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Courses Offered County Teachers

STUDIES MADE TO IMPROVE THE EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENTS

Dr. J. A. Durrenberger, professor of social science, and Dr. Harold Punke, professor of psychology and education, have recently organized classes in social pathology, a study of dependent, defective, and delinquent classes of society, and curriculum construction for the city and county teachers. The classes meet every Tuesday at the Georgia State Womans College.

The course in social pathology, conducted by Dr. Durrenberger, deals with the study of delinquents and criminals, the cause of these and their effects upon society, and the study of defectives and dependents and the institutions for their care. The problems of child labor, the evils growing out of unemployment, and the bases and trends of social legislation are also included in the course.

Dr. Punke is conducting the class in curriculum construction and the philosophy of education. Under his leadership, the class meets to discuss a curriculum revision and other methods of improving the educational departments in the schools. This class is organized to develop interest and to improve the schools of Lowndes county, since it has been felt for some time that more attention should be given to the work which is carried on in the classroom, so that the student may receive more benefit from his studies.

The courses were begun under the direction of the University Extension Division. Dr. Durrenberger is head of the extension work here.

DEPUTATION COMMITTEE HOLDS SERVICE

The Y. W. C. A. has organized deputation teams as one of its major projects for the year. It plans to send out three of these teams each quarter to the neighboring towns. The purpose of these teams is to serve as a medium for the presentation of the religious ideas on our campus to the communities which they visit.

The first of the series to be carried on this quarter was held at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday, November 25, with Miss Clara Davis Adams presiding.

The Emory Junior Glee Club contributed to the music. After the devotional by Miss Amanda Barksdale, Miss Joy Miller sang *Voice in the Wilderness*. The two principal speakers were Miss Margaret McCall, who spoke on "What Religion Means," and Miss Priscilla Kelley, who spoke on the subject of "The Part Religion Plays in College Life."

The dates for other programs will be announced in a later issue.

Vesper Programs Feature Talks

"The Spiritual Meaning of Life," and "My Relation to People of Other Races and Sects," were the subjects discussed by Miss Hopper, Dean of Women, and Miss Clara Louise Driskell, at Vespers, Sunday and Thursday nights, November 25th and 22nd. These are among the first of a series of discussions on subjects vital to young people.

Miss Hopper stresses the fact that the meaning of success is not in the material things, but success is the recognition of the spiritual values of life. The American people are now becoming more concerned about their spiritual destiny. Evidently, something is wrong with America, for there are kidnappings, suicides, and violent disorders of law breaking. Disillusionment shows in American literature. The fear of communism, socialism, and facism is spreading. The answer is that there is a need of renewing the emphasis on spiritual value. And college is the place for this. The spiritual side of life may be stressed at college in its broadest sociological meaning, and it is in the college that the spiritual values will finally gain their supremacy. The fine arts—music, drama, and art—and religion are among the things that will add to the richness of our human inheritance.

In her talk, Miss Driskell stated that we have been evading the problem of race prejudice, and now it has reached a crisis. The Negro, America's tenth man, has a personality and will make great contributions to civilization if given a chance. Our various reasons for objecting to equality are not sound, and furthermore the Negro does not desire social equality but a fair deal. In this fair deal the Negro desires three things only, education for the masses, justice in the courts, and a decent place to live.

Science Club Presents Naturalists

The Science-Math Club was very fortunate in having as its guests on the evening of November 22nd, two very distinguished speakers, Dr. Herbert L. Stoddard and Mr. Edwin V. Komarek, of Thomasville. They spoke to the club and other invited guests on the subject of wild life in the Southern States, and emphasized points which are of especial interest to south Georgia.

Dr. Stoddard is a national authority on the quail which is so common in this vicinity. He spent eight years in the Field Museum, located in Chicago, and eight years with the Milwaukee Museum in Milwaukee. While with these museums he practiced taxidermy. Dr. Stoddard was also with the Biological Survey of the United States for some time. He is now in Thomasville, where he is doing extensive study on the quail.

