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Virginia Smith Is Elected President Of Student Body

MARGIE CASAL IS NAMED IDEAL SR. BY JUNIORS

Junior Marshals Also Announced at Banquet

Margie Casal was named the ideal senior of the university at the annual junior-senior banquet held Friday, May 12, at the Columbia restaurant.

Margie is a senior representative on the student council, in the senior hall of fame, and is listed in the 1944 edition of "Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities." A member of Alpha Gamma sorority, she is a reporter for the Minaret, associate editor of the Moroccan, active in intramural activities, and a former cheerleader.

At the banquet also announced were the names of two juniors chosen because of scholarship marks to be student marshals at the graduation exercises. They are Rosalie Mathis and Virginia Smith. Virginia, president of the junior class, gave a toast saluting the seniors, and Elizabeth Erwin, student body president, returned the toast. Dot Mallard and Marion Neil gave other toasts.

Decorations carried out the spring idea, with flowers on the banquet table and graduating cap novelties for menus.

Former Student at T. U. Returns From Overseas Action

First Lieut. Joseph G. Zendegei, jr., recently returned from service outside the continental United States, now is being processed through the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station No. 2 in Miami Beach, where his next assignment will be recommended.

This is one of the redistribution stations within the command of the AAF Redistribution Center. At an AAF Redistribution Station, AAF returnees from theaters of operation are examined by specially selected medical and classification officers whose joint findings are used in determining new assignments. These of the AAF Redistribution program is designation of each man to duty for which he is best fitted. Returnees live at a redistribution station under conditions that encourage natural response to processing, a majority of their two-week stay being devoted to rest and recreation.

AAF personnel, including enlisted men and officers alike, are assigned to a redistribution station upon their return to the United States, but do not report to the station until completing a furlough or leave of approximately three weeks.

Lieutenant Zendegei, age 22, flew 90 dive bombing, strafing, escort and patrol missions during 13 months in the Pacific theater as a P-39 Airacobra pilot.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Zendegei, 3111 Chapin ave., Tampa, and is married to Tomi A. Zendegei, also of Tampa. Lieutenant Zendegei attended the University of Tampa.

Cadet Keathley Is Appointed Army Officer

Aviation Cadet Algernon Keathley, jr., son of A. Keathley, of Brooksville, Fla., has been appointed a flight officer in the army air forces after completing bombardier training at the Carlsbad (New Mexico) army air field.

Flight Officer Keathley now becomes one of the army air forces' new "triple threat men"—airmen who have completed instruction in dead-reckoning navigation and aerial gunnery in addition to the regular bombardiering course.

As an officer in the army air forces ready for active duty, his destination is not disclosed.

He is a former student of Tampa University, Tampa, Fla.



MARGIE CASAL
Is Elected Ideal Senior

Girls' Chorus Sing In the Assembly Program at T. U.

The regular assembly program held on Thursday, May 4, consisted of two parts. The first part was a series of musical renditions. The Girls' Chorus sang "O Sing Your Songs," by Noble Cain. Following this two of the members of the graduating class presented selections. Mabel Auginbaugh played the piano selection, "Etude in D Flat" by Liszt. Laura Hester Hofman gave two vocal numbers, "Let My Song Fill Your Heart" and "Through the Years."

The second part of the program consisted of a speaker, Mrs. Thelma Flanagan. Mrs. Flanagan was introduced by Frances Piazza, president of the Home Economics club, and spoke on the subject, "What Nutrition Means to Me."

Mrs. Flanagan pointed out that "a man is what he eats." She said that the food a child eats has much to do with his learning ability. Since the beginning of the new child feeding program there has been more attendance at school, less delinquency, and the children are more ready to learn. She told the students that "it is not what we know about nutrition, not the food we provide, but the example we set for young children. As you go out as housewives and fathers, see that your child has good food at all times."

This assembly was the last regular assembly that will be held this year.

Invasion Banquet Is Given by the Baptist Students

The Invasion Banquet of the Baptist Student Union was given in the dining room of the First Baptist church last Monday night. Novel bomb invitations were presented to the faculty members inviting them to invade the First Baptist church for the installation banquet.

The black cardboard bombs that vanished from Thursday to Monday on the bulletin board created an atmosphere of suspense. The last to appear was that of an exploded bomb announcing the time and place of the banquet.

Dr. Roland Q. Leavell, pastor of the First Baptist church, installed the new officers of the B. S. U. after telling several humorous stories. Dr. Leavell then presented an inspirational talk to the new officers.

Those in charge of arrangements were: Betty Anne Smith, Ruth Hardy, Betty Faye Cumbie, Bette Garrison, Hazel Bryan and Maurine Robles.

The entertainment was derived chiefly from Camp O' Lero, where several of the B. S. U. students attended the Florida B. S. U. convention.

Frank Stranieri Is Commissioned Lieut.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 3. — Marine Second Lieut. Frank Louis Stranieri, son of Mr. Frank Stranieri, of Clearwater, Fla., today was commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. marine corps after successfully completing the rugged officer training course at the Marine Corps school at Quantico, Va.

The new lieutenant will now begin a two-month advanced course at Quantico, before being assigned to lead marines in battle. His commission was awarded at a colorful ceremony at the Leatherneck school.

