

Sweetheart Number Four



Miss Donna Kilpatrick is this week's sweetheart. She is a graduate of both Hillsborough High School, Tampa; and Jackson Memorial Nursing School, Miami. Miss Kilpatrick is a registered nurse doing private duty in Tampa hospitals. She is 5'6", has soft brown eyes, and wavy chestnut hair. She's as sweet a colleen as ever was. This week's sweetheart was entered by her fiancée, David E. Cavanaugh.

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Shrouse To Assist Gaddis

Art Shrouse, for many years line mentor for Hillsborough High School, was added to Tampa University's coaching staff March 10. Shrouse and Head Coach Mike Gaddis were officially signed by Dr. E. C. Nance, President of the University.

Gaddis, who will act as athletic director, and Shrouse, signed contracts for three years. Coach Gaddis will actively begin his duties on June 1st and will be joined by Shrouse about the middle of June.

Line Coach Shrouse is coming to Tampa University with a reputation for producing sturdy, hard-charging lines. He learned his line play as a guard on the 1935 Florida Gator team, and practiced his learnings at Quincy for three years and also at Hillsborough for five years.

The Spartans are planning a tough schedule next season. The local teams to be played include Rollins, Florida State, and Stetson University.

NOTICE

All students, faculty members and administrative staffs of the University are to take the Tuberculosis tests sponsored by the Hillsborough County Health Department, March 22, from 9-12 in the morning, and from 1-4 in the afternoon. X-rays will take but half a minute, and are free. All persons must show their cards before being X-rayed.

Dean Rhodes

New Dome Theatre To Have Formal Opening

The formal opening of the new University of Tampa Dome Theatre now nearing completion, will be on the night of March 31, 1948. Being constructed entirely by students who are members of the Spartan troupers, the room will seat from 100 to 150 people in a circular fashion.

The play "Without Love", now in rehearsal will open the night of the formal opening of the Dome Theatre. Opening night will be by invitation only but "Without Love" will run for three consecutive nights

—Thursday, Friday and Saturday; April 1, 2 and 3.

Members of the cast of "Without Love" include Mike Royer, Lulu Belle Stalnaker, Nancy Humes, Wiley Bowyer, Andrew Martinez, Manuel Rubin and Mildred Girthrie—all of Tampa; Neal Ellis of Memphis, Tennessee; Tom Carlin and Stuart Falconer of Mansfield, Ohio! and Robert Gross, Philadelphia, Pa.

The show is being directed by 23 year old Joseph Russo of Brooklyn, N.Y. This young college director has appeared in numerous University productions including such Spartan and 313 Masquers smash hits as "Our Town," "Henrik Ibsen's Hedda Gabler" and most recently "The Servant In The House" at the Federated Clubs Buildings in Tampa.



Tony Dorio and Jimmy Phillips are shown during a high spot in their show, "A Musical and Comedy Review" which they presented at the special assembly at the Municipal Auditorium

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SHROUSE ON U. ATHLETIC STAFF

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Dr. Becknell Honored By Math Society

Professor Guy G. Becknell, for 16 years a distinguished and devoted professor of physics at the University of Tampa, has been singularly honored by election to membership of the American Mathematical Society. Only the most outstanding men in this field are eligible for membership in the Society.

NOTICE

Due to lack of interest among all concerned, there will be no final issue of Muezzin this semester.

I am sorry that this school is not capable of supporting a magazine of a calibre any higher than a comic-book.

My resignation of the editorship of Muezzin is herewith respectfully tendered.

Jack Cartlidge

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Dr. Nance, Thorp McClusky and Marjorie McLachlan looking over the book, "Raintree County."

Creative Arts Com. To Give Awards

The Creative Arts Committee of the American Association of University Women here is repeating its 1947 offer of awards to University of Tampa students in a competition in art, music and literature.

Entries for the contest must be submitted by April 10, 1948 and awards will be made in May. A prize of \$10 will be given for the best entry in each of the following fields: music, art, drama, short story, and poetry. A person may submit an entry in more than one field.

Each entry must be religious in theme; other rules will be found on the bulletin boards.

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Is Your Slip Showing?

Once upon a time there was a baby University. Now lots of people thought this baby was weak, and not long for this world, but it turned out they were wrong. This little University grew and grew, and got bigger and better, and won quite a bit of praise that it truly deserved for itself. Most people liked it, and did nice things for it to help it along in the world. As it grew, it added many things to itself, so that by the time it got to be seventeen years old, it was a pretty complicated University, and almost out of its adolescence and facing adulthood.

But every once in a while, this little University, like any other growing thing, would stump its toe, or get a stomach ache, and have a momentary set-back. Now a lot of these little aches and pains weren't necessary, and they weren't really the fault of the University at all, but the fault of some thoughtless people who were a part of the University, just like a blood cell that is part of you or me.

