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Miss Duket Miss Tampa



At the annual Chamber of Commerce jamboree last Friday, Miss Jean Duket, sophomore here at the university and Ace Club Valentine Queen, was selected Miss Tampa. Jean, who is a gorgeous brunette, member of the Sigma Theta Phi sorority and a honor roll student, resides at 2911 San Miguel. She will take part in the Miss Florida Pageant at St. Petersburg June 1-2, competing for the title of Miss Florida. The winner of this contest will in turn

compete for the crown of Miss America at Atlantic City in September. Runnersup in the contest were the Misses Marie Miller, Sandy Morgan, Barbara Kaufman, and Rickey Weisand. Jean received a diamond-studded wrist watch and the runnersup were given bathing suits. Judges for the selection of Miss Tampa were W. L. Waring, Jr., R. L. Hendershott, Jackson Erwin, J. A. Smith, Truman Green and Trenton Collins.

V. F. W.'s To Sponsor Endowment Dance

The Captain Russel P. Harris Post, VFW, and the Hatton Gillette Post, VFW, jointly invite the public to dance at the Municipal Auditorium to the music of Don Francisco and his Orchestra on the night of Thursday, June 12, for the benefit of the University of Tampa Memorial Endowment Fund. Admission will be \$1.20, tax included, and all receipts under \$130,000 will go to the Endowment Fund.

Ralph Polcino of the Harris Post is Committee Chairman and A. S. Douglas represents the Gillette Post. This is a heartening example of the kind of support that local organizations can give to the Endowment Drive. Everyone in Tampa knows by now what it does and will mean to have a fully accredited university in Florida's largest West Coast city. If, following the example of these VFW Posts and of the University students, who raised over \$1000 with their variety show, FUNZALAFUN, other clubs, societies, and organizations will hold benefit shows and affairs they will receive the hearty cooperation of the people of Tampa and the last \$130,000 will be realized in a very, very short time.

Mrs. Pate of the Business Office requests that all students retain their orange receipts.

Brown, Bleumle, Gorman, Gottler, Chosen by S. S.

Chief editors and business managers of two of the University's publications, the Minaret and the Moroccan, were selected last week at the final meeting of the current Student Senate. The Minaret's new editor-in-chief will be Leonard Brown, with Leonard Gottler continuing as business manager. Doyle Bleumle, president-elect of the Student Senate, was chosen to again edit the yearbook. Paul Gorman, sports editor for the Minaret, will be business manager of the Moroccan.

Brown succeeds Mrs. Frances Saxon, who has served as head of the Minaret staff for the past year and was formerly associate editor of the paper. The only sophomore to hold the position of editor-in-chief of the newspaper, Frances will remain on the staff for the remainder of her attendance at the University.

"I would like to retain as many of the old staff as are willing to continue working on the paper," Brown said, explaining that he expected to rely heavily on their experience and loyalty.

"Frances has done a swell job, and with her help and the cooperation of others who have been connected with the publication as well as those who qualify next September, we are looking forward to putting out an even better paper next semester," he added.

Bleumle will be right at home piloting the Moroccan, since he was largely responsible for production of this year's yearbook. A versatile and popular fellow, Doyle will have his hands full as chief of the student government body and president of the Florida Student Government Association. He was elected to the latter office, succeeding Manuel Alvarez, Jr., current president of the Student Senate, at a two-day conference of the association, held Friday and Saturday, May 16 and 17, at the University of Florida.

Experienced as a leader in student affairs, Bleumle is winding up a year of serving as president of the Junior Class and president of the Beta Chi fraternity.

Mr. Smith Goes To Mississippi

"The four years I have spent at the University have been the most enjoyable and satisfying in my 18 years of teaching," says Mr. LeRoy O. Smith, popular head of the Department of Business Administration, who is leaving up to take a position at Mississippi State College, "and only the opportunity which this new position offers me to complete the work on my Ph.D. thesis could persuade me to leave here."

Mr. Smith came to the University of Tampa as head of the Department of Business Administration in April, 1943, following the death of Dr. Linebaugh, and took up the combined responsibility of accomplishing the Army Aviation Training Program and maintaining and advancing the Department of Business Administration. During his first year he taught two business courses and 15 sections of economic geography for the Army.

At that time Mr. Smith and three part-time instructors offered a 24-hour major in Business Administration. As Mr. Smith leaves us, the University requires 38 hours from Bus. Ad. majors, there are two full-time and one part-time instructor on the staff, and an even more fully integrated course of instruction has been initiated for next year. Mr. Smith is to be congratulated for the work he has done here.