In 1932 *The Bobwhite Quail* was published by Dr. Stoddard on the habits, preservation and increase of the quail, and it gives a summary of findings of cooperative quail investigation carried on in the Thomasville-Talla-

Christmas Bazaar To Be Held

The Fine Arts Club is planning to have a bazaar December 6-8 in the Art Dome, and they wish to request the students to do some of their Christmas shopping with them. On sale will be Indian couch covers from Macy's in New York, imported articles from Japan, costume jewelry from antique dealers in New York, and an assortment of Georgia pottery. The girls of the G. S. W. C. Fine Arts Club are displaying plaques, stationery folders, book-ends and many other attractive articles. The prices of these things will range from five cents to a dollar or two. There will be presents to suit everybody's purse and everybody's taste.

The pottery booth committee is composed of: Chappie Bragg, of Savannah; Ann Turner, of Valdosta; Frances Henson, of Waycross; Avrylea Burch, of Valdosta; Florence Tharpe, of Leesburg. The handicraft booth committee is as follows: Martha Gay, of Quitman; Mary Askew, of Arlington; Joyce Tipton, of Sylvester; Lucille Murphy, of Valdosta; and Sara Bingham, of Valdosta.

Miss Carpenter, professor of art, Nellie Mae Gannon, of Valdosta; Frances Garbutt, of Valdosta; Margaret Bennett, of Jesup; and Josephine Joubert, of Savannah, have charge of the Japanese booth. The miscellaneous booth is in charge of Mary Polhill, of Sylvester; Lee Stearman, of Savannah; Linelle Lang, of Omega; Doris Swindle, of Ray City; and Katherine McGregor, of Quitman.

NOTICE!

There will be no issue of *The Campus Canopy* the week following the holidays, but a larger copy will be published Christmas.

Faculty Members Address Students

STOKES AND GULLIVER SPEAK AT ASSEMBLY WEDNESDAY ON ACADEMIC PROBLEMS

The student body had as their guests at the assembly period Wednesday morning, Dr. Harold Gulliver, professor of English, and Mr. James Stokes, head of the biological department of the college.

Dr. Gulliver gave a very interesting talk encouraging the students to use the reading rooms in preparation for the various survey courses more extensively. These reading rooms contain numerous volumes of texts that cover a wide range of material in each of the subjects. He said that the college has gone to much trouble and expense to provide the reading rooms for the students and they should show their appreciation by taking advantage of their opportunity to use them. He also asked that the students cooperate in preserving the books and keep order in the reading rooms so that they will be of the best advantage.

Mr. Stokes urged the students to combine their efforts in making this a year of extraordinary scholastic records. He recognized the fact that the first quarter is often the hardest, especially for the Freshman, who have to adjust themselves to a college curriculum that is new to them; however, he told them not to be discouraged but to "put their best foot forward" during the next quarter and to strive to make G. S. W. C. head the list of scholastic records in Georgia.

READE AND GILMER TO ATTEND MEETING

Dr. Frank R. Reade, Executive Dean, and Miss Gertrude Gilmer, professor of English, are planning to attend the seventh annual meeting of the South Atlantic Modern Language Association at Charleston, Friday and Saturday, November 30 and December 1, as representatives of G. S. W. C.

Dr. Reade is chairman of the English section and will preside over that phase of the meeting. Miss Gilmer will make a talk on *Genesis and Development of a Research Project on Southern Magazines from 1764 to 1900*.

The social features of the association will be a play by Moliere presented by the College of Charleston and a reception for the speakers and guests.

wild life in the pictures. Mr. Komarek also brought out the hardships encountered on the trip such as climbing and crossing a waterfall.

Upon request, Mr. Komarek demonstrated the preparation of a deer to be placed in a Museum.

He also gave a description as to the preparation of the foliage used to give natural setting for the animals. This information enables students to better evaluate the various sights seen in a museum.

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THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving is usually the answer to the editor's prayer. Holidays offer splendid subject matter for editorials, because they eliminate the worry over a theme.

However, we are glad of the opportunity to write an editorial on a theme such as Thanksgiving. We wonder sometimes if it isn't necessary to bring a thing before students to cause them to think of it at all in its proper light. They are prone to forget the true meaning of Thanksgiving in the excitement surrounding the holidays.

For the first time in the history of our institution the student body has been granted holidays for this season; by the spring we hope to have new buildings erected; and the F. E. R. A. is enabling many people to stay in college who might not be here otherwise.

