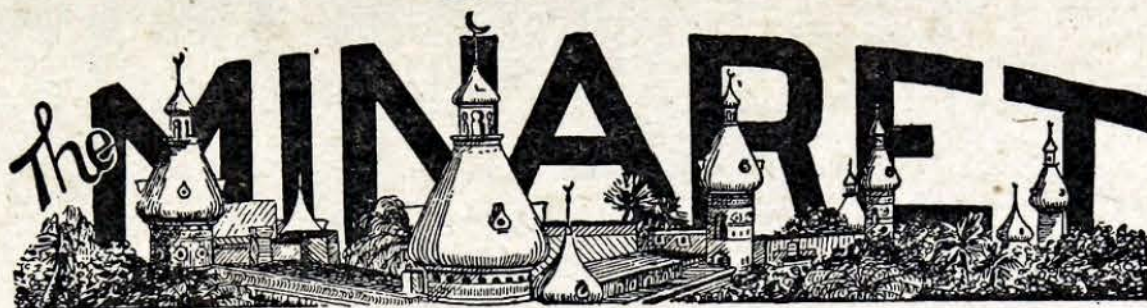


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Welcome Home Tampa U. Alumni

14 ARE INTERNING IN HIGH SCHOOLS

Fourteen University of Tampa students who plan to enter the teaching profession are interning this semester in the high schools of Hillsborough and Pinellas counties. Eleven of the 14 are assigned to Hillsborough County schools. The nine-week internship period began Nov. 2 and will end Jan. 8.

The interns, their fields and their schools are listed by Dr. Robert L. Mohr, professor of education, as follows:

Hillsborough County — Robert Boucher, physical education, Hillsborough Senior High; Eula M. Gonzalez, core curriculum, Memorial Junior; H. L. Hiers, physical education, Wilson Junior; James McAlister, industrial arts, Memorial Junior; Jim Matthews, physical education, Wilson Junior.

Michael Milonas, core curriculum, Madison Junior; Louis Minardi, English, Wilson Junior; Ted Richardi, business, Jefferson Senior; Paul Rigsby, core curriculum, Wilson Junior; James Simcic, mathematics, Oak Grove Junior; Helen Tomlinson, core curriculum, Madison Junior.

Pinellas County—Roy R. Arden, physical education, Boca Ciega Senior High; Nick Papafakles, physical education, Tarpon Springs Senior; Helen C. Davis, English, St. Petersburg Senior.

WTUN To Hold Open House Here

The University Broadcasting System will have the Studios on the second floor of the school open to the public during the Homecoming weekend.

On Friday, November 20, the studio will be open from 3:00 to 9:00 p.m. and on Saturday from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m., at this time the regular programs will be in progress some of these will be live shows and some will be recorded. A number of the programs will follow the theme of Homecoming which will be announced in the local papers.

The radio department is expanding. A new studio is under construction and will be completed in time for the open house. There will also be a display of new equipment.

An invitation is extended to all students, alumni, and the general public to attend.



Homecoming Queen Candidates — Pictured above are the five lovely coeds who are in the running for University Homecoming queen of 1953. They are (left to right) Sylvia Guerard, Sally Wolfe, Marilyn Vascusi, Vilma Fernandez, and Rosie Durand.

Future Teachers To Take Exam

Students planning to take the National Teacher Examinations on Feb. 13, 1954, can obtain application blanks at Mrs. Setterfield's office, Dr. Robert L. Mohr said.

Veterans should submit their completed applications to Dr. Mohr, in Room 227, not later than Jan. 1.

Other students must mail their applications direct to Educational Testing Service, P.O. Box 592, Princeton, N. J., and must do so in time for the applications to be received there on or before Jan. 15.

Non-veterans must send fee with application. Veterans, however, need not pay the fee, as this expense is defrayed by the Veterans Administration.

2 From University At Deans' Meeting

Dean Lucile King and Miss Marcella Hanley, director of the Women's Dormitory, attended a meeting of the Florida Association of Deans and Counselors last weekend at Florida State University, Tallahassee.

Felke Speaks At State College Panel

George Felke, president of the Student Body, represented the University in a panel on economic questions in which campus leaders of six other Florida schools participated Monday night in St. Petersburg.

The panel was scheduled in connection with the 37th annual meeting and business conference of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce. The other institutions represented were the University of Florida, Florida State University, the University of Miami, Stetson University, Florida Southern College and Ollins College. Carl D. Brorin, president of the Peninsular Telephone Co. and member of the Board of Trustees of the University of Tampa, was moderator.

The Stetson University Glee Club presented a program under the direction of Prof. Harold M. Giffin.

Placement Bureau Headed by Heiser

Dr. E. C. Nance, president of the University of Tampa, one month ago appointed Prof. H. A. Heiser, director of the Student Placement Bureau.

The bureau was set up to obtain part time and full time jobs for Tampa University students and graduates. Both men and women are eligible for the services of the bureau.

The organization does not deal with academic matters, which are handled through Dr. M. C. Rhodes office. It does however try to use the services of other departments of the University particularly the psychology division.

It stresses helping the student find himself as to his future work and life.

Stafford To Head Future Teachers

Bob Stafford was recently elected president of the Future Teachers of America. His assistants are Sandra Matheson, vice president and Jimmie Clesi, corresponding secretary.

Many Activities Scheduled For Former Students

This morning found the annual back to school migration of the University of Tampa alumni getting under way in fine style. The 1953 Homecoming is expected to be one of the most successful in the University's history. Many old grads had signed the register this morning and a steady flow of alumni is expected to continue throughout the festivities.

Former students of the University will have an opportunity to renew old acquaintances during the alumni registration which will be held today from noon until 9 p.m. in the lobby, Saturday from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. in the lobby and from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m. at the Tampa Terrace Hotel.

Pajama Parade Tonight

At six this evening all the vigorous young freshmen will don their favorite and loudest nightshirts and pajamas to parade through downtown Tampa. This traditional pajama parade is organized by the sophomore class and has always proved to be a lot of fun. If any upperclassmen have a sleeping outfit they want to show off they are welcome to join the crowd. The cheerleaders will lead the students in peppy cheers in different parts of town and the band will be there to furnish some high stepping music. After the parade the freshmen with the other students, will meet at 6:45 behind Plant Park near the Fine Arts building for a Student Senate sponsored bonfire and pep rally. Everyone is asked to attend.

President's Reception

At 7:45 tonight President and Mrs. E. C. Nance will give a reception in the University Ballroom in honor of the alumni and new faculty members.

The President and Mrs. Nance extend a special invitation to all present University students to attend.

Homecoming Parade

At eleven Saturday morning the start of the annual Homecoming parade will take place. Leaving the campus for downtown this year's parade will have at least five junior high bands, bright floats with lovely girls and loud colored convertibles.

Buffet Luncheon

The alumni buffet luncheon will be at 12:30 P.M. at the Palm Room of the Tampa Terrace Hotel. This will be followed by the annual business meeting at which the association will be elected officers for the coming year.

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THE MINARET

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Our Deepest Sympathy

May we, the students and faculty of the University of Tampa, express our deepest sympathy to the University of Florida at the loss of their beloved President, J. Hillis Miller. We know how much his leadership has meant to the students, alumni and faculty of Florida. We know how they will miss him and how they will long remember this man who has helped in the molding of the University of Florida into the great educational institution that it is today.

These useless words can only begin to scratch the surface of our deep feelings at the loss not only to the University of Florida but also to the state and to the nation.

Jeers To You

Congratulations to the University of Tampa students who attended the assembly of November 10. Their performance was really worth some notice.

They completely drowned out the guests and their own University president. A high school group was imitated perfectly even down to the forced laughs and constant undercurrent of noise.