When the University got to be seventeen years old, it got to thinking about the reputation it had made for itself, and a very fine reputation it was indeed. And the University said to itself: I would be so hurt if now, that I am seventeen years old, any part of me did anything to hinder my growth, or upset my balance. Yes, I would be hurt and disappointed, too. I have tried to be a good University, and I think I have succeeded. So please, don't hurt me.

And I agree with the University, don't you?

PSI MU ALPHA NEW FRATERNITY

The month of March welcomed something new under the minarets. It was the Psi Mu Alpha, Honorary Music Fraternity. The club started back in January but it wasn't until the latter part of February that it was approved by the faculty committee on student organizations as a full fledged fraternity. For a long time there has been a need for a fraternity specializing in the field of music and the Psi Mu Alpha intends to fill that need.

Credit for the organization is given its charter members: Charles Bond, Sam Castellana (secretary), Robert Gross (President), Robert Koehler, William Nunn, and Vincent Thornton, and to their advisor, Prof. Lyman Wiltse.

Plans are being made for two recitals to be given before the close of the semester; one is to be a pledge recital and the other will be open to the public.

Another topic under consideration is the purchase of an organ for the University, which will be useful both for practice and instruction and also for recitals.

A brilliant and useful future awaits this promising young fraternity.

Letter To The Editor

Editor of the Minaret
University of Tampa
Tampa, Florida.

Dear Editor:

We would like to take this opportunity to say hats off to Dorio

and Garcia for the fine professional show they presented today for the students and faculty of the University.

Sincerely yours,
Paul Gorman
Spartan Troupers

KAMPUS KLUES

By Katie Kandid

Couple of the week: Lois R. and Jack Groves.

T. U. boys really enjoyed the Music Clinic here last week—Ah, youth!!!

The Sylvia Jacobson heart is beating quite loudly and steadily for Bill T.

Anyone want to know how to celebrate a birthday party? Just ask some of the Beta Chi pledges!!

Is Eddie Bond a threat to the Caraher-Reed romance????

That's a mighty cute girl you're engaged to, Roscoe. The best of everything to you both.

Congratulations to the sororities on the mighty nice pledges you all got.

George Harris seems to have taken the advice of this column a few weeks ago and I've heard many favorable reports of late. "Breeze of Memphis" might do likewise, to her credit.

Lula Belle Stalnaker's interest in the "Without Love" rehearsals seems to have taken on new light since her ole flame, Manuel Ruben, is playing the male lead.

The Beta Chi's finally threw a real formal affair and from what I've heard it was very nice. Eating and dancing and whooping it up were Pat A. and Willard; Madge K. and Billy; Evelyn and Buck; Becky and Dick; Adele and Skinny.

Beak's eyes are beginning to wander, Yvonne. You'd better keep your eye on a certain new sophomore girl.

Overheard the other day about a T. U. girl: "When God made her He sure knew what He was doing."

It would seem that more boys are taking "German" than are signed up and going to class.

A certain blonde senior girl had better knock that chip off her shoulder before someone else does.

Funniest two-some we've seen in a long time are Joan S. and Oscar.

I know of a few T. U. girls that would be very happy if Dan "Smiling Boy" Murphy would break down and start dating. How about it, Dan???

I appreciate the suggestions from the student body that have been turned into me and I've used those I could this week. If yours isn't here today and it's printable, it will be. Keep them coming.

—Katie.

About The Campus

By Nancy Humes

Correction please, on "Little David." We find (after feeling for days as though people were flinging stones in our direction) that we have done that thing which all English teachers warn journalism students about: we wrote a sentence using lots of pronouns and our antecedents were very vague. The result could be taken two ways. The way most people took it was not intended at all, and we apologize for our faulty sentence structure.

We received a communication the other day (via Patty Perlman up at Tallahassee) from an enthusiastic reader of our paper who lives in Pennsylvania. He was very anxious to obtain pictures of all the girls who were entered in the Moroccan Beauty Section Contest. His one qualification was that the girls be attired in bathing suits. If any of you gals are interested, drop by the Minaret Office . . . we have his address.

We were very curious to find out what the general reaction was last Thursday afternoon when the lights went out in the University. Knowing our U. students as we do, we expected to get some rather interesting answers to our query of: "Where were you when the lights went out?" Our clever student body, evidently ever on the watch for such tricky questions, answered almost in toto: "In the dark, where else?"

Our associate editor, Bruce Atkins, told an amazing story the other day. "Someone," B.C.A. informed us, "threw a light bulb at me from a car the other night about 10:30." Our first reaction, after ascertaining that no bodily injury had been done him, was to inquire, "Was it lighted?"

