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Faculty Favors Eisenhower

"The Sou'wester" recently sponsored a Presidential-Preference Poll among the faculty and staff members to determine their sentiments for the major presidential candidates in the forthcoming national election. About fifty ballots were passed out, and the "voters" were asked to mark Eisenhower, Stevenson, or Undecided. Out of the forty-seven that were returned, thirty-five or approximately 74.5% thought that Eisenhower would make the better president. Eight, or 17.0%, voted for Stevenson, and four, or 8.5%, had not yet made up their minds.

INTRAMURAL NEWS

Ballgames Get In Full Swing

On Wednesday, October 22, KA defeated the Independents, 20-6, with Bennie Lamberth and Omar Smith setting the pace for the victors, while Bob Smith tallied the losers' only score.

On the same afternoon ATO defeated KS in a thrilling ball game, 12-7. Clark Young and Albert Evans produced the ATO scores, and Bob Jackson was the offensive leader for KS.

The following day the Independents, sparked by the fine play of Bob Smith and Gene Fowinkle, downed PiKA 32-7, with John Kurts scoring the losers' touchdown.

On Friday, October 27, SAE defeated KA 12-6 in a hotly contested ball game, with Jerry Wood tossing to Rodney Field and Frank Barton for the SAE scores. Wiley Umphlett scored for KA.

Last Monday, SN, led by Bobby and Buddy Allison, trounced KA, 25-6. Omar Smith was the offensive plug for the losers. ATO defeated the Independents, 14-0, with Sid Vise and Albert Evans leading the ATO offense.

On Tuesday, SAE won an overwhelming victory over PiKA, with a score of 55-0. Frank Barton and Jerry Wood led their team in the victory flight.

The leading scorers are:

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| 1. Frank Barton (SAE) | 28 |
| 2. Bob Allison (SN) | 24 |
| 3. Bob Jackson (KS) | 20 |
| 4. Bob Smith (Ind.) | 13 |
| 5. Bennie Lamberth (KA) | 12 |
| 6. Albert Evans (ATO) | 12 |

Next week's football schedule:
Monday, November 3—SAE vs KS
Tuesday, November 4—PiKA vs KA
Wednesday, November 5—ATO vs SN and SAE vs Ind.

Friday, November 7—ATO vs KA
Charlie Rhodes, who participated in every intramural sport except table tennis last year, has been elected president of the Intramural Board.

Political Rallies Held Thursday

Political Rallies, Southwestern fashion, swept the campus Thursday night, October 31. Students and faculty alike discarded the books, forgot about Homecoming for a while, and turned all thoughts and energy toward politics. An hour was devoted to each of the major political parties, with Ann Gill leading the Republican forces and Douglas Marsh organizing the Democrats.

The Democrats

David Alexander, the main speaker for the Democratic Platform, answered the accusations of the Republicans in their own language with his talk on, "It's Time for a Change." Jennie Lee Davis and Dr. J. H. Davis also spoke briefly. Members of the faculty supporting the Democratic ticket seated on the stage were: Mrs. M. H. Townsend, Dr. J. H. Davis, Professor Olive W. Quinn, Miss Mary Marsh, and Mrs. Ann Boatner.

The Democratic Campaign song, "Don't Let Em Take It Away," was played backstage, and Jennie Lee Davis led the group in singing this song. The Southwestern band added further music to the rally. Douglas Marsh, the leader of the Democratic Rally, made summarizing talks both at the beginning and end of the rally.

The Republicans

The Republican Rally found Professors Eleanor Bosworth, A. P. Kelso, Laura Robinson, and E. L. Queener seated on the platform as Dot Henning, Lisa Rollow, Marilyn Drash and Erin Moody led the group in "Ike" cheers. Lane Erwin gave a criticism of Stevenson and the Truman administration; Pat Reigle issued a rebuttal to the criticisms made about Eisenhower and the Republicans. Holly Mitchell presented Eisenhower's stand on the different issues. Jack Funkhouser led the Southwestern band as they played "Dixie," "When the Saints Go Marching In," and "It's a Great Day," which Gene McFarland sang.

Folders entitled "The Lynx Like Ike" were distributed among those in attendance. Six girls mingled among the audience wearing catchy sandwich signs criticizing the present administration. Signs supporting Ike from every campus organization and every state represented on campus were available. "A Clean Up the Mess" demonstration with about ten students holding mops, brooms, and "Scour with Eisenhower" signs ended the rally.

The Rally was under the supervision of Ann Gill, with John Butterworth in charge of decorations, Erin Moody supplying the posters, and Dot Henning organizing the "Ike" yells.

