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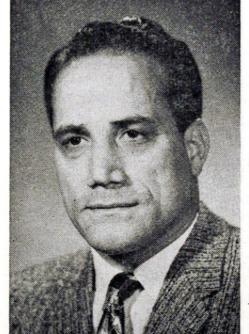
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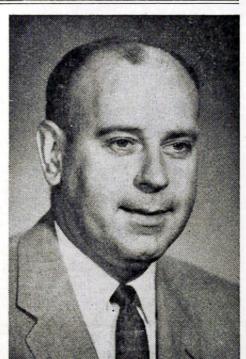
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## GREETINGS TO THE ALUMNI

Once again it is my privilege to extend greetings to our alumni. With homecoming just around the corner, I should like to, first of all, extend to each and all of you a most cordial invitation to be present on this occasion. It is always a pleasure to have the privilege of welcoming back alumni of the University and of talking to them about the many things they are doing professionally, where they are living, their families, etc. It is our hope that you will find a visit at homecoming one of the highlights of the year. The renewing of friendships, the exchange of information about each other's achievements, families, etc., and an opportunity to see what we are doing at the University certainly should make your visit both a pleasant and a rewarding one.

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#### HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES

by Dr. Robert S. Tramontana Homecoming Chairman

To you who have expressed a desire for a change from the usual procedure of Homecomings I dedicate this column.

I quote an old Spanish adage, "El camaron que se duerme se lo lleva la corriente!" Translated in our language, "The shrimp who sleeps will be carried by the current." I believe that you also have felt the need for more gaiety in the air. We, your Homecoming Committee; therefore, promise to awaken the shrimp. Our theme extends its wings into the realm of the gay Latin-Americans of our community. For the first time, we will vary a little from the usual pattern of centering too many activities around hotels. Therefore, our social hour and luncheon will

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### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Alumni:

I am very grateful for this opportunity to bring you a message presenting the goals that have been undertaken by your Alumni Board of Directors and myself for this year.

First and foremost among our objectives is putting the Spartan Enterprises on a sound financial basis. The Finance Committee, composed of Perry Keene, Chairman, Robert McArthur, George Wm. Crites, Jr., and Harry Seeley has given unstintingly of its time and efforts in order to make a complete survey of the financial situation and to bring about good practical solutions. To comment briefly on what has been done so far this year I have this to report. We have hired a new manager for the Spartan Enterprises. Mr. Bar-

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MRS. KARL F. KING

Mrs. Karl F. King, formerly of Bryan, Ohio, and now beginning her sixth year as Dean of Women at the University of Tampa, has just been awarded her Master of Arts degree in the fields of guidance and counseling by the University of Michigan. Mrs. King has devoted her summer vacations to graduate study at the University of Michigan every year since she has been the University of Tampa's Dean of Women. Dean King came to the University in the fall of 1951 so she is now starting her sixth year here. During the course of her graduate work, she was elected to membership in Pi Lambda Theta, national honor society for women in education, open only to women in the upper tenth of their class scholastically.

Other educational organizations of which Dean King is a member include the National Association of Women Deans and Counselors; American Personnel and Guidance Association; College and University Personnel Association; National Education Association; Southern Personnel and Guidance Association; Florida Association of Deans and Counselors.

In spite of her multifarious duties as Dean of Women of a lively and growing University, Mrs. King continues active in club work. She is state chairman of the Florida Federation of Women's Clubs, Department of InterAmerican Affairs; has served two years | Continued on Page 4)

# President E. C. Nance Resigns

Because of ill health, Dr. Ellwood C. Nance resigned as president of the University of Tampa in June, after serving the University in that office for more than 11 years. Dr. Nance's resignation was presented to the Board of Trustees on June 3 and became effective June 15.

The trustees named Dean of Administration M. C. Rhodes acting president until Dr. Nance's successor is chosen.

Dr. Nance came to the University as president in 1945. Under his administration the University received accredited rating from the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, and the enrollment rose from several hundred to more than 1450 students.

