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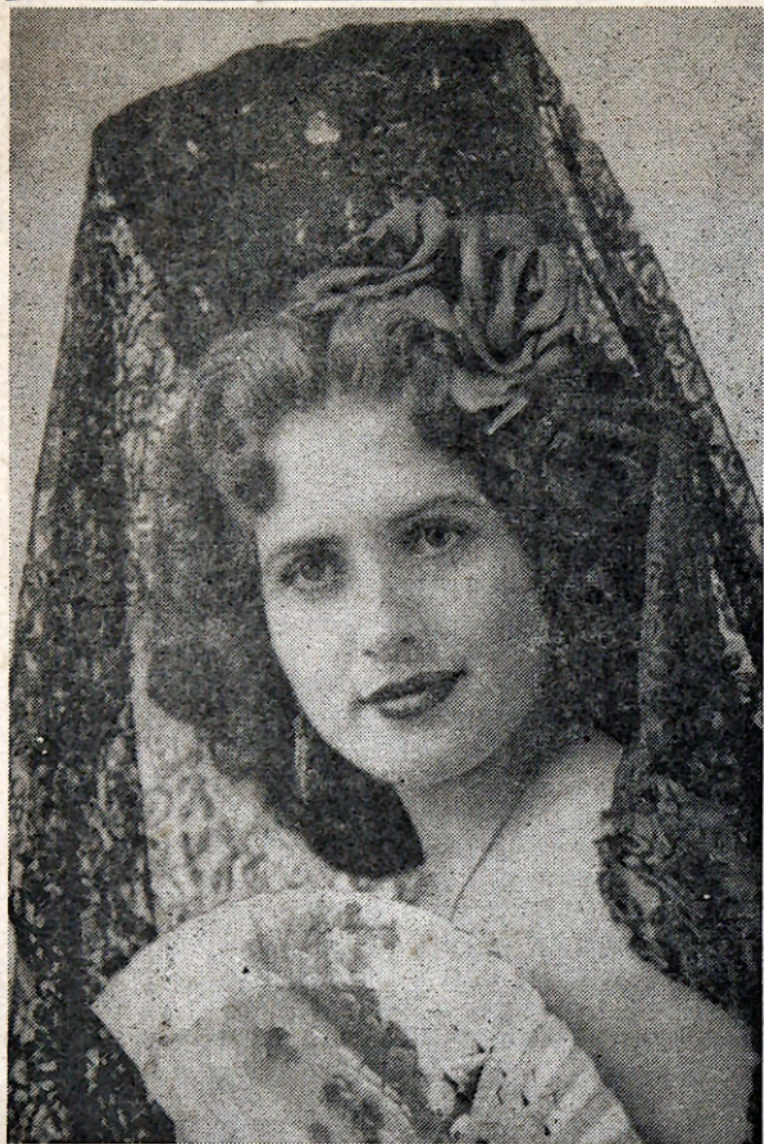
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Hilda Gonzalez Candidate In Latin American Fiesta

The University of Tampa candidate for queen in this year's Latin American Fiesta is Hilda Gonzalez, a first-semester freshman in home economics and graduate of Hillsborough High School. Chosen by a committee named by President E. C. Nance and composed of Laura Lopez, president of Los Picaros, and other University students, Hilda will compete with seven other Tampa girls for the coveted title of queen of the brilliant annual festival.

From the eight candidates a queen and her court of four will be selected. During the spring months the five successful contestants will be feted in Cuba and several Central American countries, and for this reason each girl entering the contest must be able to speak Spanish.

Winners will be determined by ballot at the Election Ball Saturday, April 7, the votes for each candidate representing the number of tickets purchased in her name prior to that date. Announcement of the successful candidates will be made by Leon Cazin, president of the fiesta association, at the Coronation Ball Saturday, April 14.

Sponsors of the seven other candidates for fiesta honors are the Lions Club, the Rotary Club, the Elks Club, the Tampa Junior Chamber of Commerce, the West Tampa Chamber of Commerce, the Ybor City Chamber of Commerce and the Pan American Commission.

Tampa Spartans Set For Gridiron Contest With Miami Friday

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Minaret Poll Shows Students Still Want To Keep Football

The final results of a poll conducted by The Minaret found the student body wants to keep football; it believes that to drop it will harm the University, and Coach Sam Bailey is the man the students want to lead them thru another successful year in basketball.

About 50 students were asked five questions related to the sports issue. A lack of school spirit was shown by a few

who, after looking at the questions, would not answer them; however, the majority of the students put forth a great deal of cooperation. With the exception of question three (resignation of Coach Sinkwich) everybody had something to say. Most of the students seemed to be afraid to answer question three and the few that did seemed definite in their answer.

The five questions asked were: 1. Do you think Tampa U. should drop football? 2. Do you think that dropping football will harm the University? 3. What do you think of Coach Sinkwich's resignation? 4. How many games did you attend? 5. Would you like to see Sam Bailey remain as basketball coach? Below is what the students polled had to say.

On the first question (Do you think Tampa U. should drop football?) 21 said no and 7 said yes. 14 had statements to make on this question: They are...

1. "Well if we can't afford it."
2. "Yes, I am all for anything that will bring us fame and money, but I don't think we can afford it."
3. "Football is a drawing card for Tampa U. and if it pays for itself keep it."

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New Disc Jockey on Station WFLA

A new voice on a record program in Tampa. Every morning at 8:15 Pat Chamburs climbs out of a coffee encrusted cup, clad in chartreuse sports pajamas, a cheap cheroot drooping from the corner of his mouth and a blazing jade ring that was cut down from an old coke-bottle on the seventh finger left hand. He ensconces himself behind a battery (dry cell of course) of turntables and records. From then until 9:45 it's mayhem with music on the gulf coast serenade over WFLA.

Chamburs sez: "For a record program with a new slant, tune in some other station. But for requests in the morning, tune in some other station."

Honestly, it's not as bad at it sounds. It's worse. But he'll play your favorite songs in the morning between the hours of 8:15 and 9:45 on WFLA. Give your dial a spin that way, and send Pat a billet-doux letting him know the music you want to hear at that time of the day. Rip off the top of your history Prof. and send one in with every request. Thank you, fellow students.

