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Tentative Plans Have Been Made For Intramural Speech Tourney At FHC

Faculty Recital Is Presented At FHC By Mary Gardner

Freed-Hardeman College presented Mary Elliott Gardner, pianist, in a faculty recital on Thursday, January 31, at 7:30 p.m. in the college auditorium.

Mrs. Gardner was appointed to the faculty at the first of the year succeeding Miss Clarice Cummins, who resigned due to ill health. Mrs. Gardner received her B.A. and B.M. degrees from Drury College in Springfield, Missouri. She later studied one and a half years at Julliard School of Music under Sascha Gorodnitzki (concert artist). She is a candidate for the M.M. degree at Peabody College in Nashville next summer.

Mrs. Gardner presented the following program: Preambulum to the 5th Partita by Bach; Sonata in C, K. 330 by Mozart; Impromptu, Op. 142, No. 1 by Schubert; The Nightingale by Alabieff-Liszt; Cuba, Caprice Creole by Albeniz; Etude, Op. 8, No. 5 by Scriabine; and Etude forme de Vake by St. Saens.

Winter And Spring Officers Elected By Science Club

Officers were elected at the first meeting of the Science Club, January 11, in the Biology department.

Gerald Romine was elected president, Terry Gregory, vice-president, Dot Thames, secretary-treasurer, and Betty Walker, reporter.

Members for the Winter Quarter are: Bill Davenport, Ray Dunn, Rex Enoch, Terry Gregory, Carl Hansen, Larry Hinman, Tommy James, Larry Sims, Jerry Smelser, Thomas Stovall, August Ruff, Don Taylor, Dot Thames, Betty Walker, Nelson Warren, Bobby Thompson, Don Martin, Gerald Romine, and Henry Herrin.

Officers for the Spring quarter were elected February 5. They are: Tommy James, president; Thomas Stovall, vice-president; and Betty Walker, secretary-treasurer.

GIFFIN ORGANIZES SIGN LANGUAGE CLASS ON CAMPUS

Tuesday, February 5, the first meeting of a newly organized sign language class at FHC was held. The class is under the direction of Chester Giffin and will meet one hour each week at 6:30 p.m.

Giffin has studied sign language in a special course in Detroit, Michigan. The class is designed primarily to learn the sign language well enough to be able to converse with the deaf successfully.

Anyone interested is urged to attend the meetings held each week.

Behavior is a mirror in which everyone shows his image.

A clean conscience is a soft pillow.

Tentative plans for an intramural speech tournament at Freed-Hardeman College have been made for February 25-28. Orlan Miller recently announced. He, as head of the speech department, states that the purpose of the tourney is to promote an interest in speech activities and to give experience in several speech activities.

The tournament will be conducted among contestants representing the various societies on the campus. Runoffs will be held within the society to determine representatives for the group.

The contests planned for the tourney are in three groups: Group A: Poetry Reading, Original Oration and After Dinner speaking; Group B: Bible Reading, Extempore Speaking and Radio Speaking; Group C: Debates. Rules for the various divisions have been drawn up and given to each society.

Each participant must be a student of Freed-Hardeman College during the current term. No individual may enter more than two events in groups "A" or "B". Each society may enter as many contestants as desired for the run-off within the society.

Faculty members will be called on to assist in the judging in the tournament.

Phil Allen Speaks In Chapel Exercise

Phil Allen of Selmer, Tennessee, was guest speaker at the chapel exercises at Freed-Hardeman College Tuesday, January 22. He spoke concerning songs as compared to lives of people.

Allen is a 1941 graduate of Freed-Hardeman College. After leaving FHC he attended George Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee and later received his Ph.D. at Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky.

He is presently employed as assistant manager of a motor company in Selmer.

Aside from his regular duties he preaches for the Bethel Springs congregation of the Church of Christ and is also very active in civic work.



Miss Bettie Burgin was elected "Miss Home Economics" at the meeting of the Homemaker's Club in the Home Economics department of FHC Tuesday night, January 29.

The candidate nominated for this honor was to be one who the members of the club considered to have done the most work in the club and was best

Morris To Present Concert On Feb. 19

Robert Morris, a well-known baritone, will sing in a concert Tuesday night, February 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the F.H.C. auditorium. This is the third of the concerts presented by the school in the Artists' Series.

Mr. Morris, a native of McKenzie, Tennessee, is a graduate of Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas, and now makes his home in Wewoka, Oklahoma.

He has done concert work extensively in the mid-south under the auspices of the Young Artist's Concert Association. Many other activities including a radio program of his own have made him a widely known musical figure in the south.

'Que Fiesta'

In case you are one of those unfortunate persons who do not understand Spanish, "Que Fiesta!" means "What a Party!" and that is just what we had at Patsy Donnell's Friday night, January 18.