Second Lieutenant Stranieri attended the University of Tampa, Tampa, Fla., and Duke university, Durham, N. C., before enlisting in the marine corps July, 1943. He joined the 46th Officers Candidate Class, February, 1944, from New River, N. C.



VIRGINIA SMITH
New Student Body President

Curious Reporter Asks Co-Eds What They Like About Men--

By BETTY J. ADAIR

No matter where you go or for what purpose a group of girls is gathered together, you can rest assured that before the group leaves, a portion—if not all—of the time will be spent in discussing the most important subject of a girl's life. If you haven't guessed by now, it's MEN! Well, after all, that's a pretty good subject to discuss, isn't it? We think it is, so the question of this edition of the paper is devoted to men. We sometimes wonder why a girl is impressed by a certain boy. Below are the qualities that some T. U. co-eds want and are looking for in a man to win their heart. Do you qualify?

Elena Rivero: "You name it and that's it."

Clara Ann Bittmann: "Cause he's a corny jerk!"

Betty Jané Chadwick: "Their height!"

Betty Faye Cumbie: "Oh, I like a neat and well-dressed man—one who has vivid ties!"

D. K.'s: "Just everything!"

Dot Mallard: "Jim—especially cause he gets furloughs! Whew!!!"

Peggy Mack: "I like them because they are so sweet, steadfast, dependable and (while I'm lying, I might as well make it good) innocent."

Mary Jo Jones: "Their manliness."

Harriet Manning: "Their truthfulness."

Virginia Smith: "I like a man that's funny and not funny-looking. The meaner a man is to me, the better I like him. They should play hard-to-get."

Alice Arias: "I like men regardless of what they look like—what am I saying?"

Marilyn Levy: "Used to be looks, personality, etc. Now, it's just men—well, almost!"

Mims Green: "Elliott Green."

Ella Mae Dale: "I like him if he is a good conversationalist and a good dancer."

Emma Mae Murray: "I like manly men who have a sense of humor and yet can talk sensibly sometimes."

Eleanor Flisk: "I like a man who has a good sense of humor but can get serious if the occasion arises."

"Mike" Royer: "The fact that they're men—what more do you want?"

Catherine Lewis: "I like a man who's a bit wolfish. What girl can truthfully say she doesn't?"

Ina Gotler: "I like a man who is thoughtful, well-mannered, and a perfect gentleman. He should be cheerful and have a good sense of humor; intelligent and interested in at least one or two sports. As for looks—well, clean-cut features and wavy hair."

Ellen Mooney: "He doesn't have to be handsome but I'd like him to be a lot of fun yet with a brain in his

head. When I find him, I'll be happy."

Billie Higginbotham: "I like a man who is thoughtful, kind, ambitious, considerate of others, cheerful, able to think clearly despite chaotic conditions, and one who is mechanically inclined so that he can make simple repairs to electrical appliances that are constantly getting out of working order around the home. I also prefer that he be tall and blonde. Guess what?—I have him!"

Kathryn McSwain: "My ideal of a man is one that likes sports, thoughtful, good personality, cheerful, in other words, an all-around guy. I prefer blondes, especially one in Texas."

Nancy Guinta: "Not very particular these days—but I would like to have one with a good personality and he must be a good dancer."

Ronnie Constantine: "Of course, I would like a tall, dark, and handsome or rather a silent one—I'm not very talkative you know."

Margaret Havlik: "That's easily said in one word, height."

Marea Bordt: "That's a pretty hard question—I like a variety."

Norma Rollins: "If it is the right one, snuggle up a little closer."

Bowen: "I just love to see a man smoke a pipe! (Whom is she kidding, she just likes to see a man—period)."

Wanna Hunter: "I like the cave-man type—Just let me at him. Wow!"

Betty Holton: "Tall, over 6', handsome, likes the same things I do."

Margarita Gutierrez: "Good manners, in other words, a perfect gentleman."

Ona Warner: "Height."

Margie Casal: "A man who has good manners, plus personality. However, you can't be too particular these days, so just give me a man."

Mary J. Mena: "A man about 5'8", blonde, curly hair, blue eyes, a gentleman above all. I can dream, can't I?"

Betty Lou Curtis: "His good looks, personality and, oh, gee, I'm prejudiced."

Rosalie Mathis: "This is war!! This is no time to be choosy!!!"

Dorothy Marett: "A good personality appeals to me most—as for a particular quality, I think honesty is my choice."

Brush and Palette Elects Their Officers

The Brush and Palette club, under the direction of Mr. Borchardt, met and elected the officers for the coming year.

The officers of the coming year are: Billie Higginbotham, president; Bette Garrison, secretary, and Marea Bordt, treasurer. They plan to have many activities for next year.

VIRGINIA SMITH IS ELECTED TO HEAD UNIVERSITY

Much Spirit Was Shown by All Students

There was a great change in the elections this year. There were no male candidates and few male voters. From the time elections closed to the time the winners were announced, everyone was excited.

On Thursday, May 11, a student assembly was held, at which Elizabeth Erwin, president of the student body for the past year, announced the candidates for election. The two candidates for president of the student body during the coming year, Eleanor Flisk and Virginia Smith, were introduced by their respective campaign managers, Marion Neil and Doyle Bluemle. Each campaign manager tried to prove to the students assembled in the room that theirs was the best for the office.