Mississippi State College is located at Starkville, Miss., and has an enrollment of about 3500. Mr. Smith will teach four courses in business subjects, and have his Summers free to work on his doctorate. His thesis will be a continuation and development of his 150-page master's thesis on the present status of business education standards in American colleges and universities.

Mr. Smith's family will probably remain in Tampa for the remainder of the Summer, which will, perhaps, be enough time for all of Shirley Smith's friends among the students and on the faculty to say, "Good-bye."

Mr. "Mac" Has Male Animal

Prof. Roy A. McGillivray, head of the speech department, announces the birth of a 7 lb., 4 ounce son born last night at the St. Joseph hospital. Mr. Mac, Sally (his wife) and the new member of the family are all doing fine.

PHI SOCIETY TAKES IN 3 SMART GIRLS

In a brief ceremony at administrative assembly last week, Dr. Guy G. Becknell inducted Miss Camille Garcia, Miss Martha Jane Jackson and Miss Joan Schwab into the Phi Society.

Explaining that the Phi Society is an honorary Greek letter society which recognizes outstanding scholastic ability and achievements of freshman students, Dr. Becknell gave a brief history of Phi Beta Kappa, oldest Greek letter society in the United States and parent of the Phi Society. Dr. Becknell is the only member of the University of Tampa faculty who is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

BILL OFFERED ALLOWING CITY AID TO TAMPA U.

A new bill which amends the city's 1925 act and would permit Tampa to make an annual appropriation for the University of Tampa was introduced in the state legislature at Tallahassee Tuesday (May 20) by Senator Sheldon.

It was passed immediately by the senate and sent to the house, where the delegation promised prompt approval.

The appropriation would come out of the publicity fund which a 1925 act authorized the city of Tampa to raise by levying a special tax or using other money available.

The new bill amends the city's 1925 act, and refers to any "non-sectarian, non-profit" college, but would apply only to the University of Tampa. It (Continued on Page 2—Column 3)

CAPT. LEGGE, AIR ATTACHE, TO BE GUEST SPEAKER

President L. R. Wilson of Florida Christian College, Temple Terrace, will give the address at the baccalaureate service Sunday, June 1, at 4 P. M., in the University Ballroom.

Class Day exercises, also to be held in the University Ballroom, are scheduled for 10 A. M. Monday. The program follows:

Salutatory, Mrs. Eunice Talbot; presentation of class gift, Dorothy Quarterman; class history, Paul Hutton; class prophecy, Martha Jane Coler; class will, Manuel Alvarez, Jr.; class poem, Mary Leone; valedictory, Ella Gardner Bond.

Those in the graduating class are: Manuel Alvarez, Jr., Myldred Bates, Ella Bond, Betty Jane Brownsey, Martha Jane Coler, Ivan Cowen, Katie deLamortan, David Erwin, Betty Anne Gaventa, Eugene Greenmore, Robert Hach, Thomas Hamby, Earl Hatcher, Paul Hutton, Nancy Jayne Lee, Fred Lenfesty, Mary Leone, Dahlia Lera, Finis Taylor Locke, Joe Mills, Josephine Perez, Dorothy Quarterman, Johanna Reck, Mrs. Lessey J. Rhodes, Sister Josetta Maria, Charlotte C. Skaley, Eunice G. Talbot, John P. Williams.

Speaker at the commencement exercises Monday night at 8:15 in Municipal Auditorium will be Group Capt. R. J. Legge, air attache with the British Embassy in Washington.

Stationed at Athens, Greece, as Assistant Air Attache at the outset of World War II, the Royal Air Force officer escaped four days ahead of the German invasion of that country and after a brief period as a Station Commander in Iraq, returned to England, where he directed many of the night fighters defending London from the Luftwaffe, in the dark days of 1942.

The following year Group Captain Legge was moved to Middle Wallop as Sector Commander, in charge of a large part of the planes for fighter coverage for the invasion on D-Day. In May, 1944, he was posted to command the Royal Air Forces Station at Northolt, one of the R. A. F. stations which gave support to the Allied invasion forces from D-Day to V-E Day. He became Air Attache in Washington in July, 1945.

James W. Whitehead, director of public relations of the university and chairman of the Southeastern District of the American College of Public Relations Association, recently attended the national convention of the association in St. Louis, Mo.

A. M. T. Holds Recital



Soloists at the Alpha Mu Tau musical sorority's annual recital last night. Members who were featured were Misses Glenna Hill, Dorothy James, Jeanne Wiltse, Mary O'Brian and Pat Tallant.

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Look Homeward, Angels

By Frances Saxon

Well, here it is, another year at T. U. is over. A year of improvements and enormous strides toward our ultimate aim, accreditation.

