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Commencement Shorter to Suit Trend of Times

ALUMNI TO BE SPEAKERS

In keeping with the general complexity of travel and the tendency to strip to essentials, Freed-Hardeman is "streamlining" its commencement program this year. Furthermore, a new feature occurs in the choice of recent alumni as visiting speakers. The principal changes in time are the omission of Alumni Day, usually on Wednesday of the "Big Week," the omission of the annual play, having the last chapel exercise on Tuesday evening and graduation exercises on Wednesday morning instead of the traditional "Thursday at ten."

The program for the closing days is as follows: On Friday evening Miss Caldwell presented her music department in final recital. On Sunday afternoon, May 21, the annual garden-party occurred in the College rose-garden. Everybody in school and all visitors were invited, but the special honor was to the Seniors. Outstanding graduates joined with Mrs. Hamilton in the receiving line in Paul Gray Hall. Musical selections were rendered throughout the party hours from five till seven and refreshments were served in a rose-covered nook on the garden.

At eight on Sunday evening Brother Frank Van Dyke, now of Jackson, Tenn., and Valedictorian of the class of 1937, delivered the traditional Commencement sermon in the College auditorium. Graduates marched in cap and gown. Monday and Tuesday are devoted to final examinations. Tuesday evening at eight will see one of the most pleasant and yet saddest meetings of the year—the last chapel exercise. Each of the four literary societies will give a short section of a musical program, to be followed by informal talks by any one who wishes to speak.

"Decide and Persevere" is the (Continued on page 3)

WIT SPIES "RARA AVIS"

In the March issue of "The Migrant", official publication of the Tennessee Bird-Lovers' Club, Bro. Robert Witt had an article on "European Widgeons in West Tennessee". He states that he observed these rare birds while on a field trip to Chickasaw State Park, first on Feb. 21, and again a week later. The editor of the publication noted: "This is the first record that has been reported for Tennessee of this species." Bro. Witt is a close student of natural history, especially ornithological, and has stores of very entertaining material about his feathered neighbors.

Love in Maytime Features Banquet

JUNIORS FETE SENIORS IN TRADITIONAL PARTY

Monday night, May 8th, the Junior class honored the Seniors with a banquet in the cafeteria. The traditional Junior-Senior banquet is the outstanding event of the entire year. At this time the boys wear their "Sunday-best" and the girls are very lovely in their formals, wearing the flowers that are later pressed in a book to remain forever a memory of the best evening of the year.

The cafeteria was transformed into a vision of fairyland with roses climbing the columns; the lights, covered with lavender crepe paper, cast a pleasing shade over the room. The centerpiece on each table was a miniature May-Pole, with glistening ribbons attached to menu booklets containing the program. The menu consisted of: Grapefruit Cocktail, Fried Ham, Parsley Potatoes, Green Beans, Glazed Carrots, Congealed Salad, Rolls, Tea, and Lemon Pie.

Dean Roland expressed thanks at the beginning and immediately ah's rose as the eating began. Don Taylor, president of the Junior Class, welcomed the Seniors and expressed gratitude to those who had made the banquet possible. A hearty "thank-you" was voiced for the Senior Class by Bill Nicks, the president of the class. Following the first course an all-girl chorus sang "springtime;" Dusky Broadus and H. A. Fincher followed soon after, singing "Sweethearts". A trio composed of Norma J. Smith, Jean E. Anderson, and Ettie Spears sang "Your'se In Love".

The speaker of the occasion was Joe H. Foy, followed by a musical reading of "That Old Sweetheart of Mine" by Bill Thompson. The closing number was "I'll See You Again" by Joanna McClellan and Pat Hardeman. Accompanists were Jean L. Anderson, and Miriam Leeper.

ALUMNI DOINGS

Mac Terry Has Narrow Escape

Three alumni feature in two weddings of early May. They are James Finney '42 and Mary Louise Larkins '42, who were married May 2 at her home in Dickson and went to Philadelphia to make their home. On May 7, Bonna Tarpley, Co-editor of the Sky-Rocket in '38-'39 and valedictorian '39, was married at her home in Henderson to Chief Petty Officer T. C. Jones, of the Navy, recently returned from Hawaii. Bonna has been Chief Clerk of the Chester County Selective Service Board since 1941.