The Election

A mock election was held Friday under the supervision of Professor Lowry's class in Political Parties. Election returns were not available at press time, but announcement will be made next week as to how Southwesterners voted—for Ike, for Adlai, or for Pogo!

Many Festivities Planned For Today



Pictured above is Miss Claudia Owen, 1952 Homecoming Queen. Miss Owen was chosen by the student body to receive this signal honor. A member of Kappa Delta Sorority, she is a sophomore, a member of S.T.A.B. Intersorority, was secretary of the 1951 Freshman class, and was featured in the beauty section of the "Lynx" last year. Chosen to reign with Claudia over the Homecoming festivities are Misses Ann Hebert, Football princess, and Millye Bunn, "S" Club princess. Miss Hebert is a sophomore member of Alpha Omicron Pi, representing her sorority on the Women's Athletic Association, is a member of Pi Intersorority, was president of the Evergreen Dormitory Governing Board last year and is a member of the Voorhies Board this year. She was also featured in the beauty section of the annual last year. Miss Bunn, a junior, is treasurer of Chi Omega, has been a cheerleader three years, a member of S.T.A.B. Intersorority, Vice-president of the Women's Undergraduate Board, and Junior representative to the Publications Board.

WF Organizes: Officers Announced

The Westminster Fellowship of Evergreen Presbyterian Church is an organization of college young people who have come together seeking to express the Christian Faith through organization, program emphasis, and activities. This group is the Presbyterian organization of the Protestant Religious Council of Southwestern.

The ultimate purpose of WF is to lead youth to grow in effective Christian living by knowing Jesus, accepting Him as Lord and Savior, following His principles in daily living, and leading others to know and follow Him; bringing the way of Christ to bear on needs in society; developing Christian fellowship among young people in their relation to each other and to the community; and training them and giving them opportunities for Christian service both at home and abroad.

Officers

The Council for the 1952-53 session is composed of the following members: President, Doug Buford; Vice-president, Ann Taylor

Walker; Secretary, Mary Helen McLeod; Faith Chairman, Newton Todd; Outreach Chairman, Henry Moseley; Citizenship Chairman, Anne Hebert; Fellowship Chairman, Bob McClure; Stewardship Chairman and Treasurer, Peggy Fitch; Sunday School Representative, Mary Williams; Advisors, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Amis; and Minister, Dr. W. J. Millard.

Activities

The activities of the Westminster Fellowship include the annual Synod Retreat to Chickasaw State Park, which will be held this year April 17-19; service projects through Evergreen Church; and work at Kennedy Hospital. On Thursday evenings, every other week, a social hour is held for all students at Southwestern who wish to join the WF'ers for folk-songs, hymn singing, and games.

All students are invited and urged to attend the meetings of WF at Evergreen at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday evenings, when supper will be served and a worship service and program will be presented, and on alternate Thursdays at 6:45.

FROSH TO BE FREE FROM REGULATIONS

Homecoming shifts into high gear today, with many events planned to keep everyone busy from morning to midnight.

Sorority and fraternity members will be busy all morning decorating their houses and lawns in various homecoming scenes. Judging of the decorations will take place about 1:00 p.m. by several judges chosen by the alumni. The presidents of the winning sorority and fraternity will be awarded trophies for their houses at the dance tonight.

Ballgame

Today's second big event will start at 2:00 p.m. The Southwestern Lynx will meet with the Sewanee Tigers in a fight for the pigskin. The cheerleaders will be on hand to lead Southwestern yells and urge our boys to victory.

Halftime ceremonies will be reigned over by Homecoming Queen Claudia Owen and her Princesses, Millye Bunn and Anne Hebert. The Freshman Pajama Race will be the special treat of this period. The Freshmen boys, dressed in their pajamas, will pile their shoes together at one end of the playing field, try to find their shoes and put them on. Naturally, they will be encouraged in their search by paddles, wielded by the hands of upperclassmen. After the ballgame, they will be allowed to burn their bonnets, caps, and signs, forget their regulations, and become normal human beings again.

Open Houses

The fraternities will hold open house in honor of the alumni, students, and friends from 4-8 p.m. On hand at each house to welcome guests will be the presidents of the various groups — Gus Schmidt, PiKA; Jack Worthington, ATO; Bill Allen, SAE; Joe Lawson, KS; Don Ramier, KA and Lane Erwin, SN. Refreshments and entertainment will be provided at the lodges for the enjoyment of those attending.

The Formal

Climaxing the day's activities will be the Homecoming Formal in Fargason Field House from 9-12 p.m. Bill Justis and his orchestra will supply the music. Intermission will feature the homecoming royalty and the football squads of both schools. The decoration trophies and a special trophy for the fraternity selling the most tickets to the dance will be given at this time.