Dr. Nance received the Outstanding Citizen of Tampa Award of the Civitan Club in 1948. In 1952 the Republic of Cuba conferr d upon him its highest honor. the medal of the Order of Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, designating the President to receive this honor in behalf of the University of Tampa for its efforts in furtherance of Latin American friendship. The fo'lowing year the President was honored by the University of Florida with the Certificate of Merit for distinguished leadership and public service.

In 1954, Dr. Nance was appointed Civilian Aide to the Secretary of the Army for the State of Florida. In the same year he was appointed National Chaplain of the Military Order of the Purple Heart, because of his "outstanding work as a chaplain in World War II and as a champion in the rehabilitation of veterans in the postwar period."

He served in World War I with the Fourth Infantry of the 3rd Division, and was with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

Ordained to the ministry in 1921, Dr. Nance held pastorates in Kentucky, Ohio, Tampa, and Seattle, Wash., until 1939, when he became dean of the chapel and professor of Biblical literature at Rollins College, Winter Park.

In 1942 he was commissioned an Army chaplain, and after a tour of (Continued on Page 5)



MARCELINO HUERTA

#### **SPARTAN SPORTS**

by John R. Hall

Dana X Bible, renowned Senior College Coach for 29 years, Past Prosident of the American Football Coaches Association, and one who has served for 25 years with the National Football Rules Committee makes this observation on the value of modern football, "Football, in its rightful place, is the most wholesome and the most valuable sport in schools and colleges today. As no other pastime, it teaches a boy in his formative years to control and command his own powers; to focus them upon a single end, and to mobilize them quickly and completely. Football teaches him to think fast and realistically, to disregard pain and risk in pursuit. . .of a desired end, to subordinate his interests to those of the group. It teaches him to call up and expend in an emergency his last reserves of strength and courage and to pour out all his energy in furious effort. At the same time he learns to observe the rules of the game, regard the rights of others and stay within the limits dictated by decency and sportsmanship.

Football not only teaches a boy the will to win, but something else . . . it teaches him how to meet defeat. When he is defeated, what is his attitude? Does he curl up and quit? Does he whine? Does he attack the sportsmanship and ability of his opponent? Or does he keep his chest out and his head up and face the world with clear eyes and self respect?"

In football he will learn to consider defeat merely as a temporary setback, and in his heart he will

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#### **HOMECOMING EVENTS – 1957**

#### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11:

12:00 Noon — Quarterback Club Luncheon — University Veranda (All male alumni and faculty invited).

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14:

8:00 p.m. — "Spartan Splash" — Homecoming Skits — Civic Auditorium.

#### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15:

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. — Theta Chi — Open House — Tampa Terrace Hotel.

8:00 p.m. — Reception for Alumni by University Administration,
Faculty and Students — University Ballroom.

8:30 p.m. — Pi Kappa Phi — Social Hour — Alumni — (Location to be announced). Beginning after Alumni Reception.

9:30 p.m. — Presentation of Homecoming Queen — University Ballroom.

10:00 p.m. — Greek Letter Dance — Cuban Club — (For all members of social fraternities and sororities and their escorts).

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16:

8:00 a.m. — Tau Kappa Epsilon — Breakfast — Palm Room, Tampa Terrace Hotel.

8:30 a.m. — Industrial Arts Department Alumni Breakfast — University Cafeteria.

9:00 a.m. — Pi Kappa Phi — Breakfast -- Licata's Restaurant —

(Alumni and Active Chapter).

10:30 a.m. — HOMECOMING PARADE.

12:00 noon — Alumni Social Hour for Alumni and Faculty — Columbia Restaurant.

1:15 p.m. — Alumni Luncheon for Alumni and Faculty — Siboney Room, Columbia Restaurant.

4:30 - 6:30 p.m. — Sigma Phi Epsilon — Reunion and Buffet — Fraternity House — Alumni and Actives invited.

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. — Theta Chi — Reunion — Tampa Terrace Hotel — Alumni and Active Chapter — All former Rho Nu Delta and Tua Omega members invited.

5:00 p.m. — Pi Kappa Phi — Buffet and Social Hour — Ft. Homer Hesterly Armory — Alumni and Active Chapter.