We are very sorry that the student body has shown so little interest in the current (or for that matter, any issue) of the Muezzin. We are probably one of the few institutions of higher learning in the country who has allowed its student literary magazine to fall to pieces through sheer inertia. The former editor of the Muezzin told us that had he had no staff and lots of money, or a large staff and no money, he could have put out a second issue. Due to the lack of either, or both, no issue will be forthcoming. It is our opinion that this lack of interest and enthusiasm in the magazine amounts to almost criminal negligence. Surely in a

CAMPUS HARMONIES

By BOB GOLDEN

Hold it readers! Don't go any further! Stop right here and read what's written! It's something new for all you students and faculty. Something that you have been wanting and waiting for a long time, and now you have it at last. That's right! It's a music column!

The appearance of this new feature in the school paper finally gives us the chance to make up for past unexpressed praises of the wonderful accomplishments of Professors Wiltse and Park. So let us now heap laurels on them. Professor Wiltse for his sensational work with the University's Orchestra, Band and Chorus and his magnificent direction of the Tampa Symphony. Professor Park, for his beautiful original compositions and excellent instruction in the theoretical music courses. We also have wreaths for a couple of our students. They are Jack Brockman and Bob Price. These two fine musicians have been invaluable to the music faculty the last few years.

PLANT PARK HIGHLIGHTS . . . There was a wonderful turnout for the marvelous band concert given in the park recently. But, where were the students? You missed the opportunity of hearing a wonderful baritone, Vincent Thornton. And what about Otto Blankle? There was a terrific trombone solo that Ot played.

OBSERVATIONS . . . The band doesn't need a base drummer. During parades, its male members never keep time by listening to the beat of the drum. Instead, they do it by watching the up and down movements of the majorettes' legs. Won't some of you musicians like to have your own private majorette keeping time for you in place of a metronome? I bet you would never get tired of practicing then.

MUSIC CONTESTS . . . Professors Wiltse and Park were judges at Florida's District Vocal Rating Contests held at Tampa University. Professor Wiltse also appeared as a judge for other music competitions in Miami and Fort Myers. Professor Park, for one in Orlando.

JUNK DEPARTMENT . . . In the room of three musicians living in the Mens' Dorm, there are two trombones, two tenor saxes, two alto saxes, one baritone, two violins, four clarinets, two pitch pipes and two tonettes. No wonder Mrs. Denny says she is always hearing funny noises. Oh yes, to all you girls with motherly instincts. There are also plenty of dirty socks up there that you can wash. (How did that get in here?)

AT THE TOURIST CENTER . . . A memorable recital by the University Chorus, on March 15. Soloists were Dot James, Bill Nunn and Vincent Thornton. Included in the program were Rachmaninoff's In the Silence of Night; Jesus Walked this Lonesome Valley by Dawson and April is My Mistress' Face by Mosley. The Male Chorus sang Jericho and I Got Plenty of Nuttin, The Girl Chorus did Breakers of Baranquilla, a gorgeous South American nocturne.

THE NEW MUSIC . . . For all you bee-bop lovers who have been waiting to hear some great interpretations of this new musical fad, make sure you hear these two combos; The Versatiles and The Zebra Boys. I don't know whether they will still be in town, or where they will be playing when this issue is published. However, if they are around, you will get plenty of kicks if you go to hear them.

CAN'T GET OVER . . . The most enjoyable musical and comedy show that T & T (Tony Dorio and Tony Garcia), with the assistance of Jimmy Phillips, put on for us in the Student Assembly. Dot Henderson thrilled the audience with her singing. The wonderful band playing for the performance was one of the two mentioned above, the Zebra Boys.

PRACTICE ROOMS . . . There aren't enough of them. I hate to see Dick Davis dejectedly practicing in a room that was never intended to be used as a music studio.

SOMETHING BIG . . . Coming up on April 13. Keep that night open.

ADVICE TO ALL . . . Don't ever miss any musical programs given by the music department of the University. They are interesting, educational and beautiful.

STUDENT POLL

The Minaret is a student publication. The aim of this paper is to give the students the best possible news and feature service. Please fill out the blank below and drop it in the box outside the Minaret office or send it to the Minaret office.

What part of the paper do you read first?.....

What feature do you like the most?.....

What do you like next best?.....

What would you like to see included?.....

What suggestions or criticisms do you have?.....

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school of this size there are enough persons who are interested in serious writing to enable us to have a literary publication. Evidently this is not the case, although we can not figure out the way or the wherefore. If any of you pass by the Muezzin office, or the Minaret office (we are holding a wake tonight) note the black crepe on the doors. R.I.P.

Know Your Organizations

Rho Nu Delta, third fraternity to be chartered at the University of Tampa, was founded in 1935 to further Latin American good will. The organization became inactive in 1943 after most of its members had gone into the service, but with their return Rho Nu Delta resumed active status on the campus in 1946.

The fraternity's chief project is to establish a scholarship at the University for a student from a Latin American country. Funds for this purpose are being raised by means of the annually given Beaux Arts Ball, which last year was co-sponsored by Rho Nu Delta and the Brush and Palette Club.

When sufficient money has been raised to put a student through school, names of candidates for the scholarship will be presented by their respective governments, and a committee composed of the officers and faculty advisor of the fraternity will choose the student to whom the scholarship is to be awarded.