The striking of midnight will bring down the curtain on this gala homecoming day.

Last Night

But, today's events are just a part of the actual homecoming celebration, for it actually got underway last night.

Fargason Gym was the site of the big Halloween-Homecoming Supper which was attended by almost the entire student body. Tri-Delta entertained with a Halloween-Homecoming Open House, and a big pep-rally followed. The band (Continued on Page 2)

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CAMPUS CHALLENGES

By Patsy Braswell

So what? Next Tuesday, November 4, is election day—the day the citizens of the United States choose their next president. “So what,” says the unthinking college student. “I’m studying at a Christian college; I’ve already been filled with the “studying is the Christian student’s vocation” doctrine. So what about these elections?” Or this might be the student’s reaction: “Why should this concern me; I can’t even vote in this election.” Or, if the speaker can vote, his attitude might be one of the following sort: “I’m from Alabama and my folks have been Democrats since before the Civil War.” “Any party that seats a negro delegation from a southern state surely won’t get my vote.” Or perhaps, “those Democrats think they’ve pulled a fast one on Kefauver. But now it’s Ike for me; I’ll teach ‘em to give my man the switcheroo.” Or, “I think it’s terrible the way they’re saying such things about Eisenhower. I’m going to vote for him; I think he’s a nice man.” “Stevenson is a divorced man—that shows he’s not too stable—it’s Ike for me!”

These may be typical campus reactions, but let us hope not prevalent on Southwestern’s campus. Sure, we’re a Christian college, and we’re Christian students. So what?

So we’re living in the twentieth century. So we’re concerned with every phase of life—and politics is a vital phase—particularly in this age of jet planes and atomic warfare. Politics vitally concerns us—for we’re not the “younger” generation any more; we’re THIS generation, and as such, the job is on our shoulders to clean up the mess in the world affairs. And if we’re ever going to start, now is the time. What better place is there to begin than in our own front yard?

All of us at some time have bemoaned the common political practice of mud slinging. And yet have we tried to stop it or have we repeated some rumor we overheard on the bus coming home from town? Have we been taken in by this mud-slinging? All of us, whether we’ve reached the magical age of twenty-one or not, have formed some opinion about the coming election. How was your opinion formed? It is as much a Christian’s duty to be informed on world and national affairs as it is to study hard, or to deal justly with your fellow man. As Christians, we must be concerned with the problems of the spirit. Used by a concerned Christian, the vote is a powerful instrument in a democracy. Use your vote! Use it wisely. Study the campaigns, know why you favor one candidate or the other. May we revise a current slogan somewhat: “Go to the polls and vote—vote wisely!”

Let us make the word “politics” once more a symbol of fine government rather than a blanket acceptance for shame, bribery, party machinations. Go to the polls—but first read, think, discuss. Then vote wisely, for this, too, is your Christian duty.

ALUMNI HOLD DINNER, DANCE

Saturday night, October 25, the Southwestern Alumni Association held its annual homecoming dance at the University Club, from 9:00-12:00.

After a delightful dinner, Mr. Julian Nall gave a thumbnail sketch of the progress and development that has been made at Southwestern during the past year. Mr. S. Shepherd Tate, president of the alumnae association, introduced Mr. Charlie Rond, Southwestern alumnus, who impressed the crowd with his wit and humor as master

of ceremonies during the drawing for door prizes.

Student Guests

Miss Claudia Owen, 1952 Homecoming Queen; Miss Anne Hebert, football princess; Miss Millye Bunn, “S” Club princess; Allen Cooke, vice-president of the Student Body; Bennie Lamberth, Commissioner of Athletics; and Chandler Warren, Commissioner of Social Activities were members of the Southwestern Student Body that were honored guests at this occasion. Chandler was spokesman for this group, telling those in attendance the plans that have been made for the celebration of homecoming this weekend.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Wener Answers Ratcliff's Letter

I feel it necessary to attempt to clear up a few of the mistaken impressions held by Jimmie Ratcliff. Your editor’s note was a noble effort, but did nothing toward really acquainting him with certain facts which are available to any student who takes the time them.

Obviously Mr. Ratcliff’s memory and effort necessary to secure is not that of the proverbial elephant, for the physical education program for the past four years has required the freshment to take the following types of sports: tennis (fall and spring), golf (fall and spring), touch football, volleyball, basketball, and badminton. Written exams were given on all of the preceding sports. The sophomores have had their choice of sports, although most of them took golf and tennis in the fall and spring, and badminton the rest of the year.