Polls for election were open on the following Monday at 9 a. m. in the Browning room, and remained open until 2:00 in the afternoon. Word quickly got after the votes were counted as to who won. In the junior class there was a second election on Wednesday, due to a mistake in the voting.

The new officers of the various classes are:

President of the Student Council—Virginia Smith, who won over Eleanor Flisk.

President of the Senior class—Rosalie Mathis, who was unopposed for the office.

Senior class student council representatives—Belter Garrison and Lorraine Oglesby. The losing candidate was Marea Bordt.

President of the Junior class—Catherine Bowen, who defeated Marie Gibson.

Junior class student council representative—Peggy Pepper, who won over Alice Arias.

President of Sophomore class—Laura Richards, who was unopposed for the office.

Sophomore class student council representative—Betty Ruth Israelson, who defeated Betty Jane Brownsey.

Virginia Smith, the newly elected president, has been very active since she came to the University. In her freshmen year Virginia became a member of Delta Kappa Sorority and was a reporter on the Minaret. In her sophomore year Virginia was chosen secretary of her class, assistant feature editor of the Moroccan, Sigma Kappa Nu daughter, feature editor of the Minaret, and intramural manager of the Delta Kappa sorority. This past year Virginia has been vice-president of her sorority, won the honor of wearing the Higgins scholarship pin, president of the junior class, on the student council, editor of the Minaret and literary editor of the Moroccan. In addition she has been appointed as junior marshal at the graduation of the senior class.

The election of vice president and secretary of each class will not take place until next fall.

SAI Music Fraternity Gives Outdoor Party

Alpha Mu Tau, petitioning SAI, gave an outdoor party for senior music students of Hillsborough and Plant high schools Tuesday evening, May 16, at the home of Mrs. A. S. Weekley, 2619 Bayshore blvd.

Members and guests had a hamburger fry and picnic supper around an outdoor fireplace in the early evening. Later a musical program was given inside and the evening was ended by group singing. High school music students attending were: Miriam Almand, Evelyn Jewel, Betty Jean Stewart, Martha Cornelius, Dorothy Clinton, Myra Jean Bates and Gloria Ann Billett.

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TO THE COMING YEAR

To all the newly-elected officers of the University of Tampa, we wish to extend heartiest congratulations. To you will befall the entire responsibility of the student government of our institution, for it is these officers and these alone who compose the student council.

Under the able direction of a leader so capable it is entirely possible that this body will gain more chances to serve than ever before. This is, of course, up to the group that has been chosen. However from the officers whom you as a student body have chosen there is no reason why with perfect cooperation between council and body the university shouldn't be the most outstanding unit of educational activities in Tampa.

It is the wish of the retiring officers that the most may be accomplished and that every gap left open this year may be filled and that newer and greater things may be tried and achieved.

GOODBYE FOR NOW

We of the senior class wish to take opportunity now to say goodbye to all our friends and classmates at the university. We appreciate all that each of you has done to make our graduation a time of fun and enjoyment.

Our four years at the University have been extremely joyous ones and we realize that this could only be true because everyone has been so cooperative and helpful.

From now on it will be your job. The greatest part of the duties will, of course, fall on the shoulders of you who are now juniors. We know that you will do an even better job than we have done. We hope that all the ambitions of your hearts can be realized during the coming months which make up your last year at the University.

Our prayer to God can only be that the war may end soon without too much loss of life and that our entire nation may again be peaceful and happy and that for all future generations a state of peace may forever exist. That students may again be found in our halls, bountifully and happy, realizing youth should spend his time in such a way rather than far away on a battle front risking his life that such might be possible.

DO YOUR PART

As summer approaches, for many of us plenty of leisure time approaches. Whether we should waste this time has become a problem which concerns every person within our nation. It is far too foolish to imagine that we could even afford to waste such valuable time and opportunity to do such wonderful work. Throughout our nation appeals are made daily for persons to do all sorts of volunteer work as well as work which offers pay and is still contributing to the war effort.

It would be sad to think that our girls here will do nothing to aid our boys' returning. It is a well-accepted fact that everything women do today to help in any small way is to be admired.

Volunteer work will, of course, include Red Cross work in all its many phases, work that the USO may have for you to do, and many other worthy causes.

For jobs with pay, apply at the U. S. employment office. They will refer you to the job you are best fitted to hold.

Of course, now, don't go and get so wrapped up in your summer jobs that you will give up your college career, for we really need you immensely.



MSO Entertains at Tea in Honor of Their Mothers

The Methodist students of the U. entertained their mothers at a tea Sunday, May 14. The program, which was held in the assembly room, was led by Paula Pate, and Rev. C. L. Spottwood, pastor of the Bayshore Methodist church, gave a short talk. The program was concluded with the installation of officers by Rev. Waller, pastor of the Hyde Park Methodist church.

The new officers for the coming year are:

President, Alba Pelaez.
Vice president, Marie Gibson.
Secretary, Dot Jackson.
Treasurer, Billie Higginbotham.
Publicity chairman, Paula Pate.

