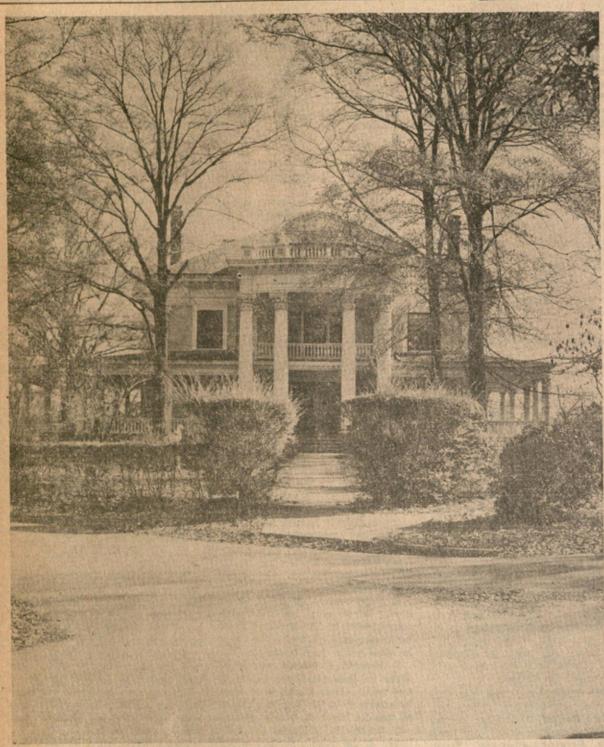
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F. H. C. Campus To Be Expanded



The Clyde Purdy Home

Registration Is Completed

As registration closed on February 8, enrollment for the spring semester was four hundred fourteen. However, a few more students will still register. The normal drop was noticed from the four hundred fifty-five of the fall semester.

Twenty new students register-

Miss Lora Conducts Class

A Christian training and leadership program was held at the Harding Academy Building Memphis each evening, Febary 1-5, from 7:30 to 9:00 P.M. Aliss Lora Laycook, supervisor of H. A. Dixon Hall, participated in this program. She conducted a class for pre-school teachers and mothers in this Training for Service Series. Sponsors of this were the Memphis congregations.

Miss Laycook is familiar with this work, having conducted other training courses. In 1956 her book, Teaching the Bible to Children, was published.

the 1959-60 term. Several of these students have attended in previous years but this is the first semester for some. These new students are: Darris Mae Boothe, Barbara Joan Bray, Judy Catherine Camper, James Dale Carter, Harrel Dean Davidson, Omega Davidson, William Derrel Davis, Gary Donald Damron, Patrick Cecil Etheridge, Frances Ellen Goff, Jerry Francis Hissong, Raymond Dale Lemmons, Truda E. Pankey, A. L. (Billy) Ross, Hazel Juanita Sellars, Gala Jean Shappley, Ralph Thompson Stover, Barbara Kay Timberlake, Hermon Gillis Wallace, Jr., Dorothy Guenita Wells and Jackie Simon.

Book Drive Opens

The Freed-Hardeman Library Club recently announced the opening of a drive to get 25,000 volumes for the library. "The books are greatly needed to help keep Freed-Hardeman a fine educational institution. The use of the library is up thirty percent over last year, and with an expected increase in enrollment, we must have more books," said Jim Grotts.

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ed for the second semester of WE CANNOT WAIT

By G. K. Wallace
The directors, the faculty, and the alumni of Freed-Hardeman College do not wish to deny the right of any young person to attend Freed-Hardeman College. If our enrollment continues to increase as expected, we must either expand or limit the number who enroll.

We cannot wait. The only available piece of property in Henderson adjacent to our campus is the Purdy property which consists of eleven acres of land and a thirteen room colonial home that would take \$50,000.00 to replace. This land, if broken up and sold in lots, as building sites would be worth in the neighborhood of \$20,000.00. This property, when ours, will more than double our campus and will give us room to expand. One thousand dollars has been paid as a retainer on this property and we must raise this money within one year or lose our option.