The lucky seniors and senioritas attending were Jim Clary and Bryce Roberson (or should I say Cisco and Pancho?), Bubbo Hill, Patsy Ray, Shirley Ann Hy-Smith, Clarice Cummins, Senior and Senora Campbell and their daughter, Angelyn, and Patsy Donnell and her mother.

With a background of recorded music, mostly South American and Spanish, we played "Español", "Ha visto usted mi tio?" and other Spanish games.

Later sitting on gaily-colored blankets and spreads we nibbled on Fritos and mex chips, dipped in sauce, while sipping hot, spiced Spanish tea.

All too soon it was time to sing out "Hasta la vista" and hurry back to the dormitory.

Twas a gala party — Spanish style.

FHC Debate Team Participated In Tourney Feb. 8-9

The Freed-Hardeman College Debate team, under the direction of Orlan Miller, head of the speech department, participated in the Tennessee Intercollegiate Forensic Association Tournament held at Carson-Newman College in Jefferson City, Tennessee February 8 and 9. The debate team consists of Joe Sweeney, Hugh Fulford, Wayne Emmons, Joe Taylor, Francis Williams, Don Harriman, Phil Sumrell and Jerry Smelser.

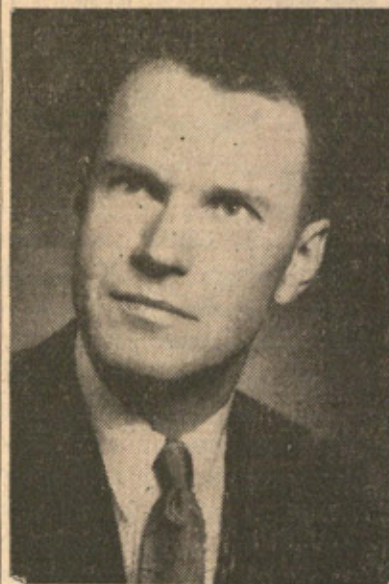
Prior to the tournament an exhibition debate was presented at the chapel exercise at FHC on Tuesday, January 29, and another at the social hour. Those participating in the exhibition debate were Jim Sweeney, Hugh Fulford, Wayne Emmons, Joe Taylor and Francis Williams. They debated the question "Resolved: That the United States Should Discontinue Direct Economic Aid to Foreign Countries".

qualified in Home Economics.

Other candidates for the honor were Patsy McKay, Reba Hill and runnerup, Elaine Balkcom.

Bettie is vice-president of the Homemaker's Club, Alpha Gamma Delta honor society member and member of the Sigma Rho society. She is from Bardstown, Kentucky.

Brad Brumley To Be Added To FHC Faculty For 57-58 Session



Brad Brumley

H. A. Dixon, president of Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tennessee, announces a new addition to the faculty for the 1957-58 session beginning in September. Brad Brumley, Rector, Arkansas, will begin his duties as Chairman of the Department of Education and Psychology at FHC at the beginning of the fall quarter. Brumley will also teach in the Religious Education Department. Plans are being made to offer new courses to help Bible School teachers in the church and provide information and assistance in improving the Bible School.

Brumley is 39 years old, married and is the father of one daughter, Susan, six.

Due to his education his numerous and varied experiences and other qualifications, Brumley is believed to be exceedingly well qualified for the position he has been selected to fill.

Brumley, the son of an educator graduated from high school at Fulton, Mississippi, in 1934. Upon his graduation from high school he entered Freed-Hardeman College and attended from 1934-36. The following six years he was engaged in teaching school, three years of which he served as superintendent and two years as principal. During the summers of these six years he attended Murray State College, Murray, Kentucky, working toward a degree in Psychology and Education.

Apart from the field of education, Brumley's experiences include 39 months as instrument flying instructor for the United States Air Force during World War II, ten years in the wholesale oil distribution business in Rector, Arkansas, editorship of THE BIBLE ECHO, a monthly publication designed for evangelistic work and extensive preaching and teaching Bible classes. He preached for the Church of Christ in Marmaduke, Arkansas for five years, during which time he appeared on lectures, Bible forums, and school programs throughout the area. His greatest contribution has possibly been in improving the educational programs through Vacation Bible Schools, Teacher Training courses and organization of the regular Bible school work.

Brumley left the oil business in January of 1956 to resume his education at Harding College in Searcy, Arkansas where he received his B.A. degree in August, with majors in Education and Psychology; minor in the Social Sciences. He is presently in graduate school at Harding and will receive his M.T. degree in May of 1957.

Officers Elected By Training Class

The Girl's Religious Training Class elected officers for the winter quarter Thursday night, January 24. Sandra Felice was elected president and Judy Pepper was elected vice-president.

