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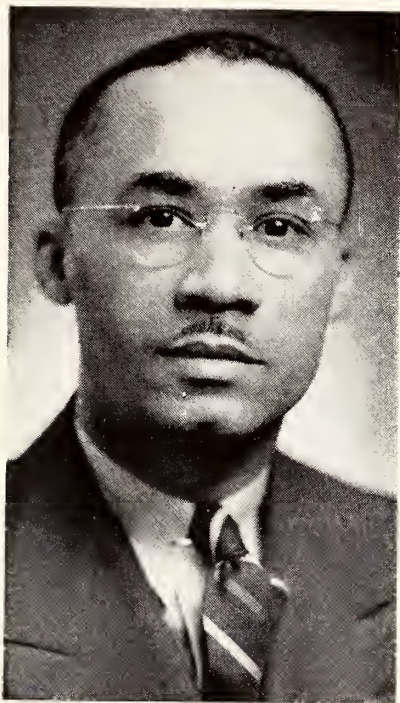
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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



PRESIDENT JAMES A. COLSTON

THE program of Georgia State College aims (1) to prepare students to earn a living in a socially useful occupation or to enter a graduate program of specialized, technical or professional training, to assist them in developing creative, spiritually enriched lives and to enable them to share in the life of the College so that they will become responsible, democratic citizens; (2) to contribute as far as possible to the improvement of the immediate community, the State and the Nation.

The entire curriculum of the school—which includes four major divisions and out-of-class activities such as music, art, drama, forensics, creative writing, athletics and health activities—and the guidance program (administered through the Student Personnel Council and the instructional staff) are directed to the end of meeting both the needs of the students and the needs of the community.

The program of the College, directed by a well-prepared, consecrated faculty and staff of 96 persons, is being restudied and evaluated in terms of these objectives. Resulting from this study will come not only revisions in the curriculum and modifications in out-of-

class activities but considerable changes in the entire living and learning atmosphere of the campus. Classroom buildings, the library, the dining hall and residence halls are in the process of complete renovation. To improve the health services, an infirmary unit with 22 beds is being erected. Through the facilities of a fine arts building, which is currently under construction, a greater opportunity for creative development in music and art will be afforded. The new cafeteria and recreation building, the third of the buildings secured through the Federal Works Agency, will greatly improve the food service and provide opportunities for city students and visitors to the campus to secure wholesome meals. The faculty housing program, which anticipates an expenditure of approximately \$124,000, will provide adequate housing for the present faculty and staff and enable the College to attract additional well-prepared faculty members. The pages that follow give some indication of this program in action.

JAMES A. COLSTON, *President*,
Georgia State College.



MELDRIM HALL

Georgia State College Staff, 1947-48

EVEN though President James A. Colston did not take office until July first, he was successful in assembling a well trained and, with few exceptions, experienced faculty. The faculty is headed by William K. Payne, A.B., A.M., academic dean, who correlates and supervises the work of the four divisions:

DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE—Edward Harmond, B.S., M.S., director of division; L. S. Alexander, B.S.; Frank Tharp, B.S.; and J. B. Wright, B.S., M.S.

DIVISION OF ARTS AND SCIENCES—William H. Brown, A.B., M.A., director of division. **Biology**—B. T. Griffith, B.S., M.S., Ph.D., chairman of department; Joseph Wortham, B.S., M.S., **Business**—Eunice Colley, A.B., M.A., acting chairman of department; Lenora B. Bellinger, B.S.; Robert C. Long, Sr., A.B., M.A. **Chemistry**—C. V. Clay, B.S., M.S., chairman of department; W. E. Murray, A.B., M.A. **Education**—W. K. Payne, A.B., M.A., chairman of department; W. H. Brown, A.B., M.A.; Alma Stegall, A.B., M.A.; P. A. Stewart, A.B., M.A. **English**—Lenora B. Dudley, A.B., M.A., Ph.D., chairman of department; J. Randolph Fisher, A.B., M.A.; Alice M. Haynes, A.B., M.A.; Coragreene Johnstone, A.B., M.A.; Louise Lautier, A.B., M.A.; Janie L. Lester, A.B., M.A.; Timothy C. Meyers, A.B., M.A. **Fine Arts and Languages**—R. Hayes Strider, A.B., M.A., chairman of department; Grace E. Hunt, A.B., M.A.; Alice C. Wright, A.B. **Health and Physical Education**—Theodore A. Wright, A.B., M.A., chairman of department; Albert Frazier, A.B., Geradline Hooper, A.B., John H. Myles, A.B.; Edward M. Richardson,