The Minaret has strived all during this year to present in the fairest and most factual way possible all the various important happenings around the school. We have made mistakes but as the quotation goes, "To err is human." We hope that you the readers, the student body can fit the rest of the quotation, "To forgive is divine."

We on the Minaret staff are looking forward to a great new year under the able guidance of Leonard Brown. We all have many plans concerning the way the paper will be next year.

For a few of us this past year will hold many nostalgic memories of Saturday afternoons completely taken up by typing, editing, rewriting, gossiping and cursing all the other people that were lucky enough to have their Saturday's free. But now as we look back upon those days we are glad that we had the opportunity. A few of us have memories of nights lasting until one and two at the Tribune composing room where we slaved over inky print all night. We are glad of this too as it has given us fine experience for later in the journalistic field.

We are glad and sorry that this year is over but we feel that we have done our job.

The old staff wills to the new editor and his new staff to be chosen next fall all the joys and sorrows of putting out the Minaret.

WELCOME TO BROWN

The Minaret congratulates Leonard Brown on his appointment as editor-in-chief of the paper and extends to him sincere wishes of good luck and success in his new job. Those of us who will work with him next semester will cooperate with him in our mutual objective of achieving the best college newspaper possible. In a statement, outlining his policies, Brown said:

"I appreciate the honor and responsibility that has been given to me, and I will, to the best of my ability, strive to deserve the first and discharge the latter creditably.

"With the aid of those who will work with me, and the co-operation of the student body, the faculty and the administration, it is my sincere hope that the Minaret's tradition of serving as an instrument to faithfully reflect the University's life, to encourage those activities that will further the welfare of the University, and to courteously but firmly point out any conditions that are not beneficial to the University.

"I am not so presumptuous as to believe that a single individual can dictate a 'policy' in an enterprise like the Minaret, which is, primarily, the possession of the student body. Therefore, any success we attain will be dependant on your co-operation and good will. Criticism and suggestions from you will serve as an indispensable guide, and co-operation with our reporters will contribute to their efficiency.

"Let's get together and make the Minaret, along with all other phases of the University, the finest yet."

Bad G. I.'s Get Cuts When They Cut

Every cut taken by a GI student is charged against his training time, advises A. N. Kay, chief of the Education and Training Unit of the Tampa office of the Veterans Administration. Although the school may allow six cuts in a three-hour course before you are penalized, each cut taken by a veteran is charged against the number of days of training that he is certified for.

The cuts may be calculated into number of days by dividing the number of hours of the day having the heaviest work load. For example, a student whose heaviest hour load is five hours for the day and has 30 cuts would be charged with six days against his training time. Holidays that are allowed by the school such as Christmas and Easter holidays are not charged, neither will the one day between this semester and the Summer term.

GI students recently signed form 7-1908, notice of change of training status, and those who are entering Summer school are advised that the

one day leave that was requested will not be charged against them. All students who did not sign form 7-1908 are advised that their names will be posted on the bulletin board and they are urged to execute the form because their subsistence payments are effected.

A VA representative will be in the building superintendent's office each Wednesday to assist you with this or any other matter that affects your training. Or you may call the Veterans Administrations office at Davis Islands, phone H-4861 and ask for the rehabilitation section and get any information needed. This office will have a representative at the university during the days of registration for the Summer session. New students can now get their certificates of eligibility at the Davis Islands office of the Veterans Administration instead of the St. Petersburg office.

A veteran accrues two and one-half days of leave a month while training, but this is also charged against his training time. This may be accumulated to exceed not more than 30 days and may be taken during any school vacation but not after graduation.

ADULT CLASSES END SEMESTER

The University's Adult Education Center, under the direction of Dr. Donald W. Robinson, ended its second semester with an enrollment of 500 students, 200 more than were enrolled during the first semester.

Although these students are day-time housewives and business men and women, most of them took their work seriously and established a record of almost 100 per cent. Only a few grades were given—to those veterans who were enrolled for credit.

Among the most successful courses was a newcomer, "Management and Personnel Problems," with John Kenney, of the U. S. Department of Labor as instructor. Experts in the field were called in for discussions at various class meetings.

Tentative plans are in the making for next semester. Many of the popular courses will be continued: Typing, speed writing, radio speech, radio writing, public speaking, plastic fabrication, everyday law, and creative writing. Three new courses are being planned: Poise and personality, home architecture, and current events.

Biology Dept. Gets Cutaway Human Skull

A dissectable human skull that can be taken apart, permitting study of the complicated intricacies of the interior of the human head is the latest acquisition of the Biology Department, Prof. Clyde T. Reed reported recently.