Tennis

As previously stated in “The Sou’wester,” two new coaches were added for the current school year. Derrick Barton, who was hired primarily to teach tennis, comes to us from Davidson College, where he produced an excellent tennis team for the past five years. He works as the tennis pro at the University Club in Memphis and was a member of the English Davis Cup Tennis Team. Presently, there are 140 students who are enrolled in Mr. Barton’s tennis classes, and being one of them, I can safely say, profitably.

Golf

Pat Abbott, our new golf instructor, is one of the nation’s best teachers. He is the outstanding golf pro in the south. He conducts a golf clinic each Friday at 1:30 for about sixty students. More should be taking advantage of this rare opportunity for building a good, solid game of golf.

Intramurals

With such high quality instructors, I cannot help but feel that Mr. Ratcliff’s observations are groundless and unjustified. The primary aim of the fraternities in intramural competition is to win. As a result, only the better players are allowed to participate. This seems pretty reasonable to me.

Mr. Ratcliff also spoke of sports which the participant will be able to carry over into his later life. I should like to remind him that out of the ten intramural events, horseshoes, table tennis, badminton, tennis, golf, and volleyball are all individual events. All of these are offered for the student to take advantage of, and all can certainly be pursued after college days are through. This year along, over 40 men participated in the round robin horseshoe tournament. Would you say this is specialized, Mr. Ratcliff?

The prime purpose of this letter has been to inform. All the facts stated in it were secured in a five-minute conversation with Coach Mabry, who, incidentally, is to be commended on the excellent program he has built up. I hope that the letter has accomplished the desired results, i.e., setting Mr. Ratcliff and a few closer skeptics straight on the real efficiency of the physical education program.

Louis Wener

EDITOR’S NOTE: The editors of the Sou’wester would like to here emphasize that the opinions that have been expressed by Mr. Wener are entirely his own, and definitely do not express the views of the Sou’wester Staff. We feel that Mr. Ratcliff was sincere in his criticism and suggestions, and they must have been pertinent ones, for changes and improvements in the physical education program have been made since Mr. Ratcliff left here last year.

HOMECOMING

Homecoming, 1952, is this year’s most outstanding event. A multitude of plans have been made by our Student Council to make today a day that will long be remembered by the alumni and us—the future alumni. Two full days of activities have been scheduled for the amusement and enjoying of every Southwesterner.

Last night the theme was Halloween, yet it was Homecoming, too. A supper in the gym, a bonfire and pep-rally, and an informal dance, added to the Delta Delta Delta Open House, provided a wonderful evening of entertainment for everyone.

Today offers even more opportunities for having a good time. Each fraternity and sorority will spend the morning decorating its lawn to depict our hoped-for defeat of the Sewanee Tigers. The Lynx will be on hand this afternoon to give the Tigers a rough time on the ball field. The fraternities will “put out the welcome mats” and hold open houses for past, present, and future Southwesterners. The climax of this great day is the Homecoming Dance.

To the Student Council

Thanks to you, Student Council, for your efficient planning. Thanks, for the work you have done to make this a memorable day in all our lives; and special thanks to those of you who have headed the committees appointed to carry out these plans. Your efforts were not in vain.

To the Faculty

The suspension of today’s classes has helped greatly in making our day a big success. We know that you will feel justified in your decision.

To Our Alumni

It is with no false enthusiasm, or sense of “doing what is expected of us,” that the students of Southwestern welcome you back to the campus on Homecoming Day. Nor do we act in any spirit of “old school tie” over-sentimentality, or obvious tears of artificial happiness.

Rather, we would like to extend our most sincere greetings to you as from friends to friends—from we who have the privilege of attending Southwestern now, to you who enjoyed the same privilege one, several, or many years ago.

We are intensely proud of the rapid growth our college has made, in students attending, faculty members, and buildings; and we want you to share in that pride. We have seen for ourselves the vast educational program, and we would like to tell you about it. The “Southwestern of the Future” that has long been dreamed of is becoming more and more apparently the “Southwestern of the Present,” and the credit is given to those who have been, who worked for the benefit of those who will come.

In one thing, however, we share perpetually, without the need of an annual Homecoming Day to refresh our memory. It is that intangible, indefinable, yet perfectly positive something known as “School Spirit.” Before you left Southwestern, you had found it. We who are here now are only gradually learning what it is. We are hoping you can help us in our search.

Southwestern is glad you are back.