Sales and Advertising Club Formed By B C E

Tampa University is glad to welcome a new organization to its ever growing campus. A group of interested students from the BCE department, with the able assistance and cooperation of faculty advisor G. Lawrence Roberts, has recently taken steps to form a club devoted to furthering the principles of Sales and Advertising.

At the organization meeting a board of organizers were selected to secure a charter and present the organization with a definite plan of future steps. R. T. Dillon was selected as chairman and he is to be assisted by Harold Davis and Marcelino Melendreras. A second committee was chosen with the express function of securing well qualified speakers to give impromptu talks to the Club. This group will be headed by Mr. Melendreras and his co-workers are Wayne Keene and Albert Sanchez.

It is urged that all students of business inquire into the advantages offered, which are twofold. The club will attempt to induce the most successful business men of Tampa

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University of Tampa Crew



Will race against American International College today.

Newman Club Initiates Ten Into Membership

The Newman Club had its regularly scheduled meeting last Wednesday. In this meeting the possibility of having a swimming party this coming Sunday was discussed. The idea went over with great enthusiasm. Just recently the club initiated 10 new members. It was quite a ritual. The pledges were blindfolded and led thru dark winding corridors, after which they were led to a room and seated (still blindfolded) and a mysterious voice asked them questions pertaining to their religion. These

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Sigma Kappa Nu Adopts Daughters

On March 21, the first day of spring, twelve coeds were named as adopted daughters of Sigma Kappa Nu fraternity.

Recently adopted daughters were: Gloria Gonzalez, Alice Thomas, Mary Esther Bartlett, Margie Christensen, Joyce Boothley, Jayne Anderson, Sylvia Hainsworth, Sue Shaeffer, Joyce Wamble, Sharon Stanaland, Glenn Massey, and Lena Moore Gant.

The selection of coeds is a tra-

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Freedom of the Press

This country was founded so that there would be freedom and justice for all. Freedom of the press happens to be one of these many valuable phases of freedom, we in America have the right to enjoy.

In a real democracy, we live and let live, we talk and we listen and last but certainly not the least, we write and we read. Because we live in America, we can write our opinions and others may read them. With a free press we do not have to think and write alike and we have the golden opportunity to exchange ideas and the right to accept or reject these ideas. Which is the very essence of advancement of education in all fields. Thus giving us one of the many necessary factors in making this country what it is today.

Just as our government is, of the people, by the people, and for the people, so are our newspapers. When we speak of a free press, this does not mean that we can print any statement we want to. But we can print all true facts that are of benefit to the people. However, the element of human nature enters into the picture here, as in many other cases of this type. A newspaper's existence is very similar to that of any business. Newspapers have to have buyers. We must please our customers just as the corner grocery must please you if it wishes to hold your business.

Since we have a free press and we want to please you, and also considering this is your paper, we would like to suggest that you use the paper more often to express your opinion. The "letters to the editor column" is for news you wish to bring out that may otherwise remain silent. If you have complaints or suggestions, let this newspaper bring them out into the open. Names must accompany each letter; however if you desire so your name will not be printed. Remember—as each day passes hundreds of news items are lost for want of someone to jot them down.

Honest Students Reap Harvest

By Johnnie Faye McLin

Today, failure is becoming an almost unheard of occurrence in high schools, colleges, and universities throughout the country. It is fast being classed as old fashioned or belonging to the past age. Put it in any class you desire, but this thing called failure has not disappeared. It has merely been replaced with newer fads and devices—devices for cheating and other forms of dishonesty.

True enough, there are few failures in evidence, but in reality the failing number has not been lowered. For it has really occurred, not on the slips of paper handed the professor, but failure on the part of the student to uphold the moral standard of truth and honesty.

Failure, if taken in the attitude of a person who has high goals and standards, will be an asset. It will never sidetrack the person who is always striving for the goal through decency.

This type of person will use failure as an elevation to attain the heights of his soul's desire.

It is only a person who has no goal in mind, but wanders aimlessly through life that lets failure or the thought of failure make him resort to unfair devices.

To a person of this type, failure will always be a black cloud with no possible escape.

To that person who is "reaching for a star" or continually striving for a fixed goal, failure may at times seem a dark cloud, but it will soon pass over. For every cloud has a silver lining if you just look for it.

STUDENT SENATE.

It can be said, that the Student Senate now in office is and will continue to be, for its duration, the most effective Senate ever to hold that high office.

There is in that body of school patriots a fevered feeling to build the name of our school equal to that of any in the nation.

The Senate, under the leadership of Warren White is establishing and ever widening field of operations. The members have enlarged their staff by a considerable number. They have rebuilt their offices so as to furnish your representatives with office space where they can work effectively. Before the office was enlarged it seated but two persons comfortably. To date the Student Senate has provided for a wheel chair-Snack Bar, a wheel chair gym and a new back porch ramp. The Senators have been working on the parking situation with as much speed as their curricular activities allow. They stood behind the rising feelings of the students during the book store question and held to it until the solution appeared. They have authorized funds for a new type bulletin board. They are going to give you the best in entertainment for assembly. They are going to inform you about every event that will concern your welfare. They propose to be instrumental in putting your ideas into action. And they will make every attempt to work harmoniously with the university administration.

The Student Senate has worked out a gigantic program. It is doing something. Its obligation to the Student Body is being carried out.

University students are again reminded to attend sessions of their Student Government Assembly. If you have a message you will be heard and you will be allowed to voice your opinion freely.

It is impossible for this group of representatives to know every immediate need at the university and here it becomes the duty of the students to inform this group of improvement needed.

Speakers Discuss Vocational Guidance

Development of vocational rehabilitation from its beginning as a program for veterans in 1918 and its extension to civilians in 1920, and the present four-point program of counseling, guidance, training and placement conducted in Florida and other states with the aid of the Federal Government were described March 16 at the second annual Rehabilitation Institute sponsored by the Florida Vocational Rehabilitation Service of the State Department of Education in cooperation with the University of Tampa. The meeting was held in the University Ballroom.

Speakers were Dr. Donald W. Hedrick; Heber B. Cummings, regional representative, U. S. Office of Vocational Rehabilitation Service; Claude M. Andrews, state director, Florida Vocational Rehabilitation Service; Douglas Smith, area supervisor, Florida Council for the Blind, and William J. Miller, district supervisor, Tampa district, Vocational Rehabilitation Service. Dean M. C. Rhodes of the University of Tampa was chairman of the meeting.