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE STAFF (*Continued*)

B.S. Mathematics—Martha Wilson, B.S., M.S., chairman of department; J. B. Clemmons, B.S., M.S. Natural Science—W. V. Winters, B.S., M.S., co-ordinator of department. Social Science—E. B. Sarreals, A.B., M.A., chairman of department; Joan L. Gordon, A.B., M.A.; W. E. Griffin, A.B.; William J. Holloway, A.B., M.A.; Louis E. Lomax, A.B., M.A.; A. E. Peacock, A.B., M.A.

DIVISION OF HOME ECONOMICS—Ella M. Epting, B.S., M.S., acting director of division; Martha M. Avery, B.S., M.A.; Robbie L. Boyd, A.B., M.S.; Christine Coleman, B.S., M.S.; Mary Pitts, B.S., M.A.

DIVISION OF TRADES AND INDUSTRIES—W. B. Nelson, B.S., M.S., director of division. Auto Mechanics—L. W. Brown, B.S.; W. T. Perry. Body and Fender—H. L. Ware. Carpentry—Murrel S. Johnson, B.S. Electricity—Rutherford Lockette, B.S. Machine Shop—Robert L. Chisley, B.S. Masonry—Arthur C. Carter, B.S.; W. F. Edwards. Mechanical and Architectural Drawing—Antonio Orsot. Painting—S. L. Lester. Radio—Rollins Bacon, Ben Singleton, B.S. Shoe Repair—C. F. Flipper, Sol Harden.

Under the supervision of Chatham County Public Schools and the college, the Powell Laboratory School serves approximately 166 pupils with Susie S. Davis, A.B., M.A., principal, and the following critic teachers: Lucille T. Lewis, B.S.; Catherine G. Mathis, B.S.; Josie B. Sessoms, A.B., M.A., and Thelma L. Walker, A.B.

The Officers of Administration are as follows: James A. Colston, president; William K. Payne, dean of the faculty; Timothy C. Meyers, registrar; P. D. Davis, business manager; Janie L. Lester, dean of women; William J. Holloway, dean of men; Luella Hawkins, librarian; Madeline Harrison, assistant librarian; Felix J. Alexis, superintendent of buildings and grounds; Clarence Wright, assistant superintendent of buildings and grounds; Loreese Davis, head resident, Camilla Hubert Hall; Marian Strider, matron, Camilla Hubert Hall; Joseph Wortham, head resident, Hill Hall; Wilton Scott, public relations; S. M. McDew, Jr., college physician; and Gertrude H. Holmes, college nurse.

Business Management is directed by P. D. Davis, business manager; Emanuel C. Bertrand, B.S., comptroller; John Gilmore, A.B., secretary and cashier; Willie T. Shropshire, A.B., budget assistant.

The Secretarial Staff includes Mildred L. Burch, administrative secretary to the president; Florence Derrick, secretary to the academic dean; Lenore B. Bellinger, secretary, Business Office; Josephine F. Hubert, secretary, Division of Arts and Sciences; Delores Lomax, secretary to deans of men and women; Mildred Marquis, secretary to office of buildings and grounds; Eugenia Law, secretary to registrar; Angeline Brown, recording clerk; Marjorie Wallace, recording clerk; Mildred McFarland, clerk, president's office; Beatrice Orsot, secretary, Business Office; and Mary B. Pearson, clerk, Division of General Extension.

Other Staff Members are Mozelle D. Clemmons, A.B., M.A., manager, college bookstore; Varnette Frazier, dietician; Ursuline B. Ingersoll, postmistress; Emma Wortham, manager, College Inn; Howard Jackson, superintendent of the laundry; R. A. Thomas, farm manager; and Louis Lomax, college minister.