A gift of Dr. A. W. Woodburn, retired Michigan physician, now residing at 3411 Bayshore Blvd., the skull was obtained from an unknown European casualty of World War I. Professor Reed said. Precise dissection divides the anatomical specimen into cross-sections which are assembled by an array of hinges, springs, clasps and hooks, he explained.

The biology professor described the gift as "a valuable addition to the Biology Department in view of the fact that it completely dissects the skull, which makes it possible for use in classes of comparative and human anatomy.

An acute shortage of laboratory equipment is beginning to be corrected, he reported, saying that the department is now receiving shipments on orders placed more than a year ago. With the exception of optical equipment, especially stereoscopic microscopes, he predicted that, by September, laboratory facilities will be brought up to a standard to adequately take care of instructional needs.

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was advertised as a local bill by the University's board of trustees.

David E. Smiley, chairman of the board, sent messages to the delegation saying that the bill was drawn merely to overcome legal obstacles in the city's charter to the contribution by the city of the same amount given by the county.

Hillsborough County now contributes \$25,000 annually to the University.

Miami and Jacksonville have similar bills that provide support.

The Seminole Indians came to Florida in relatively recent years. They were preceded by the Colahatchee tribe, the pre-ice-age inhabitants.

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By MANUEL ALVEREZ

Being as this is the last column I shall write in the capacity of the president of the student body, I should like to extend my thanks to the various departments around the school that have cooperated with me in such a fine manner.

First, I should like to extend to the administration of T. U. my heartfelt thanks for cooperating with us by supplying the material things that assisted us in doing our work.

The faculty members have also been very kind in their attitude toward some very necessary cuts that the student senate members have had to take at one time or the other. I thank them for this, and numerous other things that are too many to crowd into this one column.

The student senate, the fraternities, sororities and organizations around the school deserve a great deal of praise for their wholehearted cooperation in everything of importance around the school.

Last but not least I wish to thank the student body for allowing me to be their president and for their wonderful backing and spirit.

I wish all the success in the world to my successor, Doyle Bluemle and I am sure that he will use his powers wisely and well. I am also sure that Doyle, as editor of the Moroccan, and Paul Gorman, as business manager, will continue in the fine job they have done. I am equally sure that Leonard Brown will continue to the best of his capacity the work on the Minaret that Frances Saxon, the former editor, began. With the help of Leonard Gotler, as business manager, they should begin to make money for the Minaret.

I hope that if anything ever occurs that the university should need any help from me, they will call me for aid, for I am as I have been for three and one-half years, 100 per cent for the University of Tampa.

Spartan Room To Expand

Bigger, better, and cheaper—that's what the new Spartan Room Book Store will be like when it gets set up in its new quarters out by the river front. There will be more tables and lots of room to dance; the Spartan Room will offer all the old services, plus a host of new ones.

The new building, constructed of three army buildings which have been combined into one, will be more spacious than the present Spartan Room. Facing the Park there will be a patio, large enough for more tables and lots of dancing.

The operators, J. Harry Benson and his son "Bill," say that the Spartan Room will have a soda fountain, will serve home-made sandwiches, and will undersell local drug stores in the sundry department.

Mr. Benson is assisted by J. T. Stewart, purchasing agent, Mrs. Alford, bookkeeper, and Frank Austin, laundry department; also, Mrs. Marsh, Joe Iaquinto, Tom Jobson, Joe Macalra, Ida Alvarez, Mary Lou Moore, and Norman Gallo.

Beaux Arts Ball Grosses \$150 at First Attempt

The University of Tampa held its first annual Beaux Arts Ball at the University April 10. The entire first floor of the building was decorated in a style reminiscent of the old Tampa Bay Hotel. Guests entered the building through the museum, which like the rest of the floor was decorated with growing plants.

The highlight of the evening was the reception of the guests which was held in the salarum. The receiving line was headed by Dr. and Mrs. Nance, and members of the Spanish-American War Veterans. After the reception, punch was served in the circle outside the library, and was followed by a grand march in the ballroom.

Old fashioned dance music was provided in the ballroom by the Wiltsie orchestra, while Milt Bedingfield and his orchestra furnished modern music on the front porch.

Many of the guests wore costumes in keeping with the Gay 90's theme.

The cleared proceeds of the ball, which amounted to \$150, will be divided between the co-sponsors: The Rho Nu Delta Fraternity and the Art Department. The RND's will use their share to establish a Latin-American scholarship, while the Art Department plans to buy new equipment.