5:30 - 8:00 p.m. — Alpha Phi Epsilon (Journalism Fraternity — Iocal). Pi Delta Epsilon (Journalism Fraternity — National). Spaghetti Supper — at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker, 3702 San Juan Street — for Alumni, Actives and their wives and husbands. Dessert will be served after Football Game.

8:00 p.m. — HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME — Phillips Field.

10:30 p.m. — HOMECOMING DANCE — Ft. Homer Hesterly Armory — Tony Pastor and his orchestra.

12:00 Midnight - CROWNING OF HOMECOMING QUEEN.

# MEET THE NEW FACULTY

Hazel L. Bowman - Miss Bowman received her undergraduate degree in Journalism from Florida State University and her M.A. from the University of Florida. She comes to the University of Tampa with a background in educational work, having served as a Supervisor of Art and Music and as an instructor in English. She also served as instructor in Education in Extension service for the University of Florida. Miss Bowman was born in Plant City, Florida. As a student, Miss Bowman was a member of Alpha Chi Alpha, honorary Journalism Fraternity, Pi Delta Phi, honorary Literary Fraternity and was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Miss Bowman has done a good deal of freelance writing but has decided to come back into Education work. We are glad to welcome her as our new Registrar at the University of Tampa. She replaces Mr. William Weldon, who has gone back to the University of Michigan to complete his Doctor's degree.

Ida Louise Eastburn — Assistant Professor of Elementary Education. Mrs. Eastburn holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Union College, Barbourville, Kentucky. and a Master of Arts degree from George Peabody College teachers. She has done additional work at Peabody for her doctorate. Mrs. Eastburn comes to the university from the Public Schools of Key West, Florida. She has had special training in supervising interns and thus should do an outstanding job for the university in its internship program and the preparation of teachers.

Samuel T. Hallman — Mr. Hallman comes to the University of Tampa as an instructor in Psychology. He received his A.B. degree from Woffard College in Spartansburg, South Carolina and his M.A. degree from the University of South Carolina. He has also studied at the University of Tennessee and the University of Frankfurt, Germany. Mr. Hallman

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#### PERSONALS

Anderson, Rachel M., '50, of 313 Sleepy Hollow, T. T., Tampa 4, Forida sent in her donation for the Alumni fund. Thank you.

Buchanan, William Claude, '36. Bill can thank his sister-in-law, Yvonne Mills, for seeing to it that he stays on the active Alumni rolls. He lives at 3360 Charleston Blvd., Melrose Park, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Nice going, Yvonne.

Byrd, Veda, '49. Many thanks, Veda, for your nice contribution. Veda teaches at the Henderson School in Tampa. Her home is located at 113 Cedar Avenue. Tampa, Florida.

Capitano, Michael S., '55. Michael lists himself at 401 N. Albany Street in Tampa. Thanks, Mike.

Cole, Richard J., '36. Richard lives at 202 W. Hamiller Road, Tampa, Florida and sends in his donation from there.

Cross, Nellie H., has the distinction of being a member of the first class taught at the University of Tampa and even now she is in regular attendance at each Homecoming.

Gotler, Leonard H., '50, sent in a generous contribution to the Alumni fund. Leonard lives at 5507 Suwanee Avenue, Tampa 4, Florida. Leonard contributes each and every year.

Janasik, Dave, '56. It's a real pleasure for us to welcome such a recent graduate to the active, paying rolls of the Aumni Association. Dave's address is P. O. Box 1822, Tampa, Florida.

Johnson, James W., '50. It is announced by Dean A. E. Tibbs of Furman University, Greeville, South Carolina that James has joined the faculty as assistant professor of business administration. James is married and has one child. He is a member of the Ir. Chamber of Commerce. He received his Masters degree from Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia.

Martin, Ralph Mitchell, '52, of 6017 Flora Vista Avenue, Tampa, Florida is now an active member the University of Tampa Alumni Association.

Martoski, Robert W., '56. Bob is located for further training at the

#### Homecoming Registration

Please be sure to register with us at Homecoming! The registration book will be kept in the University Lobby Fri-November 15 through noon Saturday, November 16 and then moved to the Columbia Restaurant for the Alumni Luncheon period.

Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida. Bob recently was commissioned in the Service.

Means, Helen, '38, and Edwin, '37, now have a fine family of four sons. Helen writes that the eldest son, Bobby, graduated from high school last June and is now enrolled at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina to study pre-dentistry. The Means live at 1632 Dilworth Road, East, Charlotte 3, North Carolina.

Mena, Mary Julia, '46, joined the University of Tampa Alumni Association during the summer. We're glad that she did.

Mercadante, Vincent J., '57, of 604 So. Edison Avenue, Tampa, is a new member of the Alumni Association.

Ninins, Aurelia Nannette, '57. Many thanks, Aurelia. Aurelia lives at 1505 Dakota Street, Tampa, Florida.

Nichols, C. Don, '35, has moved his home from Greenville, Ohio, to 6436 North Hampton Drive, Atlanta 19, Georgia.

Rosseter, Mary Frances, '47. Keep up the good work, Mary. Mary is the former Mary Frances McCottery. She's moved from Indian Rocks to 3807 Ridge Avenue, Tampa, Florida.

Schuster, Hermann Newton, '55. We had a nice visit one very hot day this summer at the time when Hermann made his donation to the Alumni Association. He lives at 715 Patterson Street in Clearwater, Florida.

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#### MRS. KARL F. KING

(Continued from Page 2) as their state chairman of International Relations and two years as their state chairman of Americanism.

#### FACULTY NOTES

Dr. J. Ryan Beiser, head of the University of Tampa department of History and Political Science, recently was appointed by Governor Collins as Chairman of United Nations Anniversary Committee of Florida. Dr. Beiser spoke on the Problems of Modern Nationalism faced by the U. N. in dealing with rabid countries such as Pakkistan, Syria, Morocco and Malaya.

The really big event of the Beiser family was the birth on October 3 of a long-awaited child, a daughter. They have named her Theresa Ryan. Mrs. Connie Speronis, wife of Dr. Speronis of the History and Political Science Department, states that Theresa is a "honey".

Dr. Charles S. Giles, associate professor of fine and industrial arts at the University of Tampa recently attended the Miami Edison Jr. High School Evaluation Conference. He went by special invitation as a visiting committee member.

#### MEET THE NEW FACULTY

(Continued from Page 3) should make a welcome addition to the staff in Psychology.

Lynn H. Harris - Dr. Harris comes to the University of Tampa as Associate Professor in the English Department. Mr. Harris received his A.B. degree from Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania. He received a Master's degree from Boston University and a Master's degree from Yale University. Dr. Harris received his doctorate at Yale University. He

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#### Attention - Attention HOMECOMING DANCE TONY PASTOR and his

Orchestra

Immediately after the football game the annual Homecoming Dance will be held at Ft. Hesterly Armory to the music of Tony Pastor and his music. Ample reserved tables are available. Contact your fraternity or sorority members or come to Dean Burnside's office at the University for reservations and tickets.

#### **PERSONALS**

Sible, Katherine Louise, '50. Thank you, Katherine, for remembering your Alumni Association. Her address is 604 So. Newport Avenue, Tampa and she teaches at Madison Jr. High School.

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has contributed numerous articles to various scholarly and educational journals and has to his credit a critical edition of Ben Jonson's CATILINE, published by the Yale University Press. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and has a sizeable listing in Who's Who in America. Dr. Harris comes to the University of Tampa from Southeast Missouri State

Rex Charles Kidd - Dr. Kidd holds a Bachelor of Science degree from East Tennessee State College, Master of Education degree from Duke University and Doctor of Education degree from the University of Florida. In bringing Dr. Kidd to the University of Tampa, Dean Rhodes announced that the university is creating a new position in its teacher training program. Dr. Kidd is to be Director of Teacher Training. Dr. Kidd will be in charge of the entire professional education program, including both Elementary and Secondary Education. Dr. Kidd's educational background and teaching experience should enable him to make the university's training program an eminent one. He is a member of the following honorary fraternities: Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Delta Kappa and Pi Gamma Mu. We are expecting great things in the Department of Education.