We need your personal influence and help and your contribution that we may take one of the greatest forward steps for Freed-Hardeman College that has been made since her founding in 1908. May we hear from you at once?

Mrs. Wright Donates Property

The greatest forward step Freed-Hardeman College has taken in many years, the addition of approximately thirteen and one half acres of land to the campus, has been announced by President Dixon.

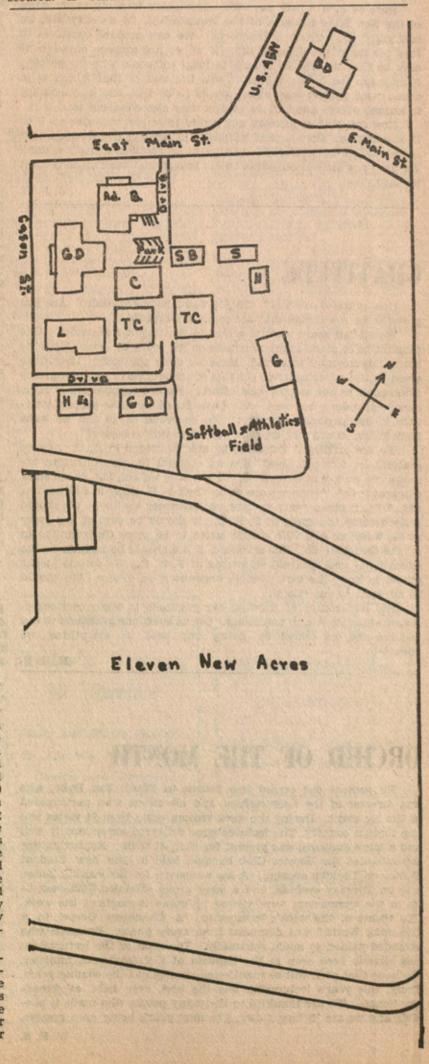
For years FHC has operated on a limited land area because suitable land for expansion was not available.

An option to purchase approximately eleven acres of land from Mrs. Clyde Purdy has been secured. A beautiful thirteen

room colonial home that could be used for young men students of FHC, sits on this land which is located just south of the present campus.

A retainer has been paid Mrs. Purdy by the Board of Directors who must execute their option within the next twelve months. The college has been granted this twelve month period to raise the funds for the purchase of this property.

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NEGLECT ----- LOST

Why do we fail in certain of our studies? So many times it is due to a lack of interest. Since this is true, can we also attribute the failures and low grades in our Bible courses to a lack of interest? Can we maintain that we are true Christians and at the same time show such a shocking disregard for our Bible studies. Do we, most of whom were reared in Christian homes, and have had a reasonable foundation for our Bible studies, pretend that our shameful failures are due to inability? Or do we, who plan to be teachers of the word of God, think that we have already attained a state of perfection and that we need no longer apply our utmost ability to the search for knowledge? If we think that we need not study, or that we do not have the ability to do certain work, we are merely "compassing a mountain" of stagnation which will eventually become our lifetime prison.

Here at F. H. C. we have the opportunity to study under some of the best Bible students of the brotherhood. If we only will, we can grasp that which is before us. We can prepare ourselves to face the many problems of life. If we do not prepare ourselves it may be that we will be unable to help someone who is groping blindly for the better things of this life and of that which is to come. Our neglect may cause others to be lost, and our inability to answer others due to that neglect may also condemn us.

How many of us have on our record from last semester an F or D, showing our utter lack of willpower to conquer the things which are set before us? What do we hope to accomplish by such action? We have not applied ourselves to the fullest, and our shame is open for all to see.

J. N. B.

GRATITUDE

How grateful are you? Do you show your gratitude? Are you grateful for the things that are really important?

We all fall short when it comes to showing our gratitude. Our families have made many sacrifices so we could be here. Have we been truly grateful to them? Have we done our best? They have given us the opportunity to get this education. Have we been grateful enough to put out our best effort? I don't suppose many of us have really done our best. We have failed to show proper gratitude to our parents. They want to be proud of us and we want them to be, so why not try your very best this semester?