How embarrassed our President and his faculty must have been to have the students of Tampa U. disgrace themselves so thoroughly.

When confronted with their childish behavior many will plead their inability to hear the speaker. We hardly see that as justification for such rudeness. Even since childhood all people should have learned respect for speakers and especially those who take time out of a busy day to be with us.

We hope that all University of Tampa students will try to make up for their mistake and that we will treat future speakers with the respect with which we would want to be treated.

Thanks To God

Next week we, who had the good fortune to be born Americans, will celebrate a day of thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is a day of tradition. Because we have celebrated this great holiday for so long and in so many ways, we often lose sight of the original significance of the day.

We have known great material blessings since the day of our birth. In fact, they are so much a part of our lives that we feel that we cannot live without them. What would life be without electricity, automobiles, telephones, hospitals, and the corner grocery store? Yet, the Pilgrims knew none of this.

Thanksgiving was conceived as a day on which to give thanks to God for life itself. Those founders of the Plymouth colony, after two years of starvation, disease, and death, had had a year of plentiful crops. There was food enough in the storehouses to last for the winter. The Indians had helped provide meat and the seeds for corn. They had taught them how to exist in the cold and trackless wilderness. Then came a day when the people gave thanks to God for the blessings that permitted them to sustain life.

Thanksgiving is a part of our American heritage. A day of thanks is proclaimed each year by the President of the United States and by the governors of many of the states. Often, however, the whole point of the day is missed by many Americans. Great thought is given to intemperate eating of turkey with all the trimmings. Much money is spent on great football spectacles. Giving of thanks to God is forgotten.

How many blessings do you have? Have you ever stopped, and counted the things for which you have good reasons to be thankful? If you did, you would find much more than you realize. In fact our lives are filled with blessings which people in other parts of the world don't even dream of.

As students of the University of Tampa, let us make Thanksgiving 1953 a real day of giving thanks.

DOINGS WITH THE DEAN

Mrs. King took part in the Columbus Day ceremonies held by the Italian Club on



Saturday, October 10th and Sunday, October 11.

She has been attending College Day programs in many high schools throughout the state, Ocala, November 4th; Ft. Myers,

November 5th; Sarasota, November 6th; St. Petersburg, November 9th; Clearwater, November 10th and Tampa's own Hillsboro and Jefferson High Schools on November 11th.

She and Miss Marcella Hanley attended the Florida Association of Deans and Counselors Workshop at the Florida State University in Tallahassee on the 13th and 14th of November.

On October 15th, Mrs. King addressed the Fort Pierce Business and Professional Women's Club at their annual Bossess Banquet.

On October 20th, Mrs. King spoke to the Plant City Women's Club at their opening banquet.

On October 26th, she spoke to the Mt. Dora Junior Women's Club at their opening banquet and on October 27th, she attended the banquet celebrating the Journalism Fraternity's installation.

'Get Your Turkey Early' Was Smart Idea Then as Now

A dice box, two dice and three throws, a crowded room, the flicker of 'taller dips' (candles to you), a jolly crowd of rustics — and what am I talking about? Thanksgiving — though you might not know it from the foregoing catalogue. This is just one little chapter in the long and curious history of Thanksgiving.

This event, 'the raffle,' usually took place in the butcher shop when the butcher was confronted with the relics of his earlier Thanksgiving sales — tough and unbiteable fowls. With little tricks all his own, the butcher loaded up these tough old birds with many high-priced chances.

He watched keenly the gambling fervor of his patrons and deposited his toughest fowls when the frenzy ran highest.

A Thanksgiving feast for the Governor and Her Majesty's Commissions was held in Connecticut in 1713. Just before the company sat down to the repast, announcement was made that the venison had come from a deer which had been shot on 'ye Lord's Day.' Thereupon everybody refused to eat, and it was decided that the Indian who had shot the deer should receive 39 lashes and should restore to the purchaser the price paid for the meat. Then, "just and righteous sentence" having been imposed on 'ye sinful heathen,' the company devoured the meal.

In its religious character the Old Thanksgiving was a curious hybrid. On one side were the severe ancestral orthodoxy and a religion which has been described as "a brooding sense that something awful was always going to happen," and on the other side the official church ordered people to rejoice and give thanks on Thanksgiving Day — even though the Pit yawned on the day before and the day after.

In The Editor's Mail

To the Editor:

I was walking through the halls of the University one afternoon when I was stopped by a group of visitors and asked some questions about our building. I must admit I couldn't give all the information desired, but I did my best and offered to show them around.

Until this happened to me I had never realized that we do have a great number of visitors to our University each year. Some of these visitors come from many miles to see this famous building in which we attend classes. Many will go home and tell their friends what they saw.

Will their impression of our school be favorable or unfavorable?

We have the privilege of going to college in a building with a wonderful history. It therefore draws visitors, and we as students have an obligation towards these people and ourselves to keep this building as clean as possible. Oh, I know we have a janitor crew, but it still requires the help of each and every student to keep appearances presentable here.

Let's think about this the next time we start to drop that cigarette or that paper in the hall, or mistreat the building or its furnishings in any way.

— Reader



The Party Line

by

Vilma and Peggie



This Went Through Her Mind Before "Heartaches" (If he takes someone else.)

"Oh" (If he'd only ask me.)

"Maybe" (If I smile and say hi!)

"Ebbtide" (I'll drown myself!)

"Come On A' My House" (I'll be ready at 10:00.)

"Only A Rose" (Any kind of flower, I'm not particular.)

"Music, Music, Music" (Hope I'll be there to enjoy it.)

"In the Mood" (To dance, dance!!!)

"Night and Day" (I'll never give up hope.)

"Good News" (I've got a date!!!)

Alliterations

Always Attracting Attention — Spartan Band

Foolish, Fat and Fifty — Us in 30 years

Potentially, Precious Pair — Tom Spack and Charnel Dick

ough, Roudy and Ready — Our Football Team

Dark, Dashing and Dangerous — Mike Skaroulis

Simply Super Shindig — Homecoming

Useless, Unpopular and Unnecessary — Mit-Term Exams

Quick, Quiet Quiz — Pop tests

Biggest Boodle Bugs — We'll never tell

Homecoming Dates

Nan Mullins and Dick Sweet

Peg Mosbacher and Bob Hillier

Mary Jo Capitano and Reggie Colvard

Pee Wee Ashmun and Margo Prado

Anita Riek and Jerry Scaglione

Doris Solomon and Jackie Skipper

Doris Cawthorn and Russ Marsh

Pete McLeod and Kitty Keen

Joe Bodo and Larrie Bennet

Lyndel Gellette and Jack Carew

Joan Hickey and Mark Ryan

Last Minute News

Frank Williams has a new love and he's serious this time. Her initials are V.G.

Is the Ace Club bluffing or do they really have a float? We'll see tomorrow!!

Comic Characters Around School

"Blondie" — Daralyn Peck

"Little Orphan Annie" — Roberts that is!

"Mickey Mouse" — Gale Porter

"Smiling Jack" — Munz of course

"Porky Pig" — Dwight Ash

"Lil' Abner" — Norval Trulluck

"Superman" — Milt Greene

"Wonder Woman" — Gloria Yglesias

"Captain Midnight" — "Ziggy"

"Bozo" — George Plomaritis

"Katzenjammer Kids" — Albert Cazin, Cookie Garcia, Frank Scaglione

A Poem

Cows may come and

Cows may go but

Bull goes on forever.

(And this column proves it.)

Closing Thought

We sure hope everybody has a wonderful time at Homecoming. Bye!!



