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Earl West To Address Seniors

Earl West evangelist, writer, teacher and lecturer will deliver the baccalaureate address to the 1957 Freed-Hardeman College graduating class Thursday, June 6, at 10:00 a.m. His subject will be "The Freedom Truth Brings".

West, an alumnus and former teacher at Freed-Hardeman, is presently preaching in Indianapolis, Indiana. He operates Religious Book Service and has published several books.

The graduating exercises will be held at 2:00 p.m. the same day with Jesse P. Bogue, Executive Secretary of American Association of Junior Colleges, Washington, D. C., delivering the class address. Ninety-one students will receive the Associate in Arts degree at the graduation exercises.

The annual alumni dinner honoring the graduating class will be held on the quadrangle of the campus at 7:00 p.m. June 4. The public is invited to attend all of these programs.

GRADUATES, THIRD YEAR STUDENTS ARE GUESTS OF DIXONS

President and Mrs. H. A. Dixon honored this year's graduating class with a reception at their home on Thursday night, May 30 at 7:30.

Those attending the informal affair were graduating seniors, wives of graduating seniors, third-year students and wives, faculty members with their husbands and wives and staff members.

12 HONOR GRADS LEAD CLASS OF '57

According to E. Claude Gardner, Dean-Registrar of Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tennessee, the valedictorian of the 1957 graduating class is Lorraine Hunter of Alexander, North Carolina, who has majored in Business Administration. She has a 2.84 quality point average and will graduate magna cum laude.

Dewayne Shappley of Fruitvale, Tennessee, a Bible major, is the salutatorian. He will also graduate magna cum laude with a 2.78 quality point average. Other honor students named for magna cum laude honors are Margaret Rose with a 2.73 and Francis Williams, 2.73.

Eight other honor students will graduate cum laude: Joe

On Tuesday afternoon of last week at 3:45, the FHC student body and faculty gathered on the west side of the administration building to witness the dedication of the 1956-57 Treasure Chest.

Dedication was made to Dean E. Claude Gardner by editor Margaret Rose. Special tribute was also paid to W. Claude Hall.

The Treasure Chest staff members were presented and received their copies of the yearbook. Business manager Wayne Emmons then directed the student body to the cafeteria where they received theirs.

BANQUET TO HONOR GRADUATING SENIORS

The high spot of the annual alumni meeting at Fred-Hardeman will be the catfish dinner to be served on the quadrangle of the campus at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 4.

This fish fry is featured to honor the F.H.C. graduates of 1957, special third-year Bible students, and any prospective students who have not attended one of the other alumni banquets this year.

The graduates, third-year students, and prospective students will attend as guests of the college but others are invited to attend at \$1.50 per plate.

NINE TO RECEIVE BIBLE CERTIFICATES

Nine young ministers of the Gospel will receive third-year certificates of achievement in Bible. Included in this group are both 1956 and 1957 graduates.

1956 graduates who will receive the certificates are: John Ancil Jenkins, Richard Allen Kruse, Albert George Lemmons, Wallace Cleddie Mays, and Robert Lee Raymer.

Those of the 1957 graduating class who will receive the certificates are: Joseph Edward Galloway, George Robert Huffstutter, Joseph Monroe Taylor, and Clyde Morris Woods.

SAFETY DIRECTOR IS CHAPEL SPEAKER

W. E. Albright, Safety Director for the Redstone Arsenal at Huntsville, Alabama was chapel speaker Monday, May 13.

Albright attended FHC in 1927, the West Point Preparatory School, and the Illinois Institute of Technology.

He is a gospel preacher and presently serves as an elder at the Northside congregation at Huntsville.

Using as his subject Accident Prevention, Albright stressed the vastness of the safety problem and quoted statistics showing the great number of lives lost and injuries inflicted by accidents in the past year.

The three factors he stated as always leading to an accident were ancestral environment, fault of persons and an unsafe act or condition.

Actually, there's only a slight difference between keeping your chin up and sticking your neck out—but it's worth knowing.

Taylor, 2.62; Rhinard Troup, 2.57; Clyde Woods, 2.54; Bettie Burgin, 2.54; Doris Brooks, 2.46; David Williams, 2.41; Betty Jo Walker, 2.41 and Ann Tatum, 2.40.

WINNERS NAMED IN LITERARY CONTEST

On Friday, May 17, Olan L. Hicks announced the winners in the Freed-Hardeman Literary Contest.

Areas of competition included poetry, short story and informal essay. Judges for the contest were Ruth Campbell, Olan L. Hicks, W. Claude Hall, Lavonne Scott and Orlan Miller, members of the FHC English department.

Betty Walker placed first and third in the poetry division and Don Taylor placed second.

Nancy Shore placed first in the informal essay field, Shirley Hysmith won second and Betty Walker, third place.

In the short story competition Shirley Hysmith won first place, Seth Daniel placed second and James Maxwell, third.

Before the presentation of winners, Hicks emphasized the importance of writing in all walks of life. He said everyone should be able to express himself whether he be an engineer, lawyer, research worker, or any type worker.