The program committee consists of Judy Pepper, chairman; Carol Cochran, Janet Young, Jane Izzel, Sue Loftin.

No one can define happiness—you have to be happy to understand it.

Conscience is the thing that hurts when everything else feels so good.

Sweetheart Couple Chosen At Party

There were "Sweethearts on Parade" Tuesday night, February 12, as all F.H.C. enjoyed the annual Valentine Party in the college cafeteria, which was transformed into a gala party room for the occasion.

As soft strains of heart music filled the air, the "Sweethearts on Parade" (party theme) passed slowly before the judges, with the task of selecting the "Sweetheart Couple". A prize was awarded to this twosome.

Sparkling entertainment was furnished by faculty and student talent.

In charge of arrangements for the Valentine Party were Larry Harris, decorations; Alan Highers, program; Doris Pounds, refreshments and June Rogers, publicity.

This party also began Sadie Hawkins Week which ended Saturday night, February 16.

"Burning Glass" To Be Presented By Thespians

"The Burning Glass," a mystery melodrama, will be staged by the Thespians this quarter. The play will be under the direction of John Brinn, the Thespian sponsor. The date for the performance is set for March 5.

The Thespians first quarter production was a huge success in "Burner of the Bugle," a comedy-farce which brought a good gate. This production cleared the Thespians on the cyclorama which was given to the school last year. The profit from the "Burning Glass" will go toward this years Thespian project.

The play was chosen by Lee Smith, Marvadeen Wells, and Sylvia Johnson with the help of Landon Saunders, the Thespian Club President and John Brinn, sponsor.

The Thespians are looking forward to a good play, and in view of past performances, it will be a success. Don't miss it.

Reformer: Someone who wants his conscience to be your guide.

Good character is the jewel held in the setting of the personality.

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Editorials



If you were to spend long, tedious hours preparing a term paper, how would you feel to see the teacher crumple it up without even reading it? We of the Skyrocket staff sometimes have a similar feeling when we see students carelessly throw away their copy of the paper without even looking to see what made news. We work long and hard to put out this paper. Many times we sacrifice going to certain activities or studying just so we can meet a deadline and have the paper ready. As Brother Gardner said at the beginning of school, a student should keep all copies of the Skyrocket and he will have a complete record of the school session. We're proud to work on the paper, prepare ads, write copy, and edit it but we would be even prouder if everyone would show that they are interested in our work.

DEBATES

By Alan Highers

It has always appeared strangely incongruent to me for a school, advertising the Bible as its chief course, to excuse students from classes for educational tours, chorus trips, athletic contests, and the like, while at the same time to refuse them permission to attend important religious functions connected with their studies. Therefore, it seemed very fitting when the administration of this school allowed one day excused from classes for several persons to attend a portion of the Wood-Porter Debate held in Paragould, Arkansas, January 29 through February 1.

The disputants were Guy N. Woods of Memphis, Tennessee and Curtis Porter of Monette, Arkansas. Both are well known and qualified debaters. The propositions concerned the right of churches to build and maintain such orphan homes as are now among us. Brother Woods affirmed that they are in harmony with the scriptures, and Brother Porter denied it.

Brother Woods showed (1) that there is a need for the care of orphans, (2) that churches may supply that need, (3) that churches may cooperate in that work, and he pointed out that when this done, a home is the result! In reply to this line of argument, Brother Porter said that he would not object to the three things in consideration, nor would he oppose an orphan home; but he said the "human organization" or the "corporation" that set up the home was wrong. Brother Woods then showed that the "human organization" (as Porter chose to call it) was not a separate matter from the home, and therefore if he endorsed the home, he had given up his case. To offset this, several charters were introduced from the various homes which stated that a "corporation" had been formed to "establish" a home. Since the "corporation" was formed to "establish" a home, Brother Porter concluded that the "corporation" could be no part of the home! But Brother Woods pointed out that a couple marry to "establish" a home, and that according to his opponent's logic, they would not be a part of that home itself!

The line of reasoning used by Brother Porter was to parallel the orphan homes with the Missionary Society. He contended that since we all oppose the Missionary Society, we should also oppose the orphan homes since there is a parallel. Concerning this argument, Brother Woods inquired if churches could "buy services" of (1) an orphan home and/or (2) a Missionary Society. He pressed for an answer to these questions. However, Brother Porter would not reply, dismissing them each time by simply saying they were off the issue (even though he himself introduced the parallel.) It was then shown if churches could buy services from an orphan home (as has been admitted) yet could not buy services from a Missionary Society, the two could not be parallel. Brother Woods pleaded with Brother Porter to answer the questions and even offered him a part of his time (during the last speech) if he would do it. It was an unusual sight to see Curtis Porter refuse to answer questions—in view of his past work in debating.