Girls Dorm Needs Long Overlooked

By Walt Weber

In the past four or five weeks, long strides have been taken to improve a few of the most deplorable conditions which exist on the University of Tampa campus. So much emphasis was placed on the book store situation and many minor factors that there has been a complete oversight of an uncorrected factor influencing the social life of the dormitory coeds.

The main component affecting the girls' social affairs is the absence of a proper place to meet and entertain their dates. Is it conventional for the girls to join their date in the lobby while confronted with a group of ridiculous kibitzers? Then later in the evening, is it orthodox for the couple to say good night at the foot of a drab stairway leading to the dorm? Suppose a dorm coed and her date chose not to spend the evening at a movie or other outside recreational spot. Is there a place where they could play cards or engage in leisurely conversation? It is evident that answering the above questions would quickly lead to a decisive NO.

What can be done? Just this: Provide a room adjoining the girls' dormitory where the girls can meet and, if preferred, entertain their friends. It can be done. At present there is a room in the dorm that, with little expense and a minimum of labor, could be turned into an ideal "date room."

There has been opposition to such a plan, but consider some statistics. There are 37 girls residing in the dorm. That means 37 potential dates. Many of the girls do not go steady, which means that they will choose different boys to date on different occasions. This leads into an incalculable percentage of the student body that may be affected either directly or indirectly, possibly each and every student. If everyone will show interest in helping free the dorm coeds from their plight the talked about date room can become a reality.

Andrew Carnegie

By C. L. Salter, Jr.

Once in a while, as time goes by, one man, on his own and through his own merits, will rise from obscurity and modest means to greatness, and reap a huge fortune which he will use to help his fellow man.

Such a man was Andrew Carnegie, born Nov. 25, 1835, in the little town of Dumfries, Scotland. He came to this country at the age of 13, with his father, and settled in Allegheny City, Pa. He started work as a hobbins boy in a cotton factory and then became a telegraph clerk and operator. He rose step by step despite depressions until he was head of an extensive steel plant served by tributary coal and iron fields, a railroad 425 miles long, and a line of lake steamships. In 1901 his company was incorporated in the United States Steel Corporation.

He then retired and set up a plan for libraries in the United States, Great Britain and other English-speaking countries. His conditions were that he would build and equip the libraries if the local authorities would provide site and maintenance. He built the Carnegie Institute of Technology at Pitts-

Dear Editor . . .

Letter to the editor:

In the matter of a few short weeks our school has twice received unfavorable comments in the local paper. The type of information printed for public consumption is certainly not an attribute to our university.

It seems reasonably safe to assume that potential enrollees will cast their eyes on greener fields than to think of coming to a school, where perhaps there will be an appreciable cut in the faculty staff next Sept. It seems just as reasonable to assume that, with perhaps the "death of football" we will lose even more potential students, the type who want a full rounded college life.

Our university is not any better than the weakest student, professor, administrator, trustee, alumni or part-time student enrolled here.

And I feel, within myself, there is a definite weakness in this so called cohesive force of our, could be, great union. Our university should long ago have been producing students from a great name college.

I think everyone associated with the University should ask himself if he has contributed all that he possibly could to the University's welfare. I believe that students who are juvenile enough to write on the walls should grow up and I think that high levels should not withhold facts concerning the welfare of the students.

Is there any friction at high levels, we do not know of? Can it be high levels are working for the same ends by different means and they run head long into one another without evidence of compromise and thus produce harmful copy material about T.U. for the local papers?

The student body has made giant strides to better every student activity that, of late, has been coming within its reach. They are doing their level best to build the university's name and fame. It is hard to forge ahead when the local papers say in so many words, to parents of prospective students, "Tampa U hasn't a thing to offer."

Sincerely and respectfully yours,

W. T. W.

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burg in 1901 and the Carnegie Institute in Washington in 1902. He established a trust for assisting education in Scottish universities and assisted the Tuskegee institute, under Booker T. Washington, for Negro education.

No one can estimate the real good that is the result of these and many other contributions of this great man. When we walk into a library today and enjoy the literary abundance thereof, we can thank this great benefactor of mankind. Let us thank God for giving us a man like Andrew Carnegie.

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to speak of their various problems and it is further hoped that the club will provide the long needed liaison between the student and prospective employers in Tampa. As a first step along these objectives the organizing group has tentatively accepted the help and co-operation of the local Tampa Advertising Club.

Baptist Student Union Has Party

On the moonlight night of March 10, a group of B. S. U. students and their dates motored to Plant City, the strawberry center of the world. There they were guests of Bonnie Fay Weeks, one of the members, at a strawberry shortcake party.

The entertainment committee kept everybody laughing all evening, and the girls declared that the boys did it deliberately, so that they could eat while the girls laughed.

A few brave souls tried horseback riding, (couldn't you stay on Liz?) and all declared that they have never had more fun.

Into the construction of the Tampa Bay Hotel, now the home of the University of Tampa, went 452 carloads of bricks, 3041 barrels of lime, 3840 barrels of cement, 2244 tons of steel, 69½ tons of iron, 232 boxes of tin, 242 kegs of nails, 5950 feet of iron cornices, 689,500 feet of lumber 1700 square feet of stone dressing, 28 granite columns and many tons of other material.

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Dr. Emery Honored Spring Fashions Show Devotion To Match-Making

To honor Dr. Mary Emery on her birthday, Le Cercle Francais held a special talent program on March 15, in Professor Wiltse's office.

The president, Robert Day, opened the program. He congratulated Dr. Emery and then turned the floor over to Joyce Wiltse, chairman of the day.

Joyce introduced members of the French 20 class, who recited French pieces in groups. Vocal solos were rendered by Joyce Wiltse and John Mattox. Eleanor Carden and Nan Vincent accompanied for a group singing session.

On the 17th the club sponsored a picnic-party at Lowry Park. All arrangements were handled by Veronica Murry.