To Us

Let’s make today a Homecoming the like of which has never been seen before and which will never again be equalled. Let’s make this a day that we can remember all our lives—a day to which we can point with pride. Give the alumni a hearty welcome, for we will be in their places someday—coming back to the school that has given to us so much. Show them that Southwestern is still the great place they remembered.

We have often heard of “the spirit that is Southwestern.” Today that spirit will be greatly in evidence everywhere we go. Let us hope that this spirit will be instilled in us, so that we can learn to appreciate the value of a college education, for we receive not only “book learning,” but also wisdom—a thing so necessary for the living of a full life.

To the Freshmen

Undoubtedly, this will be a great day in your lives, for your regulations fade into the past this afternoon. Your cooperation with the upperclassmen has been commendable, and we congratulate you on the spirit you have shown. Keep up this good spirit, and you will find that college days can be the happiest and most profitable days of your lives.

Homecoming is a time for rejoicing, yet it is a time for deep thought, too. We can profit by its meaning. It is a time of coming home—a time when we can review a significant part of our lives—a time when we can re-live the experiences we had in college—a time when we can look back and see our successes and failures and get a fresher outlook on the future—a time when we can renew old friendships and make new friends. Yes, Homecoming is truly a great day in our lives, and from it we can reap untold benefits.

Festivities . . .

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and the cheerleaders were there to lead us in pep songs and yells.

At 9:30, everyone paraded back to the gym for a dance to the

music of the “Juke-box.” The dance was a backwards affair, and the boys were relieved that they didn’t have to build up the courage to break on the other couples, since this was the privilege of the girls.

Sportlite—

Lynx Cats In Good Shape; Writer Predicts Victory

By Don Ramier

Once again Homecoming Day is at hand, and spirits, hopes, and expectations for a gridiron victory are flying high.

In order to properly evaluate the game to be played this afternoon with Sewanee and possibly obtain some standard for predicting the results of the big tilt, let's consider two factors. One factor, the lesser, is the history of the Homecoming Day, and the record Southwestern's teams have compiled in the past.

The first season statistics were compiled on a Lynx gridiron squad way back in the dark ages of 1899. Oddly enough the Lynx, at that time claiming Clarkesville, Tennessee, as home base, played Sewanee on November 3 in their first Home-

coming game. Our boys lost that one, but recovered to shut out the University of Kentucky in their next game of that season.

Over the following years, Southwestern teams turned in some impressive records, not only in Homecoming games, but also in the regular season tilts.

Most impressive of Southwestern's teams were those of the thirties and early forties. During that period, Lynx teams upset such high-ranking schools as Vanderbilt and Mississippi State. The fighting Cats also tied Ole Miss, Clemson, and Vanderbilt, during this period.

Perhaps the best Homecoming game the Lynx played was in 1940. That year Southwestern drew Clemson, of South Carolina, as opponent. The Lynx entered that contest with a three game losing streak, while Clemson was the undefeated candidate for first place honors in the Southern Football Conference, and a definite favorite to run Southwestern into the turf. But the inspired Lynx, led by Abe Palmer, one of our all-time gridiron greats, fought a glorious battle and the game ended in a 12-12 deadlock.

Southwestern claimed a moral victory in that game, and would have won it had not Clemson scored the tying touchdown in the last twelve seconds of the contest.

Then came the war, and Southwestern was inactive in football. But in the 1946 Homecoming game, the Cats finished strong to down Cumberland College. The next year our team added to its Homecoming Day record by blanking Hendrix, 19-0.

But since then, the Homecoming Day record has sadly deteriorated. In 1948, Millsaps defeated our charges, 34-18; and in 1949, we lost a close one to Hendrix, 19-14. In that game, Southwestern led 14-0 at the half, but faded in the last two periods to let the victory slip from our grasp.

The 1950 Homecoming celebration ended in a dismal 33-0 defeat poured on by Mississippi College. Last year, when we again vacated the football field, Arkansas State's basketball squad downed the Lynx on Homecoming Day, to further darken the record.

Now let's turn to the present—our current team. Four straight losses this season make us anything but favorites in the contest this afternoon, and injuries still plague the squad.

Here's a glimmer of hope, however, that could flash into a victory, barring disastrous breaks. The largest glimmer of hope is personified by a six feet four, 220 pound tackle, Wheatly Beard. Beard has been on the injured list since late September and is expected to greatly bolster the line by playing his first game of the season this afternoon.

