independent groups in flagball, basketball, ping-pong, softball, golf, volleyball, tennis, badminton, and track.

## Women's Athletic Association

The WAA, under the guidance of elected representatives from each sorority and independent group, controls all women's intramural athletics. It sponsors tournaments between the sororities and independent groups in volleyball, basketball, softball, archery, golf, badminton, tennis, and ping-pong.

## "S" Club

The " $S$ " Club is composed of all men who have earned letters in one of the varsity sports (football, tennis, golf, cross-country, basketball, baseball, and track).

## Pan-Olympic

Pan-Olympic, founded in 1948, is an honorary women's athletic association. It is designed to create more individual interest in intramural activities. New members of Pan-Olympic are selected at the end of each academic year by the old members. Members are selected because of their outstanding performance in one or more intramural sports during their first three years of college. Thus, the senior, or rising senior, women selected are the outstanding women athletes on campus. Each member is given a red blazer with the Pan-Olympic emblem on the pocket.

## Southwestern Athletic Union

The Commissioner of Athletics serves as president of the Southwestern Athletic Union. The commission is composed of class representatives as well as a vice president and secretary-treasurer.

The purpose of the Southwestern Athletic Union is to provide for, increase, and maintain school spirit; to provide a campus-wide organization to which all students may belong and in which each may work towards a unified goal; to actively support, through a well organized program, the total athletic effort of Southwestern At Memphis, including varsity sports, intramural activities, and other events in which a large part of the student body participates; to encourage attendance at every athletic vient; to plan and defray costs of out-of-town trips to athletic events; to plan and provide for any and all other such activities as shall be fitting to such an organization.

## Fellowship of Christian Athletes

The aim of the Fellowship of Christian athletes is to foster Christian ideals in the area of athletic endeavors. The group meets for breakfast each week.

## Pep Band

The Pep Band is a volunteer student organization composed of students with some musical ability, who are interested in promoting school spirit. The band plays at all home football and basketball games. Rehearsals are held at a time decided upon by the members.

## College Athletic Conference

Southwestern is in its sixth year as a member of the College Athletic Conference, which also includes the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn.; Washington and Lee of Lexington, Va.; Washington University of St. Louis, Mo.; and Centre College of Danville, Ky.

The purpose and principles of the conference reflect the general athletic atmosphere of all the members: "The purpose of the College Athletic Conference shall be to provide an association through which the member institutions may encourage organized competition in intercollegiate sports among teams representative of their respective student bodies.
"It shall be a cardinal principle of this conference that all participation in sports by the members of its teams will be solely because of interest in and the enjoyment of the game. No financial aid shall be given
to any student which is conditional upon, or for the purpose of encouraging, his participation in intercollegiate sports."

Sports covered by the conference include football, basketball, tennis, track and field, golf, cross-country, and baseball. Wrestling and swimming will be added as soon as feasible.

A bell symbolizes the CAC championship in each sports division. Last year Southwestern won the coveted President's Bell which is awarded to the school that accumulates the most points in all sports.

## SOUTWESTERN AT MEMPHIS 1969 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

| Date | Team | Where |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| September 20 | Austin | Home |
| September 27 | Centre | Away |
| October 4 | Washington | Home |
| October 11 | Millsaps | Away |
| October 18 | Coast Guard Academy | Away |
| October 25 | Sewanee | Home |
| November 1 | Principia | Home |
| November 8 | Washington \& Lee | Away |
| November 15 | Maryville | Home |
| HOMECOMING <br> 2:00 P.M. - FARGASON FIELD |  |  |
| SOUTHWESTERN AT MEMPHIS |  |  |
| 1969-70 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE |  |  |
| Date | Opponent | Place |
| Dec. 1 | U . of Tennessee at Martin | Away |
| Dec. 5 \& 6 | Dixie Tournament <br> (SW, CBC, LRU, Belhaven | Home |
| Dec. 9 | Lambuth ................. | Away |
| Dec. 11 | Belhaven | Away |
| Jan. 6 | Sewanee | Home |
| Jan. 12 | Lambuth | Home |
| Jan. 17 | U. of Missouri at St. Louis | Away |
| Jan. 19 | U. of Tennessee at Martin | Home |
| Jan. 21 | C.b.C. | Away |
| Jan. 26 | Georgia State |  |
| Jan. 28 | Little Rock University | Away |
| Fan. 30 | Washington University | Away |
| Feb. 5 | David Lipscomb | Home |
| Feb. 7 | Georgia State .. | Away |
| Feb. 11 | C.B.C. | Home |
| Feb. 14 | David Lipscomb | Home |
| Feb. 17 | Belhaven | Home |
| Feb. 21 | Sewanee | Away |
| Feb. 26-28 | C.A.C. (Wash. Univ.) | Away |
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## Campus