After the program refreshments were served in the Rawlings room, with Miss Ida Mae Davidson and Mrs. Billie Higginbotham serving.

It Was a Great Bite But I Won, Maw

By MARION NEIL

Dressed in cool afternoon clothes (including hats and shoes), all juniors, seniors, and faculty members who possessed two dollars and an empty stomach, made their way out to the Columbia Restaurant for the Jr.-Sr. Banquet by thumbing rides, riding on street cars, and depleting their A gas ration books.

We won't forget the episodes that followed: The cute little hat place-cards . . . The bright spring flowers we planned to snitch as soon as possible . . . The gossip we heard (accidentally, of course) between courses. . . That super yellow rice and the French fries we managed to sneak from our neighbor . . . Virginia's rhyming toast and the hurried look she took at her notes . . . Her promise to drink it down to the very last drop and then Casal dood it instead. . . Elizabeth's very nice response . . . Dr. Rhodes and his encyclopedia talk. . . Smith and Mathis being announced as student marshals for Commencement . . . The junior class' poem and tribute to the Ideal Senior. . . Margie accepting in true Casal style, "Thank you for this lovely gift. I haven't seen it yet, but I GUESS it's lovely!" . . . Mallard rising on trembling limbs to toast the future of the seniors and using the wine to good advantage . . . Neil replying, due to no fault of the waiter's, and being so relieved that her notes were safe and sound that she, too, toasted the seniors and had to correct herself . . . Dr. Angus starring as water-boy . . . The impressive singing of the Alma Mater . . . Some of us staying for coffee . . . Bachman scaring us with her clouds of smoke . . . Dr. Lautz's suggestion that Mr. Wiltse and Dr. Laub dance . . . Good-byes and "ain't we had fun?" . . . Leaving the parking lot and driving over a curb . . . From there on, I refuse to comment!

Familiarities

After the excitement of election, I am now able to sit down and write a few (and I do mean a few) words for there isn't much to say about the girls and their boy friends — their friends anyway.

The long romance of Billie Davis and Charlie Whitehead terminated into marriage when they took the vows two weeks ago. Congrats!

Betty Jane Brownsey has been holding out on us, she just showed up with a ring on her right finger. What is this platonic friendship?

Also on the engagement list is Eleanor Fisk, who, since her engagement, has made several trips to see her new fiancé.

The other, Betty Jo Adair, is busy with so many telephone calls. Your ring is really beautiful.

The ones on the ole maid list would be easier to list. They are as follows: Rosalie Mathis, Margie Castle, Virginia Smith, and others.

Ellen Mooney received a package from her "latest." It's a very lovely gold bracelet. She is really thrilled over it!

Bill Sadler, who's home on leave was seen at Dan Good's with seven or eight girls. Girls, I'm sorry you weren't able to get a date with him.

Everyone was glad to see Leo Stal-naker roaming our halls again.

While on furlough, Carl House paid us a visit.

Although Paul Rippa is away, Rosalie Mathis felt at home the other day when his cousin, Bob Rippa, took her out to lunch. It's all in the family.

Time is really going slow for Catherine Bowen, but June will soon come around and so will Gene, for he will graduate.

Dick and Elena seem to enjoy each other's company very much lately.

Casal received a great surprise Tuesday evening when Goette came in unexpected after two years' absence. He is now stationed near Miami.

Lorraine, let's not complain so much about not seeing Tom seven days a week. After all, he is the property of Uncle Sam and yours when he isn't flying.

Who is this guy, Joe, that Betty Woof talks about all the time. Don't leave us in the dark, Betty.

Alice Arias seems to be doing all right as she is seen with a different fellow every week-end. By the way, Alice, if you should have an extra one have him call H-1308.

Mike is looking forward to C. M. Barnes' graduation dance at Miami. Hope you have a grand time, Mike, and I know you will.

Everyone had a grand time at the shower given for Elizabeth Erwin who will soon be married to Marine Burnside.

Dot Mallard must have had a wonderful time in Alabama, for she can't seem to get back to her studies, as her mind concentrates on nothing but Jim.

Marilyn Levy was seen the other night with a Lt. (Nebraska) and a Sgt. (Bruce). How about that, girls? There should be a law against such things.

Have you heard about Gertie? Well, kids, she was downstairs talking to

his fellow and another fellow came to and said something to her and he nearly exploded. (Excuse it, please — I had corn for dinner.)

Here's a little alumni news:

Doc Bernardine is in Arkansas getting ready to go overseas.

Frank Montgomery is OCS at San Antonio, Texas.

Sam Rankin, a member of the Air Force, is stationed in England.

Charlie Slocum is in the South Pacific.

Miriam Quarles married a Marine Lieutenant.

A Word To The Wise

To be sure you are right you must go ahead—and see if you are.

Being right occasionally, isn't enough. A stopped clock is right twice a day.

No wind is right when the pilot doesn't know what harbor he is making.

The way we are facing has everything to do with our destination.

The thing that mars your joy today becomes a trifle tomorrow. Why not make it a trifle now?

If you can see some good in everybody, nearly everybody will see some good in you.

Minutes of constructive activity produce more than days of idle dreaming.