Another big first-string lineman, "Buddy" Bostick, will be in action for the first time in three weeks. "Smoky" Russell, too, is expected to be in the line-up. He missed last Saturday's game because of mul-

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Myers-Steuterman Recital Is Sunday

By Andy Orr

Music Notes is far behind in comments and news, but we will attempt to catch up. The first concert event for the season was a piano recital by Gina Bachauer, sponsored by the Beethoven Club. Miss Bachauer played selections by Bach, Mozart, Chopin, Shostakovich, and Albeniz. She has a lot to put into her playing in more ways than brilliant technic. We might add that a good time was had by all including Miss Bachauer, who seemed to be having a "whale of a time."

Yehudi Menuhin played a benefit program the same night as Bachauer, and those fortunate to obtain tickets reported a fine performance.

Myers Recital

Last week Myron Myers gave his annual recital, and an exciting one it was. It included a Bach Sonata, the tremendous Liszt B Minor Sonata, and Ravel's "gaspard de la Nuit." It was an evening of beautiful and honest playing. Mr. Myers is playing again Sunday afternoon with Adolph Steuterman in the yearly organ and piano recital. They are to be assisted by Mrs. Ethel Taylor Maxwell. The program is scheduled for four o'clock Sunday afternoon, November 2, at Calvary Episcopal Church.

Hildegarde

The biggest news of the week in the entertainment field is that the incomparable Hildegarde has hit Memphis. She is to be at the Balinese Room of the Claridge from October 29 to November 8. As far as we know, this is the bubbling and devastating lady's first extended visit to Memphis and let us urge all to take advantage of the opportunity to see her. Before the last couple of years, her appearances have been limited to such places as the Persian Room of the Plaza, playing to fans of hers, like Helen Hayes and Charles MacArthur. But recently she decided to venture into the provinces, luckily for us. There will be two shows nightly. Don't miss her!

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PLAYERS' FIRST STARTS NOV. 6

Philip Barry's "Spring Dance," the Southwestern Players' first play of the year, will be presented in Hardie Auditorium, Thursday and Friday, November 6 and 7, at 8:30 p.m.

A light comedy set in a small New England girl's school during the time of the big spring formal, "Spring Dance" will have Sophie Woodson as Alex Benson, a brilliant vivacious college senior, who seems to frighten men. Her first heavy beau, Sam Thatcher, an extremely independent young man who doesn't believe in marriage, is played by John McKinney.

Others featured in the cast are: Mary Ellen Chambliss, as Frances Fenn, the beautiful-but-dumb type who attracts the men; Ruby Sloan, who portrays a rich, witty girl, Mady Platt, who has trouble with her weight; Anne Thomas as Sally Prescott, a vivacious, charmingly vulgar coed who is always in a hurry. Wade McHenry is cast as Kate, a pleasant, motherly type who is the unofficial leader of the other girls. Louis Wener plays a high-living Cassanova from Yale, and Robert Pate is cast as Professor Beckett, a brisk, assured biology teacher. George Hearn and Jim Bernard portray two Princeton students, Mary Margaret Storck is the housemother, and Dot Harris is the maid.

The production is directed by Professor Ray Hill. Dot Harris serves as prompter, and Jim Bernard is stage manager. Admission to the performances is 75c per person. Everyone is urged to attend the Players' first performance.

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AOPi Has Supper PLEDGE OFFICERS TOLD

The AOPi's held a "friendship supper" in their lodge last Monday night. Each AOPi invited a member or pledge from another sorority as her guest for the night. The purpose was to create fellowship and good-will among the sororities. Spaghetti was served to the girls in an informal manner. After the supper a few of the AOPi members performed for the guests. Among these were Mary George Beggs, Gene McFarland, Martha Ann Spruell, Gay Rush and Anne Riley. Then the tables were turned and the guests entertained—Jean Enochs, Mary Beth Davidson, Millye Bunn, Ann Feemster, Margaret Jones, Elizabeth Walker, Marcia Calmer, and the "Sexy Quartet" (Rhoda White, Sue Carter, Ann Barr, and Dot Henning). Everyone then enjoyed singing old and new hit tunes until the party ended.

Pike Halloween

It seems that the Pikes got their dates mixed up and celebrated Halloween a week early. Last Saturday night from 8:00-12:00 p.m. they held a good old-fashioned Halloween party at their lodge. In the way of entertainment, everything from the Mexican Hat Dance to plain talking was enjoyed. Halloween decorations added to the festivities, while hot chocolate, pumpkin pie, and roasted marshmallows were the refreshments. Professor and Mrs. Taylor Reveley were the chaperones. About ten couples attended the party.

Congratulations to SAE on their

new affiliate, Frank Barton, and their new member, Pete Street. Frank was a Phi Delta Theta at Vanderbilt last year, and Pete was an SAE pledge at Mississippi State. Pete went back to State for his initiation and is now a member of SAE here.