The big news on campus this Spring is match-making in all your clothes. Coat and dress, suit and coat, skirt and coat harmonize in color or fabric or both. A taffeta duster in navy goes over a dotted navy crepe afternoon dress. A checked worsted suit has a matching coat. An unlined tweed coat is worn with a skirt in the same tweed. Color—in particular beige, pewter, lavender, pink, black, white, or any color with white—will make your matches for you. You'll pick related colors in identical fabrics or echo the same color in different fabrics. Separates are still here—but now

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Kappa Sigma Kappa

Kappa Sigma Kappa Fraternity held their Spring Rush Party at Lowry Park on Monday, March 12. A large number of rushees attended and many alumni were also in attendance.

Fourteen rushees picked up bids to Kappa Sigma Kappa Fraternity and were sworn in as new pledges Monday night at the regular Fraternity meeting.

They are: Ralph Abrahamsen, Cecil Dean, Claude Gamble, Richard Gruber, Don Gwin, Gayle Hunt, Pat Lazarra, Jim O'Donnell, James Olson, Horace Ramsey, Ted Richardi, Carl Rooks, William Swilley and Richard Sylte.

Society Queen Of Tampa Univ. Receives Ring

Miss Gloria Gonzalez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Gonzalez of 2515 Cordelia St., received her engagement ring from Lionel Polo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Polo of 1913 Lemon St. while the groom-to-be was home on furlough last week from the Marines.

Gloria is an honor graduate of Jefferson High School where she was a member of the Honor Society, Kiwanettes, the Saberette Club, and an R.O.T.C. sponsor for Lionel. She is now a freshman here at the University of Tampa and still "piling up the honors." She was elected candidate for home-

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Beta Chi Pledges

The Beta Chi fraternity is proud to announce the names of 22 students who, on their own accord, decided to become Beta Chi pledges. They are: Tom Gallen, Albert Abdelnour, Dave Hatfield, Pete Milian, John Steel, John L. Hopkins, Charles R. Freeman, Alex Hay, Noval Hay, Bob Cazan, Bob Hathaway, Chuck Koch, Bob Beach, Tom Battaglia, Bill Hovance, Martin Brooks, Harry Halston, John Cook, Jess Rickey, James Mitchell, Robert Crosby, and Charles Thrift.

Sigma Theta Phi

Formal pledging was held in the sorority room on March 8. During this ceremony the mothers and daughters were announced. They are: Marjorie Oglesby, Beatrice Peters and Helen Cleotelis, Betty Hayes, Peggy Bosbacher and Ann Moore, Madge Kleinhammer, Anne Gardner and Joy McCormick, Pat Batts, Mary Anne Bilinski, Priscilla Romeo, Eula Braxton, Sharon Stanaland, Naomi Craig, Nellie Betty Burnett, Dot Johnson, Pat Williamson, Kay Johnson, Ann Shaffer, Sue Shaffer, Elizabeth Birg, Betty Robinson, Katherine Weekly, Clara Cuevas, Betty Slott, Katherine Sumner, Sara Kirkland. Refreshments were served after wards.

Officers of the pledge class are: President, Bea Peters; Vice-President, Betty Clott; Secretary, Peggy Mosbacher; Treasurer, Sara Kirkland; Sergeant at Arms, Helen Cleotelis. Pledge meetings are held every Monday night.

Preparations are being made for the Stardust Ball to be held on May 5, at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club. Chairman of these plans is Sue Shaffer. Other members are Dot Johnson, Kay Johnson, Madge Kleinhammer, and Betty Hayes.

Officers elected to serve for the remainder of the year are: Vice-President, Betty Hayes; Pan Hellenic Rep., Kay Johnson; Reporter, Betty Robinson, Pledge Mother, Sue Shaffer, and Pledge Captain, Kay Johnson.

Society

By Deloris Patrick Carter



The four social sororities of the University of Tampa held pledge ceremonies this past week end for their respective pledges. Delta Kappa and Sigma Theta Phi sororities conducted pledging in the sorority rooms. Alpha Gamma sorority pledged at the Sosa home, 1201 Charter street.

Pledge officers elected by pledges of Zeta Delta Phi sorority are Marion Terry, president; Carol King, vice-president; Michalee Slavin, secretary-treasurer; and Joan Davis, recorder.

Sigma Theta Phi officers are Beatrice Peters, president; Betty Slot, vice-president; Peggy Monbacher, secretary; and Sara Kirkland, treasurer.

Delta Kappas elected: Joan Jacobsen, president; Marjorie Christensen, secretary; Dot Cleotelis, vice-president; Sally Rippey, treasurer; Lynn Rhodes, historian and Sylvia Haynesworth, sergeant-at-arms.

Kitty La Barbera was elected president of the Alpha Gamma pledges, Barbara Lamberson, vice-president; Helen Brito, secretary; Marita Ho, treasurer; and Pat Monroe, reporter.

Tau Omega

The Tau Omega fraternity held its annual pledge breakfast at the Cricket Tea Room on Thursday, March 22. The new pledges taken in during the recent rush period were welcomed into the fraternity. Fathers were assigned to each pledge to guide them through their pledge periods.

The new pledges are: Tom Wolfe, Cecil Alcorn, Tony Kovach, Jack Burger, Ray Jackson, Paul Smarse, Joe Iglesias, Chuck Carson, Albert Boltze, Bill Fietz, Raymond Chick, Joe Bodo, Ivar Sconn, Jack Pepper, Mike Rovnak, Earnest Rud, Jim Mathis, Louis Hoppe, Joe Bellucio.

Tau Omega has also been completing plans for its seventeenth annual Ring Dance. It will be held at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club, Friday, March 30. The sponsors for the dance will be Miss Sally Villar, Miss Ester Bartlett, Miss Joan Jacobsen and Mrs. Margaret Self. Music is to be furnished by Don Francisco and his orchestra.

Spring Fashions

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they're matched, too. A blouse in silk shantung is worn with a wrinkle-proof linen skirt in the same color. A plain drawstring skirt picks up one of the colors in a striped tank-top blouse. The good news is that you'll choose your separates, like the rest of your wardrobe, with one object in mind—creating an ensemble—and you'll do it with color, line, texture. For more hints, see *MADEMOISELLE's* March issue.