Members of the Delta Kappa sorority pledged Alpha Chi Omega, national fraternity, on Saturday afternoon, November 7th. Those pledging, left to right: first row, DeEtta Harris, Rita Reed, Norma Jean Spoto, Joan Hickey, Sylvia Guerad, Doris Cothorn, Jerry Davis, Joyce Wamble; second row, Dawn Palmer, Liz Swartz, Sally Wolfe, Myrna Durham, Audrey Douglas, Margie Simmons; third row, Ann Roberts, Mary Fink, Joyce Newell, Bertha Lewis, Pat Neff; fourth row, Betty Vanover, Marian Griffin, Connie Byars, Helen Tomlinson, Jayne Anderson, Charlotte Brunke, Marilyn Viscusi. Those not pictured are Kitty Keene, and Eleanor Ebsary.

Spartan Sororities peak

by MARILYN and CAROLYN TURNER

This column thinks that it is only fair that there should be some mention of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority's beautiful gesture. These unselfish girls have given up the fun and honor of having a Homecoming float and are instead planning to give a Christmas party for the handicapped children of Tampa. When they ask our help and support, give it to them with the warm generosity which they have showed by their thoughtfulness.

Alpha Gamma

The Alpha Gamma sorority will have its annual football dance Saturday, November 26 after the Delta State game. An Indian theme will be carried out through the entire dance.

Tickets are 50c stag and 75c drag. Everyone is invited to attend the Alpha Gamma Indian Hop.

Zeta Tau Alpha

On the night of October 30th was the scene of the Spook Stomp held in the University lobby.

A Halloween theme was carried out with moss and dead tree branches. Hanging above the lobby orange and black lanterns also added atmosphere. The tables had candles made into bottles to add to the theme. Richard Mulholland Band gave the music that really inspired the crowd. The dance was a huge success and a lot of fun.

Saturday, October 31st, the Zeta Tau Alpha of Tampa U. initiated its pledges in a ceremony held at the First Baptist Church. The pledges being initiated were Alice Farmer, Judy Moore, Carolyn and Marilyn Turner, Jean Blackman, Jackie Fitzgibbons, Jean Strange, Barbara Whitley, Alice Ortibell and Dot Wilson.

After this ceremony the sorority as a body went out to eat.

The Bayside School for Coordinate Special Training is the project of the Gamma Sigma Chapter of the Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity. The sorority is making a three year old sized doll and clothes to fit it. This project will teach the children how to dress themselves. As the school year progresses the members will do other things to help the Bayside School.

History Classes Hear Official

Dr. E. Taylor Parks, Chief of the Research Advisory Branch of the Historical Division of the State Department, visited the University of Tampa recently on a five week tour of colleges.

Dr. Parks, who received his Ph.D. in International Relations at Duke University, is combining his visits to colleges with attendance at various meetings in the South.

The purpose of the Research Branch is to give scholars and other researchers advice and guidance as to the availability of the Department's records. They try to stimulate and promote research in certain areas of our foreign policy and international relations by maintaining contact with universities and other institutions engaged in this field.

History Professors Attend Conference

Dr. J. Ryan Beiser, Prof. Jesse L. Keene and Dr. Alan P. Stuckey of the department of history attended a meeting of the Southern Historical Association last week in Jacksonville.

Fashion Hi-Lights

By Sally Wolfe

Welcome Alumni — and a gala Homecoming to you!

As always, my eyes are about to pop out after seeing feature upon feature of this year's styles. So many things are popular this year that it takes a gal a long, long time to decide what she wants.

Everywhere I go I see satin, satin, satin. It's an almost direct change from just plain taffetas and failles. A new type taffeta, almost like silk, is also on the market. In the way of woollens, gray flannel looks perfect at all times on the campus. You'll find it in shades of charcoal, heather, dove, and menswear gray. A new twist in fancy cotton is "cotton-moire." This fabric can be trimmed in velveteen or embroidered jewels. It makes beautiful "almost-dressy" date dresses.

The suits this year range from our old standby fitted jackets to boxy, and boxy hip hugging styles. If you like jacket dresses these same style jackets are worn over the ever-popular sheath. Also in this collection you'll find the cardigan style jackets with ribbed wool trim very charming.

Finishing Touch

Evening wear grows more fabulous as the season progresses. White evening gowns are very popular this season and you'll find stunning silver, sequin, beaded, pearls and rhinestone trim on it. For your evening wrap the same white topper that is always popular; try adding a few ermine tails for an eyecatcher. Brocaded satin and brilliant taffeta is being used widely in this department. A tiara head dress is an exciting finishing touch for your lovely gown.

Odds and ends that are very noticeable are little fur, velvet or pique collars for sweaters, mink earrings, low-necked angora evening sweaters, costume gloves trimmed in wool embroidery, angora and rhinestones.

That's all for now — Have a great weekend!!

SPENCER TAKES ADVANCED WORK AT GAINESVILLE

Freddie F. Spencer, a recent graduate of the University of Tampa, is now doing advanced work in psychology at the University of Florida, Gainesville. Prior to his graduation Freddie was assistant to Dr. William D. Glenn, professor of psychology at the University of Tampa.

While attending the University, Freddie was prominent in campus affairs. He was a member of the Student Senate and Florida Intercollegiate Student Government Association, held the vice-presidency of his class in his sophomore year, directed Operation Big Show, and was editor of the Muezin, University of Tampa literary magazine, and feature editor of The Minaret. He was a member of Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity and Alpha Phi Epsilon, journalism fraternity, and was active in other organizations.

Art Group Visits Ringling Museum

Members of Kappa Pi honorary art fraternity recently made their first field trip of the season. Members assembled at the University and drove to the Ringling Art Museum in Sarasota. Those who visited the museum were Liz Schwartz, president, Dr. Schubart, Maida Waters, Carol King, Sue Shaffer, Pat Whidden and Richard Reese. Members also brought guests.

Kappa Pi plans a number of other such trips for the coming months.

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Fraternity News

by C. J. MYER

Sigma Phi Epsilon

The Sigma Phi Epsilon held its annual "Bowery Brawl" on October 24th. Prizes for outstanding costumes were awarded to Pat Neff and Walt Minahan. The "Brawl" was very successful this year and the cooperation of the student body was well appreciated.

Five men picked Sig. Ep. bids this semester. They are as follows: Jim Gill, Jim Eshleman, Terry Overby, Bryan Webb, and Joe Higdon.

Tau Omega

On the morning of October 31st, the active Tau Omega chapter of the University of Tampa met with its alumni at the Cricket Tea Room. Those present at this meeting included Alpha Tau Omega alumni of the local chapter and provost Mr. Farmer who received the various qualifications required for a group to go national. He also answered all questions concerning the local chapter.

Also present were active Tau Omega alumni, Claire Pittman, Rudy Rodriguez, who discussed the alumni's obligations in a national fraternity. No definite plans have been made, but discussions are in progress and look very promising.

The breakfast ended with a distribution of raffle tickets for a radio-phonograph combination, which will be raffled November 21.

Sigma Kappa Nu

New Pledges for the Sigma Kappa Nu are: Warren Hoosh, Herb Vater, John Stable, Ted Moore, Charles Collins, Julian Hopsan, Pete York, and Mark Ryan.

Preparations for the annual Christmas Dance are now under way.

New officers for the year are: president, Jack McClendin; vice president, Jesse Davis; secretary, Mike Capitano; treasurer, George Grant; parliamentarian, Clent Meadows; reporter, Ed Van Horn; athletic director, Bob Rawlins; and chaplain, Jack Munz.

At the present all are working on the float for the Homecoming Parade and working very hard on the raffle sale which is now in progress.