We are privileged indeed to be able to attend F. H. C. Are we grateful for this privilege? Are we grateful for this Christian atmosphere we live in at F. H. C.? I am sure we are, but do we show our gratitude? When we are away from F. H. C., is it still part of us? Or is it like a coat; we take off whenever we like? We should truly develop the spirit of F. H. C. It should be part of our every move, word, or act. We should strive to be more Christianlike in all the things we do. Our standard of life should be as high as the educational and spiritual standards of F. H. C. We owe it to our school to leave the best possible impression on others. We should be an asset to our school.

The importance of showing our gratitude is often overlooked. A new semester is now beginning. Let us show our gratitude to our families and our school by doing our best in everything we

ORCHID OF THE MONTH

We present our orchid this month to Frank Van Dyke, who was director of the Lectureships, and all others who participated in the big event. During the week visitors came from 24 states and one foreign country. The lectures were delivered exceptionally well and a large audience was present for each of them. Approximately 300 attended the Booster Club banquet held in the new Student Center on Tuesday evening. A tea was given for the visiting ladies, also on Tuesday evening, and a large group attended. The exhibits in the gymnasium were viewed by many throughout the week. The theme of the week's lectureship, "A Changless Gospel in a Changing World," was discussed from every phase. Everyone who attended gained so much spiritually. The good of the lectureships has already been seen in the baptism of a Presbyterian minister. We hope that good will be manifested throughout the coming years. Truly, this year's lectureship was the best ever held at Freed-Hardeman. We are thankful to the many people who made it possible and we are looking forward to next year's being even greater.

Girls Out-do Boys

Recently Mr. K. V. George spoke concerning the rise of Christianity in India. were approximately four times as many girls present as boys. Also the Girls Religious Training Class is much better attended than the Preachers Club. It is also obvious that more boys are absent from Bible study

Boys, what is wrong with us? We want to exert our influence as leaders, but we don't want to put out enough energy to learn Where is how to be a leader. that large group of boys that was meeting for Preachers Club at the first of the year. Only about one-third of them come Some boys only come when it is their time to speak, and then try to make all the mistakes possible in one speech. If they would come and benefit from the mistakes of others this would not be necessary. I wonder if we think that we can become profitable servants of the Lord and never put forth any effort.

Let us try to do better. The girls have shown a greater interest in religious matters than we have. Let us not disgrace ourselves by our absence from those activities which can be very helpful.

Religious Clubs

PREACHERS CLUB

Tonight Frank Van Dyke will begin a series of talks entitled "Lectures on Preaching." These lectures, sponsored by the Preachers Club, will occur every Monday night throughout February. The lectures will begin at 6:30 p.m. in chapel hall, and will last about one hour. The subjects for each Monday night are as follows: February 8th, "The Purpose of Preaching"; February 15th, "The Principles of Speech in Preaching"; February 22nd, "Literary Qualities in Preaching"; and Febru-"Bible Centered Preaching". The invitation to attend has been extended to all the preachers of the surrounding area. All preacher students and others, both boys and girls, are urged to attend.

The Preachers Club recently elected new officers. They are: James Baxter, President: Jimmy Miller, Vice President; and Leon Cole, Sergeant-at-arms. These boys and other members of the club will have charge of the program each night.

RELIGIOUS DEBATE CLUB

On February 18, the Religious Debate Club will present its first debate of this semester. Don Deffenbough and Dexter Sammons will be the opposing speakers.

The proposition is: Is it not in harmony for Churches of Christ to build and maintain Orphans Homes and homes for the aged such as Potters Orphans Home,

There will be a number of debates scheduled throughout the semester.