Common sense is more important than education, but a combination of the two is irresistible.

If you would blast obstacles from your path, first apply the match of enthusiasm to the fuse of energy.

It is better to be an original jackass than an imitation lion.

The only place one can work and count on getting flowers for making a mistake, is in a powder factory.

ADVICE: That which the wise do not need and fools will not heed.

One does not MAKE friends: one recognizes them.

A famous ballplayer's advice contains a gem of wisdom for all of us: "Know ahead of time what you are going to do with the ball when you get it."

OVERHEARD: "Nobody don't never get anything for nothing, no where, no time, no how."

"I wish I could," sighed the stout lady, ruefully, as she gazed at the sign over the meat counter: "Give Your Fat to Uncle Sam."

Anyone is welcome to use our lawn mower, provided they don't take it out of our yard.

Society and Sports

Ask Aunt Carrie

Dear Aunt Carrie: I am a young(?) man in town and have as yet found no place to spend my vacation. Could you suggest something suitable?

—Vacation Victim.

Dear Vacation Victim: Have you tried the Youbettercomeon Inn? They have all the conveniences there; hot and cold running water (hot in summer, cold in winter); private baths (with every five thousandth, who knows, you may be the lucky winner?); single beds for single men for a double price; cut rates in our barber shop (we furnish the styptic pencil); there is a slight cover charge, however, for quilts, etc., also an 11c one in the bar to keep the riff-raff out; all drinks are on the house (you'll take the first ladder to the left); dining and dancing (dining in the restaurant across the street, dancing in Joe's, two blocks down); all tables, \$2, and you can take them with you.

Dear Aunt Carrie: My wife and I are very happy, do you think there is even the slightest reason for me to be worried that she would be unfaithful to me? This really is a silly thing to ask, as my wife hasn't even seen anybody since I've been home, in fact, there has only been one telephone call and that was about 12:00 one night. Some sailor wanted to know if the coast was clear. I told him to call the weather bureau, the fool. Well, anyway, what do you think about this?

—Trustin' Stanley.

Dear T. S.: Better go see the chap. Dear Aunt Carrie: You don't know me but I'm the little guy that was No. 19 in the election the other day, when there were only 18 voting. This was definitely a slip up (or a slip in, I don't know which) but I just "dropped in" to see what I could do to help the election along, and I think I did my part.

Yahoodie (alias No. 19)

Dear Yahoodie: Next time do it right, so you won't get caught.

Dear Aunt Carrie: I've been going with this girl for five years and have never kissed her, don't you think I should? She'll probably slap me, but I could take a crack at it, anyway.

Slower N. 'Ell

Dear SNE: She left herself wide open for that one, didn't she? But by all means you should. If you don't succeed, then you need something more than Aunt Carrie to help you.

Dear Aunt Carrie: Have you any suggestions about the laundry situation? Before, everything was "in the bag" down at the laundry and I could get it back in two days. Now, they even lose the bag and I don't get it back for 2 months.

Wishy-Washy

Dear WW: Try the MacBeth Cleaners. You'll know them by their motto, "Out, Out, D— Spot."

A Toast To The Minaret Staff

As editor of the Minaret, I wish to express my appreciation for the co-operation of the entire student body, to say nothing of the Minaret staff, in helping to send each issue of the newspaper to the press.

Due to the lack of activities, the news has often been small in quantity. Nevertheless, every two weeks, with the untiring help of the Minaret staff, we have been able to put out a paper that had as its aim the pleasure and enlightenment of the students at the University. This would not have been possible without the cooperation and aid from the students themselves.

Many times we thought that the paper just wouldn't get to press. The lack of any experienced students on the staff was a decided disadvantage at first, and there were times when we were all "stumped." But we all learned together and worked for the best kind of paper that we could possibly have.

He joyed that the Minaret Staff—I enjoyed this year more than any other.

THE EDITOR.

New Officers of The Delta Kappas Are Announced

The new officers of the Delta Kappa Sorority were elected at the regular meeting on May 15. These officers will preside over the activities of the sorority next year.

President—Rosalie Mathis.

Vice President—Ellen Mooney.

Recording Secretary—Virginia Smith.

Corresponding Secretary—Dot Malar.

Treasurer—Betty Garrison.

Parliamentarian—Kitty Martin.

Pan Hellenic Representative—Catherine Bowen.

Reporter—Peggy Pepper.

Intramural Manager—Peggy Mack.

Sergeant-at-arms—Joyce Palmer and Betty Jo Adair.

The alumnae of the sorority will honor the activity members at a swimming party at the Davis Island pool on May 26. Hilda Mills, alumnae president, is the chairman of the committee for this.

Dorm Riots

By ELEANOR FISK

The Dormitory girls are going to close another season of College life together by having a supper party at Forest Hills. This will be the last event before the girls scatter for the summer months. Some of the girls will stay to work in Tampa while all the others will take vacations or catch up on some sleep. No one will be graduating so we will all have a wonderful family reunion in the fall.