Gilbert Harris '34 has been missing in action since April 5, according to (Continued on page 4)

COMMENCEMENT

May 19-24, 1944

Music Recital	Friday, May 19
Spring Outing	Saturday, May 20
Garden Party	Sunday, May 21
Baccalaureate Sermon, Frank VanDyke	Sunday May 21
Farewell Chapel	Tuesday, May 23
Graduation	
Address by Charles Houser	Wednesday, May 24

MUSICIANS PRESENT FINAL PROGRAM

Friday evening, May 19, brought the final performance of the music students of Miss Rubye Caldwell, who presented the following program:

Duo--Airy Fairies--Spaulding
Glenna Moffett, Regina Woods
Solo--Dreams of Yesterday--Eckstein
Doris Dean Barton
Duet--Kutie Kids--Roat
Regina Woods, Glenna Moffett
Solo--Chop Sticks--DeZulli
Nick Powers
Duet--Flowers of the Forest
Carmen F. Deming, Nitzzi Moffet
Solo--Country Boy
Nick Powers
Trio--Madrilena--Wachs
Piano I Peggy Stewart
Piano II Patsy Stewart, Barbara Finley
Chorus--Maytime--A. Wooler
Ettie Spears, Joanna McClellan, Willene Henry, Dusky Broadus, Irene Gibson, Norma June Smith, Wilma Broadus, Mary N. Harper
Solo--Sea Gardens--Cooke
Bessie Lee Williams
Quartet--Rosetta--Bahm
Piano I Wilma Broadus, Mary N. Harper
Piano II Delores Tatum, Miriam Leeper
Solo--Fantaisie Concertante
Joe H. Foy
Duet--Sing Me to Sleep
Dusky Broadus, Norma June Smith
Solo--Egeria--Kroeger
Joanne Powers
Octet--I'll Forget You
Willene Henry, Joanna McClellan, Ettie Spears, Norma June Smith, Joe Foy, Everett Sauter, Pat Hardeman, John Scott

Solo--Rondo Capriccioso
Jean Anderson
Duet--At Dawning--Cadman
Joanna McClellan, John Scott
Duo--Danse Macabre--Saint Saens
Piano I Miriam Leeper
Piano II Mary Nelle Harper

TREASURE CHEST IS OPENED

Chapel on the morning of April 26, saw a thrilling and unusual event--the 1944 volume of the College Annual was formally introduced and presented to the school. Paul Rotenberry and Mary (Continued on page 3)

HOMEMAKERS CLUB IN STYLE SHOW

One of the first events of its kind in F. H. C. was the fashion show presented by the Homemakers' Club in chapel on April 29. The program exemplified clothing for various occasions and the outstanding point was that dresses shown were made by the students in the club and in the clothing construction class.

With appropriate music accompanying, clothes suitable for school, street wear, luncheon, teas, dinner, and evening events were shown. Miriam Leeper was the accompanist.

On the following Thursday, May 4, the club repeated the show for the Pentagon Club at the home of Mrs. Powers. Mary Joyce Forrester and Corinne Brothers announced the program, which was presented under the title, "A Day of Fashion."

The first section showed clothing for breakfast, and morning sports wear.

This was followed by fashions suitable for street, shopping, and luncheon. For the afternoon hours, styles convenient and pretty for lounging, as well as clothes for teas and club, were shown. The short dinner dress, which is becoming increasingly popular, was featured next.

A wedding scene climaxed the show. All participants were dressed in evening clothes, which presented almost a rainbow of colors.

Music was furnished throughout the show by Mrs. C. M. Foy. Willene Henry and Joanna McClellan sang during the last feature.

Another outstanding event in the club year was a tea honoring the Chester County High Home Ec Club. In the receiving line at the Girls Home were: Miss Martha Rast, High School Home Economics teacher; Corinne Brothers, president of our club; Mrs. Wilson, Matron of the Girls' Home, and Miss Gertrude Bond, the Chester County Home Demonstration Agent. Guests were then ushered into the Home Economics department for refreshments. Roses were used in decorating the rooms.