Encouraged by the number of students who participated in the competition, Hicks expressed tentative plans that perhaps the college could sponsor a contest for other schools in West Tennessee.

NEW COLLEGE SONG INTRODUCED TO F.H.C.

Recently a new F.H.C. school song was introduced to the students at chapel assembly. The words were written by Frank Van Dyke and the music by Kelley B. Doyle.

Plans for the adoption of this song are not yet complete and therefore it is printed here so that the administration might learn the reaction of the student body toward it.

TO THEE, OUR F.H.C.
To thee our dearest F.H.C., we pledge our loyalty.
Thou art a blessing to our lives; a debt we owe to thee.
With fond and cheerful memories of happy college days,
Where'er our paths of life may lead, we'll give thee our love and praise.

To thee our youthful lives we bring, for guidance, help and care.

Each day we work and learn and play, and breathe to thee a prayer.

We prize the honor of thy name, and laud thy history.

Live on, our Alma Mater, dear, beloved F.H.C.

ALL SCHOOL PICNIC HELD AT CHICKASAW

The annual All-School picnic for the spring quarter was held on Tuesday afternoon, May 21, at Chickasaw State Park.

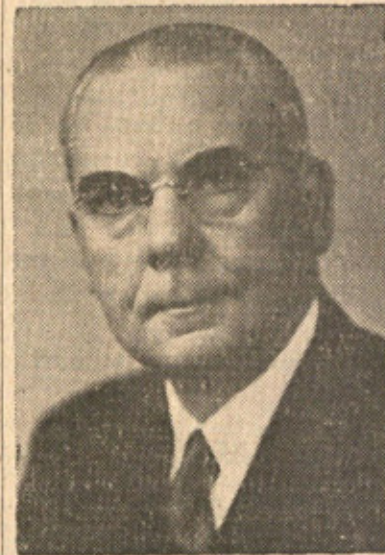
The surprise announcement for the picnic was made by President Dixon at chapel and classes ended at 1:55. The college bus and cars transported students to the park where they enjoyed an afternoon of boating, hiking and ballplaying.

A picnic supper of hot dogs, potato salad, pickles, cookies, slaw, marshmallows and cold drinks was served at 5:00 p.m.

If you want to discover a man's weak points let him do all the talking while you do all the listening.

One of the smallest packages we ever saw was a man who was wholly wrapped up in himself.

Ninety-Three Will Graduate At The Forty-ninth Commencement Exercises; U.S., Korea And Canada Represented



Graduates To Hear Dr. Bogue

The Commencement address for the 1957 graduating class of Freed-Hardeman College, Henderson, Tennessee, will be delivered by Dr. Jesse P. Bogue. The Commencement exercises will begin at 2 p.m. June 6.

Jesse P. Bogue, Executive Secretary, American Association of Junior Colleges, Washington, D. C. Born on a plantation near Athens, Alabama, he received his early education in a rural school in that state, academy and college education in Indiana and has done graduate work at Boston and Northwestern Universities.

Dr. Bogue has been a college teacher, high school principal, and superintendent of schools. For 16 years he was president of Green Mountain Junior College, Poultney, Vermont. He served in the House of Representatives of the Vermont Legislature and assisted in passing the first law in the state to establish a minimum salary scale for public school teachers.

Dr. Bogue served overseas with a heavy artillery regiment during World War I.

He is the author of THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, a standard textbook in junior college education. He is the editor of AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES, second and third editions; editor of The Washington Newsletter; a regular contributor to The Junior College Journal and to other educational publications.

Dr. Bogue has held his present position during the past 10 years and has traveled into every state in the Nation to study junior colleges. During summer sessions he has taught at Harvard, University of Denver, University of Iowa, Michigan State College, George Peabody College, University of North Carolina and Kansas State Teachers College.

DEAN'S BREAKFAST TO HONOR SENIORS

The Dean's Breakfast will be held Thursday morning, June 6, at 7:03, in the college cafeteria, to honor graduating seniors.

Special guests will be sponsor, Dale Buckley, and his wife, Dean and Mrs. Gardner and Wilma Pounds.

Freshman Alpha Gamma Delta girls and freshman Home-maker girls will serve.

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The forty-ninth Commencement Exercise will be held at Freed-Hardeman College on June 6 for ninety-three graduates who will receive the Associate in Arts Degree. The Baccalaureate service will be conducted in the Henderson Church of Christ at 10:00 a.m. Earl West of Indianapolis, Indiana, will deliver the sermon. At the 2 p.m. Commencement Exercises, the address will be given by Dr. Jesse P. Bogue, Executive Secretary of the American Association of Junior Colleges, Washington, D. C. President H. A. Dixon will confer the A.A. degrees on the largest graduating class in the history of the college.

Twenty-two states and two foreign countries—Korea and Canada—are represented in the class. The three top states are Tennessee with 28 students, Alabama with 13 and 12 from Kentucky.

Of the 93 graduates there are 58 men and 35 women. Thirteen of the class are married. Of the varied fields of preparation, young men planning to preach rank first. Thirty-six have a major in Bible. The three next highest are Education, 18; Business Administration, 16; and Liberal Arts, 13.