EVANGELISTIC FORUM

Wednesday night, K. V. George, a native of India, will speak at the Forum at 6:15 and at the church services at 7:30. Mr. George came to this country to get his Doctorate Degree. knew nothing of the Church of Christ in this country. He soon found that the church did exist as it does in India. A restoration began in India about forty years ago. Mr. George says there are about 35,000 Christians and about 200 preachers in his native India. He is now studying at Harding Graduate School at

SezSimple Club Simon

A few daze ago, I wuz in the hall outside Broken english class. I herd Professor Hall say that the dictionary wuz the final authority on whut words mean, how to spell words and how to pronounce thum. So, I've decided to write my own dictionary. He did say somethin about some feller named Western, Webcor or somethin but shorley mine is as good as theirrn. I thought you all would like a sample uv my new dictionary.

DINER - A chew-chew car. ZEBRA - A mule from Sang Sang

TELEVISION - Smog with knobs ICE CUBE - A reel cool

square RAISIN - A worried grape HOMEWORK - A do-in-

yourself idear STEAM — Water gone crazie with heat

PICNIC — Holiday with stings DESK — A waste-paper basket with drawers

Well, I guess moast uv you will want a copie of my new dictionary. If you does give me your name and address and I'll send you one when they come out. I'm having a bit of trouble gettin anyone to publish it but I'm workin on it.

Assignment FHC

Most Americans realize that science and mathematics are becoming increasingly important because of the highly technical age in which we live. However, instructors on the FHC campus find it harder than ever to interest students in Math. Perhaps, if some of the problems were rewritten, class interest would be revived. Below are a few examples:

1. John Smith has \$1.13. How many times can he eat with someone(?) in the Student Center if she eats cheeseburgers and he eats plain hamburgers?

2. Ronald Coleman wants to drive to Jackson three times in one week. How many times can he make it if he has 32 gallons of gas in his car, which generally makes 16 miles to the gallon? If he needs to buy more gas, how much will it take? and how much will he have left to buy fish sandwiches?

3. Joan Gould has five sweaters and six skirts. Sandy Monroe has seven sweaters and four skirts. Both wear the same size clothes. How many combinations could be made for each?

4. Professor Doyle needs to travel 300 miles for a preaching appointment. His Renault averages 30.3 miles to the gallon. How much money will he spend if he already has 2.3 gallons in the tank of the car and if the gas costs 29.9c a gallon, and how many breaths will it take for the service man to blow up the

5. Brenda Philips received two and three-fifths ounces of Chanel No. 5 for Christmas. If she uses one-sixteenth of an ounce for each date, for how many dates will it last?

FHC OFFICIALS LISTED IN WHO'S WHO

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President H. A. Dixon and E. Claude Gardner have been recognized by the Historical Record Association for their "distinguished accomplishments and service," and have been awarded a certificate of merit. Who's Who In Tennessee, which is published each year, will contain a biographical sketch of them.

S. N. E. A.

The Student NEA is not satisfied to be self-centered in all of its activities. Their program of "adoption" of one of the hospital wards at Western State continues to be one of the hospital's best service groups.

In addition to that work, a group joined the college quartet at Munford, January 28, and rendered a program at the church's youth rally. This was what is hoped to be a series of such gestures in an effort to interest our Christian youth in more wholesome forms of recreation.

ALPHA GAMMA DELTA

The membership of the Alpha Gamma Delta is soon to increase. Several students have qualified for membership, and as soon as the present members approve them, invitations will be extended.

Plans are developing for a social gathering in the Student Center to welcome the new members.

The officers for the Spring semester are: James Baxter, President; Dowell Flatt, Vice President; and Joanne Lawson, Secretary.

MUSIC CLUB The Music Club has selected new officers for the Spring semester. They are: President, Paul Downey; Vice President, Pat Forgy; and Secretary, Jan McBride.

ALPHA TAUS Leading the Alpha Taus this semester will be the recently elected President. Verlon Harp and Secretary, Rita Williams.

SCIENCE CLUB The new Spring semester officers for the Science Club are: President, Milton Tucker; and Secretary-Treasurer, Jo Ann

A trip of scientific interest is planned for this semester.