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### PRESIDENT E. C. NANCE RESIGNS

duty as regimental chaplain with the 84th Division Field Artillery, he was assigned to the Chaplain School faculty at Harvard University, where he helped train 8000 Army chaplains.

In his departing message, Dr. Nance wrote

"Since more than ninety per cent

of you have become identified with the University under my administration, it is not necessary that I point out to you the achievements and progress that have been initiated and consumated by our mutual devotions and sacrifices. While you have the written report of these achievements in your files, the record is also in your hearts because we all have loved the University and labored together for its welfare and progress.

I point out, once again, that the next two years will be critical years for the University of Tampa. We had a period of four years of grace but, as you know, two of these years, filled with abortive dreams and frustrations, have passed and the University of Tampa is still not prepared to meet the competitive advantages of the new State tax-supported university that will open its doors here by September, 1959.

I implore your unlimited and hearty support of and cooperation with my successor. I would be unhappy, indeed, if I thought your friendship for me would, even in the smallest measure, cause you to withhold your full loyalty and understanding support of my successor and of my long-time friend and colleague, Dean of Administration, Dr. M. C. Rhodes, who will act as president until my successor has been chosen.

If my physical condition were different and I had the time and secretaries, each dear friend who has written me during my illness and concerning my consequent resignation would receive my personal answer to his or her message-

I have been grateful for, and also strengthened and inspired by, your letters, cards, books, messages, etc.

Do not feel badly about, or regret, my resignation. After overcoming the new and strange experience of becoming un-employed for the first time since age sixteen, I am grateful for this timely respite from the tensions and frustrations of forty years of public service in religion, higher education and military service.

After my soul has caught up with my body and — if it pleases God — my doctors have success-

fully directed my footsteps up the long road to recovery, I will become engaged once again in some kind of useful service to the community.

My interest in and my hopes for the University of Tampa are abiding and bright, and I sincerely hope that my friends will not forget its excellent academic program and its needs."

#### **SPARTAN SPORTS**

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> "Fight on, my men," Sir Andrew said,

> "A little I'm hurt, but yet not slain;

I'll just lie down and bleed awhile,

and then I'll rise and fight again."

A bit dramatic? Yes! However. this is training, it seems to us, that turns a young man toward good and useful citizenship. If football is to take the place by the side of the other Departments, it must exist primarily to develop an intelligent use of muscle, to regulate the exercise of determination and fight, to teach self control and sportsmanship . . .

Further, a report of the Stabilizing Committee of the American Football Coaches Association states . . . "No profession or calling, either in business or in education, can be stable unless its members have the same, or at least similar. purposes in ideals. These purposes and ideals, crystalized and defined in rules of conduct, are the signs or trademarks by which the profession wishes to be known to the public. Though, of course, this trademark like commercial trademarks has value only according to the faithfulness with which the profession lives up to it" . . . This report was made in 1928 and it is interesting to note that most of those observations still apply ...

Football coaching is, after all, but one form of physical training, and physical training in its highest and best sense is educational . . . Alumni friends, let's reflect for a moment on the contribution to the field of education by our University of Tampa Athletic Director and

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Head Football Coach Marcelino
Huerta, Jr. . . .

In a four year period many boys training under the aegis of Marcelino Huerta (who incidentally may well boast of a .739 win and loss percentage against a win and loss percentage prior to 1952 of under 50 percent) have gone on to really apply their Spartan football training and are well along the road to prove their right to professional status. A mighty commendable array by any yardstick of measurement applied. . .