On Commencement Day Secretarial Certificates, one and two year, will be presented to 15 students and Third Year Certificates of Achievement in Bible will be awarded to 9 young men.

Honor Students
According to Dean-Registrar, E. Claude Gardner, the Valedictorian is Lorraine Hunter of Alexandria, North Carolina, who has majored in Business Administration. She has a 2.84 quality point average and will graduate magna cum laude. DeWayne Shappley of Fruitvale, Tennessee, a Bible major, is the salutatorian. He will also graduate magna cum laude with a 2.78 quality point average. Other honor students named for magna cum laude honors are Margaret Rose with a 2.73 and Francis Williams, 2.73. Eight other honor students will graduate cum laude: Joe Taylor, 2.62; Rhinard Troup, 2.57; Clyde Woods, 2.54; Bettie Burgin, 2.54; Doris Brooks, 2.46; David Williams, 2.41; Betty Jo Walker, 2.41; and Ann Tatum, 2.40.

List of Graduates
The following are candidates for graduation in June: William Clayton Adams, Wildersville, Tennessee; Carl Edward Adkins, Union City, Tennessee; Shirley Grace Alexander, Savannah, Tennessee; August Annette Allmond, Aberdeen, Mississippi; Carole Elaine Balkcom, Macon, Georgia; Darrell Evans Beard, Salem, Illinois; Bonnie Nell Beavers, Lexington, Alabama; Carol Olene Bell, Arbyrd, Missouri; Paula Sue Black, Hohenwald, Tennessee; Edwin Wyeth Blackwell, Chattanooga, Tennessee; Billy Steel Bowen, Bon Aqua, Tennessee; Doris Jean Brooks, Athens, Alabama; Sandra Carolyn Bruce, Jackson, Mississippi; Bettie Lou Burgin, Bardtown, Kentucky; James Edward Canter, Lynnville, Ky.

Anna Gail Cox, Hazel Park, Michigan; Seth Lee Daniel, Clarksville, Arkansas; Lynn Gardner Darnall, Hardin, Kentucky; Delores Diane Davis, Perkinsville, Vermont; James Herbert Dean, Hornbeak, Tennessee.

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This issue marks the last for the 1956-57 school session. We of the paper staff have strived through the year to make the Skyrocket a good college paper. We realize that sometimes we did not live up to this goal but we can always say we tried. We want to thank everyone who helped us in any way and special thanks go to the merchants and businessmen who financially contributed. The selection of a new editor is still pending but we wish the best of luck to whomever is selected.

All in all, this has been a fine year and we leave you with best wishes for the future.

REFLECTIONS
ON PARTING

By Alan Highers

In a very few days, many students of Freed-Hardeman College will have seen some of their friends for the last time. Others will be reunited next year, or during the summer, or throughout life. A few may be well known so that others will be aware of their careers through coming years. Who knows what the future will bring.

But one thing is certain. People will observe the conduct of those who have been here. They will judge by what they see. The Gentiles did that when they saw the disgraceful behavior of the Jews. They formed an opinion of God by the way His people acted, and Paul said "the name of God (was) blasphemed among the Gentiles" because of their demeanor. (Rom. 2:23-24). In this day when men and women notice how God's people manage their lives, they very often judge the entire church by what they have seen. The same is true regarding Freed-Hardeman College. As people view the products of this school, they will form an opinion about the type of training given here. If a young man becomes an obvious failure in preaching; if he hinders the work of a congregation in so doing, those people will probably resolve to use no more preachers who have been educated at this college—regardless of whether that has anything to do with it. WHY? People will somehow be judging your roommate or the person across the hall from you by the way YOU act. That is one important reason that every person leaving should make an honest effort to do right. His conduct—good or bad—will reflect on others, on the school and on the church.

The Godly example, training and leadership furnished by various ones should be enough to fortify each student for what may come. The aggressive leadership of H. A. Dixon; the sage wisdom of W. Claude Hall; the humble example of Frank VanDyke; the personal counselling of Thomas Scott; the sparkling wit of John Brinn; the overflowing enthusiasm of W. A. Bradfield; and the countless other good characteristics of these and others should remain with students long after the pages of yearbooks have faded. Indeed, we are a "part of everything we have met."

Do not leave any unsettled accounts, any misplaced affections, or any bitter feelings. There may never be a chance to correct them later. You see some faces today that you will never see again. Be sure to leave them with a genuine smile. "Bless them that persecute you; bless

DON GARDNER
SPEAKS AT CHAPEL

On Monday, May 27, Don Gardner of Jackson, spoke to the chapel assembly on "The Problem of Recreation and How to Choose It as a Christian."

Don, the brother of Dean Gardner, is presently working with the Allen Street Congregation in Jackson but plans to move to the Pittsburgh area July 1, to aid in the work to be started there.

Speaking on the subject which has caused much controversy, he said that it was necessary for everyone to get some recreation in order to revitalize himself and to get the energy to prepare for the life's work.