Kappa Sigma Kappa

The new officers of 1953-54 of the Kappa Sigma Kappa are as follows: Don Olsen, president; John Sanchez, secretary; Charles Archibald, treasurer; Jack Newsome, assistant treasurer; Don Olsen and Charles Archibald, Panhellenic representatives; Charles Archibald, reporter and Harry Martin, pledge captain.

The Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity has been invited by the Kappa Sigma Kappa alumni to attend a get-together party during Homecoming.

Jerry Scaglione is chairman of the Christmas Turkey donation for the Christmas season.

Plans for Homecoming are being carried out by the entire fraternity this year.

Kappa Sigma Kappa wishes to welcome the Alumni back for Homecoming and to wish everyone a happy Thanksgiving.

Rho Nu Delta

The Rho Nu Delta fraternity sponsors a scholarship fund, a script dance and a road trip for pledges. The scholarship fund sends one needy student to school yearly. The script dance is a dance where a radio is given away. The road trip last year ended in Tallahassee.

The active members will honor the Alumni with a party during Homecoming.

All members are working on the float which is outstanding each year.

Officers are: Samuel Uccello, president; Manuel Labato, vice president; Mickey Menendez, secretary; Stan Storey, treasurer.

Pledges are: Eloy Sanchez, Mario Sanchez, Andrew Marcus, and John Martinez.

Last year at the fraternity's annual banquet, the fraternity was presented with a television set which is now in the fraternity room.

Parties are held for the members' enjoyment at least once out of every three weeks.

At the beach parties the Rho Nu's had a house in which the members and the Alumni stayed.

"SPARTANS - TEAM FIGHT"



Student Production Set for December

SCHOOL FOR HUSBANDS is a comedy in three acts written by the French playwright, Jean Baptiste Poquelin Moliere in 1661 and was translated into English for the Drama Club by Franklin Moody. The play was a tremendous success in Paris at that time and has been played to packed theatre houses many times since. With Mr. Moody directing and Alex Sucheck and Jerry Davis taking the leads we hope it to be equally successful.

The story is of two very different brothers who were committed to care for the two daughters of a friend with conditions that they could marry when the girls became of age if they so desired. The wit and cleverness of the girls and the differences of the brothers make it a hilarious comedy that is in keeping with similar situations of our own time.

The costumes were exquisitely done by Lalah Tims and Mr. Moody, who have spent many hours choosing only the finest fabrics for the 17th century garb.

Props and sets are being constructed by Bill Birchfield and Shirley Alvey (Bill is also playing the part of the secret lover of Isabelle, the ward of, "Sganarelle," Alex Sucheck) and again expenses and working hours aren't being spared.

The play, SCHOOL FOR HUSBANDS, will be presented at the Centro Asturiano Theatre on December 11th and 12th at 8:30 p.m.

H. B. Plant's Hotel Had Distinguished Guest List in '90's

H. B. Plant's Tampa Bay Hotel, now the home of the University of Tampa, was a gathering place for outstanding people in the 1890s.

Registered at the hotel in that period were such guests as Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant; Edward Bok, editor of the Ladies' Home Journal; Roger Babson, economist and statistician; George Inness, the artist; Nina Wilcox Putnam, Irvin S. Cobb, Irving Bacheller and other writers; and, in 1898, as the war clouds gathered, Clara Barton, founder of the Red Cross in America, Gen. William R. Shafter, who was to command the expeditionary force to Santiago de Cuba, and Theodore Roosevelt, colonel of the Rough Riders.

Richard Harding Davis, the celebrated war correspondent, was also a guest here in the period just preceding the Spanish-American War, and in one of his stories he named this period, when the generals were sitting here planning the campaign in Cuba, the "rocking-chair period" of the war.

Mr. Plant, a native of Branford, Conn., first came to Florida in 1853, hoping that in the mild southern climate his wife might regain her health. He liked the South so well that he relocated in Atlanta, Ga.

One of his dreams was to make the west coast of Florida greater than Henry M. Flagler's east coast, and the two were rivals for supremacy. In 1888 Mr. Plant began construction of the Tampa Bay Hotel, which was completed in 1891 at a cost of well over three million dollars.

Alumni News

by JOYCE NEWELL

Every year around this time, we of the Minaret devote a few words about our alumni. We are interested, as is the student body to hear exactly what they are doing these days, and what they did while here at dear ole T.U.

Scrambling through some old year books, many names stand out in recognition of accomplishments made. The first annual published by the University of Tampa was in 1936. Flipping by pages of photographs, we saw one of **Crockett Farnell**, and discovered that he was a SKN, and a member of the T-club. He graduated and became the football coach for Hillsborough High School, and spurred the Terriers on to win the Big Ten Championship, then he became Superintendent of Public Instruction for Hillsborough County. Then of course the Minaret of 1935-36 was edited by **Hampton Dunn**, now managing editor of the Tampa Daily Times. He was also associate editor of the Moroccan during that year. **Brilio Alonso**, who led the Rho Nu Delta's for the school year of 1935-36, is now principal of West Tampa Jr. High School, and Educational Director for the Hillsborough County Veterans Administration. **Clair S. Pittman**, former State Legislator, also is a graduate of U. of T., as is **Tom Johnson** present State Legislator. Mr. Johnson was a member of the Sigma Kappa Nu fraternity, was a cheerleader, and a member of the Student Senate. **Bill Fisher**, manager of our cafeteria, Bookstore, and Spartan Room was a member of the Beta Chi's along with **Lee Duncan** now city representative in 1940. **William Whitfield Logan** of the Logan Lumber Company was a SKN president back in the early days of the University. **Pat Musto**, who recently graduated from the University, is now publisher of a monthly magazine, "Automotive South." He is among the former editors of the Minaret. Of course we do not have news of all our alumni. Many of them are teachers or may be serving in the Armed Forces. We do want to wish to all of our alumni, who will be celebrating Homecoming with us this year a very good holiday, and here is to "Learning Under The Sun Is Fun."

Loftus-Moore Exchange Vows

Miss Bertie Elizabeth Loftus, daughter of Mrs. Thomas J. Loftus, of Tampa, became the bride of Robert Thomas Moore, son of Mrs. R. T. Moore, Sr., of St. Petersburg, Nov. 1 in the Episcopal House of Prayer. The Rev. Charles E. Wood officiated. The bridegroom was graduated from the University in January, 1953, and is employed by the U. S. Navy Mine Countermeasures Station at Panama City.

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Syncopatin

by DAWN PALMER

The Florida State Teachers Association met at Tallahassee November 1, 2, and 3. Monday, November 2, Mrs. Lucille Dworshak, associate professor of piano here at the University, and Prof. Park played, on the Florida composers program, Mr. Park's Dance Suite-Euterpe and Terpsichord.

Tuesday morning Mrs. Dworshak spoke on "Some Aspects of the Big Technique," a piano technique which she had studied under Boris Godofsky who is connected with the Boston Symphony orchestra.

Mr. Park spoke at the theory panel Tuesday morning on pre-college level theory and the part that private piano teachers played in preparing college students for college work. Tuesday afternoon he spoke on the theory panel for university theory teachers and gave a detailed outline of the theory curriculum at the University of Tampa in demonstrations of the procedure used in Freshman classes.

Tampa is to be the site of the convention next year.

The first meeting for the fall semester of the private and class piano students was held last Wednesday in Mr. Park's studio. These meetings give the students an opportunity to perform in front of an audience.

University of Tampa Band.

The last two band shows which were the Latin Fiesta and the Sadie Hawkins Day drill were very favorably received. A word of praise should go to Bryan Webb and Joe Higdon who were respective drum majors and were responsible for the shows.

Last Sunday afternoon the band donned their red and black uniforms and played for the Eastern Air Line Air Show.

University of Tampa Chorus

The chorus is busy preparing for their annual Christmas Candlelight Service on December 16 at 5:00. Students will find this an inspiring way to begin the holiday season. Philharmonic Chorus.