The point was then brought out that Brother Porter himself did not believe that argument! (1) He said that the orphan home was parallel with the Missionary Society; (2) and he will not fellowship those who support the Society; (3) yet he does fellowship those who support the orphan homes. Therefore, he does not actually believe they are parallel, else he could not fellowship those supporting orphan homes.

The general consensus of those who attended the debate from Henderson was that Brother Porter was extremely weak in his objections to the orphan homes, and that his arguments were ably refuted by Brother Woods.

These men have held one other debate on the same subject which is now in book form. If anyone is interested in further study of this issue, that book should be purchased. It is available at the College Bookstore.

DOYLE SELECTS TWO EXTRA QUARTETS

Kelley Doyle, head of the music department at FHC, selected two additional quartets on Thursday, January 31.

One quartet is composed of Don Brackin, first tenor; Lynn Anderson, second tenor; Lee Smith, baritone and August Ruff, bass.

The second quartet is composed of John Smith, first

Students Receiving NMSC Scholarship Can Attend FHC

Dean Gardner recently received word from John M. Stalnaker, President of the National Merit Scholarship Corporation that if one of their scholarship winners desired to attend a junior college it would be acceptable to them.

This means that any student who desires to attend Freed-Hardeman and who has received a scholarship from the NMSC may do so.

These Merit Scholars are selected for their promise of benefiting from a college education and receive four-year scholarships.

High school honor students all over the nation participated in the testing October 24, 1956.

Scholar finalists will be announced March 15, 1957. Any student planning to attend FHC who receives one of the scholarships should contact Dean Gardner for further information.

16 FHC Alumni Banquets Slated

The first of the sixteen Freed-Hardeman Alumni Banquets will be held at the Christian Student Center in Nashville February 18 at 6:00 p.m.

Other banquets slated are: Chattanooga, Feb. 21; Mars Hill Bible School, March 11, Huntsville Bible School, March 12; Hotel Collins, Jasper, Alabama, March 14; Reelfoot Lake, March 18; Memphis, Tennessee, March 21; Paragould, Arkansas, March 25; Tupelo, Mississippi, March 28; Jackson, Mississippi, March 29; Evansville, Indiana, April 1; Mayfield, Kentucky, April 4; Freed-Hardeman, June 4; Detroit, Michigan, June 10; Akron, Ohio, June 11; and Parkerburg, W. Va., June 13.

Buried Treasure For All In Library

Buried treasure is being found every day by some of Freed-Hardeman students. Countless dollars worth of material has been discovered under the covers of books in the library.

Many students have greatly increased their patronage of the library since it was moved into the new building. But despite this good news, there are still some hollow heads that will not accept their share of this vast loot. Maybe they have not been informed that the treasure is for all.

Only this quarter 589 new treasure chests have been added to the library. Why not make use of this great number of rich new volumes? Remember that a man is himself plus the books that he reads. What are you, and what are you going to be? It's up to you.

ANNUAL SPONSORED SNAPSHOT CONTEST

The snapshot contest which is held annually at FHC closed February 13. Pictures submitted for the contest must have been of FHC activities or scenes. As many entries as desired could be entered.

First, second and third prizes will be given and the three winning photographs will be published in the Treasure Chest.

They who aim at perfection and persevere will come nearer to it than those whose laziness makes them give it up as unattainable. Chesterfield.

tenor; Jimmy Williams, second tenor; Mark Hicks, baritone, and Landon Saunders, bass.

BRADFIELD VISITS GRADUATING CLASSES

W. A. Bradfield, promotional director for F.H.C. is on the road again visiting the graduating classes of the various high schools. The week of January 21, he visited McKenzie, Gleason, Dresden, Palmersville, Henry, Springville, Paris, Cottage Grove, Buchanan and Puryear.

His schedule for the week of January 28 included Caruthersville, Holland, Steele, Hayti, Wordell, Bragg City, Kennett, Senath, Cardwell, Arbyrd, and Leachville, Missouri. He also visited Crowley's Ridge, Paragould High School, Green County, Lafe, Marmaduke, Rector, Keiser, Osceola and Luxora, Arkansas.

Commercial Club Member Of FBLA

The Commercial Club has recently been admitted into the Future Business Leaders of America.

For several years the state of Tennessee has been outstanding in development of the F.B.L.A. The first chapter was established at Johnson City. The Freed-Hardeman Chapter is number fourteen.

The group is sending delegates to the state convention and tentative plans are being made to send them to the national convention.

Projects are being planned and it is through this means that aggressive leadership will be developed among the group members.

Every person who is taking one or more business subjects is invited to become an "active" member.