TRACK MEET

An inter-society athletic contest of high interest was the track meet held on the afternoons of May 16-17. Eleven events were (Continued on page 4)

Seniors of 1944 Graduate May 24

Graduating day is Wednesday this year, in the college auditorium at ten A. M. The program is as follows:

March-----Mrs. C. M. Foy
Invocation-----
Salutatory "Camouflage" James Falkner
Solo "I've Done My Work"--Bond Joe H. Foy.
Class History-----Earle West
Quartet "My Heart is a Haven"--Steinel Willene Henry
John Scott, Pat Hardeman, Everett Sauter
Valedictory "The New War World" Nell Jones
Alma Mater-----Class
Awarding of Diplomas-----Dean C. P. Roland
Class Address-----Charles Houser, Jr.
Benediction-----

SPRING OUTING ON SATURDAY

The final all-school outing of the year took place on Saturday, May 20, in the form of ball games and al fresco supper on our athletic field. The picnic was planned for Chickasaw Park, and transportation and food had already been provided, but the Park superintendent closed it temporary because of breakdown of water supply.

The picnic feeling was emphasized by the dismissal of classes after the first afternoon period, by the enthusiastic games; the general air of "school's out," and the abundant and delightful outdoor meal.

On Tuesday, May 16, the Senior Class had its customary sunrise breakfast. The sun was not even up when the group started the hike out to the Hardeman Grove, but by the time the bacon was broiled, the eggs scrambled, and the coffee fragrant, it rose in splendor on the jolly crowd celebrating the state of being Seniors.

DON C. HAMILTON APPOINTED ENSIGN

Don C. Hamilton, son of Mrs. Ruth Hamilton, alumnus of 1935, husband of Mildred (Tate) Hamilton, '36, and father of young Carolyn, has recently received his commission as ensign in the U. S. Navy and will report for duty soon. For the past year or two, he has been a salesman for United Drug Co., with headquarters in Lexington, Ky. This commission, plus the recent induction of Joe H. Foy to the Naval Reserves, and the imminent departure of John Hall, brings the total of faculty "children" in the armed service to eleven.

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A SIGN OF THE TIMES

Last week, in California, a young man went to his induction center. That is not unusual—not by several million times. But that young man's departure particularly touched the heartstrings of Freed-Hardeman, where he is not a student, has never been a student, but plans to be a student, if Providence sees him safe through the perils of war.

For several years, he has planned and purposed to come to F. H. C., to study particularly "all the Bible, Greek and history I can get. I am coming to learn not to seek after titles. Hindered from making this year by a series of legal negotiations with his father, he spent his time and capital in building a fine library of books for the minister of the gospel.

Just a few weeks back, he submitted an agreement to the College to make monthly payments to F. H. C. out of his Army pay to be used for a "complete two-year stay" when "Uncle Sam is through with me." Of course the plan was willingly accepted by the College management, and everybody who knows about it is hoping and praying that that young man may come into realization of his cherished plans. "So if I could have two years paid up instead of squandering my money while in the service, I could be assured of at least two years work in college."

The most touching feature of the matter is the alternative he proposed: "If killed, all the funds I would have sent you would become available to you to either improve the College or help some student out." "My library will also be made out to you in the will." "After turning the majority of the money by hard labor, they (the books) take on a deeper value. Swing a pick and shovel for eight hours a day and you think twice before turning loose of your earnings. I wish to place them where their value would be appreciated and their use insured. I can think of no better place than Freed-Hardeman to fulfill these qualifications."

Sad times when youth must plan as though it were bowed with grief. We pray for the early ending of the world conflict and such an

AND THANK YOU, BESIDES

This month sees the close of the session of 1943-44, which has been eventful and memorable indeed. How little did we, as students during wartime, realize the blessings that were in store for us as the session began in September. With war affecting the routine of life the world over, those who have attended F. H. C. this year have been fortunate indeed to be sheltered from so much that people in other places have had to undergo. The privilege of being able to go about our daily routine of studies in something which many long to enjoy. Letters from both alumni and prospective students testify amply to the desire of others to enjoy such blessings as the students of this year have had.

To those who have made possible the session of 1943-44, as well as others, let us say from the depths of our hearts, "Thank You."

The weapon most dangerous to a fool is his own tongue.

If bunk were electricity, some salemen would be powerhouses.

Do your best in the present and the future will take care of itself. As the world grows more civilized we keep on improving.

