

Canopy Founder Is Guest Speaker At VSC Alumni Banquet, February 14

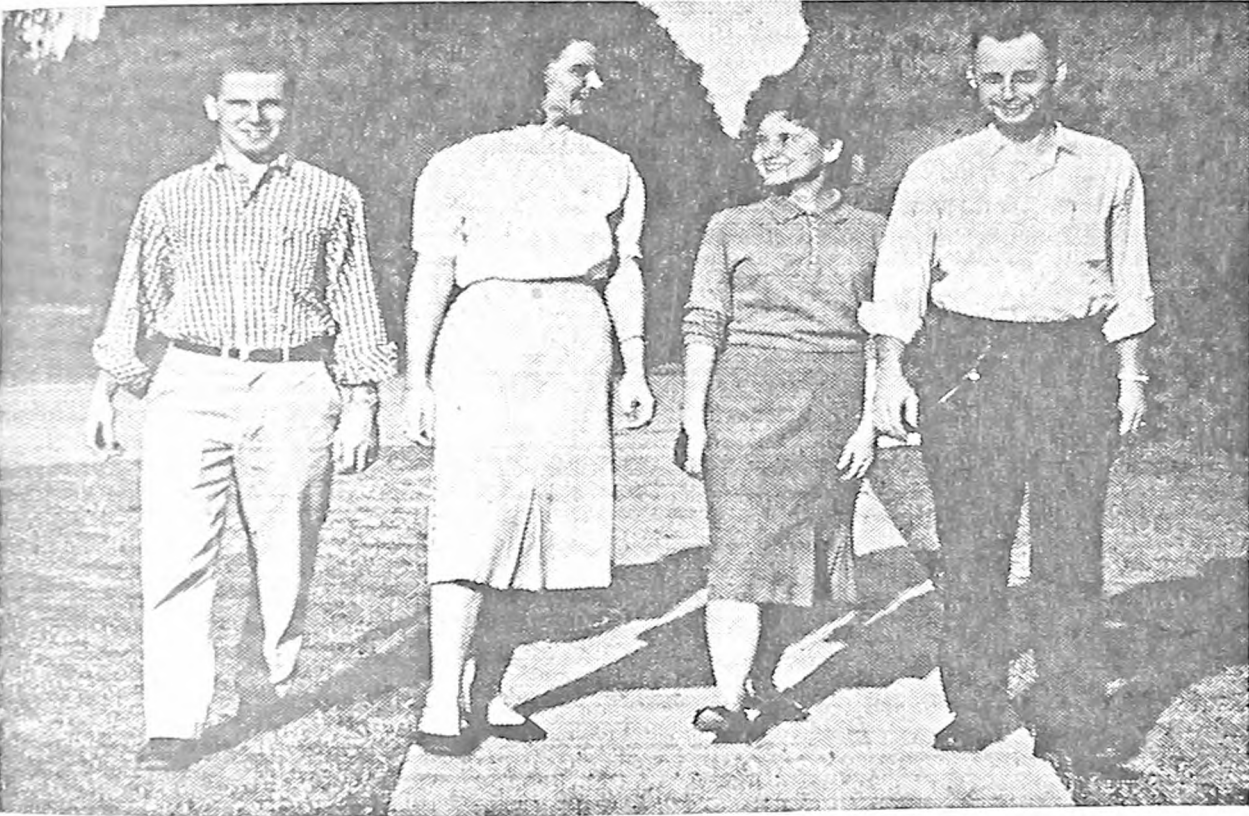
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1959 MARGAS AND MACS ANNOUNCED; STUDENTS CHOOSE JOE WEBB, PAM PALK, PALS LANGFORD, JOE TARPLEY



BEST ALL AROUND

The most outstanding honor outside of being named an honor student at graduation is that of being named Marga or Mac of either Junior or Senior College. In the recent elections held under the auspices of the Sigma Alpha Chi honor society much rivalry was had as several outstanding candidates were contesting for the honors.

The competition was so keen in the senior college that a re-vote was necessitated. The winners of the contest are very representative of the characters required by either a Marga or a Mac.

In the senior college we have for Marga Palsy Langford, a senior from Waycross. For Mac we have Joe Tarpley, also a senior. These two very ably represent the senior college. For the duration of their college careers they have always been of service to their student bodies, both have served on the Student Government Association where they have done an outstanding job.