The Georgia Agricultural Extension Service has offices on the campus. The staff numbers P. H. Stone, state agent for Negro Work; Camilla Weems, assistant state agent for Negro Work; A. S. Bacon, assistant supervisor, Negro Work; Alexander Hurse, Negro State Club Agent; Augustus Hill, assistant, Negro State Club Agent; and Vera L. Dowdell, clerk.

This group of one hundred teachers and staff members is dedicated to the task of training the youth of Georgia in the areas of their choice. The success of the group is to be measured by the type of citizen which the college graduates.

The Student Personnel Council

THE Student Personnel Council assists students to make adjustments from the time of entrance until they are graduated and gain employment. Professional counselling is provided for all students in the areas of religious and social life, problems of conduct, financial aid, scholarship and work on the campus, health and study habits.

So far this year the Council has sponsored student socials, aided in compiling the school calendar, assisted in planning pep meetings, and directed the Freshmen Orientation Program.

The Council is working with the Business Club and the Veterans' Club to provide a Student Loan Association for the student body. A weekly recreation program has been planned. Steps are being taken to provide more campus organizations for the enrichment of student life here.

The Student Personnel Council is composed of: Wm. J. Holloway, chairman, Miss Janie L. Lester, Miss Loreese Davis, Mrs. Mary Pitts, Miss Geraldine Hooper, Louis E. Lomax, Wilton C. Scott, W. K. Payne, Dr. S. M. McDew, and Robert C. Long, Sr.



STUDENTS DURING LEISURE HOURS

THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF MEN

THE office of the Dean of Men promotes programs and projects for the desirable development of all of the men enrolled in the College. All of the activities are geared toward providing many opportunities for well-balanced growth. Special emphasis is placed on providing rich experiences in group living.

Problems of adjustment are handled by members of the staff. The counselling corps is composed of the Dean of Men, the School Physician, the Veterans' Secretary, the College Minister and two dormitory directors.

Practice in democratic living is provided in the Hill Hall Dormitory Club. Among the projects of this organization are group socials, cultural programs, forums, athletic activities, publication of dormitory paper, and an annual Men's Day Program.

An employment bureau places men in jobs on the campus and follows their progress. Men are also assisted in gaining employment in Savannah. Aid is given to veterans or others who desire to take advantage of the educational program of the army, the air corps, and the navy.

A cumulative personnel record system is being developed to compile essential data concerning the following: health, scholarship, work record, special achievements and honors, personality data, and other information showing growth and development of each individual.

THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF WOMEN

THE young women of Georgia State College are especially favored this year in that a definite divisional staff has been set up to secure their welfare and training. In addition to the Dean of Women, the personnel council for women includes Miss Loreese Davis, head resident, Mrs. Marian Strider, matron, and Mrs. Lula Carson, night matron.

Camilla Hubert Hall and Boggs Hall have been renovated and beautifully decorated in soft pastel shades. New furniture has replaced the old in Camilla Hubert's reception room. Boggs Hall is now heated by gas instead of wood and coal stoves. These modifications have enhanced the comfort and the beauty of the buildings one hundred percent.

Under the supervision of Miss Davis, many activities have been planned, and some are already in operation for the utilization of leisure hours. These include birthday parties, card tournaments, bicycling, gardening, hiking, skating, and dramatics.

Putting the new plans into operation has entailed much moving, advising, and revising, but no one complains because all feel that it is a small price for what is gained.

Health Standards Committee

WHILE the college has not been unmindful of health standards as a necessary and essential aspect of an educational program, special emphasis is now being placed upon this area to the end of achieving improved health standards for all members of the college community.

The Committee on Health Standards of the Georgia State College recently made a significant report of its activities to the present time and of its projected activities for effecting noteworthy goals.

After reporting the completion of general physical examinations, given all new students under the direction of the college physician and the nurse; and the TB and VD tests administered to all students and members of the faculty through the extended service of the Citizens Planning Committee of Thunderbolt, Georgia, the committee was pleased to note the progress being made in the construction of an infirmary on the campus for more adequate care of students requiring medical attention.

In its report the committee took special cognizance of the role of general physical facilities, nutritional adequacy, sanitary and hygienic practices in the development of a healthy body, educational activities in the development of a health-consciousness in every member of the college community, and recommended such measures as will make positive contributions to those factors.

The Health Department

THE Health Department of Georgia State College extends Seasons greetings to the friends, students and faculty of Georgia State College.