Laura and Lucille Mayor are going to stay in Florida this year to see if the heat can beat that of New York state—but they find it even cooler. Lois Dally returns to St. Petersburg. Mary Lerios goes home to Tarpon Springs. Shirley and Gay haven't made any definite plans as yet. Betty Garrison is from North Carolina. (I knew she would like to have me mention the state). Kitty might be in summer school—then again West Palm Beach is a pretty good place to be in the summer. Yours truly saw the wonderful place on the left side of the road as the bus went through. (O. K. Kitty, it does have a post office).

Fisk brought a coconut back from Delray when she went home so Shirley and Gay could see what one looked like in the husk. Shirley struggled with it for an hour before she finally broke it open. Oh yes! Ask Gay how peanuts grow. She was all prepared to pick some off a tree the other night. Irene has a beautiful Florida sun tan. Even the Crackers have a hard time getting such an even one. Vivian was certainly happy to have been able to be with Steve. We are looking forward to seeing her again in the Fall.

Doris has her Lieutenants come in large numbers. It wasn't too bad when she came in from a dinner date with one to go to a dance with another but when the third one came by the house, that was just a little too much to see go by. Why didn't you let one of the less fortunate go with him, Doris? Or are all the rest of the girls engaged? Gloria Stathis still gets more mail than anyone in the house. Most of it is from overseas, too.

Since this is the last Minaret this year, yours truly would like to put in a word of her own that isn't gossip. It has been a pleasure to write Dorm Riots this year because of the wealth of material I find in the Dorm. Being on the Staff has also been a pleasure because of the wonderful cooperation among the members. My hat off to you Virginia!

ORCHESTRIS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Orchesis club held their last meeting of the year and elected new officers. Dorothy Cheatem holds the office of presidency. Dottie Gonzalez vice president. Betty Garrison secretary and Margarite Gutierrez treasurer.

The Orchesis has not been active this year but under the direction Miss Moffat they have great plans next year.

The Trials and Woes Of a Politician

By CATHERINE BOWEN

Today, I am a politician! Well, that is the result of the past week, I'm sure. In fact, most of our able student body has the feeling of a dollar-a-year man or gimme some "hush money."

It all began at the polls. For a change, it wasn't the bar. From the crowd around the door you would think, however, that there was a bar or free drinks somewhere. When I got up in the midst of all the eager beavers trying to vote 18 or 19 times (or should I say "over stuff the snuff.")

I felt quite at home—well, university. Don't ask me how long I stood in line (wish I had a good one). Then maybe I'd get a date or two. Time passed slow, so did the people who were being herded in.

After waiting patiently several hours—correction, waiting—my opportunity came. It must not be true, the old saying "opportunity knocks but once." The boy who came out as I went in looked quite familiar, as he had been in and out several dozen times.

As I passed thru the sacred doorway into the most secret chamber, the keeper of the door informed me to button up my lip. I took her literally, and you may attribute this fact why I still bear the scar. Then she led me over to the table to cast my ballot. She gave me one pencil and one vote. Now, wasn't she stupid to only give me one vote. When I wanted them all to win. I'm the big hearted type, after all, we need a big representation with our several thousand pupils we hope to have some day. I was stuck! I'd been several times at Drew, but never at an election. So I began to count out on my fingers, "eenie, meenie, minie, tote, for which gal shall I cast my vote?" Then I remembered I couldn't write—and I don't mean I'm the dumb type. It was due to the fact a friend of mine influenced me by a gun in the ribs, to put some signs up for her and I missed the head of the nail, but didn't miss my finger. Well, that is sacrifice, I guess. So I missed the chance of a lifetime. On second thought, maybe I'll be fully second to vote the 23rd. If anyone knows the whereabouts of another election let me know, as I'm running a daily ad to the effect.

Sigma Thetas Have Annual Banquet To Honor Officers

Sigma Theta Phi sorority will have its formal initiation and installation of officers' banquet at the Floridian hotel, June 3, at 7:30. At this time the outstanding pledge and officers for the coming year will be announced. The new members and officers will be presented corsages of red roses, the sorority flower tied with blue and silver ribbon, the sorority colors. The sorority will present a bracelet engraved with the Greek letters to each new member, and the sorority mothers will give their daughter a gift.

Those in charge of arrangements are Irene Lefler, Betty Faye Cumble, Alice Arias and Lorraine Oglesby. Those in charge of the installation and initiation ceremony are Marion Neil, Ronnie Constantine and Emma Mae Murray. Informal initiation will be held at the home of Mary Julia Mena, on June 1.

St. Peter: What kind of sailors are those?
Gate Keeper: American.
St. Peter: Aw, let 'em in. They'll want a transfer in six months, anyway.

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Billy Higginbotham's good taste and artistic abilities have won her the title of "Miss Tampa U."

Mabel Auginbaugh Is Presented in Piano Recital

The University presented Mabel Auginbaugh in a piano recital on Friday evening, May 19, at 8:15 p. m. in the University ballroom. It was her graduation recital.

The program was as follows:
"Prelude, Chorale, and Fugue" by Caesar Franck;
"Etude in D Flat" (Un Sospiro) by Franz Liszt;
"Forest Murmurs" (Waldestrauchen) by Franz List;
"Senas Infantis" (Memories of Childhood) by Octano Pinto.
1. Run, Run!
2. Ring around the Rosy.
3. March, Little Soldiers.
4. Sleepy Time.
5. Hobby Horse.
"Concerto in A Minor" (First Movement) by Robert Schumann, Allegro affetuoso, andante espressivo, allegro molto.