F. B. L. A.

The Phi Beta Lambdas were very proud to present a new tape recorder to the school. This tape recorder will prove to be of use to the Business Department and others.

A night meeting is being planned for February 12. Plans are now underway for the program.

We are also proud of our new bulletin board. A committee has been appointed to change the display each week.

Treva Tyree was elected the new reporter to replace Gloria Lawson, who left at the semester.

We are sure, with the cooperation of all members, this last semester will be a profitable one.

PHILO

The new Philo leaders for this semester are: President, Bill Oakley; First Vice President, Johnny Adams; Second Vice President, Bobby Pinkly, and Secretary, Norma Harper.

SIGMA RHO

The Sigma Rho Social Club is on the march. With renewed energy the Sigma Rho girls came to the front in beating the Philo girls in the first game of the new series.

The Sigma Rho boys also showed considerable talent in the stiff competition which was given to the Philo boys.

The Sigma Rhos are looking forward to a very success spring season in sports a other activities.

. "FAR HORIZONS"

Athens Clay Pullias, President of David Lipscomb College, is scheduled to present a slide program May 3 entitled "Far Horizons". This program should evoke the interest of all who will be able to attend.

Hopeless Helper

Have you got your "VALEN-

Come on girls! We don't want any boys having nervous breakdowns because they haven't been asked to the Valentine party. Besides, we want to set a good example. Let's show some of them how we want them to do the rest of the semester. Dear Hopeless Helper,

I'm a boy. The Valentine party is coming up and—well what can I do about it?

Worried

Worried, What can you do about what -being a boy?

H. H. Dear Miss Helper,

I want to go to the Valentine party but I'm afraid to ask anyone. What if he says no? Suzie Q.

Boys don't know how to say "no" any better than girls do, so you have nothing to fear.

Have you got problems? Write them down and send them to: Hopeless Helper

■Box 25 A

If you see Randall Myers wandering around in his sleep at 1:00 in the morning, don't question Nancy Owens, it's probably just another trick of the boys!

Last Sunday in church little Danny Doyle searched diligently for the song number. After finding it, Danny was disappointed when Harold sat down. "Aw Nuts! We're not going to sing," was his reply.

Brother Hibbett, are you still typing on the adding machine? Sharing an alarm clock presents problems as well as advantages. What's this we hear

Norma, about you and Patti reaching out and shaking hands, when the alarm went off a few mornings ago.

Shirley B. - - - What's that 2 lb. item on your third finger, left hand that reminds you to

go to the P. O. everyday. Have you heard of the "fella" that forgot his appointment with one of the cutest numbers on campus? Treva, you must

buy some string! Ruth Short is "going broke"

sending valentines.

Bobby Pinkley went to Brother Dixon's office to see what he made on his final Premelinialism exam. Brother Dixon wasn't in at the time, so Bobby said to his secretary, Dot Tem-

SNOW! SNOW! SNOW!



Chorus

To accomplish anything of value, much effort is required. The chorus is fully aware of the essence of this statement which has been often phrased in various ways. Some would say, "You can't get something for nothing," of which Bro. Doyle and the chorus are fully aware. Many hours are spent in concentrated practice in order to produce top-notch performances on campus and away from campus, on television appearances, and on radio tapes. To spread good will and to teach and admonish in song is a major goal of this group. Ask any chorus member, and he will tell you one of the best things that ever happened to him is singing with the FHC chorus. Each hour spent in practice, which is in itself an enjoyable experience, is richly rewarded.

The chorus presently appears each week on approximately fifty radio stations scheduled across the country. Stations now carrying the program are: WORM, Savannah, Tennessee; WENK, Union City, Tennessee; WDXL, Lexington, Tennessee; WABG, Greenwood, Mississippi; WKRM, Columbia, Tennessee;

pleton, "If you see that I get an A, I'll dance at your wedding." Brother Dixon graded the papers and Bobby received an "A". Bobby's comment was, "Well, I just hope that Dot doesn't get

Betty, you must have your alarm checked. You can get in through a final exam.