A number of University students are participating in the Philharmonic Chorus which is preparing to present The Messiah on December 13. However, there are still openings and students are urged to take advantage of this opportunity. Sigma Alpha Iota

On November 5, 6, 7, Miss Mary Kerley, Lambda Provenca president, visited Sigma Alpha Iota music sorority. Miss Kerley was S.A.I.'s guest at the Philharmonic concert. S.A.T.'s magazine called Pan Pipes features a very nice story of the University of Tampa and the Beta Sigma chapter in the November issue.

Mediocrity Is Foe Of Mind And Spirit, President Writes

Mediocrity, when accepted as a way of life, is a menace to the development of the mind and spirit of a man or to a community, Dr. Ellwood C. Nance, president of the University, wrote in an article in the Oct. 23 issue of Made In America, a magazine devoted to American industry.

In his article, entitled "The Menace of Mediocrity," Dr. Nance says the way to escape from mediocrity lies in the constant and aggressive attitude that nothing on this earth is so good that it cannot be improved.

Literary Publications Solicits Manuscripts

A new literary quarterly, the Volusia Review, to be published under sponsorship of Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, solicits hitherto unpublished manuscripts of fiction, poetry and critical articles.

Although published by one of the leading Negro colleges of the South, the quarterly will be open to all writers regardless of race, nationality or creed. Excellence is the only criterion. All contributions should be sent to the Volusia Review, Box 476, Allandale, Fla.

Griffin Says Fear Due To Human Failure

Man's failure to look inward and establish peace with himself is the basis for the feeling of uncontrollable fear experienced in this "age of anxiety," Dr. Martin I. J. Griffin, professor of English, said in a talk Nov. 5 at a luncheon meeting of the Tampa Woman's Club.

"Too much stress is being placed on humanity," said Dr. Griffin. "Without emphasis of the First Commandment the second is meaningless—we cannot 'Love thy neighbor as thyself.'"

Freshman Flees to Sunny Siberia To Escape Annual Pajama Parade

by NICK VEGA

(As told to Minaret reporter in an exclusive interview with Reginald Bunthorne, popular TU student — until yesterday — before leaving on his perilous journey to Siberia.)

Faced with possible embarrassment and loss of prestige by participating in the Homecoming Pajama Parade, Freshman Reginald Bunthorne fled to Sunny Siberia via dogsled yesterday.

On being interviewed as to why he was escaping to remote Siberia, Bunthorne replied, "You know as well as I do that all freshmen must march in the parade and must wear what they wear to bed! How would you like to march in a parade wearing a SMILE?" The Minaret sympathizes with Mr. Bunthorne.

When asked why he chose Siberia, he answered, "I have hopes in getting a job in the salt mines." He went on to say, "When I heard about the parade, I tried to start a revolution by singing 'Yankee Doodle' at the football games. My friends sympathized with me. They called me a 'martyr to the cause,' another Joan of Arc; therefore they proposed to burn me at the stake. However, because of the high price of 'stakes' now a days, (often as high as 95¢ a pound), they quickly disbanded that idea. Realizing that they meant well but provided no solution to the problem, I decided to be a 'lone wolf.' To prove it I whistled at all the girls in the lobby. This also failed to provide any solution; however it was fun. After then I sold my biology books and bought a dogsled, a team of 69 hussies, and one more huskie in the event that any of the others met with an unfortunate accident. I gathered my supplies and made preparations for the trip."

Insists on Bottle

On being asked what supplies he was taking, the rodent fugitive answered, "I'll take an overcoat and a bottle of whiskey in case I get lost; fur-lined gloves and a bottle of whiskey in case I get lost; rubbers and a bottle of whiskey in case I get lost; and NO COMPASS, so I'll get lost."

When asked if he would go hunting bear while in Siberia, he blushed and admitted, "Only on warm days." The University will miss Reginald. As many of you know, Bunthorne recently wrote his life history and was awarded first place by the Tampa Hot Dog Company for writing the most "frank" autobiography of the year.

Prof. McGillivray Attends Radio-TV Sessions in West

Prof. Roy A. McGillivray, director of radio here at the University, attended a meeting of the National Association of Education Broadcasters held October 30 and 31 at the University of Oklahoma in Norman, Okla.

Present at the meeting were more than 100 members of the NAEB who were gathered to discuss techniques of radio and television in the field of audiovisual education.

Principle aims adopted at the meeting were the expanding of the NAEB tape network which links all the member stations and the setting up of an international exchange of Fulbright scholarships for radio and television. Principle speakers were Gov. Justin Murray of Oklahoma and Rosel Hyde, new head of the Federal Communications Commission.

WTUN, the University radio station, is an active member of the NAEB, and Professor McGillivray represented the station and the University at the meeting.



SPARTAN CHEER LEADERS SELL CAGE TICKETS—Season tickets for University of Tampa's basketball games are on sale and this group is shown selling season books to Rudy Rodriguez and George Edmondson, Jr., two ardent Spartan supporters. In the group, left to right, are Mary Fink, Rodriguez, Nan Mullen, Connie Felicione, Cleo Menendez, Edmondson, and Norma Spoto.—(Tribune Photo).

Little Known Facts About Government Life Insurance

(Continued from last issue)

Who Is Eligible for USGLI and NSLI

Any veteran who waived the payment of his premiums under either of these types while on active duty, may continue the old insurance by sending in the premium to the Veterans Adm. within 120 days after separation.

Any person who surrendered his converted (Permanent) USGLI or NSLI for its Cash Value while on active duty, may apply for reinstatement of his old policy or apply for a new one on the same plan at the rate for his current age. This must be done within 120 days following Separation.

Any person whose Term NSLI expired while he was on active duty, even if it was not actually in force at the time of expiration, may apply for a new policy of the old NSLI. This must be done with 120 days after Separation and requires evidence of good health.

Any Term Policy which expired while on active duty which was under waiver is automatically renewed, without action on the part of the serviceman. NSLI (1940) Term insurance may be converted to any of 6 permanent Plans of insurance while the term policy is in force.

It is definitely to the advantage of all veterans to keep their USGLI or NSLI. No Commercial Company can offer you the same type of policy at a like premium. This is not a reflection on the Commercial Companies. It should be noted that the U. S. Government absorbs all administrative costs as well as the extra cost of Military Hazard. This is a gift to you by the taxpayers of the U.S. You should appreciate it.

Your Commercial Life Insurance agent can be of great assistance to you. He has a professional knowledge of your insurance problems. The Veterans Administration Representative will be glad to help you with any necessary forms.

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T.U. Cheerleaders Sponsor Campaign For P.A. System

If you see eight young ladies and two young men whizzing around school these days, you'll know it's the cheerleaders. Their major project for this year is raising money for a public address system. This is badly needed to help build spirit and "plenty of noise" at our football games. With this system the cheerleaders could announce the cheers and execute them so the whole crowd could hear and join in. To help raise this money they have taken over the sale of basketball season tickets.

Last Saturday night they sponsored the First Annual "Sadie Hawkins Hop," a Dog-patch style dance, and it proved to be a big success. This affair will be held each year to help the cheerleaders with their different projects.

New cheers and renovation of the old ones have been on the list of their many activities. They hope that this year will be the most outstanding in the years of cheerleading.

Directed by Mrs. Julia C. Williams, the group includes three veteran cheerleaders, Connie Byars, Sally Wolfe and Mary Fink, and new to the squad this year, Nan Mullins, Norma Jean Spoto, Connie Felicione, Judy Moore, Johnny Sanchez, and the husband-and-wife team Cleo and Hugo Menendez.