In choosing our forms of recreation, he stated that we should follow certain principals laid down in the Bible. In choosing a certain form we should ask ourselves these questions: Is this right or wrong in itself? Does this injure the body? Does it interfere with my duty to God? Does it destroy my influence? Does it appeal to the indecent or base within me?

"SUCCESS" IS TITLE
OF ADDRESS MADE
BY HILL IN CHAPEL

A. R. Hill of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, spoke to the chapel assembly Friday, May 25.

He is the father of Albert and a long-standing supporter of the college.

Using as his subject, "Success", he explained that it is possible for everyone to make a success but that preparation must be made first. One must start at the bottom, lay a good foundation and work upward.

Success, he said, depended on three factors: laying a good foundation, going the right way, and keeping on.

and curse not. Rejoice with them that rejoice; weep with them that weep. Be of the same mind one toward another. Set not your mind on high things, but condescend to things that are lowly. Be not wise in your own conceits. Render to no man evil for evil. Take thought for things honorable in the sight of all men. If it be possible, as much as in you lieth, be at peace with all men. Avenge not yourselves, beloved, but give place unto the wrath of God; for it is written, Vengeance belongeth unto me; I will recompense, saith the Lord. But if thine enemy hunger, feed him; if he thirst, give him to drink; for in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire upon his head. Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good." (Romans 12:14-21).

Campus
Searchlight

With the beautiful weather we have had lately, it's really hard to stay indoors. The mid-night oil is burning once again to aid poor souls in their struggles to pass. I've never seen so many studious people. The yearbooks are receiving nearly as much attention as the books. I can't blame anyone though, aren't they wonderful?

Congratulations to the newlyweds BILL FREEMAN and the former MARION BOLING. We wish for you the best in everything.

BROTHER ZICKEFOOSE is a person who possesses many talents, but there's one I hadn't heard about recently. A music class received tonettes to practice teaching songs. This accounts for the piping songs we have heard lately. Not to be outdone, Brother Zic plays a nostril poka instead of simply playing it with his mouth. You have never heard such sweet music.

Everyone seemed to have a good time at the school picnic. Wouldn't it be nice if we could do that every week. Baseball and boating sure were fun. PERRY LUCAS and BERNEY WAITE know how to meddle with the peddle to make a puddle, but there is going rebuttal.

The other day in Psychology, the class was discussing classroom attention and how it could be obtained. To illustrate getting the attention of every member in the class, BROTHER BRINN put a chair on his desk and stood on his head! It's amazing what some people will do just to get attention!

There are so many diamonds sparkling around campus that it almost blinds ones eyes. Congratulations to the newly engaged couples, GAYLE WILLIAMS and DON RICHARDSON, CYNTHIA NEAL and LYNN DARNELL. The best of luck and happiness to you always.

TOMMY JAMES was telling a student the other day about a horse out at Chickasaw that minded so well. He said he was riding it and it went right over a cliff. Said it might have killed him but he hollered "Whoah" just about four feet before he hit bottom.

Barnyards are usually heard out in the country, but not in town. The other night in the girls' dorm, there could be heard crows, pigs, roosters and other animals. It was so realistic that MISS LORA had to investigate the matter.

You've heard of absent-minded professors. Well, it seems FHC has some of them too. The Lit class was meeting for a test. BROTHER HICKS walked in and asked them what verse they were on and proceeded to begin teaching.

JUNE ROGERS, where were you when the lights came back on? That was a tough situation, wasn't it?

JIMMY CLIFFORD seems to have an interest around the campus lately and it doesn't concern books either. Maybe MARVEY WELLS could tell us something about this.

DIXIE AKINS is very interested in all the athletic contests, but especially in track. JAMES can run a good race, can't he Dixie?

ANNETTE ALLMOND really thinks she has troubles. The other day she was telling about them. She said she never had but two lovers and now they're both gone. Her parakeet flew away and her dog kicked the bucket!

Several of the girls on campus have had their locks sheared lately. One boy was heard to say "You can't tell if it's a girl that just had a hair cut or a boy who needs one."

BROTHER BROWN made a big splash at the Alpha Tau picnic. To keep his watch from getting wet, he put it in his pocket. Now that's logic.

A hint to the wise is sufficient.



MAGNA CUM LAUDE: Left to right: Frances Williams, Lorraine Hunter, Margaret Rose and Dwayne Shappley.



CUM LAUDE: Back row, left to right: Joe Taylor Rhinard Troupe, and Clyde Woods. Front Row, Ann Tatum, Doris Brooks, Betty Walker, and Bettie Burgin. (David Williams, not shown).

4 Alumni Banquets
Slated For June

Four more Freed-Hardeman College Alumni Banquets are scheduled for 1957.

The FHC Alumni Banquet will be held in Henderson, Tennessee, Tuesday, June 4, at 7:00 p.m. Owen Freeman of Corinth, Mississippi is president of this chapter; O. D. Johns of Milan, vice-president and Eleanor Kenner of Belts, Tennessee, secretary. Reservations may be made through W. A. Bradfield, Henderson. The cost per plate will

be \$1.25.