Rho Nu Delta's officers are Tony Ippolito, president; Dick Freshown, vice-president; Rosario Ciccarello, secretary; Troy Smith, treasurer; Roy Pinch, chaplain; Joe Granda, sergeant-at-arms, and Roscoe Davis, pledge captain.

Prof. Louis A. Nava was advisor to the fraternity from its founding until this year, when ill health compelled him to give up active sponsorship. Prof. Clyde T. Reed

is now advisor to the group, and Professor Nava is honorary advisor.

Review of Dorio, Garcia Musical

At a special assembly held March second, Tony Dorio and Tony Garcia presented a program entitled "A Musical and Comedy Review." These two students have been quite active in producing this type of entertainment at the University, in high schools, on the radio, and at the Royal American Shows. Highlighted among their performances have been "Funzalafun," which was presented for the University Endowment Drive; "Coeds Go Midway," and "All Star Review."

One of the featured acts of their recent show, and of the others, was Anthony (Screw) Dorio and Jimmy (Nut) Phillips, who kept the crowd literally on the edge of their seats with their wacky comedy routine.

Music for the show was furnished

by the "Four Shades of Rhythm" who are currently engaged at Ralston Beach for the summer season. Milt Spencer, WFLA announcer, acted as MC for the show.

Dot Henderson, former T.U. student and formerly with Hi-Lo-Jack-and-the-Dame, sang several songs. Cosilda, the Diosa Costello of Tampa, who appeared recently with Bob Hope and Bing Crosby in a Miami night club, was also a feature of the show.

"My Dear Muddy" Or For Supper, Ham

Commonly thought of as a remote and spectral figure no more like ordinary human beings than the characters in his shivery, shuddery short stories, Edgar Allan Poe appears in a totally different light in a homey letter he wrote to his mother-in-law, Mrs. Maria Clemm, on April 6, 1844.

"My dear Muddy—We have just this minute done breakfast, and I now sit down to write you about everything.

"Last night, for supper, we had the nicest tea you ever drank, strong and hot, wheat bread, rye bread—cheese—tea-cakes (elegant), a great dish (two dishes) of elegant ham and two of cold veal, piled up like a mountain and large slices—three dishes of the cakes and everything in the greatest profusion. No fear of starving here. "I went out last night and bought

a skein of silk a skein of thread, two buttons, a pair of slippers, and a tin pan for the stove. The fire kept in all night. We have now got four dollars and a half left. Tomorrow I am going to try and borrow three dollars, so that I may have a fortnight to go upon. I feel in excellent spirits, and haven't drank a drop—so that I hope soon to get out of trouble."



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Trouper Talkies

By MARLO

"Come children, let us shut up the box and the puppets, for our play is played out."—Thackeray. You agree, don't you, Jack?

The American theatre, even at the University, should always present what is known as the arts. Let's hope it is always that way here in Spartanville, hmmm!

MINGLING WITH MARLO: To Aunt Juliana and George: Do the Spartan Troupers have B.O., huh? . . . Claire Van Breeman, the most perservering fair sex member of the Troupers today. "The reward of a thing well done is to have done it."—Emerson (won't some people please absorb?) . . . How can some people always have that smile? Ask Lulu Belle, the lovable, laughable actress now rehearsing in "Without Love" . . . Welcome to Tampa, John Bianco! John is from Clearwater and now that he is here, there will be plenty of stage managing for "Without Love" . . . And that was quite a party out at your house in Clearwater, John, a week ago Sunday . . . They tell me that Bob Gross, former Harvard man, ate nineteen stalks of celery or a reasonable facsimile thereof . . .

SPARTAN SPECTACLE OF '48 TAKING SHAPE

The new Dome Theatre being built by a small group of Troupers is nearing completion. This new University theatre, the only one of its kind East of the Mississippi, will have its grand opening with the forthcoming production, "Without Love," about the first week in April.

CREDIT DEPT.: This week to the students who have been working night and day, when they are not in classes or rehearsing or building a circular theatre that the University will be proud of—to Stu Falconer, for the sweat he's poured out for the Troupers and the University . . . to Tom Carlin who besides playing leading roles in productions, has become a carpenter working on constructing the theatre . . . to Joe Russo for his energetic construction work and never tiring job of directing "Without Love" . . . to Neal Ellis for the moments of help the construction gang has received . . . to Louise Jenkins, a most efficient script girl . . . and thanks to photographer Hugh Kelly for the fine cooperation.

TROUPER THOUGHTS: "Absence is to love what wind is to fire; it puts out the little, it kindles the great."—de Bussey—Rabutin. (Y'all can be great if you really want) . . . "To speak and to offend, with some people, are but one and the same thing."—La Bruyere (It is not what you say but the way you say it, eh?) Ta ta for now.

