

# COMMENCEMENT JUNE 4th

## Alumni Voting On New Officers

University of Tampa alumni this month are voting on next year's officers and directors.

The vote is being conducted by mail. Ballots have been sent to all members of the Alumni Association, and must be returned to the Alumni office not later than 48 hours preceding the annual meeting, June 4.

Association President, Perry Owen Keene, Jr., said the election is being conducted under the rules and regulations stipulated in the Association by-laws which make it necessary for an alumnus to have contributed to the Alumni fund in the previous 12 months. Contributions and pledges received from Alumni to the 1960 Facilities Fund drive are being credited as contributions to the Alumni Loyalty Fund.

Candidates for the various offices are:

- President—Harry J. Seely '53,  
2302 Azeele, (unopposed)
- Vice President—  
James Berfield '55, 1607 Ida  
Paul McCloskey '41, 2806 Terrace Dr.
- Treasurer—Robert McArthur '51,  
5111 Olney
- Board of Directors: (vote for five)—  
Michael Capitano '55,  
401 N. Albany  
Richard J. Cole '56,  
202 Hamiller Ave.  
Carmen DePaula '52,  
Rt. 2, Box 225, Lutz  
Gilbert H. Leeper '56,  
3905 San Luis St.  
William McMullen '38,  
3422 Jean Circle  
David Pinholster '40,  
4322 S. Hubert Ave.  
Robert S. Tramontana '37,  
2503 W. Minnehaha  
William J. Antonini '52,  
12107 N. Edison  
Robert E. Curry '58  
2009 E. Patterson  
Jeanne Bradley Sanabria '52,  
1918 Dekle

## Speaker



DR. DWAYNE ORTON

## Campaign Goal Within Reach

Returns in the University's 1960 Facilities Fund drive are continuing to mount toward the \$125,000.00 goal. At the latest report meeting a total of \$85,000 in cash and pledges had been subscribed.

Campaign Chairmen Jerome Waterman and Henry Toland said they are urging all members of the volunteer solicitation committee to complete their calls and return the signed cards before June 1.

Mr. Waterman pointed out that more than 1,500 prospect cards have been

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A concentrated week end of reunions, receptions and Baccalaureate and Commencement exercises will mark the close of the 29th academic year of the University. The schedule is shown elsewhere on this page, and all alumni and graduates are urged to participate.

Baccalaureate services will be held the evening of Friday June 3 in the Municipal Auditorium. The University Chorus will sing sacred numbers and

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### FRIDAY, JUNE 3

8:00 p.m. **BACCALAUREATE SERVICE** in the Municipal Auditorium. Family and friends of all students of the University invited.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 4

12:30 p.m. **ALUMNI LUNCHEON** and Spring Reunion, to which the graduates are invited as honor guests, will be held in the Ballroom. The Alumni Board urges all former students of the University to attend to welcome the 1960 graduates as new members of the Alumni Association.

3:00-5:00 **RECEPTION** by President and Mrs. Delo, honoring graduates and parents at President's Home.

6:00 p.m. **TRUSTEES DINNER** honoring the Commencement speaker, will be given at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club.

8:00 p.m. **THE TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT** of the University of Tampa will be held in the Auditorium with the address given by Dr. Dwayne Orton, Educator and Editor, formerly with Baylor University and the College of the Pacific, and now with the International Business Machines Corporation. Call 8-5957 for reservations.



# EXPERTS ATTEST PROGRESS

## Compliments From Evaluation Groups

Visits from representatives of accrediting agencies during the last two months resulted in compliments for the academic and other progress made at the University.

Dr. Gordon Sweet, Executive Secretary of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Atlanta, who visited the campus on March 15 and 16 for the first time since November 1958, wrote President Delo as follows:

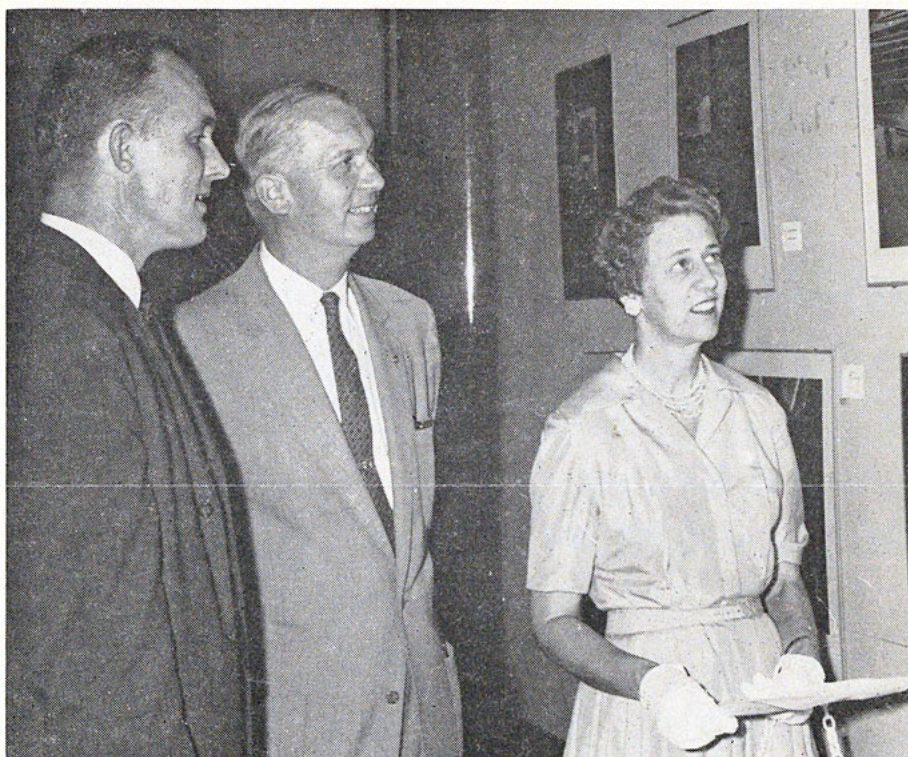
"I was interested in comparing the quality of the total program with that which I found a year previously. I was greatly impressed by the progress which had been made in general administration, in faculty, in physical facilities, and in a determined effort to raise the standards of instruction in all departments. A very thorough study of the curriculum by the faculty has moved to place this university in a strong position in the area which it serves."

An evaluation committee from the Florida State Department of Education, headed by Dr. J. T. Kelley, Director, Division of Teacher Education, Certification and Accreditation, was on campus April 25-27. Other members of the committee were Mr. Lou Swatts, General Supervisor of Instruction, Hillsborough County School System; Dr. John R. Beery, Dean of the School of Education, University of Miami; Dr. Eugene M. Boyce, Associate Dean, School of Education, Florida State University; Dr. Benjamin Rogers, Vice President, Jacksonville University; Dr. J. A. Battle, Dean, College of Education, University of South Florida.

After interviewing members of the faculty and student body, holding discussions with members of the Administration and viewing the changes in the physical plant, Dr. Kelley made the following statement as a consensus of opinion from the committee:

"The committee saw wonderful improvement in the University of Tampa. This improvement was indicated in the selection and preparation of faculty, in the attitude of the faculty and students, in the total program of education which is offered, and particularly in the program of teacher education. The committee was impressed with the cooperative endeavors of the staff in arriving at a total university approach to teacher education. This was most realistically presented in the core program for the University which has been developed and is now being put into practice. You and your staff are to be commended on this program."

A detailed formal report will be received from the committee later in May.



The University's display of "Photography in the Fine Arts", is viewed by Dr. Josiah M. Baird, recently appointed head of the Fine Arts Department and Dr. John S. Allen, President of the University of South Florida and Mrs. Allen in the University Ballroom. Dr. Baird said the exhibit of 85 of the world's most famous photographs on loan to the University from the Metropolitan Museum of Art attracted large numbers of viewers during the 10-day showing.

## FACULTY IS ACTIVE

Dr. F. M. Hornyak announces that his proposal to the National Science Foundation for an undergraduate research program has been accepted. Two students will be selected to work under his direction in a nine-week summer program of research in organic chemistry and infrared spectroscopy.

Dr. Jesse L. Keene was elected a Director of the Florida Historical Society at the annual meeting April 7-9 in Mount Dora.

Dean Lucile King was in Philadelphia last month attending the sessions of the National Association of Women Deans and Counselors.

Coach Marcelino Huerta lectured to the Florida High School Coaches Association meeting in Miami April 22nd. The Athletic Department was host to the first Coaching Clinic of 250 coaches to be held at the University with lectures and demonstrations taking place in the gymnasium and stadium.

These reactions from persons observing the University in objective fashion, are most encouraging. The Administration has invited such visits in order to secure objective advice and information.