Mabel will play this last number with the orchestra.

Said Billy Rose to Sally Rand:
"Will you dance without your fan?"
Sally danced without her fan.
Billy rose—Sally ran.

Fashions

By BETTE GARRISON

The Easter parade of fashions for this year has past but you wouldn't know it if you happened to be standing the night of the junior-senior banquet. Our T. U. upper classmen know what kind of clothes to wear and how to wear them.

I can't remember all the details but Nancy Guinta's lovely lavender crepe dress with a low neck remains in my mind. She wore a darling purple hat that sits on the back of her head with a purple veil hanging to her shoulders.

Kitty Martin looked simply precious in a white waffled pique. The circular skirt was gathered to a torso that fit snugly. There was a yoke of white lace that extended out over the shoulders with no sleeves. The neck was cut out square to the bottom of the yoke with flaps of pique at either corner. Kitty carried a white waffle pique draw string bag. There was a ruffle all the way around the bag which she made herself. She wore a white hat on the back of her head which she made with flowers. With her sewing abilities she would make a good wife for some former T. U. student, not calling any names.

Margaret Havlik and Marilyn Levy seemed to have similar tastes. In fact their dresses were exactly alike and good taste they have too. The dresses were light blue with a low round neck, a belt, lined with fuchsia, and pockets on the skirt which was gathered on the front.

Around the neck and sleeves and the pockets was a design in eyelet embroidery. The dress was a darling style and looked extremely well on both girls.

Betty Anne Smith wore a cool looking light blue and white silk print with white organza ruffles around the V-neck. She wore with the dress a darling white starched lace Dutch style hat. Everyone was crazy about the hat, especially Mims Green; she has one like it.

Ellen Mooney wore a flowered veil torso dress, trimmed in white ruffles. The thing that attracted my attention was the gold pin with a yellow stone and ear rings to match that was a present from her Cadet Jim on her birthday. She wore a pin at the neck.

Mary Jo Jones, the freshman representative, looked sweet in light blue. Ida Davidson wore a dress and hat of the same material, which she made herself. She looked charming. Dr. Laubs' boutonniere was quite the thing. His ties are one of the most cheerful things around Tampa U. The white sailor hats worn by Mathis and Mayor were outstanding. There were many other outstanding outfits but I won't take time to tell you about them. Just become a junior next year and see them for yourself.

AG's Give Annual Installation Banquet

The Alpha Gamma sorority held their annual installation banquet at the Spanish Park restaurant, May 7. The theme carried out the sorority colors of green and white and the pledges were presented corsages, as were the new officers. The new officers which were announced at the time are: President, Marea Bordt; vice president, Shirley Kaufman; secretary, Violet Conte; treasurer, Ina Gotter; sergeant-at-arms, Katherine McSwain. The pledges entertained the members and dates at a swimming party May 16, at Sulphur Springs. After swimming, a wiener roast was held on the picnic ground.

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Registration for the summer session may be made on Monday, June 5, from 9-10:30 a. m. or from 2-5 p. m. in the library. Classes begin on Tuesday, June 6.

HERE AND THERE

So You Think You're Smart!

By JUSTINE PRINCE

As if this new pay-as-you-go-nuts tax plan isn't enough worry, magazine editors seem to go out of their way to distract us. Perhaps they think that with pleasure driving banned, we should have something more than straight reading matter with which to while away our time, or maybe they just want to take our minds off the war. Whatever their scheming reasons, they are cluttering up the pages with problems; cute little puzzles designed for the sole purpose of testing the wit and trying the patience of the reader. In either case, the only result will be a complete collapse of the nervous system.

These problems are better known as "brain teasers." You are supposed to work yourself into a lather of confusion over them until you give up, then turn to page 65 and stand on your head to get the answers.

Take last Thursday, for example. I got out of school at 3 o'clock, came home, and settled down with a coke, a sandwich, and a magazine. I had all intentions of reading something restful, like "The Night Life of Cary Grant," or "Siberian Sleight Ride." Under ordinary circumstances I would have been sound asleep in less than an hour. But what happens? I open the magazine at random and there, staring at me in bold print, is the title "So You Think You're Smart!"

The whole thing was rather embarrassing. I wasn't even pretending to be smart. I was just tired and sleepy. However, after the first shock was over, I began to get inquisitive, so I started reading. Before I had a chance to get my bearings, I was lost in a maze of intricate problems which made seventh grade arithmetic look like college algebra.

There was one about the missionaries and the cannibals crossing a river. That wasn't hard. And I got the one about the worm boring its way through the set of encyclopedias. But when I got to the one about the bee that flew back and forth between two approaching locomotives, I was stumped! I had to get a pencil and paper and draw a picture of it. By the time I finished that, I assure you that my sympathies were all with the bee.

All this time it kept getting later; then bedtime came, and I still hadn't figured out how long it would take 100 cats to kill 100 rats, if 3 cats could kill 3 rats in 3 minutes; or, what the soda in a 55-cent highball costs if the whisky is 50 cents more than the soda.