Significant assingnments in their respective communities of Spartan alumni who have accepted the challenge of molding the youth under their guidance have been assumed by Henry Bernat, Head Coach - Phoenixville, Pa.; Dan Scaringi, Line Coach - Phoenixville, Pa.; Ken Nuznoff, Backfield Coach - Chamberlain High; Ted Greene, Head Coach - Plant City High; Gene King, Backfield Coach - Winter Haven High; Holland "Luke" Aplin, Head Coach -Brewster High Tech; Bill Minahan, Backfield Coach - Plant High; Jack Marley, Line Coach - Plant High; Joe Zalupski, Line Coach - Plant High; Nick Waytovich, "Little All American" -Brandon High; Tom Spack -Wilson Junior High; Joe Slovensky, Line Coach - Conemaugh Township, Pa.; Mario Maffeo, Line Coach - Brandon High; Bob Hillier, Backfield Coach - Plant City High; Henry Garcia, Line Coach - Chamberlain High; Jim Mathis, Backfield Coach - Turkey Creek High; Charles Harris, Backfield Coach - Brandon High; Jess Davis, Head Coach & Athletic Director - Arcadia High; Ed Duray, Line Coach - St. Benedictine High; Jack Hanna, Basketball Coach - Marathone High; Tom Mahin, Line Coach - Frostproof High; Bob Boucher, Assistant Coach - Hillsborough High; Fred Pancoast, Backfield Coach - Hillsborough High; Ray Stewart, Head Coach - Punta Gorda High; H. L. Hiers, Line Coach - Lake Wales High; Ernest Rubio - Oak Grove Jr. High; and Bill Sefcik, Assistant Coach - Plant High School.

As these former Spartan Warriors go forward and pass on their gifts and the benefit of their training to others, we Alumni may rest assured that the public relations aspect of the athletic program at the University is in good hands and Coach Huerta certainly is looking forward to welcome the dividends from his premium.

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So that you may know what has been done since last homecoming and the things we are now doing I shall give you a brief resume.

First of all, you will find the exterior of the main building greatly improved in appearance. The brickwalls have been pointed-up and all exterior woodwork painted. The Fine Arts building and the Government Classroom building have been reroofed. The porches and ceilings have been repainted. All-in-all some \$35,000.00 has been spent in repairs. A new shower for women has been constructed adjacent to the Physics laboratory, thus contributing greatly to the physical education program for women - the men's showers in the men's dormitory have been tiled. The George B. Howell gymnasium, costing around \$75,000.00 has been erected adjacent to the football stadium, thus giving us at long last a place to practice basketball and play intercollegiate basketball games. Substantial additions have been made to our laboratory equipment including the installation of an air-conditioned laboratory for instrumental analysis in chemistry.

A number of new faces will be seen among the faculty. Some of these represent replacements but some represent new additions. A major change has been made in the Education Department. Dr. Rex C. Kidd has been appointed Director of Teacher Training., thus bringing the two departments together under one head. This reorganization should materially strengthen our whole teacher training program. Most of the old staff who have labored so long and so diligently will be around to meet you and make you welcome.

The University continues to grow as witness the current enrollment of 1520 students, exclusive of adult education and other special students. The University, for the first time, is cooperating with the County Public School System in a workshop training program for inservice teachers.

Another service the University is now performing is that of aptitude testing and vocational counseling. The Psychology Department has instituted a program of testing and counseling designed to acquaint the student with an inventory of his aptitudes and a diagnosis of his scholastic difficulties, thus making it possible for him to make a wiser choice of an educational objective as well as correct certain academic deficiencies through overcoming such difficulties as: a lack of reading skill; lack of knowledge as to how to obtain necessary information; a more scientific approach to study, etc.

It is hoped that this service will be of material assistance to those students finding it difficult to perform satisfactorily in college and those students who are having difficulty in selecting an educational objective.

Plans are under way for a building program which we hope can be consumated within the immediate future.

I am sure all of you will miss the benign face and warm greeting of Dr. Nance. As you know he was forced to resign last June because of a serious heart impairment. He is now at his home recuperating and I am sure all of you join with me in wishing for him a speedy recovery and many happy and fruitful years.

In closing may I again extend to you a most cordial invitation to be present for home-coming and bespeak your continued loyal and active support of the University to the end that we may have an ever improving University providing educational services to an ever increasing number of deserving men and women.

Dr. M. C. Rhodes Dean of Administration and Acting President

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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ney A. Hall, who is assisted by his wife. Mr. Hall is doing a very fine job. Our cafeteria is serving excellent food and the students are very well pleased. The services at the Book Store and the Snack Bar also have been improved greatly in both sales and service. We cannot hope to be out of the red by the end of this year, but we know that we will be on a much sounder and firmer basis, and we can foresee the time when we will be completely solvent.