Many of the students were very impressed with the sort of weather that has prevailed throughout the past few weeks. We were curious to find out how some of them felt about this terrible drought. They replied:

Pat McDaniel: "Fine weather for ducks."

W. C. Ausborn: "It's really nice weather to get a sun tan."

Cynthia Neal: "I hope we will be able to see land in the near future."

The Albert Hills: "We feel sorry for Noah."

Jo Ann Swift: "Kinda makes it hard to get up early to come to school."

August Ruff: "I think we need a little rain."

Patsy Ray: "I wish, I wish—Oh! I don't know what I wish."

Joe Johnson: "Pretty wet drought."

Larry Fleming: "Oh! to be in Michigan now that spring is here!"

Mrs. John Minor: "It could be worse."

Malcolm Hill: "It would be a sad thing if I had a sow with pigs."

Pat Miller: "Its awful."

DON GARDNER SPEAKS TO CHAPEL ASSEMBLY

Don Gardner, brother of E. Claude Gardner, Dean of Freed-Hardeman College, spoke at the chapel assembly Wednesday, January 30. Don is the minister at the Allen Street congregation of the Church of Christ in Jackson. He served on the staff of FHC last year in the absence of Frank Van Dyke.

TOLERANCE
The most lovable quality that any human being can possess is tolerance. It is the vision that enables one to see things from another's viewpoint. It is the generosity that concedes to others the right to their own opin-

CAMPUS SEARCHLIGHT

I'm not one to listen at the doors, but while I was peeping through the keyhole, I chanced to hear Oswald, my secret agent, telling all the news and events that have been happening on the F.H.C. campus lately. He really was excited over the news that BETTY COOKE and KEITH SNYDER were going steady and really surprised to hear that BARBARA ANDERSON and JOE GALLOWAY were too. But that isn't all. There are more. SANDRA FELICI and LANDON SAUNDERS, CAROL WILLIAMS and GERRY DAVIS finally decided to be added to the steady list, too.

NELSON WARREN has so many girlfriends that he just doesn't have room in his car for all of them. It seems he nearly had to put some of them in the trunk when he took them to Nashville. Some of the boys wish they knew your technique, NELSON.

JAN JAMES seems to be very happy on weekends, especially when DEAN BAXTER is around. LYNN ANDERSON goes to Memphis quite often on the weekends. I can't blame him, though, CAROLYN sure is cute.

Our basketball team is really on the ball this year. Our victory over Memphis State was really a feather in our caps. When KERRY McCLAIN racked up all of those points, PEGGY HENSLEY just couldn't seem to quit beating the drum.

Everyone is talking and guess what about? It is the debate team that F.H.C. has recently acquired. It's really something for us to boast about. The boys are making a good showing, both at home and away.

Some of the girls were really worried about having to ask the boys to the Valentine party. Many heard the 12:00 train go by every night. But in spite of the worry, it was fun, wasn't it?

The saying goes that two heads are better than one, and DON MARTIN and MARGARET GOFF seem to agree. The way they have been studying together lately, they are bound for the dean's list. Speaking of studying, WAYNE ADKINS can't seem to keep his mind on his books anymore. Could this be because SHELVA CHOWNING is occupying his mind quite a bit lately?

Flo Ulrich may claim to be a Yank from New Jersey way, but she seems to like black and white Mercurys that sport confederate flags. These Southerners aren't so bad after all, huh, FLO?

DIANE BRUCE likes to get phone calls, especially if they are from Indiana. It seems that the girls aren't the only ones who receive calls, are they DAVID PHARR?

JERRY TAYLOR keeps the girls on the run all of the time, but only for them to tell SUE SCOTT that he is outside waiting for her.

Barnyards are not found just in the country. The girl's dormitory has recently heard some cocks and crows that sound, strange as it may seem like roosters.

It's been raining quite a bit recently. Some of the water has seeped into buckets, beds, water pistols and shoes. At this rate, the dormitory should keep spic and span.

This key hole isn't very big and my eyes are beginning to water. It could be because Oswald just squirted his water pistol. He said to tell you "Adios" and that goes for me too.

Diplomat: One who thinks twice before saying nothing.

Something is learned every time a book is opened.

ions and their own peculiarities. It is the bigness that enables us to let people be happy in their own way instead of our way.