At the beginning of the school year all students and faculty members were given blood tests and X-rays of the chest. General physical examinations were given all new and transfer students; where necessary, advice was given for corrections and treatments. The Freshmen were, in addition, given lectures on personal hygiene and disease prevention.

The Department plans to have monthly lectures on health by outstanding health authorities.

An Infirmary Building, now under construction, will contain three semi-private rooms for men and three for women, a nurse's office, a doctor's office, an examination room, a treatment room, a bath room, and a dinette. Thus equipped, the department will be able to treat almost any ailment except major surgery.

STAFF ACTIVITIES

PRESIDENT James A. Colston and Dean W. K. Payne attended the Council of the University of Georgia on October 10, in Atlanta.

Although Georgia State College is no longer a land grant college, it is an associate. At the conference of the presidents of land grant colleges, convening in Washington, D. C., October 23-25, one person in attendance was President James A. Colston.

Mr. J. Randolph Fisher, associate professor of English, represented the college at the inauguration of Mr. Hardy Liston as president of Johnson C. Smith University, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Many members of the faculty are engaging in off-campus activities as well as performing their duties on the campus. Among those rendering off campus services are Mr. E. B. Sarreals, who conducts a class in labor relations at the YMCA in Savannah; Miss Alma Stegall, who has been the principal speaker on several occasions at various churches and conferences; Mrs. Joan Gordon, who spoke at the Woman's Day Program of St. Phillips A. M. E. Church; Miss Coragreene Johnstone, who delivered the address at Bryan Baptist Church on Woman's Day. Mr. R. Hayes Strider, head of the department of music, together with Mrs. Alice C. Wright, the choir, and the band, has furnished music on many occasions.

Mrs. James A. Colston, charming wife of the president of Georgia State College, was the principal speaker at the Woman's Day Program of the Congregational Church. She chose for her subject, "What We Women Want."

The Entertainment Committee of the Campus entertained the Georgia Committee on Cooperation and Teacher Education and the faculty at a Halloween Party, on Friday evening, October 31, in Adams Hall. Games and dancing were enjoyed by those attending.

On October 31-November 1, the Georgia Committee on Cooperation and Teacher Education convened at Georgia State College. Among the faculty members belonging to this conference and participating in the discussions were President James A. Colston, host; Dean W. K. Payne, treasurer; Mr. W. H. Brown and Miss Alma Stegall, group leaders.

Those who have attended conferences in their major fields of work are Mr. E. B. Serreals, who attended a Social Workers Conference in Durham, North Carolina; Mr. E. H. Harmond and Mrs. Ella Epting, who served as judges at the Liberty County Harvest Festival at Hinesville, Georgia, November 20-21; and Mr. W. K. Brown, who was in attendance at the conference of the Accrediting Committee in Atlanta, on November 10; and Miss Alma Stegall, who attended the Jeanes Teachers Conference, November 3, in Atlanta.

President James A. Colston, Mrs. Ella Epting, Miss Susie Davis, Mr. Timothy Myers, Miss Alma Stegall, Mr. William H. Brown, Mrs. Eugenia Law, Miss Angelina Brown attended the Principals Conference in Americus, Georgia, November 20-21.

Dean W. K. Payne delivered an address over WTOC during Achievement Week, sponsored by the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

President James A. Colston is kept busy filling the many speaking engagements requested of him. Among those that he filled in Savannah was an address delivered before the congregation of the First African Baptist Church. On November 28 he addressed the Georgia A. M. E. Conference, in session in Savannah.

Mr. J. Randolph Fisher's "profile" ("Z. Alexander Looby: an Effective Leader") of Z. Alexander Looby, the celebrated attorney for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, appears in the November, 1947, issue of THE CRISIS, page 339. This is one of several vignettes that the writer has been asked to do.



WILCOX GYM

Campus Chest Drive

PRESIDENT James A. Colston appointed a committee to direct the 1947 Georgia State College Campus Chest Drive, which began on November 15 and ended on December 7.

The aim of the Drive is to have every member of the College Family to contribute liberally once yearly to charitable agencies, instead of several times yearly. To facilitate this the President's Committee is attempting to develop a healthy attitude toward giving. Also it has had a representative of the Savannah Community Chest and representatives of various organizations to come to the Campus and explain their needs.