In the Junior College there was less rivalry as the outcome was decided in the first voting. Dubbed with the honors in this election were Joe Webb and Pam Palk. Both of these students have done outstanding jobs in the Junior College. Joe is currently serving on the Student Government Association and Pam is the President of a sorority.

We of the Canopy convey our congratulations to you the most honored winners and we extend to the vanquished our best wishes for your having been nominated.

IRC Holds Feb. Meeting at House-in-woods

The International Relations Club held its regular monthly meeting in the House-in-the-Woods on February 3, 1959.

During a short business meeting, discussion was held concerning future IRC projects such as assembly programs and radio programs. Lamar Pearson presented a 3 part program. The members of the club were divided into 3 groups and each group reported on some phase of current events. Carlos Alvarez and Mrs. Dorcas Wisenbaker were host and hosted. They served coffee and valentine cakes, after which the meeting was adjourned.

Mrs. Lee Walsh Helps Paper Celebrate 25th Anniversary

Mrs. Lee Walsh, a graduate of Valdosta State and first editor of the Campus Canopy will be honored guest and speaker at the Alumni Banquet held Saturday night, Feb. 14. Mrs. Walsh, who is the woman's editor of the Washington Star of Washington, D. C., was elected this past June president of the Women's National Press Club.

Before becoming president of the Press Club, she served as board member and program chairman and also as vice-president of American Newspaper Women's Club. In 1952, Mrs. Walsh was named "Advertising Woman of the year" by the Women's Advertising Club of Washington. Employed by the Star since August 1952, she began her career immediately following her graduation by writing women and society news in New Orleans and Cincinnati. She became well known in Kentucky for her columns on Ohio river life. In 1944, she became women's editor of the Washington Daily News and later took a position as director of advertising and public relations for Julius Garfinckel and Company in Washington, moving later to the Bonart Teller and Company in Philadelphia as assistant to the president.



Mrs. Walsh is the former Lenora Dufour of Ghent, Kentucky. She was graduated from Valdosta State, which at that time was Georgia State Woman's College, in 1936 and received her A. B. in English. In her junior and senior years she helped establish and became editor of the Campus Canopy. While a student here she worked on the "Pine Branch" (literary magazine), was literary editor of the Pine Cone, was an active member of the Philharmonic Club, International Relations Club, English Club, Sock and Buskin, Glee Club, Fine Arts Club, Sorority Literary Society, debating team, and the Modern Poetry Forum. Mrs. Walsh also was chosen as a delegate to the Georgia Press Association and Georgia Collegiate Press. During her senior year, the Pine Cone chose persons to represent the attributes of the ideal woman and Mrs. Walsh was chosen as "Appreciation."

Mrs. Gertrude Odom, V.S.C. English professor, who knew Mrs. Walsh quite well, says "You couldn't slow Lenora down when she was in school and I don't suppose you can now!"

At Last . . . Homecoming!

"TEKE TALENT REVIEW" SCHEDULED FEBRUARY 26th

Hendricks Speaks To Business Club

Mr. Lawrence Hendricks of the local Social Security office spoke to the Business Club at its regular meeting on January 27. First he showed a comic movie explaining important aspects and benefits of Social Security and then invited questions from the group.

During the business session plans were made for the homecoming float. Extensive plans are now being made for the installation of a national Future Business Leaders of America chapter on this Campus. Also the club is working on a follow-up program of graduates from the Business Administration Division in the past few years.

Students Admitted FREE To Homecoming Dance Show I. D. Cards

February 26 marks the date of the third annual production of the "Teke Talent Review" for the purpose of selecting Mr. and Miss V. S. C. Talent for the year 1959.

This year's title of the Zeta Nu chapter presentation is: "Another Opening, Another Show." It will be built around a selected variety of Broadway musicals for intermission entertainment.

Dixie Weger, last year's winner of the Miss Talent division, will present the awards to the new victors. Penny Williams, a sponsor of the local TKE fraternity has planned a number of dance routines for a "chorus line" opening to the show. She has other plans as Choreographer for the production.

Students who have agreed to participate in the contest are: Eddy Pike, Wayne Fowler, Kay Domingos, Marcia Walters, Jo Rabburn, David Barton, Mary Shadburn, Bernie Brown, Jerry and Wayne Studdard, and Penny Williams. Other students are encouraged to participate.