There is a great deal to be thankful for on our campus. Besides our having one of the most beautiful campuses of any college in the state, we have one of the brightest futures. Ours is not an institution falling back entirely on tradition, but one that is looking forward.

Prosperity is returning throughout the land. America will spend a happier Thanksgiving and Christmas than she has spent in a number of years.

And here at our college we may witness the signs of returning prosperity in all of our activities. Yes, there is quite a lot that we should be thankful for, not for ourselves alone, but for the glory of Alma Mater.

THE PURCHASE OF THE AMPLIFIER

When the Sororian and Argonian Literary Societies disbanded last year, they left a sum of money from their treasury to be used for the benefit of the student body as the money had come from the Student Activities Fund originally.

Recently an amplifier with musical attachment was bought with the money. We cannot think of a better way in which the fund might have been spent for the benefit of every student than in this way. Since its purchase several weeks ago it has been used continuously for a number of student affairs.

It used to be that when one of the organizations on campus wished to sponsor a tea dance they would have to hire an orchestra. As it was almost always necessary for the orchestra to come from a distance, the price for the music did not allow much profit to be made from the dances. Since the amplifier has been used there is not the additional expense. And the music is of practically the same nature, and better in some instances.

It will also be possible for the speaker and amplifier to be rented on occasions where public speaking will feature, and in this way it will be possible to eventually replace the fund left by the societies.

The amplifier has proved very successful on the number of times that it has been used. It is evident that the fund has been employed to a very good advantage.

KAMPUS KALEIDOSCOPE

There are still
 Some things
 That we never
 Knew
 Until somebody
 Told us.
 And so—
 In all true
 Confidence
 We shall relate—
 How the shrubbery at the side of the Legion Home certainly bothered some people That Christmas is to be the time of a much anticipated event How Valdosta gentlemen prefer gentlemen from Savannah That we heard all about it "Tree" That Dot Pittman now says: "I tango home" How Frances Carson seems to have made some people jealous That a certain young gentleman from town should get that car window fixed before it hurts somebody That if we were sweet sixteen again we'd wear hair ribbons too That Thanksgiving will witness some old affairs renewed That we'd also like to know why a certain person doesn't read this column Are you afraid of something? Well, don't be, because the bark is worse than the bite That we're tired of complimenting people So What?

We have been sitting out under the trees and watching the traffic go by. Lots of fun—you should try it sometime! Except we can't mention any names—we're tired of that. So Why does a certain town girl follow a certain car every time she gets the chance? It must have been moon-glow, or something to that effect. Anyway you should always be careful where you are seen and with whom. That will need no explanation to a certain little girl You had all better be good over the holidays, because we're always on the lookout.

IF IT MEANS A THING

There was a young lady of Valdosta
 Who went with a boy named Hal
 Foster.
 Then they went to dinner
 And Hal was the winner
 There's no telling how much Hal
 cost 'er.

Most of the movies that we have seen lately have been too amateurish (No, we didn't read that anywhere—if it goes over your head consult the dictionary.)

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall
 Humpty Dumpty had a great fall.

Which goes to show that he wasn't all he was cracked up to be.

And there will be a lot of thanksgiving because some certain people can't get home to see that we're working other people too. After all, Christmas is just around the corner.

Said the chorus girl to the big butter and egg man: "There's a yacht in what you say."

CURRENT OPINIONS

"American universities teach too much"—President Sieg. of Washington University.

"Schools should also transmit information—that is to say learning."—Professor Albert Einstein, of Princeton

"The reign of the flapper is over"—Dr. Ernest L. Talbert, University of Cincinnati psychologist.

"'Applesauce' will endure because we have no other word to express flattery that is uncomplimentary."—Prof. James Purcell, of Marquette University.

CINEMA CYNIC

Leila Urquhart

Speaking from our standpoint the Thanksgiving holidays come at an inopportune time. Did you know that on the Thursday and Friday that we are away, Anne Shirley will be at the Ritz in *Anne of Green Gables*? Another sweet, simple, and heart gripping picture. I would advise those who live close by to come back to see it. You'll miss Del Rio in *Madame du Barry* at the Palace also. The first du Barry is supposed to have been second only to Her Royal Highness, Cleopatra, Queen of Egypt, in the art of fascinating, and they say that Dolores is not so bad at it herself. Anyway, we have a combination that promises.