GILLIAM, STRANAHAN AND RUBIN JOIN RANKS

Since the last issue of the Minaret, the Spartan Troupers have added three new members to their group. The latest additions are Helen Gilliam, Kit Stranahan and Manuel Rubin.

Miss Gilliam is a model formerly with a fashion mart in Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. Rubin is a graduate of Hillsborough High and until recently with the United States Army in the central Pacific. He has been cast in "Without Love."

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Can two drama-groups at the University of Tampa work together for the benefit of everyone and the University? Marlo says yes, but only if individuals put aside their pride and begin working as a team. Read the next issue of the Minaret for the possible startling answer.

Fraternity News

Eight pledges of the Sigma Kappa Nu Fraternity were formally pledged at ceremonies held at the Crystal Ball on Sunday, March 14 at 6:30. Following the pledging a banquet was held in honor of the new pledges and George Lyons, who is to be married later this month to former Tampa U. student, Miss Betty Jane Brownsey.

New pledges are George Lyons, Doug Middlebrook, Robert Varnadore, John Gibson, Victor Fresh, Robert Reynolds, Harry Hobbs and James Mayo.

Members present were Credo Schwab, Fred Lenfesty, Hoyt Goodson, Julian Keating, Bill Hines, Joe Cumbie, Jack Groves, Jack Hendricks, Alex Kaiser, Jimmy Ghiotto, David Barksdale, Bud Keathley, Chuck Gilkinson, Ted Roos, Charles Allen, Tommy Bissounette, Fred Barksdale, John Dekle, Paul Emanuel, Charles

Nash, Roger Birt, Ed Kendrick, and Albert McNab.

Hillsborough State Park was the scene of the second Sigma Kappa Nu Rush Party which was held on February 29. This party was a picnic in honor of rushees and dates. After eating, guests enjoyed various sports such as boating and volleyball.

The first SKN Rush Party was a stag party at the Seminole American Legion Post Building. Pledges and members were introduced and a brief speech was given by the fraternity president, Albert McNab, on the policies of the fraternity.

Last Monday night extensive plans were made for the fraternity's Annual Daughter's Day Celebration on March 19, the first day of Spring. A luncheon will be held in honor of new and old daughters followed that night by a closed dance at the Hotel Mirasol for members, pledges and dates of Sigma Kappa Nu.

TAU DELTA SIGMA

The members and officers of the Tau Delta Sigma fraternity extended bids to six University students on March 2nd. The newly accepted pledges are: Billy Mills, Tom Hubell, William Dornier, John Marzolf, Frank Szontyka and Jerry Fineman.

President George Robinson sounded his mallet to open the fraternity's joint meeting of members and pledges on March 4th. Congratulations and sour jokes were passed around.

Members and pledges met again last Monday evening at Ritencliff Cafeteria to break bread. Good time was had by all although quiet reigned about member Jim Douglas . . . pessimistic Jim was wearing his Navy blues.

KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA

The Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity held a weiner roast at Rocky Point for its pledges. In between times of feasting on weiners, buns, mustard, and pickles, songs, such as "Jeanie With The Light Brown Hair" and "The Surry With the Fringe On Top", filled the air.

Professor Roy A. McGillivray, Faculty Advisor for the fraternity, attended, and the following pledges were there: Roy Jaudon, John Sible, William Duval, Vincent Nucio, Wallace Jenkins, Jr., Raymond Connors, Jay Bragg, Frank Crompt, Sam Carbin, and Bruce Atkins.

Apparently everyone had a good time, for when it came time to leave, not a crumb could be found to take back.

RHO NU DELTA

Two rush parties have been held for the rushees of Rho Nu Delta. One, a stag affair, was held at Palm Lake; the other a buffet supper for rushees and their dates. Refreshments were served at both parties.

The annual Carnation Ball was held at the Davis Island Country Club, with music by Don Francisco. Sponsors for the dance were: Peggy Anderson, Marguerite Royer, Deloris Patrick, Louise Aparicio, and Betty Jean Thompson.

TAU OMEGA

On Tuesday, March 9, the T.O. Fraternity held its formal pledge breakfast at the Morrison Cafeteria. Pledges were introduced to their fathers and friendship was immediately impounded.

The following men excepted bids to Tau Omega and are now active pledges:

Thomas A. Barrow, James Ellis Brown, Reinaldo Escobar, Charles D. Furman, Carol E. Fogal, George J. Harris, Joe J. Lewis, M. Walter McCall, Harold E. McLeod, Douglas M. Meighen, Howard J. Neil, Phillip Pullara, Frank Pupello, Joe Pupello, Henry Spivey, James Stewart, Joe Todd, Troy Lee Tuck, Winton Williams.

Enrollment Increase

The University has 1092 students this semester, as compared Phi Sorority are Patty Ennis, Marthis time last year. The figure does not include enrollments in the Adult Education Center.

Although the stars we see in a constellation may appear to be in the same plane, some may be millions of light years farther away from us than the rest of them.