Dean Frank Setear attended the American Personnel and Guidance Association meeting in Philadelphia.

Dr. Roy E. Dwyer's paper "A New Look at the Supervisory Role" will appear in the late summer issue of the *American School Board Journal*.

Dr. Miller K. Adams has been selected one of the high doctorates of the February 1960 class of New York University. The high doctorate is reserved for those in the upper ten per cent of the classes.

Prof. Stephen Park represented the University of Tampa at the Southeastern Composers League convention at the University of Alabama last month. Mr. Park is a charter member of this organization comprising nine Southeastern states.

Dr. James W. Covington, Prof. Eustasio Fernandez, Prof. Carlos F. Weiman and Dr. Stephen Speronis are the faculty advisors and members of the steering committee of the newly organized Institute of International Affairs on the campus. Officers and members will be elected from the citizens of the community. Plans are being made for a series of foreign affairs panels to bring diplomatic personnel for special events on our campus.



# Tampa U. FEA Wins Trophy

The Benjamin C. Graham Chapter of the Student Florida Education Association of the University of Tampa was awarded on April 23rd at Miami Beach, a permanent trophy in recognition of outstanding attendance at professional meetings over a three-year period covering 1958, 1959, and 1960.

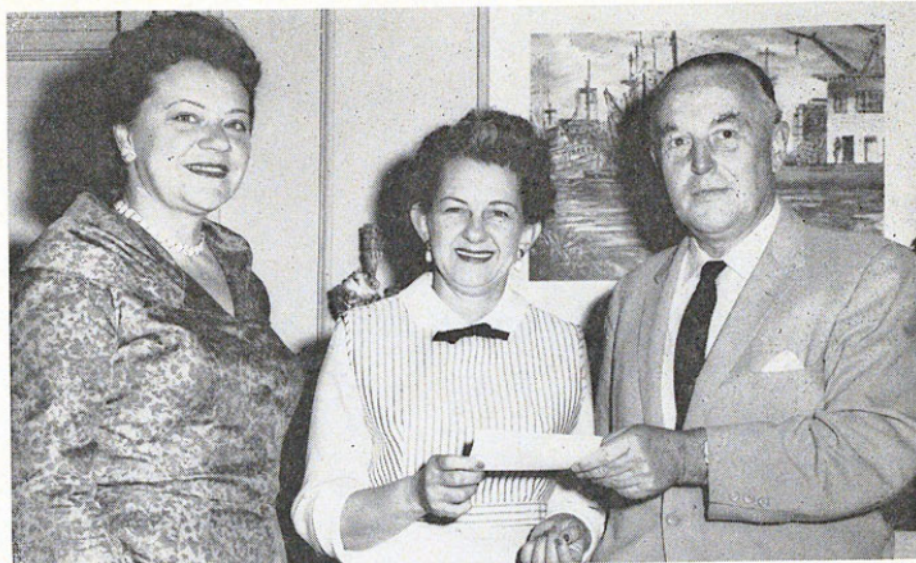
The cup had been held by the Tampa University Chapter since 1958 on a temporary basis. Jack Smallwood, Tampa University Senior who has served the past year as State President of the Student Florida Education Association as well as Vice-President of the Student National Education Association, made the presentation to Dr. Ralph E. Stout, faculty advisor of the student group, who in turn presented it to Miss Providence Maniscalco, President of the Benjamin C. Graham Chapter. Other student officers of the University of Tampa Chapter present at Miami Beach were: Vice-Presidents Martin Rossback and George MacKinnon, and Secretary-treasurer Grace Lucido. Students who attended this year's convention of Florida Education Association were: Milton Smith, Casimiro Gonzalez, Marian Pedersen, Carmel Parrino, Gloria Rodriguez, Sylvia Rivero, Mary Ann Diaz, Mary Ann Ferlita, Pat Alvarez, and Olga Zayas. The University of Tampa Student Education Association is third largest in membership in the state with 130 students.

## Commencement . . .

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the graduating class and faculty will form the academic procession.

As last year, the Alumni Association will play host to graduates of August 1959, and January and June of this year at a luncheon to be held at noon on Saturday, June 4, in the Ballroom. Invitations to the luncheon have been sent out to all members of these



Spartan Wives represented by Mrs. John H. Black and Mrs. Yale Whidden present a check to President Delo completing the group's project of beautifying the Wicker Lounge. Spartan Wives, under the sponsorship of Mrs. Howard G. Baker have conducted several fund-raising projects to pay for the beautification work.

classes. In order that appropriate plans may be made for the proper number at the luncheon, it is urged that acceptances be sent in to Dean Setear's office at an early date.