The second goal is to achieve a membership in the active contributing alumni body of five-hundred members. Our active membership has been growing steadily during the past few years. In 1955-56 we had a total of 171 active members. The total contributed that year by these 171 members was \$204.00 It should be noted that of that 171 we had given free memberships to the graduating seniors in order to try and hold their interest as they became alumni. In the year 1956-57 we were able to raise the total number of members to 364. Of these, 170 were free memberships given to graduating Seniors during the three convocations that year. However, the number of paid members was raised to 194 and these contributed a total of \$402.44. While our totals have increased they are not anywhere what they should be. We have on our known .ddress list approximately 2,400 alumni. Each of you reading this are among that number. We have, of course, a great many more alumni for whom we have no accurate address as yet. Actually, our goal of 500 contributing alumni should be within easy reach. The Membership Committee, composed of Vincent Thornton, Chairman, James Berfield, Carmen De Paula, Betty Lyons and George Lyons, is working very diligently on their plans for the coming membership drive. You will be receiving your membership card through the mail in a few days. If there has been any change of address please let us know.

Third, but not least, we are going to make a much greater effort this year to make our Annual Spring Reunion much more successful than it has been in the past. As you all now know, the Spring meeting is our official meeting of the year and is the time when we announce our new officers for the coming year. Our new constitution, which was adopted a year ago, provides for this as well as for voting by mail ballot.

I believe that these goals are all within the realm of possibility and we intend to do our best to make them a reality by the end of our term in office. We are all looking forward to seeing you at Homecoming.

Sincerely, Larry Donohue, President

### HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES

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be held at the famous Columbia
Restaurant in Ybor City. These
two functions will occur in separate rooms. The management of
the restaurant will cooperate with
the spirit of Homecoming by offering their premises and a wonderful inexpensive course of food.
Can you imagine having a luncheon
in the Siboney Room with the
following meal for only two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50), including tax, etc.

- (1) Sirloin Steak
- (2) French Fries
- (3) Salad
- (4) Dessert
- (5) Hot Cuban Bread with butter
- (6) Coffee or Tea

The speaker at the luncheon will he our own Governor LeRoy Collins. We feel very fortunate to he able to secure Governor Collins, especially at this time when he is pressed with so many important calls upon his time. We are sure that the Governor will bring us a message of vital interest to all of us and one that you will not want to miss. Make your pans now to be sure that you can attend the luncheon. Governor Collins had been asked last year but was unable to be with us then; but at that time set aside this date and has recently confirmed that he will be very pleased to be at the University of Tampa Homecoming this year. Governor Collins will also ride in the Homecoming Parade. We hope that Mrs. Collins may be able to

accompany him, but at this date we are not certain that she will be able to be with us.

Mr. Sam Latimer, of WFLA Radio and WFLA T.V., will be the Master of Ceremonies at the luncheon. We feel very fortunate in securing him, as he always has the spark to make things sparkle.

Other invited guests include Nick Nuccio Mayor of Tampa, "Mayors" of Ybor City and Sulphur Springs.

Mr. Lyman Wiltse, head of the Music Department of the University of Tampa, will be on hand with a group of singers. This group is taken from the concert singing choir that has become very popular in the area. Along with them will be Jack Jenkins and Sally Wallace, who will add their own bit of talent. In addition, we plan to have Jerry Skora as a roving Troubador circulating during the social hour preceding the luncheon.

Now that we've given you the highlights, we will attempt to give you a rundown on the total program. However, I know that you will realize that some of the organizations who will be planning functions may not have them as we go to press. Here is the Homecoming Program as we have it thus far:

#### Fraternity Functions Fraternities

(1) Theta Chi — Tony Ippolito, Alumni Chapter President, Phone 35-0271.

5:00-7:30—Friday, November 15—Open House at the Tampa Terrace Hotel.

5:00-7:00 — Saturday, November 16 — Reunion at the Tampa Terrace Hotel. (All former Rho Nu Delta and Tau Omega members invited. Active chapter also invited).