President Colston began the chest Drive with an inspiring address on the objectives of the Campus Chest. Mr. James T. Ellerbe, executive secretary of the West Broad Street Y.M.C.A., spoke on the Community Chest.

Mr. Wilton C. Scott, Georgia State College director of Public Relations, recently praised for his proficient work as general chairman of the College's Homecoming celebration, is general chairman of the College Chest Drive Committee. Mrs. Lenore B. Bellinger is general secretary.



Alumni Activities

ON Friday night, November 7, graduates, former students, and friends of the College gathered in beautifully decorated Adams Hall to honor President James A. Colston, recently appointed administrator of the school. Sharing honors with him was his lovely wife, Mrs. Colston.

Tables and chairs were arranged in the shape of an "A" extending the length of the room. The school colors, orange and blue, were expressed in the decoration of the room and the tables. A delicious menu, ranging from a cocktail to after-dinner coffee, was prepared and served under the direction of Mrs. Varnetta Frazier, dietitian of the College dining hall, and also a graduate of the school. The program of the evening was as follows:

School Song.....	All
Invocation.....	Rev. James Bailey
Greetings:	
From President Wright's Administration.....	Mr. R. P. Pinkney
From President Wiley's Administration.....	Mrs. E. S. Warrick
From President Hubert's Administration.....	Mr. Robert Young
Solo.....	Mr. Robert Long
Address.....	Mrs. Clara Brownlee Gay
Response.....	Pres. James A. Colston
	Introduction of the speaker... Miss Louise Lautier
	Presentation of Pres. Colston... Miss Frankie Golden
	Piano Selection..... Mrs. Fannie Preston

Of those participating on the program, Mr. Robert Long and his accompanist, Mr. R. Hayes Strider, are members of the faculty of Georgia State. All were thrilled by Mr. Long's expressive dramatic performance. Mrs. Gay, in her address, likened Georgia State College to a ship whose captain is President Colston, and whose crew is made up of the graduates. "Give us your order, Captain, and we will do your bidding," she said. Her assurance that the Alumni are ready to support the school and its leader was met with hearty approval. President Colston, as usual, was most gracious in his response. He expressed again his intention to expand every effort to make and to keep Georgia State the best possible school that it can be. The affair recreated school spirit and resulted in strengthened ties between the school and its alumni and friends.

Georgia State College Serves Needs of People

IN AN attempt to serve further the needs of the people, this year Georgia State College has extended its program so that persons seeking classes at any time during the day, night, or week, may avail themselves of the opportunity.

During the fall quarter seventy-four in-service teachers from many nearby towns attend classes on the campus each Saturday. Thirty others who live too far to commute to Savannah are enrolled in extension classes in towns to which the instructors go. Still others are enrolled in evening classes: seventeen in Public Speaking and thirty in Sociology.

But by far the largest number of in-service teachers and students are taking courses by correspondence. Today this enrollment has reached the high level of eight hundred and three.

All of the courses are offered by the regular staff who maintain the same standards in all their classes. All persons enrolled receive full academic credit leading toward the A.B. or B.S. degree. In this way the college reaches the many persons who desire refresher courses, courses leading toward degrees, and professional advancement while they pursue their everyday tasks. Indeed, Georgia State College serves the needs of the people of Georgia.

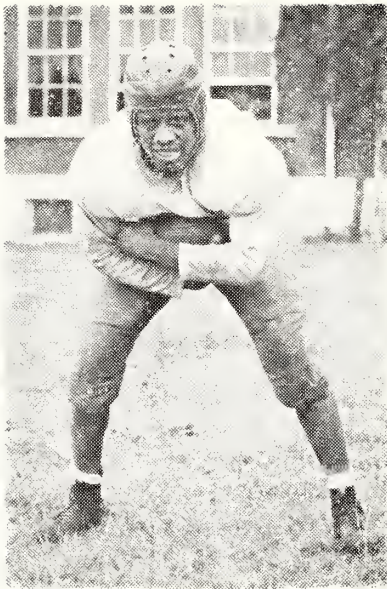
Also in this connection it may be interesting to note that the Georgia State College Campus Chest helps to support no less than nineteen organizations: Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Children's Council, Children's Free Clinic, Family Service of Savannah, Hodge Memorial Nursery, Mary MacLean Milk Depot, Mills Memorial Home.