The Alumni Luncheon will be followed at 3:00 o'clock by the Annual Reception for all graduates and their wives, husbands or parents, at the President's House, 1815 Bayshore Boulevard. President and Mrs. Delo hope that there will be a large turnout this year.

The annual Trustees Dinner will be held at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club at 6:00 P.M., and the Commencement exercises in the Municipal Auditorium at 8:00 P.M. The commencement address will be delivered by Dr. Dwayne Orton, Editor of "Think" Magazine and educational consultant to the International Business Machines Corporation.

A former president of Stockton College, Stockton, Calif., and a graduate of the University of Redlands, Dr. Orton joined IBM in 1942 as director of its Department of Education, which

## Recitals Scheduled

On Tuesday, May 24th at 8:00 P.M. students of Professor Lyman Wiltse will present a voice recital.

On Thursday, May 26th at 8:00 P.M. students of Professor Stephen Park will present a piano recital.

Both events will be held in the Dome Theatre at the University and are open to the public.

today serves more than 120,000 persons annually in courses ranging from occupational training to advanced seminars in business management and engineering science. His work in building the IBM educational program and in the development of managerial talent has been recognized with honorary degrees from six outstanding American colleges.

The Freedoms Foundation has twice awarded Dr. Orton its "George Washington Honor Medal" for his editorship of "Think" and for "outstanding achievement in bringing about a better understanding of the American way of life."

During the past decade, he has served in many civic and professional capacities, in addition to his work with IBM. In the field of aeronautics he has been a consultant to both the civil aeronautics administration and the U. S. Air Force. He is chairman of the Council for International Progress in Management, a trustee of the Pratt Institute and of Freedom House, a director and member of the executive committee of the American Arbitration Association, and holds board memberships in several other national organizations.

An outstanding speaker, author and educator, Dr. Orton should bring an interesting and worthwhile message to the graduating class.



Honor students from Hillsborough County high schools have been guests of the University during the month of May. "College Adventure Day", the operation of inviting groups from the County high schools to view the University and talk with administration and faculty members was arranged by the Education Committee of the Chamber of Commerce through Mrs. Elrita Crawford, coordinator of special services, shown at the left background. Dr. Roy Dwyer, extreme left, is explaining to a group of honor students the many courses available to them in the Education Department.





University of Tampa campus was the scene of a great deal of crew activity this month, including the Florida State race pictured above. The Spartan crew pictured in the second shell from the bottom came in third in the four-way State Championship race. The shell in the foreground being

manned by Rollins oarsmen eventually won the State Championship. Shells in the background are those of Jacksonville and Florida Southern. The crew continues to be one of the major attractions of the Spring sports schedule.

## 1960 Fund . . .

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selected by campaign workers and of this number the campaign office has received reports on only 175. "It is now a matter of making the calls," Mr. Waterman said, "and success of our efforts will be fully realized."

Solicitors are reporting good reception on their calls, with an extremely low rate of 'turn-downs'.

In later issues of "News and Views" it is planned to list the names of all contributors to the 1960 Facilities Fund drive.

President David M. Delo said he was highly gratified at the results of the campaign to-date. "The campaign already has brought to our attention many friends of the University that we did not know previously," he said.

"Almost daily we are receiving unsolicited contributions through the mail, accompanied by very encouraging letters. It is a pleasant feeling to know that many persons are recognizing the forward steps we are taking at the University."

Campaign report meetings will continue to be held Wednesday afternoons until the goal is attained.

Mrs. Florence F. French installed the new officers of the Lake Wales Branch of AAUW on May 14. She spoke on "Mass Media, Exciting Channels of Communication". Mrs. French is the state chairman for Mass Media.

Dr. Charles S. Giles' water color painting, "Channel Drive" is being exhibited in the Florida Federation of Art's "Prize Winner" show in the State Headquarters gallery at the DeBary Mansion.

## de Novo, Literary Annual, Ready

The 1960 edition of de Novo, the University's magazine of original literary contributions, will be off the press soon. Editor Neil Reynolds said the book will contain approximately 50 pages of the outstanding works of University students and faculty. The book may be ordered through the business office. The price is 50 cents.

Prof. Carlos F. Weiman attended the meeting of the American Society of International Law which was held in Washington recently.



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