Don't sneak up on someone in the shower room when someone is sneaking up on you.

Some more steadies have been added to the long, long list. Congratulations to JANE EZZELL and JERRY TAYLOR, JANET SMITH and DON TAYLOR, JERRY BARBER and BILL FORRESTER, and NANCY PRICE and CARL ADKINS.

While walking across the campus one day, I heard a wild ape call that sounded like one from the jungle. I turned around surprised to see that it was only J. P. JORDAN calling some of his toughies.

JOHN HARRIS just wasn't one bit interested in girls at the first of school. Now that he has stayed around FHC awhile his views have changed and he is seen with ANOLA GOULD quite frequently.

I've enjoyed flashing the searchlight around the campus this year. It has turned up some things brightly. I hope everyone has a wonderful vacation. To those who are not returning, may the future bring you many blessings. To those who are returning, may you have another wonderful year.

God bless you
SHIRLEY ALEXANDER.

Sunday, June 9, an alumni banquet will be held at the YWCA, 314 Fourth Street, Bay City, Michigan. There will be a pot-luck dinner at 1:30 p.m. with a program to follow immediately. Reservations for this banquet may be made through E. Maynard, 2371 Wheeler Road, Bay City, Michigan.

Monday, June 10, at the Normandy, 24381 Woodward at Ten Mile Road in Royal Oak, Michigan, another FHC alumni banquet will be held. The banquet will begin at 7:30 p.m. Triber Acre of Van Dyke, Michigan is president of this chapter; Leamon Platt, Allen Park, Michigan, vice-president and Joyce Luther, Royal Oak, Michigan, secretary. Reservations may be made through Triber Acre. The cost per plate will be \$2.30.

The Happy Days Shelter House, Virginia Kendall Metropolitan Park, Midway between Akron and Cleveland, Ohio, will be the scene of a FHC alumni banquet Tuesday, June 11. The banquet will begin at 7:30 p.m. and dinner will be served in pot-luck style. K. D. Maynard of Lorain, Ohio, is president of this chapter; Dave Bowers of Akron, Ohio, vice-president and Mrs. Dave Bowers, secretary. Reservations may be made through Dave Bowers.

Thursday, June 13, at 6:30 p.m. (EST), a banquet will be held at the Wilmar Cafeteria in Parkersburg, West Virginia. The cost per plate will be \$1.75. Glen Graham of Columbus, Ohio, is vice-president and Betty Ann Miller of Vienna, West Virginia, is secretary. Reservations may be made through Miss Miller.

Landlady: How do you like this room as a whole?
Billy Randall: As a hole, I like it fine; as a room not so good.

Of all human inventions, the most worthless is an excuse.

Modernism Reviewed

On April 29, Olan L. Hicks spoke to the FHC student body on the subject of Modernism.

Hicks who has spent much time in the study of Modernism revealed his keen interest in the subject as he related the difference in the real meaning of Modernism and that which is commonly held.

The following is an outline of the speech which will be of aid to the preacher students and others who might be interested in this study.

THE CHURCH AND MODERNISM

What is Modernism, Liberalism? What it is not. To understand this radical type of liberalism we must examine its origins.

I. Its Roots:

- A. Theory of evolution—Darwin, 1859. This theory of history remodeled the facts and put man on an escalator going eternally upward.
- B. New Historical criticism.
- C. New "science" and so-called scientific method and temper, which in the rank and file was no more than a passion to be up-to-date. This group revolted at and rejected all supernaturalism. Nothing could remain. Discarded.
1. Revelation.
2. Miracles.
3. Virgin birth.
4. Resurrection.
5. Atonement and sin.
6. Heaven and hell, prophecy.

II. Humanistic dogmas:

1. "The fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man."
2. Remodelled Christ into the "Jesus of history." Rediscovered.
3. Rejected all absolute values—for tentative ones. Wandering stars.
4. "Social Gospel".
5. Expected ethical results without ethical stimuli. They were clouds without water. It became like organizing a vast hunting expedition to go to the Museum of natural history. They expected golden eggs after they had killed the goose that lays them. They killed Cock Robin but still wanted him to sing as lustily as ever."

III. Later Developments —

- A. A world church—"world council".
- B. Grandly political, with plans for controlling all religions all missions, radio, etc. National Council of Religious Education; Federal Council of Churches of Christ; Controls school, mission boards, and denominational machinery, and now even controls translations. It holds every chief citadel of protestantism—its institutions, its endowments, and its prestige.

IV. What are the Facts about it?

- A. Inherently hypocritical lacking in integrity.
- V. Personal observations.

Conclusion.

It seems that many a train of thought has too many loco motives.

An active mind in an active body adds much to life, especially for a pedestrian.

LOCK SPEAKS ON SERVICES AFFORDED CHRISTIAN LAWYER

Chapel guest speaker for Monday, May 20, was Foster Lock, practicing attorney of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

Lock, a newly selected member of the FHC Advisory Committee, has practiced law at Lawrenceburg since 1930. He is a member of the Tennessee Bar Association and has appeared in most of the courtrooms of the state including that of the state Supreme Court.