Society Queen

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coming queen by the G.G. club and was voted Homecoming Queen of the University of Tampa by the beauty contest judges. Gloria appeared on the West Tampa Chamber of Commerce float in the Gasparilla parades. Gloria is a pledge to Alpha Gamma sorority.

Lionel, who is known to his friends as "Leo" is also a graduate of Jefferson High School where he played a trumpet in the band and was a captain in the R.O.T.C. He is now stationed in California.

Newman Club

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questions were designed to show the pledges how little they really know about the Catholic faith, and the need for improvement. Father Malen pointed out that the purpose of the club was to explain the doctrines of the church so that the members of the club could, in turn, explain it to all of those people who may be interested.

The club is having an election this coming Wednesday. Announcements as to who won will be in the next issue.

Campus Interviews on Cigarette Tests

Number 15...THE LONG-WATTLED UMBRELLA BIRD



"They must think
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Sigma Kappa Nu Adopts Daughters

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dition of the fraternity which takes place on the first day of spring. Announcement of their selection is made with the presentation of a small flower-filled bootee placed on the doorstep of each girl's home during the early hours of the morning. Each bootee is inscribed with the Greek letters of the fraternity and acceptance by the coeds is signified by the wearing of the bootees around their necks.

Later that day formal "adoption certificates" were presented with gifts at a luncheon held at a local restaurant.

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JACK KIRKWOOD: I'd like to show you a picture of my Dad...Old Goniff Kirkwood.

BOB: Very interesting...why is he sitting in the electric chair holding a highball in his hand?

KIRKWOOD: Simple...boy...that was the day he was chosen "Man of Extinction."

BOB: Bing...you've been playing teacher's pet with our sponsor long enough. Imagine wearing shorts made out of Chesterfield wrappers!

BING: Not so fast, Bob...How do you explain making your musicians lie on the lawn so their bodies spell out "They Satisfy?"

BOB: So you won't go out with me tonight...Well, you'll be sorry...I'll just call up Mauna Loa...Miss Hawaii you know...Let's see, the number is...

MARILYN MAXWELL: But Bob, Mauna Loa is a Volcano!

BOB: I'll get that Crosby...I gave him \$5 for that telephone number...He said it was the hottest thing in the Islands!

BING: Me a penny pincher? Look Scrooge...I happen to know you line the insides of your trousers with money.

BOB: That's a great big lie.

BING: Don't tell me...I've seen you in the locker room...and the flap on your underwear has a serial number.

PEGGY LEE: Mornin' stranger...Welcome to the Gopher Hole Hotel.

BING: Thanks Ma'am. My name's "Ace" Crosby...Have you got a vacant room here at the Gopher Hole?

PEGGY: Yes Sir...and believe me it's a pleasure to have an "Ace" in the Hole.

DOCTOR: Before you can go overseas I want to put this stethoscope on your chest and listen to your heart.

BOB: Go ahead.

DOCTOR: Amazing...Arthur Godfrey's got a show in there too!

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Football Poll - - -

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4. "They ought to keep it, if it can be maintained."

5. "I don't think they should."

6. "Well, it is a hard question to answer. If it is a question of football or academics of the school then football should go."

7. "I think T U should make an effort in cooperating with other colleges to purge football of its—professional—qualities. In lieu of the ridiculous conditions of college football today, I think we should drop football. It has become a case of a tail wagging dog."

8. "Definitely not. I think football is a definite asset to the school."

9. "No, I do not think they should drop football."

10. "Yes, we don't have the money to be big time football. Build up one sport, basketball."

11. Yes. It is nothing but an expense and a drag on the school."

12. "If the school and every body connected with it can be for it, then I say yes. Either get behind it or drop it."

13. "No, not as long as they can have football paying its own way."

14. "Definitely not. I think it is a definite asset to the school. Such as in the way of publicity, prestige and so on."

The second question (Do you think that dropping football will harm the school?) 21 said yes and 8 said no. 23 had statements to make. They are listed below.

1. "Football built a fair name last year. It depends on what kind of a team we have this year."

2. "Not if they build up basketball."

3. "No. Not if they build up another major sport."

4. "I do not believe it would harm the school in the eyes of other schools but it would lose for the school a lot of student enthusiasm and spirit."

5. "Yes, it has helped build the school enrollment."

6. "Yes, it will decrease the popularity of the school."

7. "I would say it would."

8. "Yes, because it would be a great disappointment to the alumni (it amounts to slapping them in the face.) We will not attract students or receive as much advertisement as possible if we do drop this sport."

9. "I doubt it."

10. "Not if the academic standard is high."

11. "Yes. Students look forward to it. Students are drawn to Tampa U. by winning teams."

12. "Naturally, we must have outside interest."

13. "Yes, I do. I think every college should have football."

14. "Physically no, mentally yes. I don't think the school will go defunct for the lack of it, but I think it does create student interest."

15. "I think it will harm it very much. They didn't lose money last year."