Local and out-of-town guests attending the ball were:

Miss Mary Jo Glenn, Paul E. Lovern, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Jables, Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Cazin, Mr. and Mrs. Budlong, Patricia Ellen Thomas, Harry Waller, Jr., Roscoe Davis, Miss Mary Garcia, Miss Mary Jessica, Tony Ippolita, Miss Mary Leone, Marcelino Melendreras, Mr. and Mrs. Max Weinstein, Mr. and Mrs. Burton W. Talbot, Gregory A. Cleotolis, Violet J. Rodriguez, Joe C. Granda, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. King, Laura Faza, Raul Charlonier, C. C. Denny, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Legg, Charles Perez, Penny Burke, Frank Arcuso, Mary Hernandez, Frank Selph, Jr., Miss Margaret High, Mrs. E. L. Stroud, Mrs. Ella Hutchison, Miss June Anderson, Albert McNab, Mr. and Mrs. John Grimald, Miss Annie Puglisi, Miss Ida Sierra, Diego Olmungal, Martha Sierra, Angie Pellegrino, Joe Gomez, Miss Angela Nistal, Albert Nieto, Pose Diaz, Luke Reed, Miss Nancy Ellen Humes, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Stasch, George Nieto, Betty Ann McCall, Pearl Larsson, Richard W. Freshow, M. J. Bader, Mr. and Mrs. Klintworth, Miss Marguerite Royer, Tom Carlin, Miss Lillian Borrego, Stuart Faulkner, Harold Reed, Lodema Carrobo, Miss Marcella Hanley.

Kappa Sigma Kappa

Donald Britt, president of the Florida Alpha chapter of the Kappa Sigma Kappa, was reelected president for the coming year at a meeting held recently at the University of Tampa.

Other officers include: Gus Jimenez, vice president; Mike Malingoth, treasurer, and Clarence Harris, secretary.

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Ace Club

The Ace Club held its last formal meeting at the Ritenell Cafeteria last Wednesday night, May 21. It was decided that the club would be officially inactive, but those members attending Summer school would sponsor several dances in behalf of the club. Also on behalf of the club and myself, I want to thank the faculty, the student body and the Minaret staff for their co-operation in making the club a success this semester.

Sigma Theta

Formal initiation of this semester's pledges, the honoring of the three graduating members, and installation of new officers for the coming year will be the highlights of a buffet supper to be held by the Sigma Theta Phi Sorority at Miriam Chastain's house, 111 East Plymouth, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

New members of the sorority will be Madge Kleinhammer, Betty Blitch and Nancy Anderson. They will be initiated in a formal candlelight ceremony. Because of the small pledge class no outstanding pledge or scholarship pledge or scholarship award will be made. Each girl will be presented a gift by her "mother" and each "mother" will receive one from her "daughter."

The three graduating members of the sorority are Betty Jane Brownsey, Dottie Quarterman and Martha Jane Coler. These girls are to be especially honored after the buffet supper. Kathryn Wilson is in charge of arrangements for the food.

New officers for the coming year were also installed immediately after the pledges became members. New officers are Miriam Chastain, president; Mike Royer, vice president; Joan Schwab, secretary; Elena Rivero, treasurer; Nancy Taylor, Pan-Hellenic representative; Joanne Stewart, historian; Kathryn Wilson, parliamentarian; Barbara O'Berry, sergeant-at-arms.

All members of the sorority are asked to get in touch with either Barbara Hammett or Miriam Chastain in order to complete arrangements for the party.

Vets' Wives

The winning ticket at a recent raffle held by the Veterans' Wives Club was held by Mr. G. D. Keating. Mr. Keating received a roasterette as first prize, and Mrs. Shaver, who won second prize, received an electric iron.

The veterans' wives, who plan to continue holding meetings during the summer, elected new officers at their last formal meeting. The new officers are: Mrs. Robert Grimsley, president; Ray Pinch, vice president; Mrs. Paul King, secretary; Mrs. George Galecy, treasurer, and Mrs. John Brockman, public director. The next meeting of the club will be held June 5.

PROF. PARK MADE PRESIDENT OF F. C. L.

Stephen F. Park, associate professor of music theory at the University of Tampa, was elected president for the coming year at the annual meeting of the Florida Composers League at Tallahassee, Saturday, May 10, 1947. At their forum, held in conjunction with the business meeting, a two piano suite "Euterpe and Terpsichore" (the muses of music and dancing), written by Mr. Park, was played by Mr. Park and Miss Margaret Smith. Mr. Park sat as a member of a board of consultants which wrote constructive criticisms of the works of other Florida composers.