It was long past midnight when I finally came to the conclusion that it would save a great deal of wear and tear on the cats if they took up a collection and bought a few rat-traps, and, that if this sort of thing went on much longer, I'd need that highball myself, regardless of the price. At last I dropped off to sleep, and even then my sub-conscious mind was infested with bees, locomotives, and cats, multiplying and dividing themselves. While my mind was in such a state of uproar, I dreamed up this little puzzle which should end all those problem pages for good. It ran something like this:

A missionary and a bartender are counting cannibals and highballs, respectively, the number of which doubles every minute. The missionary is smoking a 50-cent cigar that he paid for with two coins, one of which is not a nickel. Assuming, then, that the tide rises 3 inches and drops back 2 inches every half-hour, how long will it take the two locomotives to get in before the tide does, and why is that impossible?

But you figure that one out. I've teased at my brain so much that it's beginning to snap back at me!

SCHEDULE OF COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Baccalaureate services — Sunday, June 4, 4 p. m. Assembly room.
Class Day exercises — Monday, June 5, 10:30 a. m. Assembly room.
Graduation exercises — Tuesday, June 6, 8:15 p. m. Municipal auditorium.

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Marine Women Take Mail at Camp Elliott

The success of Mail Call for men and women Marines stationed at Camp Elliott may depend on the letter-writing habits of the "girl back home" or the boy "somewhere in the South Pacific," as the case may be, but it also depends on the 57 women Marines who have largely taken over the work of the camp post office, handling all phases of work except the lifting of heavy packages and mail sacks. Last year approximately 3,500,000 letters went through the post office; \$750,000 worth of money orders were issued; 200,000 parcel post packages were received for mailing. And even at this Marine base, where letters go postage free, \$77,566.85 in postage stamps were sold.

The amount of business done at this camp post office may seem large for the complement of men and women Marines stationed here. But the male personnel at Camp Elliott is largely transient. It is here that men are trained for combat and assigned to units in the Pacific. They remain at Elliott for a few days, or weeks, or months. Then they move on, and their address is usually "c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco."

This means that the post office is actually servicing many times the number of Marines stationed here at any one time. This also means that the job of forwarding mail to men already moved on is larger than at most service post offices.

Camp Elliott is headquarters for the Fleet Marine Force, San Diego area, including Camp Elliott, Camp Pendleton, and Camp Dunlap. Any Marine who was at any time attached to the Fleet Marine Force, San Diego area, and has moved on must be listed in the Directory Unit of the Camp Elliott post office with his new address so mail can be forwarded to him. If a man is listed as dead or missing, mail addressed to him must be sent to Headquarters, Washington, where it can be further checked. This is to avoid the possibility of returning a letter to the sender before the navy has formally notified the Marine's family that he is no longer living.

It is the Camp Elliott post office that receives undelivered mail for Marines who have already returned from the Pacific to any unit or base in the Fleet Marine Force, San Diego area. For example, a Marine returned from Bougainville or Tarawa, who comes back to the states to any base or unit of the San Diego area, will receive all mail forwarded from the Pacific through the Elliott post office. And if he goes home on furlough or is transferred to some unit outside the Fleet Marine Force, San Diego, his name is listed in the Camp Elliott directory.

Every woman Marine taking over a job at this post office or any other Marine base in this country, releases another Marine to go overseas to a postal job on some remote island or South Pacific base.

Patents for radio detecting and ranging were granted as far back as 1929, when British and American scientists were measuring the height of what they called the ionosphere.

Despite the almost total absence of tourist trade, hand embroidery makers in Madeira were unusually busy in the last year, much of their work being sent to other countries.

Gas cartridges are being used in New York state as ammunition against crop-destroying woodchucks.

Performances of Gaelic dramas are being given in Dublin streets.

Argentina has banned the delivery of mail on Sundays.

India has an aborigine problem.

Chile is fighting inflation.

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Final Exam Schedule

Final examinations will begin Monday, May 29, and will terminate Thursday, June 1. Each examination will last two hours.

Monday, May 29

8 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 8:00-10:00.
10 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 10:00-12:00.
12 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 12:00-2:00.
2 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 2:00-4:00.
4 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 4:00-6:00.
7 o'clock classes meeting on Monday, 7:00-9:00.

Tuesday, May 30

8 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 8:00-10:00.
10 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 10:00-12:00.
12 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 12:00-2:00.
2 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 2:00-4:00.
4 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 4:00-6:00.
7 o'clock classes meeting on Tuesday, 7:00-9:00.

Wednesday, May 31

9 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 8:00-10:00.
11 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 10:00-12:00.
1 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 12:00-2:00.

3 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 2:00-4:00.
5 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 4:00-6:00.
8:30 o'clock classes meeting on Wednesday, 7:00-9:00.

Thursday, June 1

9 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 8:00-10:00.
11 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 10:00-12:00.
1 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 12:00-2:00.
3 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 2:00-4:00.
5 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 4:00-6:00.
8:30 o'clock classes meeting on Thursday, 7:00-9:00.



Trigger Stone

There's a character who's got a heart like his name. To him a Nip in the trees is a notch in his gun.

Me, I've got the hottest pin-up collection in the Pacific but does it get me anywhere with Trig? No!

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