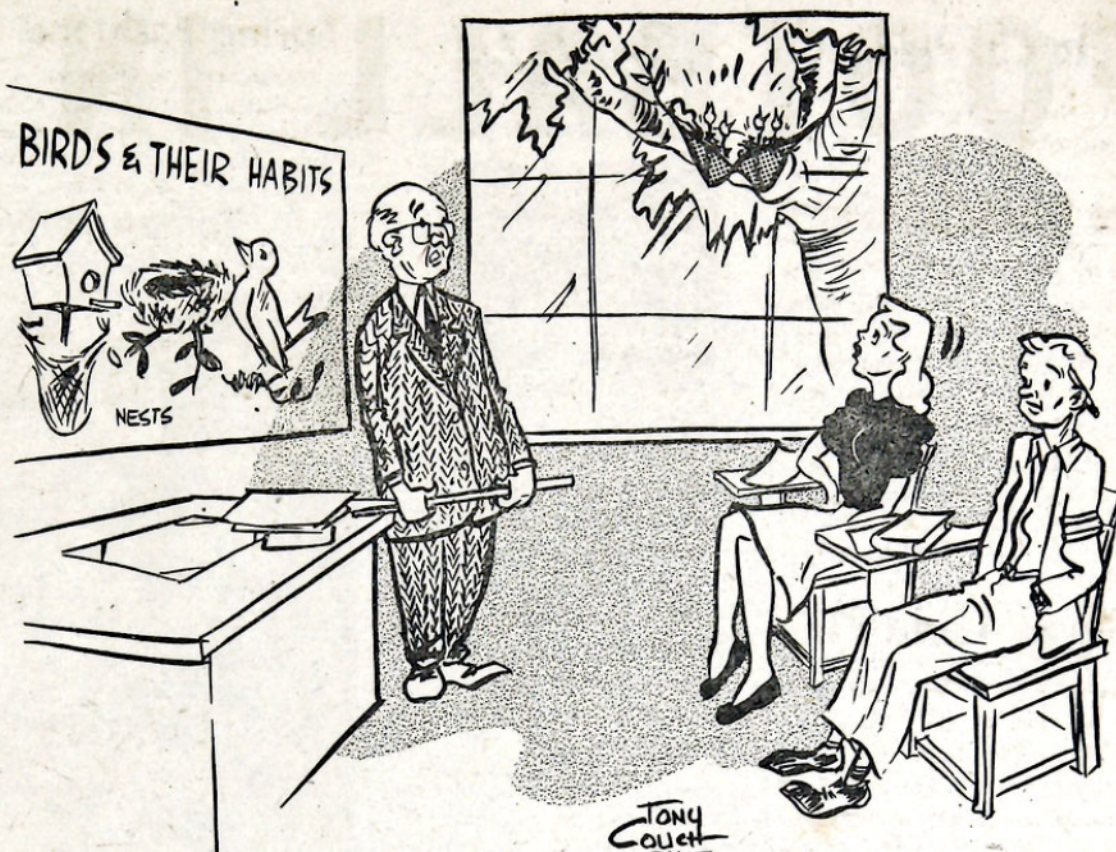
16. "Yes, it has helped build the enrollment of the school."

17. "Yes, it will decrease the popularity of the school."

18. "Well it will to some extent."

19. "It may be detrimental as far as sport publicity is concerned. However, if we lose any potential students that believe that education is synonymous with football we are harmed. To the contrary it would be advantageous in-as-much as it would raise the caliber of students

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FOR INSTANCE, LOCAL BIRDS GATHER MATERIAL HERE IN PLANT PARK

KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA ANNIVERSARY BALL

Miss Francella Smith was presented as the Sweetheart of Kappa Sigma Kappa Fraternity at their Fourth Anniversary Ball. The limited invitation dance was held at the Crystal Ball on Bayshore Boulevard, and was the big event of the season for the Fraternity.

The beautiful interior of the spacious ballroom was decorated in a tropical setting of palms, and the tables were adorned with Purple Iris centerpieces. The orchestra of Carl Houston furnished the music for dancing.

After intermission, Ed Garnett opened the floor show with an Irish air, followed by a comedy skit by Paul Soper, DeLoss Weyant and Ross Conaway. Then the Most Outstanding Pledge award was presented to Freddie Spencer. The Sterling Dance Studio provided exhibits of the waltz, foxtrot and rumba dances.

The Misses Clara Cuevas and Dahlia Corcos were introduced as sponsors of the dance as Miss Smith, wearing a white gown, appeared in the center of a gigantic red heart. She was seated on a red throne, with the heart forming a backdrop.

Miss Lily Puleo gave a beautiful rendition of "The Darling of Kappa Sigma Kappa," which was written especially for the Florida Alpha Chapter by Spencer Williams, noted New York songwriter.

Vincent Nuccio, President of the Fraternity, climaxed the show with the presentation of the Sweetheart pin to Miss Smith.

Chaperones for the dance were Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker, Prof. and Mrs. R. A. McGillivray and Miss Margaret Doty. Many other members of the Faculty and Administration were also present.

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CHESTERFIELD CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The first winner in the Chesterfield contest was Miss Helen Curree, with a guess of 260. The runner-up was Hal McCaskill with 274. The bowl contained 266 Chesterfield Cigarettes.

Miss Curree will be awarded a carton of Chesterfield cigarettes and as a consolation prize, Hal will receive two packages of Chesterfields. The winners can pick up their cigarettes at the switchboard.

A new number of Chesterfields will be placed in the bowl this week. A box to put your entry in will be near the snack bar. Be sure to use the back of an empty Chesterfield package.

This contest is for students only. Because of the possibility of having several duplications, the time and date will have to be on each entry. If there is a tie, the one that has the earliest time and date will be the winner.

Zeta Delta Phi Pledges Initiated

The formal initiation of the Zeta Delta Phi sorority pledges was held March 18, at the home of Miss Mary Sheridan. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

Pledges of the sorority are: Rosemary Bugna, Joan Davis, Carol King, Dorothy Macmillan, Mildred Mueller, Michalee Slavin, Juanita Smith, and Marion Terry. Hazel Vega, Rosemary Bugna, Mary Sheridan, Carol King, Jean Bradley, Dorothy Macmillan, Betty Sperry.

Elections were held March 13 and the results are as follows:

President, Marion Terry; Vice-President, Carol King; Secretary-Treasurer, Michalee Slavin; Reporter, Joan Davis.

A cookie sale was given by the sorority in the lobby on March 20.

Plans are being made for a buffet supper. Tickets for the supper will go on sale soon.

Plans are also being made for a rummage sale.

2nd Les Farces Play Is Big Hit

Les Farces dramatic organization of the University presented its second student production, "Curse You, Jack Dalton!", in the Dome theatre of the University, March 21 and 22 at 8:30 P.M.

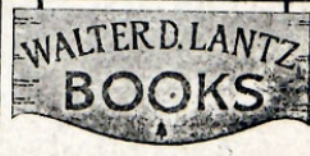
Miss Georgette Fairbanks was director and cast members included Marion Moats as Mrs. Donna Dalton; Freddie Spencer as Jack Dalton; Georgette Fairbanks as Eloise Dalton; Veronica Murray as Bertha Blair; Gayle Hunt and Victor Fresh as Richard Blair; John Mattox as Egbert Van Horn; and Pat Monroe as Anna Alvarado.

Production staff included Script Girl, Wilma Speece; Properties and Sound Effects, Johnnie Faye McLin; and Sign Man, Phil Ammons, Jr.