Mr. Park's "Pastorale," a quartet for flute and strings, was given its premier performance in a surprise, unscheduled performance at the forum. "Pastorale" was recently published by Composers' Press of New York City, under the sponsorship of the Friday Morning Musicales, Tampa, Fla. Musical Courier carried a review of "Pastorale" in the May 1 issue.

In the business meeting of the forum, Miss Margaret Smith was elected secretary-treasurer.

At a banquet given by the Pi Kappa Lambda, honorary music sorority of the Florida State College for Women, announcement was made that the next annual meeting of the Florida Composers League would be held at the University of Tampa in the Spring of 1948.

In the annual composition recital at the University of Tampa, Mr. Park will present his recently completed Symphony No. 1. Mr. Park has written and directed the musical production of an half-hour movie short, also.

Mr. Park was a judge of the music section of the American Association of University Women creative art contest, held at Lakeland. At Tampa, Dorothea Mallard ("Adoremus Te") and Robert C. Price won first and second prizes, respectively, for their compositions.

Mr. Park will study at the University of Michigan with Lee Patterson, of the famous duo-piano team of Maier-Patterson, this Summer; also, Mr. Park will study composition with Ross L. Finney. Both Mr. Patterson and Mr. Finney are guest professors for the Summer session of the University of Michigan.

The University of Tampa's chorus and orchestra, under the direction of Lyman Wiltse, presented a program of musical selections at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club, April 29. Mr. Wiltse, a member of the club, served as program chairman. The mixed chorus was composed of 40 voices and supported by 25 instruments. Harry Waller, Jr., bass, and William Nunn, tenor, were vocal soloists.

"Rho News"

The house mother of the women's dormitory at Florida Southern College called the revenoo'ers last Wednesday night to get the alleged drunks who were establishing a beachhead on the place. Little did the women know, until all the lights went on, that the drunks were only the Rho Nu pledges who desperately wanted some lingerie with which to cover their drawers and molasses so they could get back to Tampa. . . . How were the sandwiches, boys?

The first annual Beaux Arts Ball was a huge success. For one glorious night, this dignified (?) institution was transformed into the old Tampa Bay Hotel. All the guests arrived in formal and "gay nineties," which lent appropriate atmosphere for the occasion. Two bands provided music for the evening, one of which played waltz music. The grand march was led by Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Nance, followed by Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker, Miss Thelma Jones, Dr. Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gardner.

President Ed Gardner has invited all the members to a cocktail party to be given at his home on June 4. A banquet will be given at the Spanish Park Restaurant on Thursday night at which time the pledges will be formally initiated.

Success or failure in business is caused more by mental attitude than by mental capacity.—Walter Dill Scott.

Methodist Student Organization

The Methodist Student Organization of the University of Tampa held its Spring Retreat at Inglehurst Stables, May 17. The program which consisted of recreation, study, and worship began at noon and continued until 10 P. M. The theme, "Lift Your Standard High," was followed throughout the activities.

Seminars were conducted by Dr. R. J. Broyles, pastor of Hyde Park Methodist Church, and Dr. H. H. Waller, district superintendent of the Tampa area. Miss Maryse Dale, director of religious education at Seminole Heights Methodist Church, directed the recreational part of the program. Fletcher Anderson and Louise Dempsey were in charge of the worship services.

Local and out-of-town guests who attended were Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Baker, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Denny, Miss Irma Packard, president of the Methodist Student Movement of Florida; Jimmy Williams, state M. S. M. officer; Bob White, president of State M. Y. F.; Miss Alba Pelaez, president of Tampa Sub-district, and Miss Hilda Pelaez.

Although there have been no hostilities for many years, the United States and the Seminole Indians have never signed a treaty to end the state of war which exists between the two nations.

Beta Chi

Willard Knight was elected president of the Beta Chi Fraternity at a meeting held on Monday, May 19, at the university in which sponsors for the annual Bowery Ball, which was held last Saturday night, were also elected.

Sponsors for the ball were Miss Natalie Merriam, Miss Bobby Lacy, Miss Dot Alonzo, Miss Betty Jane Keiger, Miss Vivian Guagliardo and Miss Wynette Blackburn.

Steve Solak and his orchestra played for the Bowery Brawl which was held at the Police Pistol Range from 9 till 1 A. M. Guests were asked to dress according to the theme and prizes were awarded to the outstanding couple.

Favors for the dance were small beer mugs. Other decorations carried out fully the Bowery theme. Invitations were a typical Bowery man dragging his girl. The couple were appropriately dressed even down to the Beta Chi fraternity pin on his lapel. The cartoon was printed on green paper, and was drawn by Al Yorkunas.