Sorority Doings

SIGMA THETA PHI

New pledges of the Sigma Theta with 1078 last semester and 1013 jorie Oglesby, Norma Piper, and Marjorie Stanaland. The girls will be formally pledged at ceremonies details of which are to be divulged at a later date.

Rush week officially closed when the rushees of all sororities picked up their bids in the Dean of Women's office on Monday, March 8 and either accepted or rejected them. Rush season had opened two weeks before and had been climaxed Saturday, March 6 with the Preference Luncheons.

The Davis Island Country Club was the scene of the Sigma Theta Preference Luncheon. Rushees and guests were welcomed by the Sorority president, Miriam Chastain. Corsages of red roses were beside each plate. The red rose is the sorority flower. The center piece consisted of the same deep red roses, yellow snap dragons and blue delphiniums. On each side of the centerpiece stood a silver candelabra with yellow candles.

The last Sigma Theta Rush party was a banquet held in the Tampa Terrace Hotel at 7:30 on Wednesday, March 2. The banquet was presented by the Sigma Theta Phi Alumnae Association and they presented corsages of red roses to the rushees, who were welcomed by the Alumnae President, Mrs. Juanita Kolka. The long table was marked at several points with small blue wagons filled with the red rose of the sorority.

Members of the sorority in charge of arrangements for the luncheon and the banquet included flowers, Betty Blitch and Julie Daniel; invitations, Miriam Chastain; placecards, "Mike" Royer and Barbara O'Berry; and place, Elena Rivero, Madge Kleinhammer, and Joan Schwab.

The first two rush parties held by Sigma Theta Phi were a Plantation Supper on February 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Craig in Sunset Park and a Yachting Party on February 28. The Yachting party consisted of a cruise out in Tampa Bay with a midnight snack being served aboard ship. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. E. Williers and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kolka.

Stalnaker and Cacciatore Attended Reunion

Two University of Tampa students, Zeno Stalnaker and Vincent Cacciatore, who were graduated from Hillsborough High School in January, 1938, attended a reunion of the 1938 class of the high school Feb. 26 in the high school auditorium.

Stalnaker, who was president of the January, 1938 class, received his degree from the University of Tampa in 1941 and re-enrolled this year for special work in education. Cacciatore is a junior in the University.

Officers for a banquet to be held March 20 were chosen at the reunion, at which approximately 50 members of the 1938 class were present.

Mike Clementi of Tampa was elected president of the class for the next two years. The next reunion will be held Jan. 26, 1950.

DELTA KAPPA

The first Delta Kappa Sorority rush-party was a coffee held Feb. 28 at the home of June Nance, 2808 Parkland Blvd. Mrs. Shepard, sorority advisor, Miss Jones, Dean of Women, and Mrs. Nance poured. About 50 girls including alumni, members and rushees, attended.

A formal prom dance was given by the sorority as a second party for the rushees, Feb. 27, at the Davis Islands' Country Club. Each guest was given a red and white prom booklet upon entering. The girls' booklets were decorated with a red sweetpea. The decorations consisted of flowers on the tables and an D. K. emblem made of red and white carnations hung above the bandstand. Music was furnished by Milt Bedingfield and his orchestra from 9:30 to 12:30 P.M.

The Alumnae gave a weiner roast at Dupree Gardens on Thursday, March 4. Because of rain the party was held inside. Mrs. Dupree is the alumnae sponsor.

Preference luncheon invitations were issued Friday March 5. The luncheon was held Mar. 6 at the Crystal Ball Restaurant. Each rushee received a corsage of white roses tied with red ribbon. Miss Jeanne Wiltse, although unable to be present, was announced as the winner of the Higgins Scholarship Pin given each year to the member with the highest scholastic average.

There are now 18 active members of the Delta Kappa Sorority and the following seventeen girls were pledged Monday, March 8: Dorothy Bachman, Eleanor Blackwell, Terry Carter, Sara Charpia, Katie Lou Connatser, Lena Moore Gant, Jo Ann Hall, Jean Harter, Helene Keller, Glenn Massey, Maultsey, Doris Miller, B. J. Pelaez, Mary Potts, Lois Richelieu, Pat Scott, and Ruth Sullivan.

Beta Chi Wins Tournament

The Beta Chi Fraternity came through with a decisive 23 to 13 victory over Sigma Kappa Nu to clinch the basketball championship. The Skins put up a hard battle, but succumbed to a second half Beta Chi rally.

The Chi's started fast and were ahead 5 to 0 before SKN registered. Coming strong the Skins momentarily took the lead, but as the half ended Larry Rosenbaum dropped in a set-shot giving Beta Chi a one-point advantage.

The Skins struggled desperately, but the Big Team steadily increased its lead as the game wore on. Conn Straub and Jerry Jackson tossed in two quick baskets which put the game out of reach for Sigma Kappa Nu.

The victory enabled the Champs to close the season with a perfect record.