It was every line of it, a real melodrama, and the villain still pursued her! Egbert not only pursued Bertha, but the villainess threatened to have poor Bertha committed to an insane asylum if she did not renounce the manly hero, Jack Dalton, and fly away.

You have met villains in your day—who hasn't? But never such a treacherous, deep-dyed villain as Egbert. You may have met the Spanish adventuress who, having at last seen the one man she really loved, believes that all is fair in love and war. But never have you encountered a hero with such a heart of gold, or a heroine with such flawless qualities.

The cast presented a guest production of the melodrama March 16 at Washington Junior High School and on March 20, at MacDill Hospital.

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FOOTBALL IN DILEMMA

The Sinkwich Story

By Phil Brunet

Good Friday was preceded by Bad Thursday when our head coach tendered his untimely resignation to Dr. Nance.

Whether Mr. Sinkwich felt that this was a wedge to be used in his efforts to secure better facilities and arrangements for the students on athletic scholarship or just putting the cards on the table before getting the school involved in promises towards other schools is not known.

His announcement took most of the wind out of the coming spring game with the Miami Hurricanes and no doubt the alumni group are unhappy about this.

Nobody has been able to ascertain the true reasons for his move but speculation on the part of some students and many townspeople has influence from within the organization the major factor causing his resignation to be submitted.

When Mr. Sinkwich was asked to explain or make a statement for The Minaret he said "See Dr. Nance." When he was asked the direct question on a radio interview after his resignation as to whether any influence or pressure was exerted on him, he refused to deny it or admit it.

The big sufferers in the whole situation will be the boys who came to Tampa by scholarship. The only person seemingly concerned about them is Mr. Sinkwich who has made this coming spring game one of the conditions in this consenting to continue coaching the team. He wants to have the proceeds from the game set aside for the express purpose of seeing these boys through the rest of the year. This is of course a very praiseworthy cause and most of the students seem to be for it.

In the past year Mr. Sinkwich has done more to create a friendly atmosphere among the local clubs in regards to Athletics than any other person in the school. He has worked long, and hard to acquaint everybody who would listen first what the school hoped to do. Who tore down the house that Frank built?

Somebody is also missing a good bet for nation wide publicity when they allow a man with a national reputation to leave the school under very dubious circumstances.

There are many small colleges who would give their eye teeth to be situated in similar condition as the Spartans. They have one of the nicest small college stadiums to play in. They are located in a town of over 100,000 residents who would take to a good football team. They had a coach with a reputation on a nation wide scale.

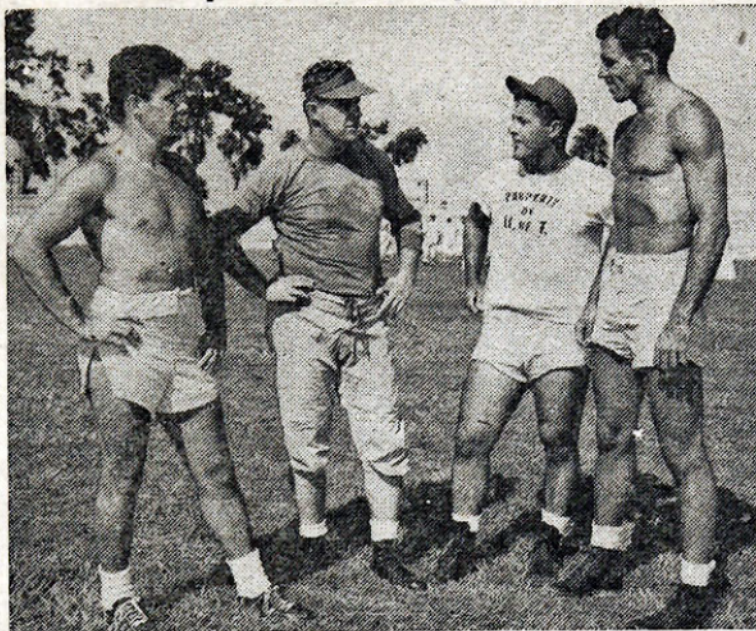
Another big question which perplexes many is the failure of somebody to consult Mr. Sinkwich when the athletic budget was made for the coming fiscal year.

Perhaps another reorganization of the athletic department with everybody concerned to be under Mr. Sinkwich's direction instead of trying to have two separate and distinct jobs conflicting with each other. Place him at the top and give him absolute rule to go ahead and bring us out of this dilemma or kill football once and for all.

The arguments offered by the administration may be valid. No doubt enrollment will drop here but a moment's thought will show that the same thing will happen to our opponents. As many will tell you football is expensive but today nothing is received for nothing. Prospective students from afar will weigh the advantages of Tampa U carefully and our little University with its doubtful standing on accreditation and its minimum of athletic representation will have little else to offer other than a faculty of high stature who could provide those interested with a fine education. Who is senile enough to think that these individuals will accept this as the only reward for coming here?

Let's all turn out on the 6th of April to witness the birth or death of football as an accepted part of Tampa U.

Tampa University Coaches



(Left to right) J. Vardian, F. Sinkwich, M. Huerta and S. Bailey

T. U. Hoopsters On All-Star Team

George Montz, Bill Mullen and Harry Bryan were honored by state sports writers when they were selected to the state All-Star team.

Montz polled the greatest number of votes and therefore is the honorary captain. He also made the team last year.

This is Bill Mullen's third straight year on the team which is a wonderful testimonial to the value of a steady team man who would rather set up the plays than score points.

Harry Bryan was the third Spartan to be selected and it is final recognition for another steady fire horse type of player who is in there driving all the time.

Tampa carried off the major honors with the selection of Montz as captain and placing the most men on the first ten.

Mac Williams, Hollad Aplin and Glen Kogel were listed in the honorable mentions.

FENCING TEAM AIMS FOR NATIONAL FINALS

On April 18 the Fencing team expects to compete in two events in Sarasota. The Florida State Amateur Fencing meet will be held the same day our team has an intercollegiate contest with Stetson.

After the Sarasota meets the team will compete on April 22 for a place in the national finals. This year under the direction of Mrs. L. Heintz the divisional chapter of the American Fencing Association will conduct trials to select a team to compete in the national meet which will be held in Detroit the first week in May.

Our little band of interested fencers are progressing along very nicely and we all hope to see one of the team selected to compete in the Detroit event.