Lock's subject was The Opportunities of Service Afforded a Christian Lawyer. He stated that all people are lawyers, not in the legal sense but in the representative sense, and should devote their lives in service to mankind.



A great many of the students were eager to tell everyone what their favorite saying is. One student stated that it was definitely slang and not a saying, so slang it is and here they are:

- Jack Esslinger, "Who said sweep?"
- Max Ray, "Pick up your socks."
- Gail Short, "Nuts!"
- Dicky Palmer, "Oh my goodness."
- Bob Langston, "It don't make much difference."
- Betty Cooke, "Neil Smith."
- Pat McKay, "Good Night!"
- Nathan Richburg, "I don't know." "Oh, Brother!"
- Linis Nowell, "Y'all come, you cotton pickers!"
- Bobby Summar, "I'll never tell!"
- Carol Williams, "la-de-da."
- Carl Adkin, "That beats it" and "Just be that way."
- Nelson Warren, "I am really serious."
- Larry Sims, "I am really tasting it."
- Phil Sumerall, "What in the world."
- George Bessent, "Ah, shut up."
- Alan Highers, "Holy St. John Birchman."
- Bill Lambert, "Who, me"
- Helen Carter, "Great day in the morning."
- Katy Kneadham, "Oh, foot."
- Carry McClain, "You're crazy."
- Arlene Hogan, "Snake hips."
- Linda Forrester, "Get up."
- Billy Bowen, "Sho nuf."
- Jhin, "Cot-ton pick."

TRUE LOVE

I've dreamed of you and now you're mine,
I loved you from the start
Since first my eyes beheld you,
And your beauty thrilled my heart.
Ah, what a price I had to pay
And yet it cannot mar,
The joy I feel at last to own
A new 1957 car!

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Ninety-three To Graduate June 6

see; Virginia Dover, St. Clair Shores, Michigan; Eddie Lynn Dunn, Detroit, Michigan; Anthony Wayne Emmons, Mayfield, Kentucky; Albert C. England, Horse Cave, Kentucky; Jack Hobson Esslinger, Tusculum, Alabama; Huel Dean Evans, Oakman, Alabama; Walter Lee Fennel, Ferndale, California; Martha Lynn Fly, Humboldt, Tennessee; Billy Gene Forrester, Union City, Tennessee.

Rhonella Marie Fox, Crossville, Tennessee; Hugh Gilbert Fulford, DeFuniak Springs, Florida; Joseph Edward Galoway, Parkersburg, West Virginia; William Terry Gregory, East Prairie, Missouri; Opal Clydene Guy, Akron, Ohio; Donald Dean Harriman, Redondo Beach, California; Alan Edward Highers, Clovis, New Mexico; Albert Ross Hill, Murfreesboro, Tennessee; Ronald Lee Hill, Mobile, Alabama; Charles Kenneth Hoover, Henderson, Tenn.; George Robert Hufstutter, Bell City, Missouri; Joy Lorraine Hunter, Alexander, North Carolina; Sherald Lynn Jernigan, Evansville, Indiana; Kyo Ryoon Jhin, Seoul, Korea; Thurston Joe Johnson, Florence, Alabama.

Lillian Adelia Jones, Memphis, Tenn.; Betty Jean Lancaster, Centerville, Tenn.; Bobby Gene Langston, Dongola, Illinois; Ouida Merilin Lawrence, Mayfield, Kentucky; Glenda Joann Lemmons, Bell City, Missouri; David Frank Liddbury, Saskatchewan, Canada; Sue Lane Loftin, Coushatta, Louisiana; Kerry Gene McClain, Palmersville, Tenn.; Robert Everett McGuire, Thayer, Missouri; Patricia Ann McKay, Athens, Alabama; James Hadley Maxwell, Colorado Springs, Colorado; Hazel Virginia Melton, Rochester, New York; Rollie Tichenor Miller, Jr., Paris, Tenn.; Jerry Lynn Moore, Henderson, Tenn.; Jimmy Talley Morris, Henderson, Tenn.; Arnold Morton, Henderson, Tennessee.

Judy Faye Pepper, Athens, Alabama; David Renn Pharr, Wilkesboro, North Carolina; Max Darrell Ray, Gamaliel, Kentucky; Clara June Rogers, Sallito, Mississippi; Wallace

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DLC VALEDICTORIAN IS SARA DIXON

It has recently been announced that Miss Sara Dixon, the daughter of President H. A. Dixon is the valedictorian of David Lipscomb College for this year.

Miss Dixon who was also the valedictorian of the graduating class of Freed-Hardeman in 1955 has received a scholarship for doing graduate work at the University of Alabama.

Gerald Romine, Rogersville, Alabama; Margaret Lanelie Rose, Rosiclare, Illinois; August Cleveland Ruff, Athens, Ala.; Kenneth Elmer Samuel, Rogersville, Missouri; Landon Brady Saunders, Scott Depot, West Virginia; Homer Dwayne Shapley, Fruitvale, Tenn.; Sherry Gail Short, Moulton, Alabama; Larry Darnell Sims, Mayfield, Kentucky; Jerry Wilford Smelser, Red Bay, Alabama; Everett Lee Smith, Sacramento, California; Ima Janet Smith, Henderson, Tenn.