Other officers of the fraternity for the coming year are as follows: David Barr, vice president; Emmett Gentry, treasurer; Charlie Moshell, secretary; pledge captain, Jack Layfield; Conn Straub, sergeant-at-arms, and Bud Williams, chaplain.

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Sports Parade

By PAUL GORMAN

The past year in sports at the University of Tampa which was the first active one since 1942 saw football revived, a varsity basketball team play a 26 game schedule and a good baseball club score one of the biggest upsets in diamond competition in the history of colleges in the state of Florida when the Spartans slaughtered the University of Florida 23-6 at Gainesville.

Paul Straub, all state fullback here in 1941, took over the coaching duties and in less than three weeks fielded a gridiron club of 38 men that shocked sports editors and fans alike. In their red and black uniforms, Tampa U. played their first post war game against MacDill Field Fliers and lost a heart breaker, 7-6. Paul Straub's boys won their next two games, beating South Georgia College in which game John Clements booted a punt that travelled 65 yards in the air to put the ball on the Georgia four yard stripe and from there Clements himself went over to give the University its first victory of the season. In the next four games, Tampa U. beat Norman Park Jr. College and lost their remaining three games to Stetson 20-0, Miami B. (?) squad 20-7 and State Teachers College at Meridian, Miss., 12-7. In three home games the Spartans drew over 12,000 fans. Along with Clements' 65 yard punt, Miranda's 60 yard run was the highlight of the season. Thanks from the students of Tampa U. for a job well done to Head Coach Paul Straub, Line Coach Bill Spranza and Assistant Coach Willard Knight.

The year 1947 saw the University field its first formal quintet since 1942. The highlight of the season was the thrilling, hair raising game at home against the Gators. With five minutes left to play, the Spartans brought the crowd of over 1500 fans to their feet, screaming and cheering for a victory for the home team when they made up a six point deficit to tie the score at 34 all. A late Gator rally tripped Miller Adams boys 47-39 which proved to be one of the best college basketball games in the state this year.

The Spartans finished with an over-all record of 10 wins and 16 defeats. Tampa U. ran up a four game winning streak and it took the state college to snap it.

Next year, let's hope that we will have a fast breaking hoop squad. It's been proven throughout the United States during the past few years, that what the fans want and do pay for is plenty of color and a fast break. The University can't help but take the play away from the high schools if they inaugurate a system that Coach Adolph Rupp of Kentucky used, to put that University on the map and it was the fast break that attracted the fans and sent them to the National Finals last year in the Garden at New York.

The Tampa U. "9", after a very slow start this season, finished strong with a 10 and 12 record against all competition.

Without a doubt, the 23-6 shellacking of the Florida Gators was the outstanding feat by the University in sports in 1947. In the game, the workhorse of the Spartan mound staff, Doug Forster, easily tamed the state college and Miranda led the attack at the plate with a home run, double and three singles. Miller Adams' nine held a five game winning streak until Stetson University bunched enough unearned runs together to snap the streak.

The Adam Hat Sports Welfare Committee selected the University of Tampa as one of the 55 colleges to receive annual Outstanding Athlete trophy. Bob Fabian, a three letterman in football, basketball and baseball received the trophy for the outstanding athlete at Tampa U. in 1947. Congratulations Bob for achieving this honor.

From the Sports Parade, congratulations: . . . to Miller K. Adams, Director of Physical Education, for a well organized intramural program in which 50 per cent of the student body participated . . . to Homer Woodruff for copping the tennis singles title by beating Emmet Gentry 6-0, 6-3 . . . to Al Fecteau for copping the Spartan batting crown with a neat .400 average . . . to Doug Forster, John Williams and Bob Grimsley for making the all-state "9" . . . to Johnny Dekle for breaking the under-water swim record by going 75 yards and also to Frank Wright and Bob Schumann for setting new records in the 50 yard dash and 50 yard breast stroke respectively . . . to Elizabeth Robinson for winning the singles ping pong tournament . . . to Lopacinski for a job well done as manager of the baseball team. We need more hard working students like you in extra curricular activities . . . to some fine showmen whose hard work for many weeks made Funzalafun a great success for the endowment raising \$1,001—Tony Garcia, Bob Williams, Frank Comparetta, Jimmy Phillips, and Tony Dorio . . . lastly to all the athletes and coaches in major and intramural sports for a fine showing in this, the first big year in sports since 1942.

GORMAN'S GROPINGS

The University of Tampa will have a football team playing good ball in 1947! . . . "Salty" Burns, former Spartan athlete received a bonus from the Philadelphia Phillies for the exceptional play he has shown in a southern league. Salty, a first rate end in football, will be back in school this September.