(2) Pi Kappa Phi — Dave Barksdale, Alumni Chapter President, Phone 8-4841.

8:30 p.m., November 15—Cocktail Party; after University of Tampa Alumni Reception at University of Tampa.

9:00 a.m., November 16 — Breakfast at Licata's Restaurant.

5:00 p.m., November 16 — Buffet and cocktail party at Ft. Homer Hesterly. Active Chapter invited to Saturday functions.

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(3) Tau Kappa Epsilon—Jerry
Scaglione, Alumni Chapter President — Phone 84-5751.

8:00 a.m., November 16—Breakfast in the Palm Room at Tampa Terrace Hotel.

(4) Sigma Phi Epsilon — Ned
 Malone, Alumni Chapter President
 — Phone 2-4291.

4:30 - 6:30 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 16—Reunion and Buffet at Fraternity House for Alumni and Active Chapter.

#### Alphi Phi Epsilon - Pi Delta Epsilon —

5:30-8:00 p.m., November 16 — Alumni, and wives and husbands of Alpha Phi Epsilon (original local Journalism fraternity of the University of Tampa, jointly with Pi Delta Epsilon (national Journalism Fraternity) will be hosts to the Pi Delta Epsilon actives and their wives and husbands, at a spaghetti supper on Saturday, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker, 3702 San Juan Street. Dessert will be served after the football game.

#### MEET THE NEW FACULTY

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Palzer returns to the University of Tampa after having been absent for one year. Dr. Palzer comes to us as Assistant Professor of Speech. Since his absence from the University he has received his doctorate at the University of Denver. It is "Welcome back" to Dr. Palzer, since he will be known to many students at the University of Tampa and probably to some alumni.

Louise Robles — Dr. Robles received her A.B. degree from Florida State University, her Master's degree in Education from the University of Florida and her Doctor's degree in Education from Teachers College, Columbia University. Dr. Robles serves as Assistant Professor in Elementary Education. She has a rich background of experience, having taught in public schools in Florida and having been on the staff of Apalachian State Teachers College, Shenandoah College, the University of Georgia and the University of Mississippi. She is not entirely new to Tampa or to the University of Tampa since she had a connection at the University of Tampa while she was teaching at Hillsborough High School in the period 1931-1934. Dr. Robles has had eleven magazine articles published and has several articles ready for publication at the present time.

Truman David Seiber — Mr. Seiber received his Master's degree in Geography at the University of Florida. Mr. Seiber has done advanced work towards his Doctorate at the University of Florida. He comes to us to replace Mr. Charles V. Varney who left the University of Tampa to accept a position at the University of Florida. Mrs. Seibert is from Tampa, and so the Seibert family have ties in Tampa.

Carl N. Shuster — Dr. Shuster received his B.S., M.A., and Ph.D. from Columbia University. He has had a rich background in teaching, having taught at Bowling Green

University, Pennsylvania State University, Columbia University and Yeshiba University. He has also taught in Mathematics Institutes at Duke, Rutgers, Wellesley and M.I.T., and has lectured in all parts of the United States. Dr. Shuster has had a number of writings to his credit, having worked on a number of texts, and has been author or co-author of more than thirty texts. He is one of the authors of "Functional Mathematics Series," which is widely used in Florida. Dr. Shuster will serve as Professor of Mathematics at the university, which is in addition to the department.

Radph E. Stout — Mr. Stout received his Bachelor's and Master's degrees at East Tennessee State College. He has completed his residence requirement for Doctor's degree in Education at the University of Tennessee. Mr. Stout has been appointed as instructor in the Department of Education. He lists as his permanent address Elizabethton, Tennessee.

Ralph E. Worthington - Mr. Worthington received his Master's degree in Business Administration at Northeastern University. He received a Bachelor of Science in Education and a Master's degree in Education at Boston University. and he has taken some advanced graduate work at Boston University. Mr. Worthington serve as an instructor in Business Administration at the University of Tampa. Florida will be a new experience for him, as most of his time has been spent in the New England area.

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