Joyce Evelyn Stanfill, Henderson, Tennessee; Donald Pat Starks, Henderson, Tennessee; Bobby Glenn Stewart, Troy, Tennessee; Ann Moody Tatum, Bowling Green, Kentucky; Joseph Monroe Taylor, Huron, Ohio; Tula Jean Terry, Decatur, Alabama; Dorothy Lee Thames, Manchester, Alabama; Billy Doyle Thomas, Happy, Kentucky; Fay L. Todd, Jr., Lexington, Tennessee; Rhinard Charles Troup, Harbor Springs, Michigan; Roy Dean Verner, Mt. Pleasant, Texas; Barbara Jeanette Walker, Savannah, Tenn.

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TRAINING CLASS HAS FINAL MEET OF YEAR

Monday night, May 27, the Girl's Religious Training Class met for its last meeting of the 1956-57 FHC school session.

Four senior girls, each speaking on what Freed-Hardeman College and the Girls' Religious Training Class had meant to them, and a short talk by Miss Lora made up the program. The speakers were Adelia Jones, Joann Lemmons, Margaret Rose and Rhonella Fox.

President Ann Cox and vice-president Sandra Bruce also gave brief talks to the group.

At the close of the meeting tears were to be found in nearly every eye of the members of the group at the thought of separation from the friends they have made and love.

Nomination of girls for president for the 1957-58 session was also held. After the completion of the program the group was dismissed in prayer by June Rogers.

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LION'S ROAR

Everything has an end, except eternity, and we have almost reached the end of another school year. As far as intercollegiate sports are concerned the end came last week. Intramurals are still being held as this is being written, but by the time you are reading this account in the "Skyrocket" all will have been put under the wraps until next year.

Thanks to Bro. Zickefoose the student body has enjoyed the best P. E. program in the history of the school. Someone has said that "variety is the spice of life," well, Bro. Z. must believe this, for, there have been contests in everything from checkers to football. Much improvement has been made, and there is room for more, but Bro. Z. has done a wonderful job with the equipment the school has provided. (More equipment, more improvement!)

This year has been a good one for the sports-minded. In basketball the team scored an overwhelming victory over Lipscomb. The record on the whole was fine, but that one game was, in the minds of many, the very best. Jerry Moore was voted M.V. P. for the second consecutive year.

Baseball and tennis always take the limelight in the spring. This year rain hampered the baseball team a lot, but the season was not too bad. The record is an unusual conglomeration that is seldom seen. (3 wins, 6 losses and 2 ties).

Errors were the downfall of many games, but this is not all the fault of the team. Many were, but most of it may have been caused by the loss of practice. "Old Man Weather" played havoc with the days of practice and poured "gallons" of water on the field at least twice a week during the season. We can't lay all the blame on either element, because the teams around us had the same trouble and some of them managed to come out on top. Neither is the fault Bro. Whittle's, for he has done a fine job by whipping his material into pretty good shape. We are all good at "projection", but "give honor to whom honor is due" or in this case "put the blame where it is due and do a lot better next time" — Delbert Flack leading batter - 375.

Tennis plays an important part in the spring activities. This year the boys nearly "battered" 1,000! With a record of 7-0 they faced Bethel on their home court and met defeat. However we won't complain one bit, at least not with a record like that. (7 wins—1 loss). Don Harri-man played like an old pro. Woody was close behind and some said in a couple of matches he looked like "Pancho Gonzales". I predict that if Harri-man's future wife lets him continue to play tennis we will hear a lot about him in the years to come.

The "weaker sex" turned in a mighty good record in this game of tennis. The season ended with a score of 3 wins and 5 losses.

Intramurals were very interesting this year. Football, basketball, volleyball, track, softball, tennis, checkers and almost anything else one could name. In most intras, the Alpha Taus and Phi Kappas have been "nip and tuck" all the way.

Softball season ended with the Phi Kappa men leading 6-0. The A.T.L. men were second, Philos third, and Sigma Rhos fourth. Old "Rag Arm" Langston squeezed through with a record of 5-0. The all-star team has been selected, but the names are not available at this time. (Prediction) Ruff-C.; Langston, p; Logan, 2nd; Webb, ss; That is as far as we will venture, because our neck might get chopped off if we stick it out too far.

See you next year if bird dogs fly backwards.

Even if you are on the right track you will get run over if you just sit there.

Gurganus To Study Missions On Trip To U.S.

On June 2, George Gurganus who for the past seven and one-half years has done evangelistic work in Tokyo, Japan, boarded a plane on his way to the States—taking the long way back. The return trip will take three months and will carry him into at least a score of countries of the Orient, Africa, Europe, and South America before he arrives in Henderson, Tennessee, the last week in August.