Tickets will cost thirty-five cents for students, and fifty cents for adults.

This weekend is considered the peak of the social calendar at Valdosta State College. However, its success depends on the individual student. The object of Homecoming is to welcome back the alumnae of V.S.C. and make them wish that they were back in college. The proper effect can be had only if each individual has the proper spirit and is willing to do his share. On Friday everyone is urged to wear a costume to fit the theme — "Frontier Days." It doesn't have to be something elaborate, but just a little something to go along with the idea.

The big game will begin at 8:00 p.m. Friday. The "Rebels" will play Piedmont College and everyone's support will be needed. If each student and faculty member takes it upon himself to be at the game and bring as many people as he can, we can come close to filling the gym. And if the Cheerleaders do some familiar cheers for a change, with everybody yelling for the "Rebs", I guarantee that you will see a good ball game.

Of course, everyone will be at the dance on Saturday night to hear the music of Dean Hudson's Orchestra. I imagine that there will be some who won't be able to hear the music although they will see two orchestras.

Here's to everyone who worked so hard in trying to make this Homecoming the best ever.

EDITORIAL PAGE

AN ASININE LAW

Segregation or Survival?

By Gene Deal

Recently the Georgia Legislature passed a new law placing age limits upon entrance to college. The avowed purpose was to prevent integration in the University System.

This is a stupid, short-sighted, idiotic law. How is it going to prevent integration? It has already been stated by our illustrious solons that there will be exceptions to the age limit. And certainly the U. S. Supreme Court will rule that these exceptions must apply to qualified applicants of both races. Otherwise it will declare the law invalid as being discriminatory.

And the law IS discriminatory! Let's face it, segregation is discriminatory. But this law does not discriminate primarily against the Negroes. It discriminates primarily against every man, woman, and child living in the state of Georgia!

How? As an example, take this situation. A young girl gets married as soon as she leaves high school. Instead of going to college she has two children and a house to clean. But when her children finish high school, then what? Can she go to college then? Not unless she's one of the "exceptions". And with the college education she could perhaps become a teacher, or go into business or science, giving more fully of herself to her neighbors, her state, and her country.

This law would be tragic even if it affected only those who will be prevented from getting the best education possible. But with our present shortage of educators, and the demand by business for more and better trained scientists and engineers, the denial of an education to any person who is capable of advancing himself — and maybe indirectly, mankind — could easily be disastrous.

In our present struggle with the Soviet Union we cannot hope to prevail without well-educated citizens. It is true that the greatest progress in the U. S. will be made by a select few, but Communism breeds in ignorance, in dissatisfied peoples. It is doubtful that the Georgia legislature has sown the seeds of Communism, but by denying an education to some now it is also denying the best possible education and better services to Georgia's future electorate — the youth who must continue to resist Communist aggression and secure our country's future.

If every state in the union were to adopt this asinine law we would fall so far behind the Soviet Union that our nation would probably be forced to succumb to Communism within the next fifty years.

So, if it is necessary to choose between segregation or survival, I personally would choose survival.

DILLARD ENSLEY

AS I SEE IT . . .

February has arrived once again — and with it several familiar things. First there are mid-term exams, then the "stretch drive" of the basketball season, and of course an eye towards the many social functions on tap for the coming months.

I would like to elaborate on one particular function in particular. This, of course, is the one function open to all students on campus — the Teke annual "Talent Review." Here is the chance for the students to display their talent.

Three years ago, Jerome Clegg, present president of Zeta Nu chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon, originated the annual show on the Valdosta State Campus.

Since then, and in that short span of time, the contest with its selection of "Mr. and Miss Talent" has become a regular part of the Valdosta State tradition.

Last year's winners were John Huelett and Dixie Weger. Dixie is back this year and she will present the awards to this year's winners.

It is things like the Talent review that mold the tradition of any college — the traditional things that survive the years.

Peanuts, Popcorn or Crackerjacks ?

THE PEANUT PARROT

Once upon a time there was a parrot that lived in a pet shop. When his owner began to teach him to talk, the first word he learned to say was the word "peanuts." From then on each time the parrot said that word, someone would give him a peanut. He would seize it, thinking that he had certainly come across a very easy way of life, indeed; and

so he never did learn to say any other word. He existed on peanuts all the rest of his life.