Gridders Battle Appalachian In Homecoming Tilt

BEHIND THE SPORTS DESK

by HANK DI STEFANO

Last week the University of Tampa defeated the "wonder boys" of Arkansas Tech by a score of 26-20 in a well played game. The game was featured by the spectacular running of Charley Harris, Al Leathers, and Tom Spack. Another feature in the Spartan win was vicious blocking of Reggie Colvard, Joe Onderko, Larry Gnagy, Jess Davis, H. L. Hiers, and Ted Green. Also receiving praise from the coaching staff was "bullet" Bill Minahan.

The win may have proved costly for the Spartans, when Julius Nagy, star guard was taken to the hospital with a slight concussion during the third period. Before leaving the game, Nagy turned in a stellar performance on defense.

Another question mark on the Spartans agenda this week is Chris Lampe. Chris received a back injury in the Spartan win over the Arkansas eleven.

For the second straight year, the University of Tampa will battle the Appalachian "mountaineers" in their annual Homecoming game tomorrow night at Phillips Field at 8 p.m.

Last season, Coach Marcelino Huerta's charges nipped the Appalachians 19 to 0 in a thrilling, action-packed contest. In the '52 fracas, Vince Chicko, Nick Waytovich, Al Leathers, Charley Harris, Bill Minahan, and H. L. Hiers contributed heavily to the cause which led to the important Spartan win.

Chicko, who ran back a kick for a touchdown, was lost to the Spartans by graduation. The other five players will be back to try to make it two straight Homecoming wins—both against Appalachian. Waytovich, stocky guard, and Hiers, lanky end, have been bulwarks in Tampa's line this season. Harris, tricky speed merchant, has become a real threat every time he handles the ball. Leathers, versatile back, has displayed some fancy broken-field running with timely plunging at the halfback and fullback posts. Should the Huertamen take to the air, most of the passing will be done by Minahan, the field general with a rifle arm.

While other members of last season will be back for tomorrow night's Homecoming, still others will be making their initial appearance in a University of Tampa Homecoming.

All in all, tomorrow night's clash should be a top-notch game. Campus hopes are high that the Spartan gridgers can repeat last year's win.

Let's all go out and give our team a real backing.
Good luck Coach; Team!

Have you ever considered the importance of a line in football? Well, if you haven't its about time you did. Little is often said of the "forward wall" which is always in the midst of the brawl.

Football fans are always watching the backfield men and overlooking the big, beefy men in the line. Where would the backs go without a good, strong line? No place at all, for it is the linemen who open up the necessary "holes," block out would-be tacklers, and run interference for the ball handlers.

A defensive look at the game of football sees the forward wall getting the first try at tackling the opposition. Among other things, the defensive line occasionally blocks punts, extra point attempts, and plug up holes.

While on the subject of linemen, I would like to mention a few of our own beefy Spartan linemen, who have capably held down their chores, yet haven't received too much glory. Joe Onderko, H. L. Hiers, Reggie Colvard, Larry Gnagy, Henry Garcia, Nick Waytovich, Julius Nagy, Braxton Pounders (before he was injured), and Ted Green, are all top-notch linemen.

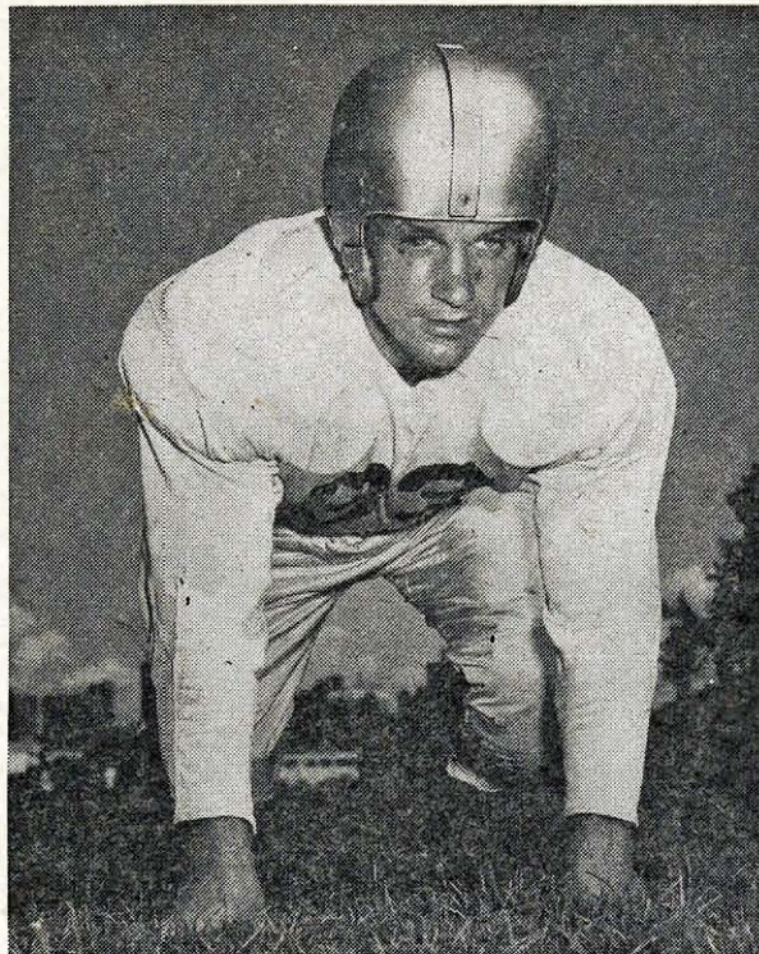
CUBAN STUDENT ENROLLED HERE

Ernesto C. Segundo, who was born and reared in the province of Matanzas, Cuba. He came to the United States in September, 1952, and enrolled at the University of Tampa. His major subject is chemistry, his minor mathematics. Ernesto is a member of Rho Nu Delta fraternity and Los Picaros. He enjoys being here, and plans to remain in the United States.

22nd Homecoming Debated Subject

The first Homecoming of the University of Tampa, according to an old issue of The Minaret, was in 1935, and in The Minaret in 1940, Homecoming of that year was referred to as the sixth. But we have just seen a copy of the program of the 1950 Homecoming, and on this program the event is identified as the 19th. In that case, this present Homecoming is the 22nd. There seems to be something wrong with the arithmetic.

Rugged Spartan Lineman



Returning to action tomorrow night against Appalachian will be Nick Waytovich who has been on the side lines with a knee injury.

Spartans To Face Strong Carolina Team

by BILL KIRBY

Tampa's Spartans will be out to win for the "old grads" tomorrow night when they tackle the Appalachian State Mountaineers from Boone, N. C., in their annual Homecoming game.

Last year the two teams collided at Phillips Field and Tampa walked away with a 19-0 Homecoming win.

The Spartans, who have won their last two games for a 6-3 season's record, have been working hard in preparation for the invading Mountaineers. Coach Huerta has emphasized defense in practice this week along with work on offense and conditioning.

"We are trying to keep in shape for the game," Huerta said, after pointing out the recent 26-20 triumph over Arkansas Tech and the 18-13 win over previously unbeaten East Carolina. "But we are hurt by injuries to some of the players," he added.

On Injury List

Julius Nagy and Chris Lampe were the latest additions to the injury list and it is doubtful if they will play tomorrow night. A ray of light sifted through, however, with the announcement that Nick Waytovich, Spartan tri-captain, will play. The 195-pound lineman has been out since the Carolina game with a knee injury and will see action at the guard position.

Three of Tampa's top gridiron artists will see their last Homecoming action. Halfbacks Charlie Harris and Bob Hillier, and H. L. Hiers, end, will be "old grads" the next time Homecoming rolls around.