NOTICE

The MINARET is now prepared to offer a free carton of Chesterfield Cigarettes to any person who brings in an advertisement of \$10.00 or more. Contact Leonard Gotler, Business Manager of The MINARET.

Adams Names Intramural Stars

Miller Adams, Director of Intramurals, has selected an All-Star team from this year's competition. Willard Knight, Beta Chi; Joe Ruppener, Tau Omega, and Willis Simmons, Greyhounds, have made the team for the second time. Newcomers to the squad are Harry Hobbs, Greyhounds, and Larry Rosenbaum, Beta Chi.

Rosenbaum, Simmons, and John Dekle, Sigma Kappa Nu, were the

leading scorers in the order named. Rosenbaum had the individual high with 21 points.

Coach Adams has nominated Larry Rosenbaum as the outstanding Intramural player.

The selections: Simmons, Greyhounds; Rosenbaum, Beta Chi; Hobbs, Greyhounds; Knight, Beta Chi; Ruppener, Tau Omega.

Second team: Dekle, SKN; Grimsey, T.O.; Suarez, KSK; Jackson, BX; Jones, Buca.

Honorable Mention: McDonald, RND; Birt, SKN; Gillis, SKN; Koon, Bucs; Reinert, BX; Straub, BX; Larmon, TO; Cacciatore, KSK; Diaz, Greyhounds.



Kazakevich Still Holding His Own

Joe Kazakevich is still holding down first place in the Tennis Club's ladder tournament. Bud Reinert is in second place with Tom Bissonnette closing out the big three. Bissonnette has come all the way from 16th place to his present standing in a short time.

The women's division has a new leader. Jean Kavakos has replaced Mary Jo Glenn in the number one spot. Dot Harra and Pat Scott are still in second and third places respectively.

INTRAMURAL SCORING CHART

MAJOR SPORTS: 60 pts.

1st	40 pts.	Touch Football
2nd	48 pts.	Basketball
3rd	38 pts.	Softball
4th	30 pts.	

Teams finishing below 4th receive 20 points.

MINOR A: 40 pts.

1st	40 pts.	Track
2nd	30 pts.	Swimming
3rd	22 pts.	Volleyball
4th	18 pts.	Tennis

Below 4th place, 12 points

MINOR B: 30 pts.

1st	30 pts.	Golf
2nd	24 pts.	Table Tennis
3rd	18 pts.	Badminton
4th	15 pts.	Boxing
		Wrestling
		Archery
		Handball
		Horseshoes

Below 4th place, 10 points.

In elimination tournaments (such as tennis) teams tying for positions other than 1st place will receive credit for all points awarded for that position.

Ex. Independents win 1st in Tennis—40 pts.

Bucs and Hawks tie for 2nd—Bucs 30, Hawks 30.

Alpha Gamma Takes Girls Title

The Alpha Gamma sorority won the girls' basketball and volleyball intramurals for this year. They are the first to have their names inscribed on the W.A.A. gold plaque over the faculty bulletin-board. Basketball intramurals were cut short due to the lack of space and broken baskets.

The W.A.A. is sponsoring the tennis club's women's ladder tournament and has now in progress a men's tournament. If you care to know who's on the top of the ladder take a look at the W.A.A. bulletin-board near Miss Crean's office.

W.A.A. is planning a ping-pong and badminton intramural tournament, singles and doubles. The posters are up now on the student bulletin board.

Girls' varsity basketball team played Rollins last Friday, March 5. Although they lost to Rollins 33,17 they played good basketball, and a hard, fast game was fought.

SPARTANS TO PLAY BULLDOGS

The University of Tampa Spartans will open their 1948 baseball season against the Georgia Bulldogs on March 26 and 27. This will mark the first time that the two schools have ever met on the field of sport. The Bulldogs are annually one of the strongest college nines in the country.

Coach Adams is building this season's team around six veterans. He has Manuel Miranda behind the plate, Bob Grimsley and Larry Rosenbaum around the key-stone sack, Art Gniazdowski at third, Al Fecteau in right field, and Doug Gorster on the mound.

Big "Salty" Burns will play first base and add power to the batting order. Angelo Pullara will hold down the center field slot and at present Bob Rodenberry is slated for left field.

The pitching department has been enhanced by Tom Spicola and Ed Norriss.

BETA CHI BASKETBALL TEAM



SHROUSE SIGNS ON THE DOTTED LINE



Rosey Rambles

By LARRY ROSENBAUM

This columnist has now become a bonafide sports expert. My first prediction was wrong. A few weeks ago it was stated that the Tampa Spartans would complete the season with at least a .500 average. Their record, however, was 12 wins and 15 defeats. Some of the losses though might just as easily have been victories. There was a one point defeat by Georgia (Savannah), and four last minute losses to Stetson, Miami, Florida, and Southern. The game with Florida played at the Fort Hesterly Armory was one of the most exciting contests seen here in years. It was nip-and-tuck until Lamar Bridges hit three quick baskets in the closing minutes to put the Gators ahead.