A lot of people who take training in college are like that, too. As soon as they get a little skill just enough to earn peanuts, they quit school or drop their courses and stop adding to their skill. Then they wonder why they must forever work for peanuts. Are you going to be a peanut parrot?

DR. NEVINS

Valdosta State In Science

Mr. Eugene Gibbs, who completed his academic work for the B. S. degree at the end of the Fall quarter, is now employed in the laboratory of the Georgia Excellence Award for 1958-1959 Georgia.

Professors Duvall and Lindauer of the Chemistry Department attended a meeting of the American Chemical Society at Florida State University on January 23, 1959. The principal speaker at the meeting was Dr. Fernelius, Head of the Chemistry Department at Pennsylvania State University.

The Fresnelian Chemistry is now on display in the office of the class of 1956, who represents Dr. Duvall, head of the Chemistry Department. This award is a copy of the 40th Edition of the Handbook of Chemistry and Physics, published and donated by the Chemical Rubber Publishing Company. The award will be made on Honor's Day to the student who has made the highest achievement in general chemistry this school year. The recipient's name will be imprinted on the cover of the book. The winner of this award will be eligible to compete in a regional contest for the regional award. The latter is a set of selected

scientific books to be placed in the library of the winning student's college library.

Miss Bennie Ruth Baker, who finished her degree requirements last quarter, is the coauthor of an article, A DIAGNOSTIC TEST FOR PHOSPHATE INSECTICIDAL POISONING OF CATTLE, published in the Journal of the American Veterinary Medical Association, vol. 132, No. 9, May 1, 1958. This work was done in collaboration with Dr. Dennis H. Cox of the Department of Animal Diseases, Georgia Coastal Plain Experiment Station, Tifton, Ga.

Mr. Charles Shaw, a member of the class of 1956, who represents a pharmaceutical supply house in this area, presented the biology department with a copy of TABER'S CYCLOPEDIA MEDICAL DICTIONARY recently.

Two books on the microscope, two on microtechnique and a textbook of parasitology have been added to the biology department library through the courtesy of Mrs. H. H. Klinck of Twin Lakes.

James May and James Maxwell have been accepted for admission to the September class at the Medical College of Georgia.

Russell Acree, V. S. C. graduate

of 1956, former president of Sigma Alpha Chi Honor Society, and charter member of Georgia Alpha (V. S. C.) Chapter of Alpha Chi national honor society, has been elected to Alpha Omega Alpha national honorary scholarship fraternity in medicine at the Medical College of Georgia, where he is a junior this year. (membership in Alpha Omega Alpha is limited to qualified third and fourth year students.)

The bacteriology class is indebted to Miss Davilene Carter, M. T. for a talk on recent development in enzyme research. Davilene attended a conference on enzyme held at Pineview General Hospital last quarter, reported back to the bacteriology class of which she was a member at that time, and consented to share her information with the present class.

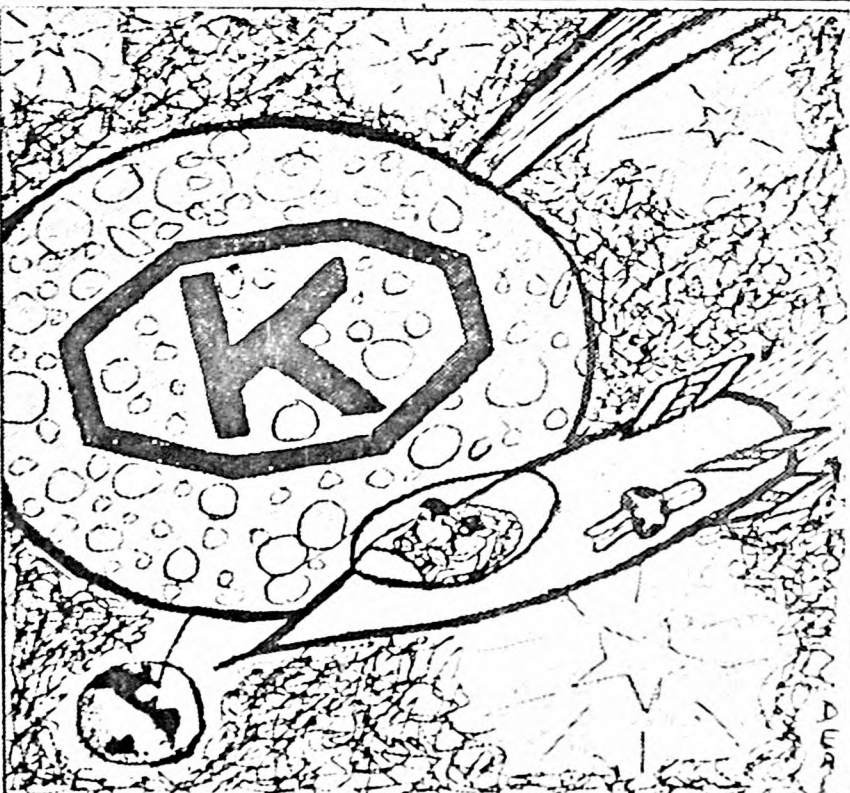
Announcement has been received of the marriage of Jackie Geiger and Denson Wood (V. S. C. graduate of 1957) on December 28, 1958. When we heard from Denson last, he was a pharmacy student in Atlanta. Does anyone have more recent news of him?