PREACHER PARAGRAPHS

As the school year approaches its conclusion, the preachers of F. H. C. prepare to go forward in the work awaiting them. Most of them have made definite arrangements for the summer and anticipate a busy season. The following is a list of preachers, with information as to the work they have planned:

Paul Brock, Adairsville, Ga., with four meetings; Charles C. Holt, meetings in North Ark.; Bill Murray, Bethel, Kan.; C. M. Allen, preaching in vicinity of Dyer, Tenn., and work in shoe factory; Emmett Mullins, vicinity of Birmingham, Ala.; William Thompson, five months mission work for church in Wewoka, Okla.; John Renshaw, vicinity of Kingsport, Tenn., mission work for Chapel Avenue church in Nashville; Roscoe Swindler, St. Albans, W. Va.; Bill Seaman, Pepperdine college; Eugene Sofford, Central Church in Shawnee, Okla.; Joe Foy, U. S. Navy; Quentin McCay, Walnut St., Gadsden, Ala.; Neal Penny, Detroit, Mich.; Paul Rotenberry, Anacostia Church, Washington, D. C.; Edward Wolven, vicinity of Indianapolis; Bob Darnall, Wewoka, Okla.; Garvin Smith, Biloxi, Miss.; Orbra Johns, Norwood, Ohio; H. A. Fincher, Clements St. Church, Paducah, Ky., with daily radio program for part of summer; Delton Haun, near Catawba, W. Va.; with two meetings and entrance in Pepperdine College in September; A. L. Altizer, near Henderson until July 15, and in Va. until

September 1; Glenn E. Hargett, Abilene College; Joe Allen Wilson, England, Ark.; W. R. Jones, East Texas; Bert Brown, Cincinnati, Ohio, with mission work and a meeting; Arthur White, filling Bro. Folwell's appointments; Billy Hammontree, mission meeting near Dalton, Ga.; James Wilson, communities near San Antonio, Elmo Hazelwood, Jupiter N. C.; E. L. Freeland, Greenfield, Tenn., two Sundays each month, and other times at two rural congregations; Lowell Clark, work at Florence, Ala., preaching on Sundays and in meetings; George P. Estes, Metropolis, Ill., with meetings in Illinois Alabama and Kentucky; Owen Freeman, Jackson, Miss., until August, with singing for meetings in Ala. and Tenn.; Frank Farris, Jr., Eldridge, Ala.; James Brasher, Smithland, Ky., and Dover, Tenn.; Wm. Richardson, Jr., meetings in Mo., during June, followed by preaching at The Dalles, Ore., with a daily radio program; Hilton Summers, vicinity of San Antonio; H. F. Sharp, meetings in Ark.; J. C. Townsend, Moulton, Ala.; Robert C. Ewell, Canadian, Texas; Clinton D. Hamilton, appointments until July 16, then meetings in Miss., Union University; Don Taylor, Ohio and W. Va.

At the meeting of May 12, the following officers were elected to serve during the first six weeks of the next school year: President, H. F. Sharp; Vice-president, J. C. Townsend; Sergeant-at-arms, Ward Hogland.

SCIENCE CLUB

At the meeting of the Science Club on April 20, biographical sketches of famous scientists were given. Benny Morton told of the inventor of the microscope. Bob Watson sketched the life of Thomas Hunt, and George Estes, of Thomas Edison.

On the night of May 4, Joe Foy led a discussion on "Jet-Propelled Planes" and Earle West gave a talk on the history of medicine.

SCIENCE CLUB WIENER ROAST

The members of the Science Club gathered late Friday, May 5, outside the Science Building where they walked to Hardeman's Grove. After roasting-sticks were cut and a fire begun, wieners were roasted and mounted in appropriate setting of mustard, coleslaw and buns. After the group had enjoyed delicious hot-dogs and cookies, games were played and as the fire burned low the couples began their walk home (in no particularly scientific mood).

ALPHA TAU

The Alpha Taus' last chapel program, April 27, was put "on the air" as the "first broadcast" to be presented from the Freed-

Hardeman chapel hall. The center of attraction was Lester Littlebrain and his versatile stooge, John Scott. As other attractions, our "Frankie" Fincher sang, "Besame Mucho." A piano selection, "Tea for Two," was rendered by Bill Seaman, and another, "Manhattan Serenade," by Miriam Leeper. The radio operators, Jack See and Don Taylor, were very "efficient." The audience was very cooperative in its applause, and if we had really been on the air the radio audience would have thought we were professional.

A. C. E.

The A. C. E. club presented a chapel program May 6, the theme of which was "Child Training." Mary Joyce Forrester, president of the club was mistress of ceremonies. The primary department furnished a portion of the program, which was most entertaining. With Dora Boone leading, the club gave the reading, "A Child Went Forth." "The Children's Hour" was read by Bonnie Hatter, a humorous reading was given by Ettie Spears; and another reading about children was given by Doc Jean Kesler. Plans are now being made for the annual spring party to be given at the home of Mrs. Foy the last Saturday night of this school year.