## Events



## CAMPUS EVENTS

The Southwestern student soon realizes that "booking it" goes hand in hand with a little relaxation. There is a time for all things in the life of a student. One must not wait for the realization that "Time, Time,/ Time, see what's become of me/ While I looked around for my possibilities./ I was so hard to please./ Look around,/Leaves are brown,/ And the sky is a hazy shade of winter." He learns to sample life and learning as it comes to him. Some of these experiences have become traditional.

## All-Sing

Kappa Delta sponsors an All-Sing each year to raise funds for its philanthropic work. Each Greek letter organization presents two songs, and the fraternity and sorority winners are awarded trophies.

## April Fool Carnival

On the weekend nearest April 1, Southwestern celebrates April Fool Weekend with its annual carnival. On Friday evening is the performance of a play written, directed, and presented by Southwestern students. Saturday afternoon a concert is often given featuring a top flight entertainment act.

On Saturday evening, the carnival royalty, chosen by the student body, are presented. The king, queen, prince, princess, lords, ladies, and court jesters of the royal court reign over the climax of the weekend.

## Beauty Revue

Each year the Lynx holds a beauty revue. The sororities and the Independent Women each enter six participants in the contest while each fraternity selects one girl to represent them. Eleven women are
chosen as finalists, and of these five are selected as beauties and six as favorites. The first announcement of the final choices appears in the Lynx.

## Derby Day

Derby Day, sponsored by the Sophomore Class, is held each year in the fall. Each class competes in the day's track and field events and a Derby Day Dance is held that night.

## Homecoming

Homecoming festivities usually fall during the month of October. The student body elects a queen and the " S " Club and football team each selects a princess.
Fraternity and sorority lawns are decorated and judged on the basis of originality and appearance.
Annual events include a pep rally, bonfire, football game, fraternity open houses, and the Homecoming dance.

## Student-Faculty Softball Classic

At the end of the school year, prior to examinations, representatives of each male social group challenge the faculty to a softball game. Following the game a picnic is held for all members of the faculty and student body.

## Stunt Night

To further its philanthropic work, Alpha Omicron Pi sponsors Stunt Night. Following presentation of original skits by each sorority and fraternity, trophies are awarded to the winning groups.

## Student Union Weekend

Each year the Student Union plans and executes the Student Union Weekend which highlights the year with social and recreational activities. Some of the social events are a night club complete with folk groups, jazzy combos and talented campus entertainers decided upon by auditions. Recreation includes contests such as a bridge tournament, skill driving course, and a pancake eating contest. The winning sponsored group claims the President's Trophy for the year. The weekend is climaxed with
a dance complete with a big name combo. For 1969 70 the Student Union Weekend will be a Winter Carnival.

## Carnival

Zeta Tau Alpha sponsors a Carnival each year to provide funds for its philanthropic work. Each sorority, fraternity, independent or class group is allowed to enter a booth in the Carnival. After paying an entrance fee, which goes to Zeta's philanthropy, each participating group is free to keep all the proceeds from its booth,

## SOCIAL REGULATIONS COUNCIL

The responsibility given students at Southwestern has manifested itself through the established Honor Code and the Honor Council for many years. The freedom given the student in this capacity places an inherent responsibility of supporting and getting involved in the system and spirit of honor. Recently, an added burden has been placed in the hands of students with respect to governing their social and moral conduct on campus. We, as students, have the opportunity "to establish through initiation, ratification and coordination all student social legislation." We must also "adjudicate offenses thereto and act as an appellate court for the council's constituent groups and for the Administrative deans of the College."

For those reasons the Social Regulations Council was formed which consists of seventeen voting members: a president, eight elected class representatives and eight ex officio members. There are six constituent organizations represented on the council at this time by the ex officio members; these are the Panhellenic Council, the Interfraternity Council, Student Union, Welfare Commission, Men's Dorm Board and Women's Dorm Board.
The key to the success of the Social Council is the word cooperation. The council must work together with the support of every student to effectively bring about just social legislation that will concern not only the campus in general, but the constituent groups represented.