Mr. and Mrs. Lanier Allen (Zona Biggs Allen) visited us on January 3. Lanier, who is a medical student at Augusta, has completed some research on a seemingly rare type of meningitis called listeriosis and is co-author of a paper, LISTERIOSIS, which was published in the Journal of the Southern Medical Association for November. An abstract of this paper is scheduled to appear in the February issue of the Georgia Medical Journal.

Lynette and Lewis Davis (June 1958 graduate) have a son, William Gordon, born on January 10, 1959.

Some ingenious members of the embryology class placed a small glass window in the shell of an egg, which we have been incubating, in order that they might check developmental changes more easily and frequently. Recently the incubator cord was disconnected accidentally and the potential chicks remained without warmth for several hours. Was the experiment ruined? A glance through the shell window reassured us. Most convenient!

We shall be pleased to receive any additional news which you may have about math-science students of the past, present, and future.



THEY WERE RIGHT — IT IS MADE OF GREEN CHEESE!

New Canopy Feature

In this issue you will see the first of a new series to be featured in the Canopy. Written by Dr. Beatrice Nevins, it is a column of science news pertaining to Valdosta State College and its students. We of the Canopy Staff wish to express our thanks to Dr. Nevins for her assistance to this paper, and the interest in this school shown thereby.

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From The Bench...

Gary Colson's Rebels soundly drubbed the Cadets from North Georgia Saturday, January 31. Leading 33 to 31 at the half the Rebs came back to blast the Cadets.

The sharpshooting of Jerry Studdard and Buck Ethridge was too much for the Cadets. Also the ball handling of Wayne Studdard, John Carter, John Moye, and Gene Peacock aided and abetted in the sweet victory.

In a previous engagement in North Georgia's pygmy gymnasium the Rebels had to go all out to defeat the Cadets by one point. But playing on our own spacious courts, it was a comparatively easy one for them. All of the Rebels got into the game.

This week the Rebs have been working hard preparing themselves for February 5, when they encounter La Grange. In a previous engagement LaGrange defeated the Rebels by one point in an over-time. This time Valdosta is out for revenge. With an exuberance of self-confidence and in very good physical condition the Rebels should emerge victorious.

Next week the Rebels are home once again, so won't you come out and give them your support.

Down The Road With The Beat Generation

Roy S. Wetherington

When is a person lost?

Lost, Lost, Lost, Lost.

Forever, Forever, Forever, Forever

In sin.

Never, Never, Never, Never.

Not in this Atomic Age . . . Cat

Just go on down the road.

And never think about sin.

What is past is past . . . Dad.

And what is future is future . . . Daddyo.

Just go on down the road

And never think about time.

Down the road . . . Dad.

And maybe you will reach your destination.

Oh, don't worry if you don't.

Orbit man . . . shut yourself off from the world.

Don't ever stop and talk to Mr. President.

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Don't ever stop and talk to Mr. President.

If you do society would come to an end.

Cool cat . . . just go on down the road.

Alpha Delta Pi Initiates 17 Pledges, February 7

The formal initiation of eleven pledges of Alpha Delta Pi was held on Saturday, February 7, in the Strickland Memorial Building of First Methodist Church.