PHILOMATHEAN

The Philomathean officers were elected for the last six-weeks as follows:

President, Charles Plum; 1st. vice-president, Bonnie Hatter; 2nd. vice-president, Joanna McClellan; Secretary, Arcilla Jordan, sergeant-at-arms, Hubert Showalter; reporter, Myrna Chapman.

On May 11, the Philos presented a chapel program consisting of the "Life of a Boy as Told in Song." Bill Thompson introduced the program by giving a brief history of music. "A Journey Through Life With Music," was read by Corinne Brothers, with the Girls' Chorus furnishing the songs. Frances Green and Everett Sauter sang a duet, "School Days."

SIGMA RHO

The subject of a recent program was "What Success Should Mean." The physical, mental, moral and spiritual phases were amplified and discussed by Earl West, Delton Haun, W. R. Jones and Paul Brock, respectively.

Our last chapel program was a humorous but beneficial playette, "He Got the Job." Its theme, based on the value of proper English in contrast to slang, was vividly portrayed.

The Sigma Rhos chose as their officers for the last six-weeks of the year: Paul Brock, president; Marshall Conner, vice-president; Glenn Hargett, second vice-president; Stella Haun, secretary; Irene Gibson, reporter; and Winston Burton, sergeant-at-arms.

PHI KAPPA ALPHA

The last chapel program of the Phi Kappa Alphas for the year was presented in late April, with Bert Brown serving as narrator. Each scene represented a stage of life and was illustrated by a song. The scenes varied from the barefooted boy, fishing, to an old couple near the close of their lives.

The officers elected to serve the last six weeks were: J. C. Townsend, president; Hilton Summers, first vice-president; Norma June Smith, second vice-president; Bonnie Hensley, secretary; and Jimmie Powell, sergeant-at-arms.

NEW BOARD MEMBER DINES F. H. C. GROUP

Friday evening, April 21, Brother R. O. Downey of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., newly-elected member of the Board of Trustees of Freed-Hardeman, gave a dinner there for Freed-Hardeman alumni and prospective students. School representatives were Bro. Folwell, Mrs. Finally, Christeva Moody, Jean Baker, Willene Henry, and John Scott.

The following program was carried out:

Welcome - B. G. Hope, Master of Ceremonies; vocal solo, One fleeting Hour - Willene Henry, accompanied by John Scott, flautist; addresses by Bro. Folwell and Mrs. Finley; John Scott with his puppet, Lester Littlebrain; poem by Chris Moody; talk - Jean Baker; and "Gungha Din" by John Scott.

SPORT SLANTS

By "SHORTY" WATSON

The sports picture of F. H. C. for this year is just about complete, with all competition nearly to a close. Many exciting events have occurred in the realms of softball, football and basketball, volley, tennis, and track. Track and softball have kept the various societies busy till the last minute. At the present the Sigma Rhos and the Phi Kappas are in a tie for first place in softball.

In tennis Bill Nicks and Foy, having won all their other matches, are in the finals of the tennis tournament. Interesting matches were played in each class of this tournament.

Looking back over the nine months we find that the Phi Kappas won out in the fall softball contests. They followed this up by winning the basketball as well as volley-ball championships. In touch football a three-way tie occurred with no outstanding team.

Interest in sports has been high this year with the girls taking part as well as the boys. Under Bro. Witt's guidance everyone has found an interest in some field of athletics.

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English student: "Why not make it a 100 and give yourself a real thrill?"

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TREASURE CHEST

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Joyce Forrester, co-editors, made the general announcements, and sent business managers Clinton Hamilton and J. C. Townsend into the audience to bring to the stage those featured in the annual. First of these was Mrs. Chloe Finley, to whom the '44 "Chest" is dedicated. Willene Henry, features editor, sent to the audience for "most popular" H. A. Fincher and Mary Joyce Forrester; for "representative" Paul Rotenberry and Miriam Leeper; for "most handsome" and "most beautiful" Robert Darnall and Myra Chapman; also for "campus beauties" Joanna McClellan, Jean Wylie, Janet Whitehurst, Lu Evelyn Patton, and Willene Henry; Roy Hearn introduced his "Akin section"; Paul Hall and Bonnie Jean Hensley were presented as "most athletic"; Dot Jean Mauldin and Jean Baker were given credit for the splendid snapshots pages; James Falkner, for the cartoons and drawings of Brother and Sister Aikin; Ettie Spears, for the humor, and Billy Goss, for management of the organization section.