Maier, No. 3, Manny Suarez, No. 2; Al Gehoagin, bow.

Former T U Student Honored in Magazine

New York, Feb., 13th—To Coach Paul Straub, of Tampa, Florida's Jesuit High School there is nothing remarkable about the fact that within five years after losing both his legs he has graduated with honors from Tampa University and coached a high school basketball squad to a state championship. Paul Straub says simply in the issue of Look magazine release, February 13 "I said I wanted to become a coach and I never gave up the idea."

Ex Marine Straub lost both his legs below the knees on Guadalcanal, and almost had his right hand severed by the same shell. It was not until late 1945, after almost three years in Navy hospitals, that Corporal Straub once more walked the streets of Tampa. By 1947, he had organized and was coaching a Tampa football squad, moving with increasing ease on his factory-made legs. The ex-Marine received his degree in the spring of 1948, and then started what seemed to be a hopeless search for a school coaching job.

School authorities were sympathetic. They knew of Straub's outstanding record as an athlete in his home town of Morgantown, West Virginia. They knew he had starred in football, basketball and baseball at Tampa University. But it was not until the spring of 1949, when Father Robert Walet, S. J., principal of Tampa's Jesuit High, chose Straub over many applicants as head coach at Jesuit that the ex-Marine got his big chance.

That Father Walet didn't make a mistake is now history, the article says. Last winter Coach Straub took his team to the state basketball finals at Gainesville. There, fired by the spirit of their coach Jesuit High went on to capture the State championship.

TAMPA CONSIDERED FOR DAD VAIL REGATTA

Coach Art Trubiano recently announced that there is a possibility of the Dad Vail Regatta being held here in Tampa this year.

This is the biggest racing event for the year in small colleges and would bring absolute National recognition to Tampa U if they could act as host.

It was explained that Tampa and Boston have the inside track on this years event due to the great interest shown.

Last year the Spartans travelled to New York and competing against the best managed to end up in fourth position.

Librarians Needed In Federal Service

The U. S. Civil Service Commission calls attention to the continuing need for Librarians in the Federal service. Applications are being accepted for the examination announced by the Commission in 1948, from which positions in Washington, D.C., and vicinity, at an entrance salary of \$3,100 a year, are filled.

To qualify for the Librarian jobs, applicants must pass a written test and must have had appropriate education or training in library work. Opportunities for advancement in this field are good.

Applications for the examination will be accepted by the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., until further notice. Application forms may be obtained from most first- and second-class post offices, from Civil Service regional offices, or from the Commission's Washington office.

Miami Hurricanes & Tampa Spartans Will Play April 6

April 6 might mark the demise of football for the Tampa Spartans. The spring game with Miami is definitely going to be played and the backers hope to have 10,000 on hand to witness it.

A big blow was struck at a most inopportune time when the Spartan coach tendered his resignation. This left a dejected alumni group with doubts as to whether the game was going to be played or not. Some persuasion was necessary but Sinkwich was prevailed to remain until after the game.

In one respect this leaves one phase of the problem right up to the disinterested student body. A maximum turnout with some display of spirit will do wonders towards influencing the governing body who will decide the fate of future football teams for Tampa U.

Double Celebration For Coach Trubiano

Coach Art Trubiano had occasion for a double celebration of Easter. On Sunday his Spartan oarsman outdistanced a fine crew from Marietta College for a two length victory. On Easter eve Mrs. Trubiano gave birth to a new coxswain.

The Tampa crew hit a high stroke right from the start and never gave up the lead. The best that the visitors could do was pull up to within a half length at the three quarter mark but from then on the home crew let out with a fast well coordinated stroke and won pulling away.

Many observers, including captain elect Bill Stallmaker, commented that the Spartan boat pulled together better than at any other time this year.

The revised crew for Tampa were: Pat Dixon coxswain, Bob Brorin stroke, Bill Fisher, No. 7; Bob Yates, No. 6; Tony Jonitis, No. 5; Omar Lavoy, No. 4, Bill

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Football Poll

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in the university."

20. "No. It might even help it."

21. "Publicity from football is good."

22. "Yes. Football is a means of fostering our reputation and focusing attention on the University. The end result of this would be increased enrollment and pride in the school."

23. "No. A college should be able to maintain its standing by its products (graduates and students)."

To the question, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF COACH SINKWICH'S RESIGNATION? Twenty said, "No comment" and 14 had the following statements to make.

Two students said that he was "justified".

1. "It was a big shock."

2. "Good."

3. "I don't blame him."

4. "It's bad for the school."

5. "I was surprised, but then I wondered why he ever came here in the first place."

6. "It is a severe blow to our athletic progress."

7. "If the school isn't behind him, he had a right to resign."

8. "He is a good man and I hate hate to see him resign."

8. "Tampa should be able to get another coach with as much ability as Sinkwich."

10. "That's his business."

11. "I hate to see as good a coach and as big a name as Frankie Sinkwich leave T.U. I wish he might feel he could reconsider if he is given support."

12. "He's smart in resigning."

13. "I just heard about it this morning. I don't know."

14. "If Sinkwich resigned he had a good reason for doing it."

Question 4 was, HOW MANY FOOTBALL GAMES DID YOU ATTEND THIS PAST SEASON? 28 students declared they attended all of the home games. In addition to this, 13 students went to irregular numbers of games ranging from 1 to all games played. A few students chose to give the following comments concerning the question.

1. "I came from a hospital in St. Pete to see three of the five home games and would have been here for the other two if it had been possible."

2. "I attended all the home games and had planned on going to the Tallahassee game until the big squabble."

Tabulation of answers from question 5 (WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE SAM BAILEY REMAIN AS BASKETBALL COACH)? 32 answered Yes, and only 2 gave a negative No. Further comments

were as follows:

1. "He did a pretty good job. If the players are satisfied and he produces a winning team, keep him."

2. "I would like to see him stay, if the players like him and are willing to play with him."

2. "Yes, I really would. I don't think anything should be detrimental to the continuance of basketball."

4. "Sam's record of the past has been one of outstanding achievement and I believe he has accomplished all that anyone could have accomplished in one semester."

Men are disturbed not by the things which happen, but by the opinions about the things.—Epictetus.



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