Chi Omega made a few changes in officers recently. Joan Smith is new pledge chairman, replacing Anne Marie Bruce. Bettye Fisher has been elected new Chi Omega Personal Chairman.

Pledge Officers

Four of the sorority pledge classes have elected their officers. They are:

Alpha Omicron Pi: President, Ann Threlkeld; Vice-president, Anne Sterry; Secretary, Louise Campbell; Treasurer, Mary George Beggs.

Chi Omega: President, Marian Cobb; Vice-president, Jean Johnson; Secretary, Marcia Calmer; Treasurer, Jo Layne Thorwarth.

Kappa Delta: President, Dot Henning; Vice-president, Nita Saunders; Secretary, Sue Carter; Treasurer, Virginia Malone.

Zeta Tau Alpha: President, D. J. Anderson; Vice-president, Joan Womack; Secretary, Ada Jane Walters; Treasurer, "Dee" Wright.

Last Tuesday night the SAE's honored Bill Shenk and Bill Callicot with a party at the Claridge Hotel. These two boys were initiated during the earlier part of the evening. After initiation, the SAE's took dates to the Balinese Room for dancing. Congratulations to the Bills!

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Pep-rally, Dance Held Last Night

By Poochie

October 31 was a big day for Southwestern students. Halloween mixed with Homecoming brought gala festivities to the Campus.

At six o'clock, Halloween supper was served to the students in Fargason Gym. Mr. Pack met the students at the door and gave them small Halloween favors. The gym was decorated in the usual Halloween style. Supper consisted of fried chicken, mashed potatoes, salad, cole slaw, hot rolls, cherry tarts, cokes and coffee. After supper the students enjoyed singing holiday songs and playing Halloween games.

DDD Open House

From 7-9, the Tri-Delts held their annual Halloween party at the Tri-Delt Lodge. Each member was in costume. Mary Myers and Elma Lee Wylie, clad as red devils, greeted the guests at the door. Upon entering the house, we found the Halloween effect carried out with Jack-O-lanterns, fall leaves, and mums. With the lights dimmed, we saw many strange creatures mingling with the crowd. Among these were two huge black cats, Bettie Worthington and Marianne Gilliard, and two pirates, Patsy Braswell and Burk Rucker. Serving the guests were Mary Ellen Chambliss, Meredith Newman, and Anne Thomas.

Ballgame . . .

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tiple injuries to his head, arm, and leg. Russell's presence in the backfield will go a long way toward strengthening our backfield, both offensively and defensively.

The line is in better shape than it has been all season, and the starting backfield is also at its peak. The loss of reserves Frank Horton and Jimmy McLin to the backfield is the only physical weakness that can be seen.

Coach Glenn Johnson has done some good work toward winning this one. He has had Sewanee scouted twice this season and has another little trick up his sleeve that can't be printed at this time, but it should aid our cause considerably.

Now let's look at the sum total of standards set-up by which we can predict the outcome. First, there's the historical element. In the past we've had good teams and spirited Homecoming Days. Recently our fortunes on that day have been low, so we might say we're "due" to win this one.

Second, let's look at the team. It's in good physical shape, and taking into consideration its record and its potential ability, we may say it also is "due" for a victory.

The third factor is Homecoming Day itself. This day is one of high spirits and emotions. And, added to this, is the obvious fact that we are playing on home soil. A familiar layout with a partisan crowd cheering the team can make a big difference. And finally, there are the scouting jobs done on Sewanee and the "trick" element to top off our chances.

If we take everything into consideration, including Sewanee's record this year, which is not impressive, this is the conclusion. The student fans and returning alumni should see a good game, and I have the strong feeling they'll witness our first victory.

Probable starting Line-up:

Southwestern
LE Frank Simonton
LT Wheatley Beard
LG "Buddy" Bostick
C Reg Germany
RG Jim Gillis
RT Bill Hughes
RE Burton Henry
QB Bob Crumby
LH Pete Street
RH "Smoky" Russell
FB Charlie McAllister

Maid of Cotton Contest To Be Held On Nov. 19

The annual Southwestern Maid of Cotton Contest will be held at 8:00 p.m., November 19, in Hardie Auditorium. This event, sponsored by the editors of "The Sou'wester," is held each year to choose a

This trio had been transformed for the night into weird witches. Hot cider and pretzles were the refreshments. The students enjoyed apple-bobbing, dancing, and conversation. About 200 students joined the Tri-Delt spooks for two hours of Halloween fun.

Pep Rally

From the open house to the pep rally! Everybody then went to the bonfire behind the tennis courts to participate in a pep rally. Here school spirit was displayed by all, as cheers rose from the crowd, wishing the team victory over the Sewanee Tigers.