First May Day Celebration To Be Conducted At Freed-Hardeman May 3

WHY I AM GLAD

By Sandra Fowler

Why am I glad? When I think of the way our parents taught us to walk, talk and say "thank you" and "please"; the way they taught us the Bible and carried us to Sunday school and church; their job on the day we entered school; the way they willingly helped us with our homework; the way Mrs. Maiden gave us our first important task; the joy we experienced on meeting our first new friends; the way we felt when we learned to say the alphabet, to write our name, to read, and to add and subtract; the rebuked feeling when we received our first paddling; the good feeling when we received our first favorable report card; the fun we had working and playing together; the joy of being promoted at the end of the year; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember the first time we heard the alma mater; the first football game we saw; the first basketball game we went to; the school fairs we attended; the hikes, picnics, and parties we had; the thrill we experienced upon learning new things I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember the wonderful, yet frightened feeling we experienced the day we entered high school; the importance we felt when we began our high school work; the joy of meeting new friends; the fun we had meeting and breaking in new teachers; the fun and gaiety of our first barnwarming; the glorious time we had signing our first annuals; the first beautiful football and basketball banquets; our first class party; I'm glad I have been a student. The thrill that has come to me by the singing of our Alma Mater has been unsurpassed in my young life. Nothing has been so exhilarating as the screaming crowds when the football boys and basketball boys and girls ran out on the court; the great school spirit exhibited at the pep sessions; the delirious class tournaments; the days we left school for the track meets; the way the athletes in our class felt when they received their school letters.

When I remember learning about the discovery of our country, the way it grew and the way the government was formed; the lives, determination, and suffering of many great men; about our freedoms; the fact that being an American is a great privilege; the fundamentals of algebra; the axioms in plane geometry; the formulas and equations in chemistry; the facts about the composition of all matter; the lives and works of great poets and authors; how to type, I'm glad I have been a student.

When I think about the work we put forth on our sophomore play; the fun we had presenting it; the way we worked on the junior-senior banquet; the joy we felt when we looked at the thankful expressions on the seniors' faces that night; the thanks and appreciation we felt for the beautiful banquet the juniors gave us; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember learning the great Gettysburg address, the

May 3 will witness big events on the Freed-Hardeman College campus.

A formal May Day celebration is being planned which will be the first in the school's history. The highlight of the day will be the crowning of the May Day Queen by President H. A. Dixon. Male and female attendants will be chosen from each class and society.

The Senior Visitation Day will be combined with the May Day event. Seniors from surrounding areas will be invited.

A dramatic production will conclude the day's activities. Other details for the day have not been completed. Dale Buckley is in charge of the event.

preamble, and the names of the Presidents; preparing booklets on the Constitution, the Presidents; local, county, state and federal government, lives of great men, and poetry; writing Lion Oil themes, poetry, essays, and autobiographies; working on the magazine drive; selling ads for our annual; I'm glad I have been a student.

When pictures and articles have appeared in our local and state papers portraying our students in FHC and FFA activities, I have been proud to say I am a part of it all.

When I remember the crowd that followed our basketball team to the district tournament; the way we felt when we received the great big trophy; the happiness we experienced when we looked upon the radiant faces of the basketball boys and Coach Trotter after that last glorious game; the day all our trophies were presented in assembly; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember the suspense up to the last round of the beauty revues; the beautiful parades at the Strawberry Festival; the American Education Week parades; the fun we had at Vocational Guidance Day; the aching feet, but pleasant memories we brought home from open house at UTMB; the wonderful time we had on our senior trip; the experiences plus fun we Betas had at Beta Convention; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember the fun we had working on our annual; the pride and joy we felt when they arrived; the fun we had autographing them; the day the parts were given out for the senior play, the fun we had practicing on it; the pride we felt after an excellent performance; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I remember the day our class rings came; the day our graduation invitations came; the day we received our first gifts; the day the scholastic honors

W. A. BRADFIELD IS WINNER IN CONTEST

W. A. Bradfield, promotional director for Freed-Hardeman College, was recently notified by Walter Weintz, circulation manager of the Reader's Digest, that he had won a \$10.00 book credit certificate in the recent Reader's Digest College Contest. The credit certificate was one of the prizes offered for picking the six most popular articles in the October issue. The book credit certificate will be redeemable at the college bookstore.

Annual FHC Tea Held In Home Of Mrs. D. E. Mitchell

The home of Mrs. D. E. Mitchell on White Avenue was the lovely scene of the annual tea sponsored by FHC on January 17. A theme was carried throughout the house with beautiful arrangements of white and maroon flowers.

About 75 guests called during the afternoon between the hours of two and four.

A lace cloth covered the dining table and arrangements of flowers carrying out the school colors were placed on the buffet, mantle and coffee table. Beautiful candles also adorned the dining table.

Those assisting Mrs. Mitchell with the tea were Mrs. Kenneth Woods, Mrs. Willard Smith, Mrs. Homer Davis, Mrs. Lon Hardeman, Mrs. Lattie Averitt, Mrs. Gus Boltz, Mrs. Carlton Morton, Mrs. Glen Kent, Mrs. John McDonald, Mrs. W. D. Porter and Mrs. Olan Hicks.