The trip is being made by Gurganus to study first-hand the work, needs, progress and prospects of the numerous mission fields where workers of the church are presently engaged in evangelistic work and to bring the information thus gained to the attention of the members in the United States, and especially to prepare facts for a course he will teach in Freed-Hardeman College next fall.

Brother Gurganus, a native of Alabama, has been in Japan since Thanksgiving day, 1949. His keen interest in missionary work and fields has led him to pioneer in such work both in Japan and in the States. Before going to the Orient he was instrumental in 1942 in the beginning of the work of the church in Syracuse, New York. While residing there he assisted in launching the annual camps which have been a successful feature in evangelism in New York State.

Since entering Japan he has labored with zeal among natives and with U. S. Service personnel stationed in the area. His work with servicemen and natives resulted in building the Yoyogi-Hachiman church into the largest in the Tokyo area and when the congregation became self-supporting in 1954 Gurganus took employment as Educational Advisor for the United States Air Force and later as Educational Director, while continuing his evangelistic labors.

His study will include stops at Hong Kong where he will visit the work being done by Ira Y. Rice and his co-workers and make studies of prospects for work in the section. June 19 he will arrive for a brief visit to the work in the Philippines. A similar brief stay will follow in the Saigon sector, followed by a ten-day survey of Singapore and neighboring fields.

Stops will likewise be made in Bombay, India, Aden, Arabia and Nairobi. In Africa he will make an extended visit to the various groups of workers including those in Northern and Southern Rhodesia, and the Union of South Africa, French West Africa, Nigeria and French Equatorial Africa. Trips into these sections will be launched



BASEBALL TEAM: Kneeling, left to right, Ronald McIndoo, (manager), Ronnie Hill, Eddie Haycraft, Danny Eubanks, Delbert Flack, Dwayne Curtis, Karl Steakley, Donald Gale, Josh Lewis, Huel Evans, Dan Futrell; Standing left to right, Walker Whittle (coach), Walt Fennel, Jim Clary, Jerry Taylor, Bill Bowen, Jerry Moore, John Smith, Jerry Walker (manager), Don Taylor, Ancil Jenkins (manager).

from Livingston, Brazzaville, Lagos and Dakar.

August 12 will find Gurganus taking flight to South America, where he will visit various points for a study of conditions and prospects for evangelization. He will make special studies in Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo and Lima before completing a 12-day round in South America.

U. S. bound, he will stop for a day in Panama City, and then arrive in Havana, Cuba, on Saturday, August 24.

His wife, Irene, and children will arrive in Henderson, Tennessee in July, and be joined by him immediately after his arrival in the States.

Brother Gurganus received his B.A. Degree from Harding College in 1939, and his M.A. Degree from Syracuse University in 1947 as well as another M.A. Degree from Harding College in 1954.

He will join the Freed-Hardeman staff as chairman of the English Department and will offer the special course in World Missions.

FACULTY MEMBERS CONDUCT MEETINGS

Gospel meetings have been conducted recently by two members of the FHC faculty.

John Brinn, head of the Education department, held a meeting at Selmer, Tennessee, May 19 through 29.

J. Walker Whittle, member of the Business Administration department, conducted a meeting at the Cabo Community Church May 19 through 25.

Silence is the only successful substitute for brains.

FAREWELL THOUGHTS

By Kyo Ryoan Jhin

It doesn't seem like that I have been in FHC two years already, but the time has come to me and I will be graduating on June 6. I am very grateful for the honor of graduating from such a Christian Institution as Freed-Hardeman College.

It seems like it was yesterday when I was shaking hands with all the good friends of FHC saying "Glad to meet you", but now it is the time we have to say "Been good to know you", or "Good luck to you". Of course, I am planning to come back, but to those of you who won't, we of FHC want you to know that we will miss you next year. And we wish you the best of luck in the world in whatever you may do, wherever you may go.

For myself, I really enjoyed my two years of life in FHC very much. And because of your Christian love, I could keep my smile all the time even though I have been away from my family almost seven years. I am very thankful to God for the opportunity that I had meeting all of you. At this time I want to thank you from the bottom of my deepest heart for your wonderful hospitality. It is my prayer that our good friendship will last forever and keep closer always, as I would not change our friendship for anything in this world.

May God bless you all and keep you all until we meet again.

elected:

President, George Cooper, secretary, Glenda Haynie, and treasurer, Betty Powers.

Several FBLA members have been busy typing term papers for the students. This is one of the money-making projects planned for next year.

HOMEMAKERS CLUB NAMES OFFICERS

The officers for the Homemakers Club were selected and installed at the last meeting of the club.

Officers installed were as follows: Gayle Beasley, president; Jean Newman, vice-president; Sylvia Johnson, secretary; Jo Ann Harvick, Treasurer. The remaining officers will be elected next year. After the installation ceremony refreshments were served.

A gift of appreciation was presented to Elaine Balkcom, the president this year. Miss Billie Ann Buford and Mrs. Olan Hicks will be the sponsors again next year.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR '57-'58 FBLA

The Future Business Leaders of America met for a business meeting on May 23. The main purpose of the meeting was the election of officers for the year 1957-58. The following were

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