Tennessee; Jackson, Cookeville, Tennessee; WHUB, Paducah, WKBY, Kentucky; WTPR, Paris, Tennessee; WKSR, Pulaski, Tennessee; WCMT, Martin, Tennessee; KTER, Terrell, Texas; WLSM, Louisville, Mississippi; WNPT, Tuscaloosa, Alabama; WMBC, Macon, Mississippi; WERH, Hamilton, Alabama; WJRD, Tuscaloosa, Alabama; WRPB, Warner Robbins, Georgia; KDEX, Dexter, Missouri; WARF, Jasper, Alabama; WHLP, Centerville, Tennessee; Alabama: WLAY, Sheffield, WSMT. Tennessee; Sparta, Murfreesboro, SMTS, Tennessee; WDXI, Jackson, Tennessee; Tennessee; WZYX, Cowan, Alabama; WOWL, Florence, WWCC, Bremen, Georgia; Show Low, KUWM, Arizona; Philipsburg, WPHB, Pennsyl-WSPD, Toledo, Ohio; vania; WDNT, Dayton, Tennessee; WCRR, Corinth, Mississippi; IWIV, Douglas, Wyoming; KDRS. Arkansas; Paragould, Goodland, Kansse; Goodland, Tennessee; Nebraska; KGFW, KBLR, WENO, Nashville, KTPA, Prescot, Arkansas; WWWB, Alabama:

tral City, Kentucky; Sheffield, Alabama; Milton, Florida; Henderson, Kentucky and KCMC, Texarkana, Texas-Arkansas. If you live in the vicinity of any of these stations or know of friends or relatives who do. be sure to make these programs known to them and encourage

Jasper,

Blakely, Georgia; Arab, Ala-

bama; Corning, Arkansas; Cen-

The chorus has received an of Junior Colleges. invitation to appear March 4, in Louisville, Kentucky, at a meeting of the American Association

them to tell others.

Valentine Party

As February 12th draws nearer, our campus buzzes with both a known and unknown excitement. What is the center of this excitement? It is the annual Valentine Party! Each year on or near Valentine's Day the Student Council sponsors a formal party to which the girls invite the boys. This is the known. The unknown is won-"Who will invite whom?"

This year's party promises to be better than ever. It will be in the new Student Center at 7:30 February 12th. There will be entertainment and refreshments, topped by judging for a sweetheart couple.

The very capable committee composed of Reba Tucker, Eugenia Stover, Ben Zickefoose, Wendell Bloomingburg, James Potts, Sam Pate, Thomas Scott, Betty Chick and Ronald Coleman deserve our support. Let's all back them with our presence and have a good time.

Speakers For Wednesday Night

February 10 K. V. George February 17 Howard Sparks Billy Richards February 24 Richard Allen James Wires

New Loan Fund And Scholarship

The W. C. Hall Loan Fund and the Pauline Edwards Scholarship Fund have been established recently to aid needy students in Christian education at Freed-Hardeman College.

The W. C. Hall Loan Fund wasestablished in 1959 under the leadership of Paul Kidwell, a former student, of Grand Bay, Alabama. He, together with other alumni and friends are working to promote this project.

This fund was named in appreciation of a former Freed-Hardeman College president, the beloved W. C. Hall, who has served in Christian education for over one-third of a century. During these years he has assisted many young people to acquire a college education.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. An-

If you haven't yet bought your album, they are still available in the bookstore for \$4.95.

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son, a friend of Christian education, has donated to the col-lege two and one-half acres of land adjoining the Purdy property on the east.

"I had wondered for what I could best use this hillside. I could think of no better way to use than for Christian education in FHC," said Mrs. Wright.

Debate Society

The Debate Society elected new officers for the second semester at their regular business meeting. They are: President, Paul Morgan; Vice President, Jerry Fulkerson; Secretary-Treasurer, Ann Averitt; and Sergeant-at-arms, Jackie Fox.