In addition Savannah Boys' Club, Social Service Center, Y.M.C.A., 4-H Club of Chatham County, Greenbriar Center, Tuberculosis Association, Infantile Paralysis Foundation, Cancer Society, Savannah-Chatham Health Council, United Negro College Fund, and World Student Service Fund.

Moreover, students who are majors in the Social Sciences Periodically make trips to some of these agencies so as to familiarize themselves with the needs of the people served by these agencies. Thus Georgia State College students prepare themselves to become genuine assets to the communities in which eventually they will serve. Especially significant and helpful to Savannah and to the students have been trips to the Y.M.C.A., the Children's Home, The Boys' Club, and The Boys Farm (County).



REGISTRAR MEYERS—REGISTRATION



CLYDE HALL, CAPTAIN OF THE
GEORGIA STATE TIGERS

HOME-COMING

ACCORDING to the editor of the State College Homecoming was the that kind ever sponsored by this institu

Beginning with a Formal Alumni D James A. Colston and the faculty, th highly enjoyable Dance. Also there Party, a Parade led by the well-liked C fifty-piece marching band, and a footba celebration "Homecomers" and others v State College Community House by the



R. HAYES STRIDER, BAND DIRECTOR, SURROUNDED BY CHARMING MAJORETTES

MING, 1947

vannah "Tribune", the 1947 Georgia most colorful and meaningful affair of on.

quet in honor of President and Mr. memorable celebration ended with a re a Student Bonfire, a Wiener Roast Georgia State College blue and gold-clad, game. Throughout the entire two-day re entertained at the attractive Georgia resident and Mrs. Colston.



LINDSAY WEATHERSPOON, STAR HALFBACK



CHEERLEADERS

A New Day in Agriculture

THERE has never been a time when there were greater opportunities in the field of agriculture than those we have today. The present-day student of agriculture is able to enter into new phases of agricultural enterprises. There is a greater need for trained farmers, landscape gardeners, florists, vegetable gardeners, agronomists, dairy specialists, poultry specialists, agricultural engineers, and soil technicians.

We are living in an age of specialization, and, since agriculture is our basic industry, it cannot be excluded. Food is an item that man will need as long as he exists, and agriculture is the medium through which he must secure his food.

At Georgia State College, we no longer strive to teach some one to teach some one to teach agriculture, but we, instead, train the man or woman to return to the community, take his place in his specialized civilization and live a useful and fruitful life. At this College he chooses a major from one of the fields mentioned above and leaves school equipped to do a job. He can do a good job in his community or in the field of higher studies, for, while he is learning all that he can about one phase, he is learning something about all phases.

Teacher Education Conference

THE conference of Georgia Committees on Teacher Education convened at Georgia State College, October 31-November 1. Miss Alma Stegall, head of the Georgia State College Department of Elementary Education, served as chairman of the Pre-Service Education and Certification Committee; Mr. W. K. Brown, head of the Division of Arts and Sciences, acted as chairman of the committee on In-Service Education and Improvement of Instruction.

Representatives from all sections of the state attended the meeting.

Education Department Laboratory

STUDENTS and staff of the Education Department of Georgia State College are in the process of changing one of the rooms in Meldrim Hall, the academic building, into an educational laboratory.

The room is to serve as a study-center for those who are studying or are interested in education, especially those students who are planning to enter the teaching profession as a life's work.

The floor has been sanded and painted, an aquarium and a set of files have been added, and tables for fourm discussions, work and study are to be placed in the room. Draperies are to be put at the windows and plans are to make of the room, generally, a "place of beauty", conducive to work and study.



MORGAN HALL: INDUSTRIAL ARTS

The work is under the direction of committees from classes of Miss Stegall, Mr. Brown and Mr. Stewart. The students are compiling materials from various State Departments of Education concerning curriculum studies, certification, superintendents' reports, in-service training programs and a wide variety of educational subjects. Other plans include having teachers, supervisors and other in-service personnel come in from time to time and lecture to interested groups.