Dance

When the bonfire had burned

Southwestern Co-ed to represent the college in the National Maid of Cotton Contest, which will be held in Memphis on December 29 and 30.

Mary Rodriguez has been chosen chairman for the contest, and she will be assisted by Esther Jane Swartzfager and Bob Pate.

Qualifications

Each fraternity, sorority, and independent group is invited to enter two girls. The most important requirements that they must meet are:

out, the gang headed for the gym. An informal backwards dance was held here from 9:30-12. The girls had the upperhand, for they asked the boys to dance and did all the cutting. When the clock struck twelve, the Cinderellas regrettably headed for the dorms, but visions of homecoming, victory, and fun danced in their heads as they went to sleep.

(1) The entrant must be a regularly enrolled student of Southwestern,

(2) She must be unmarried,

(3) She must be between the ages of 19 and 25, inclusive,

(4) She must have been born in a cotton growing state, and

(5) She must be at least 5 feet, 5 inches tall.

The contestants will appear in street and evening clothes.

The sponsors should turn in the names of their entrants, along with a \$2.00 entrance fee for each girl, to Mary Rodriguez before November 10.

Contest judges have not yet been selected, but it is hoped that three prominent Memphians can be secured to choose a Maid, a first, and a second alternate. Entertainment will be provided while the judges are making their decision.

All students and friends are cordially invited to attend this event. No admission will be charged.

Panhellenic Dance To Be On Nov. 8

The Southwestern Joint-Panhellenic Council met last week to determine plans for this fall's Panhellenic Dance. The group decided that the formal dance will be held in Fargason Field House from nine to twelve o'clock on the night of November 8. Colie Stoltz and his orchestra have been secured to provide music for the event, and the subscription will be \$1.25 per couple and \$1.00 stag. Tickets will be on sale several days before the dance, and they can be secured through the Panhellenic member of each sorority and fraternity.

The Pan is trying to secure door prizes from various stores in Memphis to be given away during intermission. Let's everyone plan to attend the Pan dance to make it a big success.

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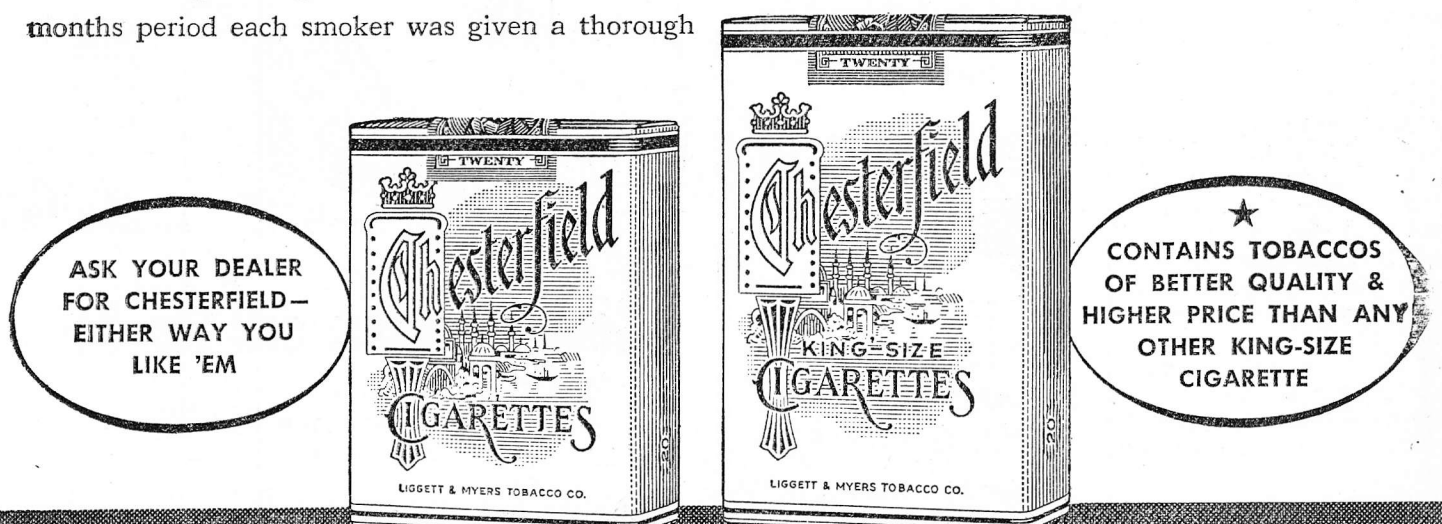
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