It will be the sixth meeting between the two teams and Tampa is on the short end, having won only two of the five games played. Tampa lost in 1940, 13-6, won in '41, 36-9, lost in '50, 36-19, and dropped a 14-13 decision in '51.

E. C. Duggins, who coached at Tampa in 1941, has a tough team this season. The Mountaineers have won five games in seven encounters and are in third place in the North State Intercollegiate Conference.

Hopes for Big Crowd

Paul Straub, TU athletic business manager, said that he "hopes a crowd of seven or eight thousand people will attend the game."

Collentine Elected Ace Club President

The Ace Club elected new officers for 1953-54 at the first meeting of the organization. New officers for the current school year are: Tom Collentine, president; Braxton Pounders, vice-president; Al Cazin, secretary; Bill Dawson, assistant secretary; Joe Onderko, treasurer; Bill Sefcik, sergeant-at-arms; and Jerry Bandy, athletic director.

WOMEN'S SPORTS Professor Adams Old T.U. Grad

by SHIRLEY KEENE

Independents, New Volleyball Champs

The Independents again won the Women's Intramural Volleyball Championship, November 12 by defeating Alpha Gamma 36-25 to end their season with a 4-1 record.

The Independents opened the season with a 60-8 victory over Tri Sigma Sorority. They went into the losers bracket when Alpha Gamma defeated them 40-37 in an overtime, but then they went on to defeat Alpha Chi Omega 40-37 and Alpha Gamma 45-29 and 36-25.

In other games Alpha Chi Omega defeated Zeta Tau Alpha 41-35, Alpha Gamma topped Alpha Chi Omega 32-22, Zeta Tau Alpha beat Tri Sigma 51-22, and Alpha Chi Omega again beat Zeta Tau Alpha by the score 37-36.

Alpha Gamma captured second place honors with a 2-2 record and Alpha Chi Omega took third place.

Women's Varsity Basketball

Anyone interested in playing on the Women's Intercollegiate Varsity Basketball Team, please contact Mrs. Williams, Director of Women's Physical Education, NOW. Practice began this week, but any additional players are welcome. Games will be played as a preliminary to the Men's games at 6:30 p.m.

One of TU's "oldest" alumni who is certain to be around this weekend is Miller K. Adams, Acting Professor of Physical Education.

Adams graduated from Tampa with a B.S. degree way back in 1935 and soon afterwards began his career here as an H.P.R. instructor.

Besides the B.S. degree, Adams also holds his masters which he received from New York University in 1946. He is working on his third now—Ph.D.—and has only one thesis to complete before receiving it.

Adams is in charge of the intramural program at TU which includes just about everything from ribbon football to ping pong.

Miller said that ribbon football wound up last week with the Independents taking the championship. The Independents won four games and lost one during the five-game season.

Rho Nu Delta was the runner-up with three wins, one loss and one tie.

The intramurals, right now, are centered around horseshoes, handball and table tennis and teams are right in the midst of their schedules.

Basketball will get under way in about two weeks.



Did You Ever See A Dream Walking? These three freshmen are going to be among the happy group of paraders tonight when the annual Pajama Parade gets under way at 6:00 P.M. They are (left to right) Charles Archibald (Rat Captain), Sally Villar, Glenda Hill and Jackie Skipper.

Nine Homecoming Games Won by Spartans in Past

by BILL KIRBY

Perhaps one of the most enjoyable occasions; come Homecoming, is to sit around with old teammates and relive "that touchdown you made to give us a win over FSU." Or maybe it is "that grand slam homer that helped us wallop Stetson."

But, no matter what the subject, you can bet your last book report that whatever the "old grads" are talking about won't concern what "I have been doing SINCE I graduated." It will be something that happened "way back when" they went to dear 'ole TU.

And among the alumni who are gathered at the University for the 22nd annual Homecoming this weekend, are former football greats, cage stars and power hitters of the diamond.

Since Homecoming centers around football each year, here are a few of the highlights of Tampa's football history.

The Spartans opened their first official season in 1933, two years after the University was founded. They posted a 6-2-2 record in their initial season.

The first recognized Homecoming game was played in 1934 against Miami. Tampa won that one, 7-6, and went on to an 8-4 mark.

In '35 the Spartans lost to Stetson, 9-6, at Homecoming and ended the season with five wins and five losses. They lost Homecoming to Rollins, 7-0, in '36 but wrangled out a 5-3-2 season's mark.

Although winning only four games and losing five in '37, the Spartans dumped Miami, 7-0, at Homecoming. In '38, Florida's Gators blanked the Tampans, 33-0, at Homecoming. The Spartans finished with a 3-7 mark that year.

At Homecoming in '39, Miami beat Tampa, 32-0. This year saw the Spartans end up with a 2-7-1 record. In '40, Tampa had a 3-6 mark, and one of the wins was over Oglethorpe, 53-0, at Homecoming.

TU lost Homecoming games in '41 and '42 to Rollins, 13-6 and 48-0, respectively. The Spartans had a 3-6 in '41 and a 5-4 in '42. After '42, they skipped football until 1946 when they played an informal schedule and won two of six games, including a Homecoming victory over South Georgia, 13-2.

Tampa didn't play in '47 but started up again for good in '48. That year it had a 2-6 mark and one of the wins was a 77-0 Homecoming triumph over Mexico's Military College.

At Homecoming in '49 Tampa lost to Florida State, 34-7; in '50 the Spartans tripped Delta State, 34-7; beat Livingston, 28-13, in '51 and last year blanked Appalachian, 19-0. Tampa had a 0-8 record in '49, a 5-4 mark in '50, a 7-3-1 in '51, and last year, an 8-3-1 record.

Some of the "old grads" you may see around the campus this year include: Crockett Farnell, Cotton Clinton, Rudy Rodriguez, Jimmie White, Earl Hatcher, Dick Spoto, Paul Alfieri, Sam Alfieri, Champ Williams, Joe Justice, Russell Mumbauer, Arnie "Jitterbug" Holmes, Paul Straub (a certainty), Clair Pittman, Doug Forrester, Frank Straner, Bill Fisher, Johnny Clements, Joe Mills, Glenn Reed, Joe Morris, Holland Aplin, Jerry Jackson, Gene King, Joe Lahosky, Dan Sliman, Fred Pancoast, Lou Sequella, Vince Chicko.

The student body pays tribute to these and all the "boys" who are alumni.

Spartans Upset East Carolina, 18-13; Triumph Over Arkansas Tech, 26-20

TU Group Examines Old Indian Mound

Several weeks ago the University received word of the discovery of an Indian mound, located by a bulldozer operator while clearing and leveling a tract of land in Hardee County.

When the group arrived at the mound they had the pleasure of meeting Dr. Bullen and several of his assistants from the Florida State Museum. Dr. Bullen, noted Anthropologist and authority on Florida mounds and burial grounds, gave the group some interesting facts about the mound and its deceased inhabitants. Dr. Bullen and his associates had already begun to excavate the burial site but were forced to leave due to other business and turned the remainder of the project over to the University of Tampa.

The eager group began the slow process of turning over the soil and sifting each bit carefully so as not to avoid any clue that would be helpful in studying the culture of the primitive people below.

Crude Pottery Discovered

One piece of crude pottery was unearthed, but there were no further indications present that would lead to the discovery of a village which should have been nearby.

Dr. Covington explained to the group that these peoples being of the pre-Colombian period (i.e. before Columbus discovered America) were no doubt Nomadic wanderers who roamed the interior of Florida hunting and fishing and having little to do with agriculture, therefore the burial site was not one of magnificence as in other cases where the tribes are more settled and build great mounds and burial grounds as sort of a symbol to the dead.

