

An Intimate Closeup Of Our New Professors

By MIGNON PRESLEY

The Southwestern faculty has been enhanced by the addition of three new professors, Dr. Totten, Professor OsMan, and Dr. Locke...

Professor George F. Totten is our new professor of dramatics and speech. He comes from De Pau University, Greencastle, Indiana...

wick, Federickton, N. B., Canada, and at Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Virginia. When asked what his present opinion of Southwestern was...

Dr. Locke's hobbies are collecting 17th and 18th century books on literature and poetry, collection antiques, particularly 18th century English and American furniture...

When asked for a statement direct to the students he said, "Be sure not to hand in assignments written in green, brown, or red ink..."

Professor Osman is our new professor of philosophy and director of Adult Education Program. He comes to Southwestern from Presbyterian College, Clinton, S. C.

too studious in school. During college his main interest were fraternity and sports. To be a naturalist and to be an Olympic champion were his college-day ambitions...

There are dozens of things to tell about our new professors, for they're all just as interesting, well-trained, and congenial as can be.

Uhlhorn Brought Out By Pi Intersorority

Pi and S.T.A.B., the two intersororities on the Southwestern campus, have already begun their activities for the year. Each year the outstanding women of the college are brought out by the two groups...

The officers of S.T.A.B. are: President—Joy Gallimore; secretary—Betty Jean Wilkenson. S.T.A.B.'s first initiate of the year has not yet been announced.

Table with 2 columns: Fraternity and Sorority Averages Second Semester, Session 1943-44. Lists groups like Kappa Alpha, Pi Kappa Alpha, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, etc. with their respective averages.

Sports Comment

By TOM GUITON

Much interest has been shown this fall in football by students at Southwestern even though it is impossible for us to field a team...

There have been some swell touch football games. Donny McGuire seems to be pretty much the leader in this activity.

Then, too, there have been several practice basketball scrimages. From the looks of things so far, we may expect a really "clicking" basketball team...

We will need all available material. Coach Clemens is so optimistic that he has begun negotiations for games with Ole Miss, Mississippi State, Georgia Tech, Vanderbilt, and several service teams...

RUSH WEEK

OR

Why I Believe In Race Suicide

The sororities collectively slid off their shoes, threw down a tattered list of rushees, leaned back on a sofa, and reached wearily for a glass of (oh, but you can't have that at Southwestern!).

They come cheaply, dearie—at Southwestern—only a matter of a few dagers betwixt the shoulder blades, breaches of personal and organizational codes, dirty rushing in the Bookstore, and whispered implications in the quavering ears of a rushee.

But let us not be too hard, my children. After all—it can always be argued that we just didn't realize what we were doing.

Let us try to forget quietly the schedule of the past week. After all—no one is just quite sure what did happen—except possibly the Dean's Office, who dreamed the whole thing up anyway...

Of course the rushees can always appeal to the student counselors for help—they don't wear their pins, gals—but that's all right, it's the best way to rush, we've found.

Well, let say, a freshette did finally stumble down sorority row, perspiring happily in her best wool bib and tucker. Is it a mirage or barrage that greets her innocent orbs?

hands the rushees into the icy arms of the Symphony girls, who nod in their general direction, and leave them to study the pine knots on the beautiful polished pine walls for 45 minutes.

Pine trees, pansies and a large paper mache moon, greet the freshettes as they step further down sorority row. The gaping mouths of numerous Tri Deltas stretch lustily in various and sundry hymns of praise.

Next in line is the A.O.Pi house where they (well, just what do the A.O.Pi's do?). Anyway, its very rosy and la-de-da—and you can always look at a scrapbook...

"Cover Girl" Gallimore flings out the welcome hand as the freshettes hit the home stretch. Here the weary group gratefully sink into the enveloping comfort of the divans...

This went on for days, four, we think. We aren't sure of anything. From the first day on everything was a conglomeration of cookies and punch, and tea and circuses and costumes, and glittering candles, and tears and cheer—and plain unvarnished goo.