Those initiated into Delta Theta chapter were: Judy Jones, Thomasville; Ann Hattaway, Dawson; Kaye Brown, Sylvester; Mary Shadburn, Buford; Sandra Pattillo, Moultrie; Judy Starling, Hablra; Patricia Luke, Valdosta; Donna Tidmore, Dawson; Joy Collier, Dawson; Elaine Duckett, Smyrna; and Mrs. Henry Tart, Valdosta.

During the week preceding initiation, the pledges and sisters participated in various activities in preparation for the final initiation ceremony. On Tuesday night the Black Diamond service was held with Pam Paulk, president of the chapter, officiating. This event marked the beginning of "Friendship Week" which continued through Saturday.

Open House was held on Thursday night at the home of Pam Paulk. All pledges, sisters, alumnae, and patronesses were present. After refreshments were served, an alumna, Mrs. Carroll Striggs, spoke to the group on "What Alpha Delta Pi Means to Me."

By the time he is a grandfather a man begins to appreciate his wife.

Do women's ears flap the same as men's?

A D Pi Holds Cookout

On Friday night the sisters and pledges held a cook-out at the House-in-the-Woods. Several of the sisters gave brief talks on various phases of Alpha Delta Pi.

The new members, who were initiated on Saturday afternoon, were honored that night at a banquet at the Green Turtle Restaurant. Various awards were given to members of the pledge class. Sandra Pattillo was honored as the "Most Outstanding Pledge" and for writing the best theme on "The Significance of Being an Alpha Delta Pi." Kaye Brown, Sandra Pattillo, and Dot Tidmore tied for the scholarship award. Lucille Helms was honored as "Most Active Sister."

Why do people compliment us when we're alone but criticize us in public?

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Glenn Hobby, Glenda Ellis; Personalities Of The Week



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A warm, friendly smile, a willing worker and dependable leaders fit the description of our two personalities this week.

Glenda Ellis, a senior from Cordele, Georgia, rates girl personality this week. Clubs that she is a member of include: the Y.W.C.A., where she was past president; B.S.U., past president; Sigma Alpha Chi, present vice president; Alpha Chi, present treasurer and a member of the Glee Club.

Glenda is majoring in Art and her minor is English. She enjoys reading and traveling. Food in general is one of her main likes.

Teaching is what Glenda imagines she will do when finishing college.

Glenn Hobby, a transfer student from Norman Park, has certainly succeeded in making friends around the campus. He has also helped in the promotion of religious activities.

A Senior this year, his major is Social Work and minors are English and History.

Glenn is active in the M.C.A. where he is president, a member of the Ministerial Association, a member of the English Club and a member of the Circle K Club.

Hobby's hobbies are pingpong and good ole television programs. When asked what his likes are he replied, "Everybody." But he could do without hard test.

Future plans for Glenn include attending the South Eastern Theological Seminary in Wake Forest.

At the present time he manages to keep busy with a wife, child and preaching in two Baptist Churches near Sylvester.

The Valdosta State Campus is truly grateful for good Christian workers and personalities such as these.

Some of us don't know how well off we are, or has that been said before?

A car, so far as the down payment goes, costs not more than a baby carriage, so the average couple buys a new one.

Despair is not in my dictionary.

Sigma Epsilon Holds Winter Rush Parties; Make Plans

TKE Brothers Explain Cause of Calendars Being Late

The Brothers of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity would like to explain to everyone the reasons for the delay in delivering the 1959 V.S.C. Calendars. It is our sincere hope that they will have been delivered before this explanation is printed. The delay was in the printing as the printer was overburdened at Christmas. Also, a great deal of experimenting had to be done to get the correct colors and tones, in order to make the pictures sharp and to bring out the true beauty of the girls. This is the explanation given to us by the printer. We regret the delay and thank you for bearing with us.

On January 27 and 28th, the reorganized Sigma Epsilon Colony of Sigma Phi Epsilon held their Winter Quarter rush parties. Both parties were well attended, and an entertaining as well as informative time was had by all. National Representative Richard Allen was on hand to answer any questions relative to the fraternity. It is expected that this colony will nationalize in the very near future. At this time there are 15 men registered with National Headquarters.

Representative Allen appointed the following officers to serve until such time as he deems it feasible for the colony to hold an election. President—Bobby Coleman, Vice-President—Tommy Session, Secretary—Buster Warden, Treasurer—Mike La Hood, Historian—James David, Pledge Trainer—James Broxson.