On the other hand, included in the 12 victories were wins over Miami, St. Petersburg, and Southern. The St. Petersburg Jr. College team had amassed a string of 21 consecutive triumphs including an early season win over T.U. The Spartans came back to decisively whip them on their own court. In the meantime Southern rooters were hailing their team as the greatest in the school's history. The Spartans put the quietus on that type of talk by splitting four games with the Moccasins.



In the 27 games played the Spartans rang-up a total of 1356 points for an average of slightly better than 50 points per game while limiting the combined efforts of the opposition to 1278 points for a game average of 47 points. Leading the Tampa marksmen was Reinaldo Escobar who averaged 12.3 points per game with an individual high of 27. Following him were Bob Fabian with a 9.6 average and Carrol Fogal with 7.4. Joe Eckart was named as the best defensive player by many of the opposing coaches.

The Tampa University Spartans may have lost more times than they won, but they were in there fighting all the way.

The sale of Eddie Stanky by the Brooklyn Dodgers once again proves the statement that there is no sentiment in baseball. Branch Rickey has been quoted as saying that Stanky could not run, hit, or throw, but he wouldn't be traded for any other second basemen in the league. Therefore, it is conceivable that his value to the Dodgers must have been as an inspirational leader. If this is so, then his declaration that Brooklyn would not win the pennant without him might very well be true. Only time will tell.



BARRUS

Barrus Takes Over As McDonald Leaves

"Chuck" Barrus, a North Carolina boy, will pilot the Ace Club this semester, taking over the duties of former president Bob McDonald, who has capably performed the duties of that position for the past semester. Barrus is a capable man, and with newly inspired co-operation from the members, hopes to have the club running at maximum performance within a few weeks.

McDonald will attend the University of West Va. this semester. This means the Ace Club will put a very valuable member on the inactive list. W. Virginia's gain is our loss. Good luck Bob.

The Vice-presidency will be retained by Fred Hammon, a valuable member of the club, with



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James Stewart, a no less capable member, taking over the pen and records with the duties of Secretary. The finances will be confidently handled by Hal Hammond, and "hard working" Bill Timmerman will be the Sergeant at Arms of the club. Bart Lysek, the new pledge captain, will supervise the new pledges in their endeavors this semester.

With the leadership of these capable men the Ace Club will undoubtedly be in the spotlight around Tampa U. this semester, and in the semesters of the future.

The new pledges are:

Tom Taylor, Buck Hardin, Mike Jones, Frank Satykya, Jack Moore, Jimmy Moore, Tom Mullins, Lucian Martinez, Bobbie Roddenbury, Howard Vail, Dick Hunter, Harold McCleod, Ray Squinter, Andy Clewiston, Frank Benton, Emery Jewell, Hugh Kelly and Richard McIver.

Senate Receives Keys U. Methodists Attend Conference

It was announced last week that members of the Student Senate received gold keys for their services during the year '47-'48.

On the front of the key the words "Student Senate 47-48" are engraved and on the back the name of the student senate officer.

The following received keys:

Doyle Bleumle, President of the Student Senate; Leonard Vidal, President of Senior Class and Vice-president of Student Senate; Charlie Haynes, Representative of Senior Class; Miriam Chaztain, Secretary of Student Senate; Dick Saxon, President of Jr. Class; Joan Schwab, Representative of Jr. Class; Gerald Scott, Pres. of Soph. Class; Winnie Lamb, Representative of Soph. Class; George Harris, Pres. of Freshman Class; Dick McIver, Representative of Freshman Class and Treasurer of Student Senate.

Seven members of the Methodist Student Organization attended the State Methodist Student Conference, Feb. 27-29, at Camp O'Leno. The delegates included Nita Benton, Betty Dumas, Laura Meadows Edith Morgan, Lucy Pelaez, John Gibson and Fletcher Anderson. The organization's pastor-counselor, the Rev. W. L. Joyner of Bayshore Church, was a member of the conference faculty.

At the conference the Tampans attended seminars on subjects related to Christian living on the campus, shared in the conduct of the business of the state Methodist Student Movement, heard a series of addresses by Dr. E. T. Ramsdell of Vanderbilt University on the conference theme, "The Cam-

pus—a Christian's Challenge," and enjoyed Christian fellowship with Methodists from the University of Florida, Florida State University, the University of Miami and Florida Southern College.

The delegates presented their re-

port on the conference at the Methodist luncheon on March 5.

The next Methodist luncheon is planned for Friday, March 19, at 12:30 in the Methodist Student Room on the Circle. Mrs. R. E. Rutland of Seminole Heights Me-

thodist Church will lead the discussion. All Methodist students and faculty members are invited to attend this meeting and to share in the weekly program of morning devotions on Wednesdays at 8:10 in the Methodist Room.

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