Well, its over now—all but the shouting, or weeping, as the case may be. We don't know what happened! We don't care what happened!

Archie, How Could You?

OR

Mr. Turner, What Hath Thou Wrought?

We imagine that most of your students know Archie Turner. Archie is famous.

Archie owes his fame to the fact that he is (1) a man, (2) a senior man, and (3) a senior man at Southwestern.

Now if anyone can be called upright, it is Archie. Therefore, when this story came to our ears, we were a little disdainful about believing it. But when we considered the source of this story (a member of the faculty, and a person closely connected with the facts) we were forced to give the story consideration.

It seems in the dear, dread days beyond recall (orientation week) Archie felt somewhat of a longing to come over to the dormitory and see some of his former fellows. It was on a Friday night, we understand, the day before school started.

The truth of the matter was that all the girls were out. They were all over at Calvin or Robb or some where. But Archie still didn't know that it was the women's dorm. (I'll bet you think you know what's coming).

Archie, after sitting around the social room for several minutes, decided that he would like to see Everarde (a natural desire and inclination) so he went and knocked at Everarde's door and softly called, "Little E. Oh Little E." No answer came, so Archie walked on in. (No, No, Wiggins, not yet).

Archie still did not realize that the surroundings were not those surroundings which would not be appropriate to Everarde but to a young lady. Archie sat down in a chair and determined to wait for Everarde.

Finally, however, Archie's curiosity got the better of him. Perhaps, he wanted to see if Everarde had changed rooms since last year. Perhaps, he wanted to count Everarde's suits. Perhaps, he wanted to steal a pair of Everarde's shoes. But at any rate, he opened the closet door. (Now Wiggins, NOW).

Archie beheld a strange sight. Dresses, sweaters and skirts where manly apparel should have been. It was too much for Archie. He jumped, so the story goes, out of the window. Yes, gentle reader, Archie Turner was seen leaping from the girl's dormitory window.

Now we don't vouch that this story is true, but we heard it from a member of the faculty. And if it isn't true, that destroys our faith in English profs. So take this little story and derive what merit you can from it. But don't condemn Archie. He says it's all a mistake.

The End.

Southwestern 1944-45—Denominational Membership or Preference of the Student Body. Table with 2 columns: Denomination and Percentage.

S'Western Players To Re-Organize Under Dr. Totten

The Southwestern Players, who discontinued their work last spring are planning to reorganize this fall under the leadership of our new professor, Dr. Totten.

A vigorous program of plays is intended for the coming season with Dr. Totten and the Players working hand in hand. It has been stated that the first production will be a Shakespeare play.

The Players have given us some very notable presentations in the past, and it is not too optimistic to hope for even better performances in the future. Their work has always added much to the life of the school.

Fix your eyes on the greatness of your country as you have it before you day by day, fall in love with her, and when you feel her great, remember that her greatness was won by men with courage, with knowledge of their duty, and with a sense of honour in action.—Pericles.

A colored minister having been asked recently at a public gathering to pray for divine guidance, included in his petitions, "Oh, Lord, prop us up on the leanin' side."

Experience becomes a teacher when we no longer look on it as just another misfortune.

"Civil and religious liberty, universal education and the right to participate, directly or through representatives chosen by himself, in all the affairs of government—these give to the American citizen an opportunity and an inspiration which can be found nowhere else."

—William Jennings Bryan.

It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion; it is easy in solitude to live after our own; but the great man is he who, in the midst of the crowd, keeps with perfect sweetness the serenity of solitude.—Emerson.

Be ever vigilant and watchful of the interests and honor of your country.

The first and best victory is to conquer self; to be conquered by self, is, of all things, the most shameful and vile.

—Plato.

We will accept only a world consecrated to freedom of speech and expression, freedom of every person to worship God in his own way, freedom from want, and freedom from terrorism.—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Everywhere in life the true question is, not what we have gained, but what we do.—Carlyle.

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