The guests were the visiting ladies of the lectureship and wives of faculty members at FHC.

were announced; the day we began practice for graduation; I'm glad I have been a student.

When I think about the way we walked down that aisle; the way we proudly walked up onto the stage; the way we shall walk across and receive that hard-earned diploma; the way we shall enter the future with confidence; the way we shall do our work well in this great America

UNCLE DUDLEY



Howdy, all you youngens, how in the cotton picking world are you? It has been a whole month since I last saw yew. I heerd tell of a fellow that knew where automobiles come from. He said they wuz double yolked motorcycle eggs.

I heerd of a little old lady that went for her first ride in a taxi. She noticed that the driver would put his hand out to turn a corner. She said in a sweet voice, "Yew don't have to stick your hand out sonnyboy, I'll tell yew when it starts to rain."

This is the time of year when the girls start to thinking about matrimony and the boys start to thinking about baseball. One young lady told her boy friend, "Zeke, lets get married." "Fine," said Zeke. "Who will have us?"

Another story is about the young boy that stayed late at the house of his girl friend. Finally she said, "My daddy's an engineer, he takes things apart to see why they don't go." The boy said, "So what." The girl re-

plied, "You had better go." Some of you young fellers might take a lesson from this. A young man was going to be separated from his girl friend for a year so he bought 365 post cards and wrote her once a day. At the end of the year she got married all right—to the postman!

What with all of these new discoveries in the field of agriculture, I heerd of two farmers talking, one said, I hear they crossed an orange with a zipper so they could get the skins off better. The other said, "That's nothing, I crossed a watermelon patch with a wheelbarrow at midnight, and got buckshot!"

Well, I guess that is all for this month, but remember, dont get discouraged if you fall, remember, the worm is the only thing that can't.

James Montgomery Flagg, the artist, cured a friends inferiority complex by telling him: "Anytime you feel as if you're neglected just think of Whistler's father."

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LION'S ROAR

By Ancil Jenkins

A copy of the Harding BISON has come to my possession. The main thing that I noticed is that an alumnus of FHC, Jesse Fleming has been voted the outstanding lineman in their annual All-Star football game. Those of us that were here last year remember Fleming as a rugged lineman who would butt heads with the best of them. He played for three years for the Phi Kappas. His second year he was voted on the All Star team and was instrumental in the team's victory over the champion Sigma Rhos. Last year he was the main stay of the rugged Phi Kappa line that led the team to the championship. He would have undoubtedly have repeated on the All Star team, had he not been on the championship team. Fleming was lost to the team late in the season with a head injury. Had he been in the All Star game, it might have been a different story for the Phi Kappas. Nevertheless, Jesse, congratulations on your honor, you richly deserve it. We take our hats off to an outstanding sportsman and a fine fellow, Jesse Fleming.

Also in the copy of the Harding BISON was a fine article on the intramural program. When Harding abolished intercollegiate competition in 1939 it was wondered by many if this were a wise move. However figures show that when they dropped intercollegiate competition in 1939 only about four percent of the students were receiving benefit from the money spent on athletics. While now over 90 percent of the students participate in intramural athletics.

In 1955 they added tackle football to their intramural program. This has been a tremendous success. We are not advocating that Freed-Hardeman should drop her intercollegiate program and turn strictly to intramurals, but we hope that we can see the value of intramurals. Intramurals gives almost everyone a chance to represent his society. There are fields of competition for almost everyone. We here at FHC have a fine system of intramural competition and a fine director, so let's take advantage of it. Let's play if we can, and if we can't, let's support team.

Teams come and go but one team that has been around as long as any other is the faculty team. Composed of Robert (Tennis) Witt, Robert (Demosthenes) Atnip, Charles (Couldnt think of a nickname) Brown, Walker (Sailor) Whittle, Mack (Speed Graphic) Roland, and Ben (Tumbler) Zickefoose. On the bench are such men of renown as Kelly (K. B.) Doyle and none other than E. Claude (Cotton picker) Gardner.

It seems that a few weeks ago a challenge was issued. Some thought that youth could win over experience. The freshmen married students matched themselves against these men of repute. It was age against youth, wisdom against shall I say ignorance—no, I had better say inexperience. When it was over, once again the triumphant faculty had added another scalp to their belt. According to my calculations, the final score was faculty 42, married freshmen 36. It seems now that the Third Year Students want to try their

hand. We shall see what we shall see.

In the matter of boys basketball, it seems as if the Phi Kappas again have a power house. Being paced by men the like of Evans, Curtis, McIndoo, Canter and Stakely, they have run roughshod over the opposition at the time of this writing. Not only do they have a strong first line team, but they have a potent weapon in their strong reserves. Langston, Woods, Conn, and a half dozen more make up this crew. Close on their heels are the Philos and Alpha Taus. Either of these teams could take second place if they could get hot. The Alpha Taus have a strong team but haven't gotten rolling yet. The Philos are scrappy but a lack of man power may hurt them. The Sigma Rhos have a fine player in Perry Buster but he lacks support.