COMMENCEMENT SHORTENED

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subject chosen by Brother Charles Houser Jr. of Paducah, Ky., for his message to the graduates on Wednesday morning at ten, when the last assembly of the year takes place. Brother Houser was at F. H. C. 1936-38 and is one of our most able and valued alumni, president of one of our alumni groups.

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BRICKBATS

By JOE FOY

Notes on the banquet:

How did that extra verse (or worse?) creep in? "That Old Sweetheart of Mine"? And what was that noise I heard - James Whitcomb Riley turning over in his grave?

Seems like Don Taylor found something he liked at the banquet. He and Miriam have been hitting it off steady ever since. More power to you, Don.

I do wish everyone could have been as happy as cousin Pat. Or at least, as happy as he looked.

"Bernece" Sanders was all decked out for an Arkansas gal. Not bad, in fact not half bad.

I prescribe a bell for the chairman next time in order to gain the guests' attention. That ahem-ing committee just didn't work.

Clinton Hamilton, was that your 41st or 42d? I've lost count. And why didn't you want your name in my column? Most people consider it a privilege to be immortalized upon these hallowed pages.

It's always nice to have kinfolks serving. That extra piece of pie was swell - I guess - Willie got it.

Enough about the banquet!

To the annual staff: I do not go to sleep in Greek class. (I look that way all the time!)

Let me tell you, that Frances Green is smart in American History. She can read the answers better than anybody I ever saw. Doesn't take her long to find them either.

By the way, I thought Abie didn't like her. (?)

Little unanswered questions:

Why does Reel always have such a guilty look when he comes back from the drug store on Sunday nights with a girl?

Does Bill Hammontree always work that fast on the first date?

Does Jean Wylie really like to go away and hear preaching? Or did she go to Memphis for another reason?

Writing about the 1936 presidential election (Roosevelt won),

Schlesinger's American History text said of Alfred M. Landon, former governor of Kansas, that he was a colorless character.

1. Landon was colorless.

2. The absence of color is black.

3. Therefore Landon was black.

And he was governor of Kansas!

Lester Lit'ebrian advises us that every man should love his native land, whether he was born there or not.

Someone said that J. C. Noblett looks almost exactly like John J. Anthony, the Solomon of radio's Good Will Hour. Seems that we have a raft of celebrities this year, what with Gardner Chamberlain favoring Rudy Vallee and all.

One old hound to another: George, you got a dirty deal in the coon dog trials. I'll bet the judges were bribed!

Owen Freeman likes Mississippi mud so well that he's going to Jackson for the summer. Second-year students will remember a Mississippi mudcat (Reba Sheila) who possibly has something to do with that.

Mary Lou and Brashier - fff!

(What, again?)

Barker and Rotenberry - wow!

Joanna and Pat - hmmm, could be!

This is the end. It's been a real kick throwing Brickbats all year. Here's hoping your ex-gossip man gets no kicks or brickbats of the other variety. OUCH!

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ing to a message from the War Department to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Harris, of Selmer, Tenn. He has been in the Aviation Corps two years, in England 18 months, and a navigator for 6 months. He has a wife and 15-months old child.

Robert Meyers '43 has recently landed in England. Gilbert Thompson '34 sailed for the Pacific War Zone late in 1943 and saw action in the Marshalls invasion. Harry Kirk '43 is H. A. 1-c, now in England. Morrel Hatcher '39 is a Sea-

man, second class, in Personnel and Transfer, now stationed at the N. T. S., Farragut, Idaho. Jack Johnson '37 has recently been on furlough in Henderson after service in the Pacific theater.

Mac Terry '36 recently participated in one of the thrilling incidents of the war, according to Associated Press. He was in command of his B-17. "The Wizard of Oz", when it ran into considerable opposition. His plane's right wing was torn away, three of its tanks shot up and other damage done, but it fulfilled its mission, the bombing of an airplane plant and field in Germany, and managed to get back to England. A piece of flak pierced the "Wizard" and

drove a piece of aluminum through Mac's goggles which were in a sack under his seat.

Norman Vaughan '39 has moved from Tuckerman, Ark., to Tompkinsville, Ky., where he is located with the congregation.

TRACK MEET

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scheduled as follows: 220 yard run; pole vault; 880 yard run; shot put; 100-yard dash (qualifying); broad jump; 440-yard run; mile run; high jump; 100-yard dash and relay.