On Saturday, January 30, several of the teams participated in a tournament at Middle Tennessee State College. Our debaters profited by attending the novice debate. Freed-Hardeman placed fourth in the tour-

(Continued from Page One) BOOK DRIVE

Two hundred thirty books have already been either pledged or given by faculty and students. All are urged by the Library Club to go through their books and to donate books that can be used by future generations of students. Some book that has been in your attic for years and is considered useless to you may contain information needed by students for term papers. Why not donate some books to the library and 'let the Library Club decide if they can be useful? In so doing you will be making a contribution to coming generations of students at FHC.

derson have given the Pauline Edwards Scholarship in honor of Mrs. K. T. Edwards of Jackson, Tennessee.

The young couple of Nashville, Tennessee are former students of Freed-Hardeman College.

This annual scholarship of \$150 per year to help a worthy young lady will begin during 1960-61. Selection will be made by the college faculty. Announcement of the recipient of the scholarship will be made at Commencement Exercises, May

Dean E. Claude Gardner says, "The establishment of this scholarship fund bespeaks liberality and interest in Christian education by this young couple. We are grateful for their interest in helping worthy young lain Freed-Hardeman College."

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Society Trophy Philos

THROUGH THE HOOP

By D. S.

I suppose everything has its ups and downs, especially the Freed-Hardeman Lions. Especially in the last five games, has this been true.

On December 8, 1959, the Lions went to Memphis State and played their freshmen. MSU put 6'9", 6'8" and 6"7" boys in the starting line-up and they hit an amazing percentage of their shots. Who can top this? The final score—MSU 102, FHC 76. Bobby Huffstutter took scoring honors for the losing cause with 25 points. Dan Henry had 12 counters for FHC.

The next tangle found the Lions in McKenzie to play Bethel. Once again defeat was the story; this time 87 to 67. Dan Henry contributed 20 points but it was to no avail as the "little Garner boy", who incidentally, has been leading the nation in scoring, made 33 points for the victors. Our boys made a good game of it, trailing but one point at half-time.

Then on December 14, FHC found that sweet road to victory once again. Beating Lambuth J. V. 87 to 56, the boys had a good night. Four boys hit in double figures with Huffstutter's 19 being high.

Then we invited UTMB to Henderson and when they arrived they brought victory with them. Huffstutter once again led the team with 18 points but it wasn't enough as UTMB won 90 to 81. The boys played a good game against a highly rated team.

Returning home from Christmas, the Lions traveled to Booneville for an invitational tourney. And was that first night lovely! We rejoiced at a 60 to 59 victory over a team that had beaten the Lions twice previously. It was truly a team effort as Hauser was high with

The next night was different. Northwest trounced us 95 to 83.

Hauser again took scoring laurels with 17.

The last night of the tourney was the one that hurt. Leading at half, the Lions scrapped to the last minute and then lost the game with only 4 seconds to go. Martin got 14 points for scoring honors.

On January 9, we again found defeat by only a small margin, this time to Martin in Pulaski, 64 to 62. Of the first 14 fouls called, 12 were against FHC----'nuff said. Henry's 11 were tops for the Lions.

Next came UTMB, who had beaten us nine points the first go-around. This time it was too much Hauser as he hit for 22 points in a 71 to 69 winning cause. Five of these points came in the last two and one-half minutes at the foul line to sew up the game. Huffstuter and Henry got 16 and 13 respectively. This was a sweet victory. The whole team deserves a pat on the back for the fine hustling.

The next game, January 25, was the sad story once again. This time David Lipscomb College beat us 97 to 50 and from the first whistle there was no question as to the outcome. Huffstutter got 18 points to lead the team.

The next night MSU came to Henderson and went away triumphantly. But they knew they had been in a ball game. Our boys lost by only eleven points to the much taller team. Hauser and Huffstutter led in scoring with 18 and 19 points respectively.

