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# MINARET



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## SOLUTE:

One of the very nicest improvements at T U is the "spontaneous song group" that gathers together every few nights and sings old and new favorites in the Bull Room! Here's hoping that this group gathers every night for their own and our musical entertainment. I know everyone within range of their voices appreciates the chance to hear their songs.

Joyce Amble is the group's pianist. She also sings, in fact, I thought it was Georgia Reed singing. Joyce is very good.

And everybody's favorite is Ed Peck. Ed is a quarterback on the grid squad. Another member of the grid squad that vocalizes very good is Tom Battaglia. Johnny O'Neal a Spartan eager is also singing with the group.

Everyone of the people in this group is a real credit to the school. The other members are Ann Roberts, Helen Brita, Jayne Anderson, Louis Young, Jim Mann, Jack Munz, Tom Boyle, and Mary Esther Bartlett.

One night they just got together and started singing--we hope that they will never stop their evening song sessions. This article is dedicated as a gesture of our appreciation to the song group for making the evenings at T U very pleasant indeed.

The Minaret Staff

## FTA MAKES BEAUTY CONTESTANT

The FTA began its first meeting of the year with a bang. The members qualified Miss Georgia Reed as their official entry for the Miss Orange Bowl queen. The faculty advisors were introduced.

An election committee has been named to select qualified officers, these of course can meet competition from the floor.

## MESS'N & FUSS'N

### STUDENT MESSAGE GOES UNANSWERED

As of today no word has been forthcoming to the Minaret Office from Coach Sinkwich or Mr. Keene, explaining to the student body why late tickets are so expensive or why we do not have better seating arrangements at the football games. I am surprised that the message went unanswered. What's happened to the democratic principles that are expounded so frequently at our college.

I hope that both Mr. Keene's Athletic Committee and Coach Sinkwich are aware of the implications growing in the student's minds regarding this and many other problems. The students feel that many of their rights are being transgressed and these students further believe that their best interests are never protected. Therefore, I again urge the Athletic Committee and Mr. Sinkwich to answer the open letter that appeared in the last issue of the Minaret. If the answer is put in the Minaret mail box at the school post office by Monday, October 15, it will be in time to make the next edition of the regular Minaret. If this is too short of a notice please let us know the date you will notify the student body.



I'm a music  
major  
and I like  
you. The  
Alma Mater  
is beautiful.

## CUT THE ROUGH STUFF

The rough stuff in the lobby has got to go. If it doesn't, you can assure yourself that the few people who wrestle with girls, break bottles, and really act like their in a barn are the people who are stopping you from getting pleasurable accommodations, such as a beautiful and livable lobby, a place to dance and so on. To bad everyone here isn't college material.

## RAT WEEK

Rat Week turned out to be a total flop. Why? Plans weren't adopted in time to know what and what not was allowed. The Senate better set up standard procedure for the next incoming class of rats or announce that there will be no rat week next year.

## SOMETHING IS WRONG

Something is wrong with the song, that is our Alma Mater, all that can be heard of it at football games is the music of the band. You students must be ashamed of it or just don't know the words. If you don't like the Alma Mater ask to have it revised or changed to something you do like. At assembly Tuesday very few people sang the Alma Mater. What's wrong with the song? Let's get on the ball!!!!

## P. A. SYSTEM NEEDED

The cheerleaders need a P. A. system for the ball games--who's going to get it for them? They should have it game time Saturday.

The Minaret needs writers. Write an article, please !!



## EDITORIAL

One man said, "Why I hear that Tampa U is almost ready to close," another stated that, "Enrollment has dropped to less than 300," and still another claims, "They tell me that communism is encouraged at Tampa U." These are actual cold hard statements made by just a few people to whom I've talked in the past few weeks. This is not an attempt at sensationalism but a reporting of facts from a minority of people who either don't know the true facts about our school or can be considered enemies of the school.

Why can't you, the student of today get up off your lazy haunches and do one little thing to help the school. Why is the school spirit so low at a football game even when a bunch of hard working men and boys are out on the field jeopardizing their health for nothing more than simple board, room, and tuition in some cases and nothing in a great many cases. What incentive have they to give out with just that little extra that might mean victory.

If we can't show a sincere display of spirit how can we expect the population to know other than what they told me as I have explained in the first paragraph. With about 500 cars available I was ashamed to watch the pep parade downtown before the Jax State game when the band was surrounded by five or six cars. Yes, I was ashamed for the school but I felt extremely proud of those students who participated and even more proud of those members of the band who carried their uniforms with quiet dignity while some of their fellow bandsmen said to H \_\_\_\_\_ with it.

Remember what I said before. These people can't help but form the opinions they have if the students don't co-operate more and show school spirit.

## DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

## Home Economics Club

The Sigma Theta Phi sorority is sponsoring a script dance, The Harvest Hop, this Sat. October 13, after the Lenoir-Rhyne football game. It will be held in the lobby with Al Werner and his orchestra furnishing the music. Admittance will be 55¢ stag and 75¢ drag. All football players and their dates will be admitted free.

## QUEEN CONTESTANTS TO MEET

All contestants for Miss Tampa U report to Minaret Office for final instructions on Monday, any time between 11:30 and 1:30.

## PRESS SERVICE LEAD TO SPEAK TUESDAY

Mr. Emil Roth, President of the Associate Press Service, will speak to the people of Tampa U on Tuesday at 11:30. Mr. Roth is sponsored by Ad & Sales Club.

The Home Economics Club held its installation dinner Oct. 5, at the home of their advisor, Miss Cox. The new officers for the coming year are President, Jane Anderson; Vice President, Ann Shaffer; Secretary, Treasurer, Pat Williamson; Reporter, Shirley Hector.

The club's project for the year is to redecorate and furnish the club's newly acquired room.

All girls interested in joining the club may receive information about joining from any of the officers or Miss Cox.

Notices concerning meetings will be posted a day in advance.

## CHEERING SECTION TO PERFORM

Flash Card Display will be worked out at the game. A white card with printed instructions will be passed out to students sitting in strategically located seats. At the end of the first quarter, the band will strike up a tune and the Pep Squad Leader will blow a whistle. When the whistle blown, those students with the cards will hold them at eye level, tilted back slightly, with the white card facing the opposite side of the field.

When the band finishes its number, a whistle will be blown and the cards lowered and will be collected shortly afterwards.

All students are asked to co-operate with this display. Bigger & better displays are now being planned. Seating arrangements for the cheering section are being considered. Any ideas or suggestions any students may have should be turned in to Mary Esther Bartlett, Head Cheerleader or Johnny Sanchez, Cheerleading Manager.

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