Bring your best bonnet and plume back to school with you to wear down to the Palace Monday and Tuesday where Jack Okie will be playing in *College Rhythm*. You want to look your best, your very best because everyone you know and some that you do not know will be there. It set a new high box-office record in Los Angeles, so you know it has to be good! But then you always enjoy Jack Oakie.

Hollywood is talking and the world is weeping. The cause for the former's chatter is that a reconciliation between Ann Harding and Harry Bannister seems imminent. The reason for

the overflowing international emotion is that Ann may never make another picture. She fainted on the lot the other day and has been ill ever since—with ex-husband Harry at her bedside.

Monday and Tuesday at the Ritz we have *Women in the Dark*. At the Palace, Thursday and Friday, *Happy Landing* with Jacqueline Wells and Ray Walker.

Please, please, all of you who cannot leave before tonight or in the morning, or who can, in any other way, see by all means *Bachelor of Arts* at the Palace today. The theory set forth by certain prominent actors that a man cannot give his best performance opposite the woman he really loves is disproven. Anita Louise and Tom Brown are sweethearts in life and they show it to the world in this true story of college life.

Santa Claus has already begun his 1934 tour. He has visited and revisited Shirley Temple from all parts of the country, already. Speaking of children stars—England's idol came over here for the premier of her pictures *Little Friend*, in New York. She is Nova Philbeam, and although she is quite attractive, I prefer American babies. Look her up and compare her with Shirley, Sue Collins and the other American tots.

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THE SOCIAL WEEK

I. R. C. SPONSORS DANCE

The International Relations Club sponsored a tea dance Friday afternoon at the American Legion Home. Miss Mildred Price, Miss Lillian Patterson and Miss Evelyn Deariso were the chaperons.

Among those who attended were: Miss Broun Hutchinson and Vernon McRae; Miss Nettie Johnson and Walter Schroer; Miss Louise Ambos and Herbert Wood; Miss Emily Parrish and Charles Dasher; Miss Nellie Johnson and Dr. Punke; Miss Priscilla Kelley and George Cobb; Miss Sara Coxwell and Charles Joyner; Miss Virginia Sheppard and John Oliver; Miss Leonora DuFour and Aubrey Stump; Miss Bootsie Hatcher and Buck Murphy; Miss Ruth Williams and Gus Cleveland; Miss Louise Odom and Jack Howell; Miss Elizabeth Strickland and John Sineath; Miss Joan Horton and Charlie Alderman; Miss Theresa Graham and Robert Miller; Miss Martha Lowry and Leonard Baldwin; Miss Sara Norris and Guy Parker; Miss Josephine Joubert and Jack Gornto; Miss Dorothy Pittman and J. H. Touchton; Miss Lucy Thompson and Jerry Tullis; Miss Virginia Zippies and Curtis Jackson; Miss Jessie Langdale and Sherwood Dennis; Miss Judy Cochran and Peyton Lawson; Miss Frances Carson and Bruce McHaffey; Miss Mary Polhill and Frank Braswell; Miss Henry Kate Gardner and Laurier Bush; Miss Dorothy Ogletree and Julian Stovall; Miss Cleo Barber and Cheney Griffen; Miss Grace Lahey and Mr. Stokes; Miss Rosemary Hawk of Atlanta, and Harris Dukes.

During the evening Miss Noellene Johnson and Earl McKinny danced a tango, and two tap-dance numbers were also given as a special feature.

PHILHARMONIC CLUB MEETS

The new members of the Philharmonic Club presented the entire program at the November meeting on Friday evening. It included three piano numbers: *Claire de Lune*, Debussy, played by Miss Edith Bennett; *Rustle of Spring*, Sinding, Miss Sarah Martha Pyle; and *In Hall of Mountain King*, Grieg, by Miss Virginia Zippies. There was also a violin solo *Adoration*, Borowzki, by Miss Myrtle Parker. Miss Josephine Daniel made an interesting report on Geraldine Farrar, and Miss Johnnie Mae Kelley gave a current event of the musical world.