Later in the evening the group unearthed two sets of leg bones, but the remainder of the skeletons were not found due to the deterioration of the specimens and the difficulty of the excavation. The bones were found in a sitting position or "Flex" as noted by Dr. Covington, however, they had probably been somewhat disturbed by the influx of roots from a live oak tree located in the supposed center of the burial ground.

It is believed that the Indians were not buried immediately on death but had been laid aside to dry and later gathered together and placed rudely in a hole. This accounts for the finding of several pairs of leg bones in one location and perhaps the skulls and other portions in some other place foreign to the position of the legs.

Expedition a Big Success

This is perhaps one of the first Archaeological expeditions of the University of Tampa and has been agreed by all who participated to be a great success. More trips of this nature are being planned by Dr. Covington and anyone willing to dig is cordially invited to attend.

Members of the field trip conducted by Dr. Covington are as follows: Peter Labruzzo, Pattie Bishop, Fred Wysor, Betty Bowman, Jess Diaz, Silvio Alvarez, Paul J. Schwartz, Victor Anello, Jerry Merrill, Ed Van Horn, and Dr. James Covington.

Hats Off To A Sport

Due to a scarcity of time before the end of the football season, we are going to cover the remaining linemen on the 1953 edition of the Tampa Spartans in this issue . . .

H. L. Hiers, Bartow, Florida, Senior, one of the finest ends in the state with three years experience. Playing his same outstanding game this year.

Joe Onderko, Warren, Ohio, good, all-around man, good blocker with one year experience. Injured once this year but in shape now.

Frank Stefanik, Johnstown, Pa., rugged, good offensive and defensive man, one year experience, good pass catcher.

Reggie Colvard, Hartwell, Ga., aggressive blocker, outstanding tackle, plays both offense and defense.

Braxton Pounders, Sawyerhood, Ohio, hard tackler, fast for size, offense and defense, on injury list and sorely missed.

Julius Nagy, Steubenville, Ohio, Junior, one of the most improved tacklers on team, shows great potential.

Larry Gnagy, Johnstown, Pa., Sophomore, another improved tackle from last year, hard worker, aggressive.

Jim Quanne, Endicott, N. Y., hard working guard, aggressive, wiry, hard to block out.

Frank Fuchek, saw limited action last year but playing outstanding game this year, holds down rugged tackle position.

Bill Sefcik, rugged end, first year at Tampa, shows great promise, playing great ball this year.

Ken Belliveau, seen as one of the finest ends on squad, played great game in intra-squad game last Spring, injured in pre-season scrimmage, unable to play so far this year.

Joe Slovenski, new guard added this season, consistent player and dependable.

Rueben Espinola, Plant High graduate, great addition to squad, expected to play plenty of football for Tampa.

Here are a list of players who help to bolster the Tampa defense and lead the offense against Tampa foes — **Norvel Truluck**, **Nello Rimoldi**, **Robert Frye**, **Ralph Frazier**, **Mario Maffio**, **Hubby Nelson**, **Bob Phillips**, and **John Vouvalis**.

Next issue: THE TAMPA BACKFIELD.

T.U. Team Plays Top Notch Ball

Playing like a top-notch ball club seeking a bowl bid, the University of Tampa Spartans upset East Carolina College, 18-13, and outscored a tough Arkansas Tech team, 26-20, in recent home games played at Phillips Field.

The Spartans could do nothing wrong as they surprised previously unbeaten East Carolina in a contest viewed by Cigar Bowl officials. Charley Harris counted for two of the locals touchdowns with Tom Spack getting the other. Spack got the first score in the early part of the second period on a bull-charge of nine yards. The Spartans got possession of the ball on the Carolina 12 when Jack Britt fumbled a punt and H. L. Hiers recovered the loose ball. A few minutes later Harris came through on a punt return that covered 67 yards. The punt actually went to Al Leathers, who handed off to Harris, who sped down the sideline to Fort Knox.

On the kickoff of the second half, Mathis gathered in the ball on the 25 and lateraled to Harris on the opposite side of the field and off he went until he was downed from behind on the Carolina 29. Minahan passed to Harris on the first play and Tampa scored again. The Pirates from Carolina tallied both of their TD in the third quarter.

Coming from behind twice, the boys from Minaret land outscored a fighting Tech team from Arkansas. The Spartans chalked up 518 total yardage in making their four touchdowns. Tampa scored on two nice runs of 29 yards by Harris and 14 by Spack with Harris finally going over. However, Tech came back to lead the Huertamen, 7-6, at the half. Tampa took the lead in the third period with Harris counting from the five to climax a 76 yard rive, but Arkansas bounced back and again led by the slim margin of the extra point, 13-12.

Moving 74 yars, the locals got right back into the ball game when Minahan tossed to Heirs from the 20 in put his club ahead, 19-13. Shortly after the scoreboard read 26-13 as nice running by Leathers, Harris, and Hillier with a 1 yard dash by Amuso added another marker. Tech roared 53 yards for a tally to end the scoring and giving the Spartans their sixth victory against only three setbacks.

I PREDICT

by CHARLES ARCHIBALD

Record: 30 Wins, 5 Losses, 5 Ties, Perc. .857 (tie neither win nor loss.)

Predictions: November 21 —

1. Tampa over Appalachian (Spartans are up for Homecoming)
2. Navy over Army (the Middies win)
3. Florida State over Stetson (the Hatters are blocked)
4. Auburn over Clemson (the Plainsmen are tops)
5. Baylor over S.M.U. (a tight one)
6. Georgia Tech over Duke (close as possible)
7. Ohio State over Michigan (Buckeyes over Wolverines)
8. Illinois over Northwestern (Rose Bowl bound?)
9. Kentucky over Tennessee (the Vols lose a close one)
10. Texas over Texas A. & M. (Longhorns roll)

Spartan Statistics

Scoring	td	pat	total
C. Harris	11		66
Tom Spack	4		24
Fred Chicado	3	1	19
Bob Hillier	3		18
Reggie Colvard	1	2	8
Al Leathers	1		6
Bill Minahan	1		6
C. Garcia	1		6
H. L. Hiers	1		6
Ted Green		5	5
Milt Greene		2	2
Totals	26	10	166

Note: A safety scored against Troy State is not included in the above.

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Football Game

At 8 o'clock it's kick off time at Phillips Field for the Homecoming game. This year the fast moving Appalachian State Mountaineers return to try to down the Mighty Spartan eleven.

Half time offers an added attraction to the game. Sponsors for both teams will be presented and an excellent half time show is expected.

Homecoming Dance

Immediately following the football game, alumni, students, and faculty are invited to attend the annual Homecoming dance to be held at the Colliseum on Davis Islands.

Music will be provided by Victor Ruiz and his orchestra. The dance will begin at 11 P.M. and will continue until 2:30 A.M. Dress for this gala occasion will be formal or semi-formal and a large gathering of students, former students, and faculty is expected.

Tickets for the dance are on sale at the Student Senate office.

WTUN Inaugurates 'In School' Series

WTUN, the voice of the University of Tampa, has taken another great step in presenting educational programs to the people of the Tampa Bay area. On October 19 the University radio station went on the air with the first in a series of daily "In School" broadcasts beamed to the school children of Hillsborough and adjacent counties.

These programs are presented Monday through Friday from 9:30 to 11 A.M. and from 1 to 2:30, and are graded for certain levels. Programs on speech, music, history and other subjects for the first grade through the 12th grade are listened to in class by the schools in the Tampa Bay area as a part of their regular instruction. During the period 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. the programs are carried by WTUN group is given to all the schools so that a teacher may pick the instruction suitable for her class and plan to have an FM receiver in her classroom at that time.

The "In School" programs, it is expected, will be enlarged in the near future to cover an even wider area and thus expand the WTUN educational coverage.

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