An immediate project of the Sig Eps is the selling of flowers for the Homecoming Dance. Anyone wishing to purchase a corsage or boutonniere for their date may do so by contacting any Sig Ep member.

The Canopy Staff Wishes You

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HAPPY

HOME COMING!

The Tolling Bells

By Gene Deal

Night is coming
 And here I lie,
 Dying.
 But not alone;
 For with me are my friends,
 My neighbors,
 And my family.
 All strangers,
 Who do not hear,
 Or heed.
 The bell,
 The distant bell;
 Soft,
 Melodious,
 Yet hard
 And brittle:
 And with each ring
 I ache
 And die,
 Slowly;
 Surely;
 Without hope;
 And unable to share
 With others
 My Agony,
 My fear,
 That burdens me
 And dooms me,
 And brings me here
 To die like this,
 Hearing the bell—
 No!—
 The bells!
 Many bells.
 Getting louder:
 Coming closer—
 Stop them!

Please!
 Somebody!
 —And they retreat,
 Only to return.
 Soon,
 Too soon.
 But now I see the faces
 Above me,
 Around me;
 My friends,
 My enemies,
 Laughing,
 Mocking,
 To hide their fear
 Of this thing,
 This dreadful thing
 I face:
 Knowing it will come to them
 As well as me,
 And then they too,
 Will hear the bells,
 But not before—
 The bells!
 They're coming again,
 Faster,
 Faster,
 Louder,
 Louder,
 Louder.
 Don't come!
 Go back!
 Help!
 But still they come
 And I hurt
 Inside,
 Deep.
 I pray.
 I beg God,
 But the bells come on.
 And now they're here,
 Around me,
 Above me,

Within me,
 Driving out life;
 My life;
 And I grow weak
 And can't fight,
 Or call for help
 From God.
 And so I must die:
 The inevitable:
 Coming now
 With dimming light,
 And growing pain;
 With bells that ring
 More slowly now,
 And softer,
 Diminishing,
 And taking my life—
 My soul—
 With their escaping sound;
 Away;
 Somewhere far away;
 Into the dark,
 The eternal dark.
 And with a final burst of chimes,
 And a clash of cymbals,
 I die.
 And still I live;
 To die,
 And die again.
 A million—
 No, a million times a million—
 Empathetic deaths:
 To hear the bells that others hear;
 To feel the pains that others feel;
 To fear the death that others fear:
 Until that final day
 When I must share my death with
 others,
 As others have shared their death
 with me,
 And the bells that rang for them
 Shall toll for me.

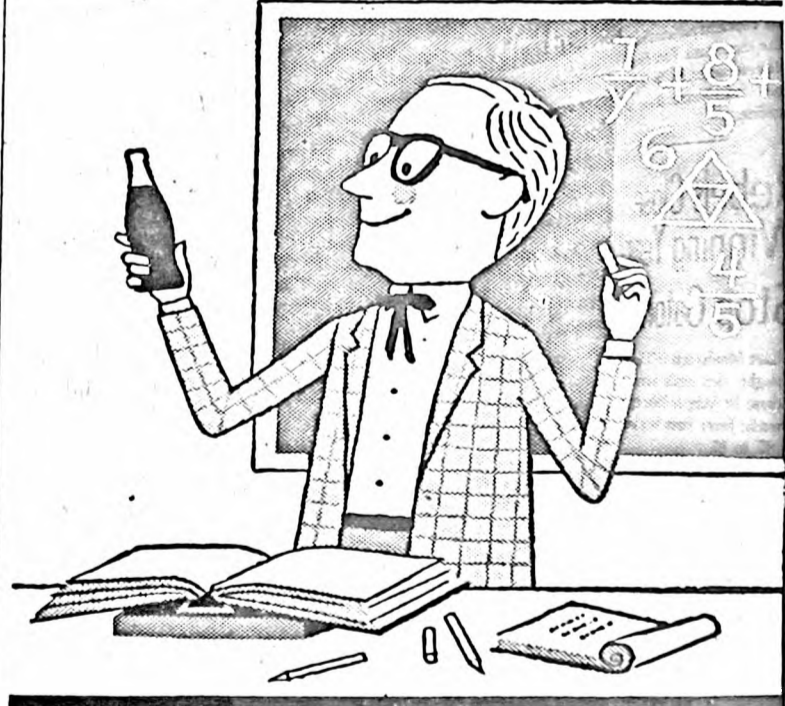
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