To those of you that might be interested I received a fine letter from Bobby Morrow. I sent him the cover picture of him that was on SPORTS ILLUSTRATED and he returned it autographed. Not only is he a fine athlete, but he is also kind and considerate to poor sports writers.

FHC Lectureship Is Reviewed By College Student

By Walter Fennel

January 17 brought to a close one of the finest lectureships ever held at Freed-Hardeman College.

This was proved by the four hundred thirty-nine visitors from twenty-four states, Canada, Hawaii and Japan. This does not include many of whom came only for day or night services.

Many fine reports were received by members of the faculty and others from those who attended.

Bro. Lowell Altizer of Christiansburg, Va., made this statement: "Surely the Lectures this year were the best. To those of us who are in mission fields, they are a mighty boost."

Other fine akin statements were received.

We students are thankful for the privilege to attend the lectures during the period of study.

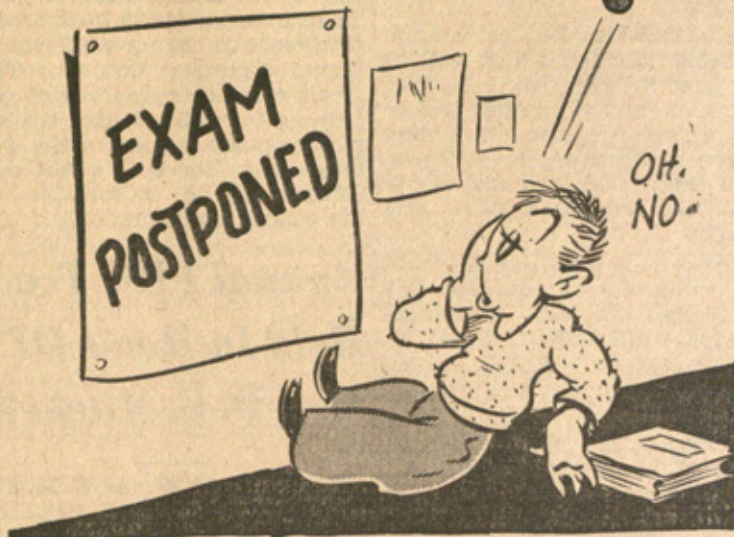
Position may bring you riches but only disposition can make you happy.

Personality is to a person what perfume is to a flower.

Enemies are never conquered until their friendship is won.

The silent man is often worth listening to.

AFTER YOU HAVE STAYED UP HALF THE NIGHT FOR A TEST, YOUR TEACHER POSTPONES IT FOR A WEEK



REPEAT PROGRAM IS GIVEN AT THE GIRL'S TRAINING CLASS

A very interesting and profitable program was presented at the meeting of the Girl's Religious Training Class held Monday night, January 21 in the college auditorium.

The program was a repeat performance from last year. Because it was believed to be so inspiring last year the program committee arranged another program called "How I Learned The Truth." Speeches were made by Flo Ulrich, formerly a Presbyterian; Mrs. Frank Van Dyke, formerly a Methodist, Sara Collum, formerly a Baptist and Sandra Felice who had been a Lutheran.

Each speaker related the various circumstances under which she learned the truth.

The program presented to the Training Class on Monday night, January 28, was a question-answer session in which Philip Steyn and his wife of Pretoria, South Africa, answered questions asked by the girls.

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FAIR-WEATHER FRIENDS

By Ann Tatum

Are you one of God's "fair-weather friends"?

His fair-weather friends are those people who display their love for him publicly, only when everyone else is doing so.

They attend worship services on Sunday. All their friends do. They may even go to Sunday School, sometimes. It is customary. Besides, there is nothing else to do on Sundays.

Of course, (reason the fair-weather friends), there is no need to go to Bible study except on the Lord's Day. "The crowds are so small at mid-week studies. A lot of the others don't attend, why should I?"

Often these Sunday-only worshippers of God do not realize that their neglect is evidence of a lack of love. However, if they really loved God, they would take advantage of every opportunity to study his word and worship him.

Would a boy date the girl he loves for major social functions, only? Or would he be equally glad to go to a small dinner party with her? The answer is obvious: If he really loves her, he will be with her whenever possible.

Our love for God should have a similar effect on us. If we really love God, we will be with the saints worshipping Him whenever we can.

If we neglect worship and Bible studies, we are displaying our lack of love for God. We are showing ourselves to be "fair-weather friends".

Some are wise—some are otherwise.

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