Miss Leonora DuFour will spend the holidays in Tallahassee and Camilla.

SATURDAY DANCES

The amplifier with musical attachment which the college recently purchased has been a constant source of entertainment for the students. Not only has it taken the place of the usual orchestra at their more formal dances, but it has furnished the music for a series of informal dances held at the gymnasium on the past four Saturday evenings.

Not only the dormitory students, but the town students as well, enjoyed these affairs. A number of young men from Valdosta and students from Emory Junior College have been invited each time and various members of the faculty have served as chaperons.

Those members of the faculty who have acted as chaperons on these various occasions are: Miss Annie P. Hopper, Miss Iva Chandler, Miss Margaret Hall, Miss Leonora Ivey, Miss Louise Sawyer, and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Gulliver.

Among the young men invited to these dances were: Messrs. John Sineath, Charlie Joyner, Billy Lastinger, J. E. Culpepper, Harris Dukes, Buck Murphy, Curtis Jackson, Fred Murphy, Vernon McRae, Herbert Frazier, Jack Gornto, Harry Ulmer, George Shelton, Gus Cleveland, Pat Young, Guy Parker, Gene King, Berkly McKey, Robert Miller, Aubrey Stump, J. D. Young, Andre Tillman, Bogie Cheshire, Walter Williams, Clement Green, Johnnie Oliver, Peyton Lawson, Bill Oliver, Professor Stokes, Jack Howell, Dr. Punke and Dr. Owens.

SOCK AND BUSKIN CLUB

At the last monthly meeting of the Sock and Buskin Club on Tuesday, November 20, the hilarious comedy of Booth Tarkington's entitled *Station Y Y Y* was given for the pleasure of the members who received it with enthusiasm.

The production was under the efficient direction of Miss Estelle Roberts, president of the club, and the cast was composed of Miss Mildred Turnbull, Leila Urquhart, Vangie Trimble, Clara Davis Adams, Chappie Bragg, Lorene Johnson, Ruth Williams and Leonora DuFour. Excellent character interpretations were portrayed by the entire cast.

The Dramatic Club also sponsored a play at the High School on last Saturday morning for the children of the city. The romantic story of *Ali Baba* was told in pantomime, and the costumes of old Arabia added to the colorful presentation.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Matilda Tillman, of Quitman, Miss Carol Peebles, of Valdosta, and Miss Mary Perry, of Valdosta, attended Homecoming at the University of Florida last week-end.

Miss Janet Cook of Boston, and Miss Marie Joiner of Albany spent last week-end in Columbus, where they attended the Georgia-Auburn game.

Miss Florence Tharpe of Leesburg, attended Homecoming at the South Georgia State College in Douglas, Georgia.

Miss Myra Hackett of Moultrie, had as her guest last week-end, Miss Freddie McDowell of Moultrie.

Miss Rosemary Hawk, a student of Washington Seminary, in Atlanta, was the guest of Miss Ruth Hatcher for several days.

Miss Matilda Tillman of Quitman, will spend the holidays in Savannah, as the guest of Miss Betty Pierpont.

Miss Annie P. Hopper will attend the meeting of the Modern Language Association in Charleston, South Carolina.

Alumnae members on the campus last week were Miss Sarah Nicholson, Amsterdam, and Miss Dorothy Walls, Cordele.

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SPORTS

The final American ball and fist ball games of the series were played yesterday, Tuesday, November 27. A large number of supporters were on hand for both the Lambdas and Kappas.

The Goat Contest was in full swing last week. All of the campus game courts were filled each afternoon. Paula Sapp was seen in the dining room with quite a herd of goats Thursday night.

We heard that the leader of the purple "herd" forgot to get her goats. In this case Annie Belle, we think the Kappas have your goat.

Freshmen, in their gym classes under the direction of Miss McRee, are having an introductory course in physical education and health activities. As an orientation course in physical education the student is introduced to marching tactics, rhythmical activities, group games, and personal hygiene. Each student keeps a record of her health and checks daily her exercises and food. Every other Friday a guest speaker talks to the students on subjects relating to their health. Rules of campus games and the methods of playing and scoring them are studied in the classes. The students become acquainted with the organized sports, American ball and fist ball, by watching the Lambda and Kappa games.