And then let it be said that on February 1, FHC was "hotter than a pistol". Union Freshmen were a scrappy bunch but who could handle the Lions on this night. They walked away with a grand 107 to 95 victory. Hauser and Huffstutter teamed together for a magic total of 50 points. Getting every tip, controlling both boards and throwing a fine defense at Union, victory had to come.

Boys, let's let this be a stepping stone to victories the rest of the way.

Intramural Sports Scene

As the first semester came rapidly to a close, intramural sports reached its height with basketball free throws, basketball golf, and chess.

Pat Murdock, an Alpha Tau, with his superb aim took scoring honors in the boys' basketball free throw tournament. Second place honor was taken by Walton Weaver, a Philo; third and fourth place honors were taken by Murphy Bullion, a Sigma Rho, and Wayne Williams, a Philo.

Glenda Coats, a Phi Kappa, ripped the basket 16 out of 25 times to take the lead in girls' basketball free throws. Virginia Farris, a Sigma Rho, with her 14 points placed a close second. Sue Harvick, an Alpha Tau, and Maedella Bullington, a Sigma Rho, placed third and fourth.

In boy's basketball golf Dick Harrison, a Sigma Rho, broke the old record of 15 with a score of 12. Taking second place honor was Gerald Clark, another Sigma Rho. Wayne Williams and Walton Weaver, Philos, took third and fourth places.

As girl's basketball golf got underway Glenda Coats returned to take top honors for the Phi Kappas. Placing second was Brenda Phillips, an Alpha Tau; in third and fourth place was Nancy Strasser, a Philo, and Linda Dean, a Phi Kappa.

In chess the Sigma Rhos took three out of four honors with the top going to Sam Miao of Singapore. In second place was Dexter Sammons who took the prize for the Philos. Allen Helt and Joe Williams, Sigma Rhos, held third and fourth place.

With these outstanding records for the social clubs the first semester of intramural sports

NEWS BRIEFS:

L. R. Wilson, editor of the "Voice of Freedom," will speak on the subject of Roman Catholicism at Freed-Hardeman March 7-10. Mr. Wilson will speak at the morning chapel services and again in the evening at the local church building. A dinner is being planned for the last night. All preacher students and preachers of this area are invited.

Two new teachers have been secured for the 1960-61 school year. Roy Hearn will teach geography and succeed Robert Witt as Dean of Students. John Hollingsworth will teach song leading, direct the band at the college and the local high school, and teach private band lessons.

The securing of these two teachers was proclaimed a forward step for the school by President Dixon.

Artist Series

The second event of the FHC artist series will take place Thursday, March 31. Charles Roland, the son of our Vice President, will deliver a lecture on Albert Sidney Johns-

On April 26 we are looking forward to an appearance by Charles Nelson. Mr. Nelson, a baritone, is expected to present to us an interesting and entertaining program.

has drawn to a close. The enthusiasm of the students with their will to participate has contributed to the success of intramural sports; however, more participation is needed to make your club the best.

Phi Kappas Place Second

The Philomathean Social Club won the trophy for the Fall Semester in one of the closest battles in the history of the school.

The Philos gained 100 points, but were closely followed by the Phi Kappas with 971/2. The Alpha Taus and Sigma Rhos had 80 and 72½ respectively.

John Paul Simon, chairman of the trophy committee, ob-served, "The tight race for the trophy shows that the social clubs are well balanced. The trophy could easily go to any of the other clubs next semes-With everyone working hard, it will be even a closer race next semester. I want to encourage everyone to join some social club and work hard to make your club the best on the campus. One way in which everyone can help his club is to be present at every meeting; and if you have a reason for being absent, tell your secretary so that it will not count against your club. Attendance was the deciding factor this semester."

The following is the seven areas of competition and the number of points gained by each

Ph. PK AT SR Literary 20 15 10 5 Individual & Dual Sports ___ 10 20 15 5 Team Sports 15 10 20 5 Sportsmanship 15 10 5 20 Scholarship _____ 15 20 5 10

Attendance ____ 20 7.5 15 7.5 Chapel Program 5 15 10 20 _____ 100 97.5 80 72.5

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