The final standings of the societies were as follows:

Alpha Tau 28 points; Sigma Rho and Phi Kappa 21 points each; Philomathean 20 points.

Winners of individual events were; 220-yard run, Joe Foy, Philomathean; pole vault, Paul Rotenberry, Alpha Tau; 880-yard run, Glenn Hargett, Alpha Tau; shot put, John Renshaw, Sigma Rho; broad jump, Paul Hall, Phi Kappa; 440-yard dash Joe Foy; mile run, John Scott, high jump, Bill Hammontree; 100-yard dash, Joe Foy; Relay, Phi Kappa Alpha.

IN AND OUT

Pvt. Wallace Foy and Pvt. Paul J. Waller, stationed at Springfield, Missouri, were campus visitors Sunday, April 30.

Kathleen Johnson and Demetria Hopper spent the week-end of April 21 visiting Dot Jean Kesler and Nita Mitchell at their homes in Memphis.

Lillie Mae Taylor spent the week-end of April 21 with Martha Stanford at Martha's home in Ripley, Miss.

Alma Foster, Lowell Clark, Glenn Hargett, and Owen Freeman spent the week-end of May 6 at their homes in Alabama.

Lu Evelyn Patten and Dusky Breadus went to Brookhaven, Mississippi, for the week-end of April 21 as guests of Lu Evelyn's grandmother, Mrs. M. W. May.

Bill Hammontree spent the week-end of April 28 at his home in Chattanooga, while Orbra Johns drove to Alamo, to spend the week-end at Francine Cooke's home.

June Powers was the guest of Evelyn Goodrum at Evelyn's home in Huntingdon, the week-end of May 6.

Floy Poston and Louise Garrett journeyed to Maury City, May 12, to attend the Commencement Exercises there.

Paul Rotenberry and Gaynell Barker spent the week-end of April 28 visiting in Gaynell's home at Nauvoo, Alabama.

Charles M. Davidson of Finger, Tennessee, was the guest of Doris June Hardin, Sunday, May 7.

John Scott, Willene Henry, Chris Moody, Jean Baker, and W. O. Folwell attended the banquet in Lawrenceburg on April 21.

Bro. E. R. Harper of Little Rock spent the day of April 20 visiting here.

Jewel Wilson '43 of Anniston, Alabama, arrived the week-end of May 6 to be here for the banquet on Monday, May 8, and to visit her mother.

Reba Hart, Arcilla Jordan, and Bonnie Hatter spent the week-end of May 13 in Florence, Alabama, visiting friends.

Bro. Jim Cope, who has been holding a meeting in Jackson, was a campus visitor several times during the week of May 8, and was guest speaker in chapel May 12.

Maxine Kennedy and Doris June Hardin spent the week-end of April 29 visiting Maxine Wharton in Finger, Tennessee.

Eileen "Mot" Meyers '43 of Okmulgee, Oklahoma, spent the week-end of May 12 visiting old school friends here.

Aletta Burton '43 of Paragould, Arkansas, arrived April 15, to spend the last six weeks of school here.

Mary Lou Freeman, Jo Forester, Frances Jarrett, Bertelyn Cagle, Nancy Coplin, Sue Nash, Corinne Brothers, and Dona Tiggrett spent the week-end of May 6 at their respective homes.

Joanna McClellan spent the week-end of April 21 at her home in Lepanto, Arkansas, while Becky Park spent the same week-end visiting relatives in Little Rock.

Frances Hope, Fred Pollock, '43, and Martha Ann Pollock of Lawrenceburg, visited here the week-end of April 29.

Mrs. W. O. Folwell, left Thursday May 4 for West Virginia, where she combined a business trip with a visit with relatives.

SM. 3-c Malcolm Keightley, guest of La Vera Mitchell, spent the week-end of April 21.

Mary Ann Neece and Beasley were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen in Kenton, Tenn. 13.

Bro. and Sister Charles Houser, of Fulton, Kentucky, and Misses Rachel and June Hawks, Dorothy Roby, and Margaret Gardner were campus visitors on May 12. Brother Houser is an alumnus of '38.

Brother W. B. West of Pepperdine College, was on the campus May 16, interviewing our Senior pupils.

Brother and Sister J. C. Gardner and Margaret of Mathiston, Miss., and Junior Bruce, of Eupora, Miss., were campus visitors April 23.

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