Quite a bit of interest has been shown in archery during the past months. If the interest continues the Lambda and Kappa scores should be close.

Mr. Joe Davis was a guest speaker at Miss McRee's soccer class on November 20, at the gym, his topic being football.

Mr. Davis answered many questions that had bothered members of the class for a long time. He explained the different positions of the players, scoring, penalizing, the duties of the referee and the umpire, downs, and what is meant by the line of scrimmage.

HOLIDAYS BEGIN TODAY

This year will mark the first time in the history of the school when holidays have been granted the students of G. S. W. C. Through the efforts of Dr. Reade it will be possible for the college girls to have from today until Monday as holidays.

On previous years, Thanksgiving has marked the culmination of the athletic series in American and fist ball. The field south of Converse Hall has been the scene for the traditional encounter between the Kappas and Lambdas since the two societies were founded.

Homecoming has always been on Thanksgiving also, with a special dinner and program in the dining-room. But this year there will be a change and the students of G. S. W. C. will spend Thanksgiving at home.

STUDENTS DISCUSS NEW BOOKS

At a meeting of the English Club on Tuesday, November 27, a discussion of some of the latest fiction was the main topic. Since the library has put in a rental shelf some of the newest and most widely discussed books that have been published this fall have been placed on the shelf.

Miss Kathrynne Connell gave a review of Robert Graves' *I, Claudius*. Miss Connell gave an interesting introduction to the work, which is the second of the English author's novels. Miss Ola Lee Powell reviewed Stark Young's novel of the war-torn South, *So Red the Rose*, and Miss Judy Cochran spoke

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on the amusing satire of A. P. Herbert's, *Holy Deadlock*. All of these books may be rented from the shelf in the library.

The meeting was held in the House-in-the-Woods, and the program was under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Larisey, vice-president of the club.

STOKES PLANS TRIP

Mr. James R. Stokes, professor of biology, plans to leave December 1st on an expedition to the Okefenokee Swamp with other members of the Georgia Society of Naturalists, of which he is a charter member. These naturalists are studying the flora and fauna of the swamp, making taxonomical and ecological studies of these plants and animals. They make annual visits to the Okefenokee in order to carry on this extensive work which, when finished, will be of great interest, as well as value, to science.

Among those making this trip will be representatives from Emory University, the University of Georgia and other outstanding centers of biological research, including Dr. Rhodes, professor of biology at Emory, Dr. Stoddard, national authority on quail and Dr. Harris, authority on Lepidoptera.

FRESHMEN ELECT PRESIDENT

Miss Margaret Cannon, of Cairo, was unanimously elected president of the Freshman class week before last.

Although the first year students were urged to post names for several candidates, Miss Cannon was the only student mentioned for the position, her name appearing upon the bulletin board for a longer time than is the usual case in order to encourage the posting of more names.

While there are many capable members of the class, their selection is well qualified, having attended school

in Atlanta and Cairo, where she was interested in a number of activities.

Names were posted last week for the secretary of the class. Among those nominated were: Misses Frances Mc Lain, Carolyn Askew and Virginia Zippies. Miss Sarah Martha Pyle and Miss Helen Ashbrook have been named as candidates for treasurer.

Dr. Lena Hawks and her mother, Miss Margaret Hall, and Miss Mildred Larsen will spend Thanksgiving in Brunswick, Georgia.

THE WEEKLY POSER

Last Week; Q: Two volumes of a thousand pages each are arranged properly in a book case. Each volume is two inches thick including covers, each of which is one-eighth inch thick. If a book-worm eats its way from page 1, volume 1, to page 1000, volume 2, what distance does it travel.

Ans.: One quarter inch, being the width of two covers.

Solve This One by Next Week
There were three horses running in a race. Their names were Ronny, Sonny, and Honey. Their owners were John, Jack, and Jerry, although not necessary in that sequence.

Ronny broke an ankle during the race.

Jerry owned a red and white three-year-old.

Sonny had previous winnings totaling \$30,000.00.

Jack lost heavily although his horse almost won.

The horse that won was easily discernible against the background of a red and white painted fence.

This race was the first race that the horse owned by John had run. What was the name of the winning horse and the owner?