No legislation, old or new, can be considered legally binding until approved by the council itself. Since we do have a relatively small student body, any regulation concerns the individual either directly or indirectly and thus all major organizations must have a part in determining what regulations exist.

The Social Regulations Council will also hear and try all cases of violations. These cases may in some instances be initiated by the council itself, or be referred to the council by some constituent group or individual.

Finally, your Social Regulations Council must depend on the individual student to assume responsibility to help report violations, to enforce the regulations decided upon by your elected representatives and to recommend every new or revised legislation.

## LETTER FROM THE SOCIAL REGULATIONS COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Let me be one of many to welcome you to a new collegiate year; whether you stand at its threshold as a freshman or a senior, I hope it will bring personal success. As President of this relatively new council I would like to make four requests of you as an individual. First, that you acquaint yourself with the Social Regulations Council constitution, paying particular attention to the legislative and judiciary process. Second, that during orientation and then throughout the school year familiarize yourself with the campus regulations to give you, a member of this college community, a knowledge of the freedoms you possess on this campus. Third, that you realize not too many colleges allow students to handle social regulations, but that we now have this power and must use it respectively. And lastly, the council is not an elite power group but, on the contrary, wants to be truly representative and responsive to the needs of the students. You must act with the council in this task before us this year of a just rendering of a social code for ourselves in this academic community.

Sincerely,<br>RICK HOLLINGSWORTH<br>SRC President

## SOCIAL REGULATIONS

Since the area of social regulations is as wide as there are social activities, successful jurisprudence depends on and insists on corporate and individual responsibility. As an adult member of the college community, the student is expected to respect the social contact which makes that community possible. Offenses thereto will result in disciplinary action.
These specific rules form the bulk of the "written code" and are worth remembering.

1. Alcohol: All students are subject to the laws of Tennessee. Also, college regulations prohibit drinking in certain public places such as the student center, the library, classrooms, etc.
2. Dress: The student is allowed to use his own judgement in this area. In accordance with Tennessee health regulations, shoes must be worn in the refectory.
3. Parietals: Upon invitation, women may visit men's rooms between the hours of 1 P.M. and 12 midnight Monday through Thursday, and between 1 P.M. and 2 A.M. on the week end.
4. Guests: The college considers guests to be the responsibility of the student who invited them to the campus.
5. Firearms and pets are not allowed to be kept on campus.

## SOCIAL FUNCTIONS REGULATIONS

In the interest of establishing a more pervasive and cohesive sense of community on campus, the Pan-Hellenic and Interfraternity Councils, in conjuction with the Social Regulations Council, request that all fraternities, sororities and independent groups refrain from planning their individual social functions on dates that conflict with the following: (1) Homecoming Dance, (2) IFC and PAN Dances, (3) Dilemma, (4) April Fool's Dances, (5) Arg Festival, (6) Student Center Weekend, (7) and any other function of a campus-wide nature that is announced in advance.

For this purpose, the social chairman of all sponsoring groups will notify, at least three days in advance, The Commissioner of Social Activities or the president of IFC or PAN. Any group wishing to reserve specific calendar dates must submit a petition to the Commissioner at least three weeks in advance.
All groups sponsoring entertainment after 8 P.M. will invite at least one nonstudent-legal adult to their function. This person will then be contacted by the Dean of Women's Office and will agree to attend the function from beginning to end and will be expected to report on the date, place and times of the event and to report on the conduct of those attending. All sponsoring groups will be expected to submit the same information to the Dean of Women's Office within one week after the event.

## USE OF THE GYMNASIUM

1. The Social Commissioner and the Athletic Director must be contacted for approval.
2. The event must be placed on the social calendar in the Dean of Women's Office at least one week in advance.
3. A $\$ 15$ fee must be paid in the cashier's office.
4. Decorations must be approved by the Maintainance engineer.
5. No smoking or drinks of any kind will be allowed on the basketball court. This rule will be rigidly enforced.
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Admission, readmission Dean of Admissions ..... 100 Palmer
Alumni Affairs Director of Alumni Affairs Harris Hall
Athletics Director of Athletics ..... Gym
Automobile registration Business Manager 101 Palmer
Band, Pep Student Director, Claudia Hughey ..... Tuthill Hall
Bills Cashier ..... 105 Palmer
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Religious organizations Southwestern Interfaith Council Student Center
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