1947 TEAM BASEBALL RECORD	TAMPA U.	OPPONENTS
Tampa U.	8	Bay Pines
Tampa U.	4	Fla. Southern
Tampa U.	6	Rollins
Tampa U.	5	Rollins
Tampa U.	16	Fla. Southern
Tampa U.	7	Fla. Southern
Tampa U.	7	Fla. Southern
Tampa U.	3	Florida
Tampa U.	23	Florida
Tampa U.	6	MacDill Field
Tampa U.	7	MacDill Field
Tampa U.	8	MacDill Field
Tampa U.	5	MacDill Field
Tampa U.	7	Stetson
Tampa U.	1	Miami
Tampa U.	2	Miami
Tampa U.	25	MacDill Field

*Denotes game won.
-Biggest score ever made by a University of Tampa team.

INTRAMURAL TITLES

Football	Beta Chi
Basketball	Beta Chi
Tennis	Sigma Kappa Nu
Golf	Sigma Kappa Nu
Track	Beta Chi
Table Tennis	Beta Chi
Volleyball	Sigma Kappa Nu
Swimming	Sigma Kappa Nu

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Outstanding Athlete 1947



Robert Fabian, University of Tampa freshman received the Adam Hat Sports Welfare Trophy for being the outstanding athlete in 1947. Fabian, a three letterman, played lefthalf on the football team, captained the basketball team and pitched and played the outfield in baseball.

BASEBALL

STANDINGS OF THE TEAMS

Florida Colleges	W	L	Pct.
Miami	11	2	.847
Rollins	14	5	.737
Florida	7	5	.583
TAMPA	3	9	.357
Florida Southern	3	12	.200
Stetson	2	9	.181

Standings include games played through May 23, 1947.

1947 BATTING AVERAGES

	G	AB	R	H	RBI	Pct.
Leinhausen	2	2	1	0	0	.500
Tipping	10	24	7	11	6	.458
Fecteau	20	65	15	26	15	.400
Law	9	18	5	6	3	.333
Forster	17	56	12	18	11	.321
Fabian	13	28	5	9	3	.321
Williams	17	69	10	22	9	.319
Oleson	10	19	3	6	3	.316
Grimsley	18	65	17	19	13	.292
Miranda	20	59	11	16	16	.271
Scott	20	70	15	16	11	.228
Bisette	13	24	4	5	3	.209
Rosenbaum	20	65	14	13	16	.200
Gniadowski	14	51	9	9	3	.176
Ippolito	20	74	11	11	13	.148
Szaro	1	0	0	0	0	.000

Team average, .280.
*University of Tampa batting champion.
-Outstanding athlete for 1947.
-Named on Florida all-college team.
Batting averages include games played through May 23, 1947.

PITCHING RECORD

	W	L	Pct.
Fabian	4	1	.800
Forster	6	7	.461
Drew	0	1	.000
Leinhausen	0	1	.000
Szaro	0	0	.000

Home runs: Miranda, 3; Rosenbaum, 2.
Triples: Williams, 2; Grimsley, Scott, Gniadowski.
Doubles: Grimsley, Scott, 3; Miranda, Bisette, Forster, Fecteau, 2; Gniadowski, Fabian.

SKN Aquatic Champ

At the Davis Islands swimming pool last Friday, the Sigma Kappa Nu frat won the Tampa U. ninth annual swim meet which was the most thrilling one in the history of the university.

New marks were set by John Dekle who swam 75 yards under water, Frank Wright in the 50-yard dash and Bob Schumann in the 50-yard breast stroke.

Frat Intramural Playoff Today

This afternoon at Plant Field, the winner of the University of Tampa intramural all-sports title for 1947 will be decided. The Sigma Kappa Nu Fraternity is just three points ahead of Beta Chi in the team standings. Both teams have won four intramural championships. Both fraternities will place their respective teams on the field for a softball game and the winner is automatically 1947 intramural champion. If the SKN's win it, it will be their first intramural title in about eight years.

All you local sports fans should come on out this afternoon and see some action packed softball with Beta Chi and Sigma Kappa Nu fighting for the honors.

KSK Raps "DDT" 8-2; Garcia Stars

The Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity easily defeated "DDT" (Dorio's Destroyer Team) 8-2 behind the superb pitching of White and the slugging of Tony Garcia who knocked out a home-run and a triple to drive in half of KSK's runs. White struck out 10 DDT's as did Echevarria for the losers. No surprise was the fact that Garcia was the only KSK who didn't go down swinging. Tampa U.'s only national fraternity now has a record of 4 wins and no losses and one tie which will be played off with the SKN's.

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