Division of Home Economics

NEVER before in the history of Home Economics has there been a greater need for a program based on the needs of the groups which it must serve. Our present economic crisis and the state of world relationships point to a need for an examination and reinterpretation of the goals of education in the light of these problems.

Homemaking education has never been a more important force. Solution of large problems lies in intelligent and consistent effort in small areas. Added together these small segments make up the life of

mankind. How the families of our communities live; how they think and how they use their feelings; how they care for and train their young, the quality of adult maturity they produce and use will determine the course of our nation in the history of the world.

Attention on solving personal and home living problems and problems of vocational competence cuts across many subject-matter areas. It is the purpose of home making education to derive from these fields an integrated body of material dealing with these problems with the purpose of preparing students for satisfactory adaptation. Such a program to be effective must have as its basis an over-all understanding of the needs of the individuals and the community which it serves.

The Home Economics Division is reviewing the conditions in contemporary Georgia and in the light of these conditions and those of our broad social order has set up its program with emphasis in the following areas: Foods and Nutrition, Housing, Home Management, Home Furnishings and Home Equipment, Clothing, Family Economics, Child Development, Family and Group Relationships, Family Health, Home Care of the Sick, First Aid and Safety in the Home, and Vocational Education. In addition to the regular course offerings provisions are made for experiences which will provide further development of skills and abilities started in the courses. These experiences include residence in the home management house, experience with children, community experiences, homemaking experiences, work experiences, and directed teaching experiences.

The College Inn

THE entire college family was surprised to see the College Inn open on the first floor of Boggs Hall within such a short time. After a brief discussion of plans by President James A. Colston, a group of students, and faculty members, the building employees went to work renovating the old rooms in Boggs Hall to establish a student activity shop. On September 27, just four days after the college opened, the College Inn opened its doors to serve the Georgia State College Family.

The purpose of the "Inn" is to sell sandwiches, ice cream, cold drinks and to serve as a center for relaxation during vacant periods and after-school hours. Under the efficient manager, Mrs. E. H. Wortham, and a student assistant, William Webb, the "Inn" has successfully carried out its plans. The College Inn also serves as a laboratory for practical experience for some of the students who are interested in business, and at the same time it aids several students in meeting some of their college expenses through part-time employment. Mr. Robert C. Long, an instructor in the business department of the college, has given valuable services in coaching the employees in personality and developmental tactics that are vitally necessary in a small business enterprise. The "Inn" serves approximately nine hundred persons daily.



CLASS IN FOODS

The Bookstore, which adjoins the lunch room, carries necessary textbooks and other school supplies for the convenience of the the students. Veterans' supplies are also issued at the bookstore. This department of the "Inn" is under the management of Mrs. M. E. Clemmons.

The College Inn is temporarily located in Boggs Hall. A new building is to be constructed at an early date and will provide ample space for the serving of hot meals and other necessities that the present site is not able to afford. This new cafeteria will be located near Wilcox gymnasium and Parson's Hall.

Powell Laboratory School

THE Powell Laboratory School began its 1947-48 session in a newly decorated building with an enrollment of one hundred and fifty-nine. The enrollment consists of children from Thunderbolt and East Savannah, with the exception of small groups that come from Wilmington Island, Whitmarch Island and Dutch Island.

A child study program is being conducted at present. The main purpose is to study the needs of the children that come from these varied communities. The community survey is a very vital part of this program. Standardized tests and the use of anecdotal records are among some of the other methods being used to determine the needs of the children. After the results of this information have been checked and analyzed, an instructional program will be designed on the basis of the findings.

A school lunch room will be constructed for the Powell Laboratory School in the very near future. However, temporary arrangements for hot lunches have already been made in the College Dining Hall. These lunches are served at a very small cost to the children able to pay and free to those unable to pay.

The P. T. A. was organized during the beginning of the school session and is doing an excellent job in helping to promote the total program. At present the P. T. A. is fostering drives to help supply some of the equipment needed. It is the desire to have all parents take an active part in the P. T. A. for the purpose of strengthening the relationship between the community and the school.

It is the aim of the staff to make additional improvements in the instructional program of the Powell Laboratory School by providing playground equipment, audio visual aids, libraries for each classroom, maps, globes and other equipment that is essential in developing a worthwhile elementary school program.

Adams Hall



FARM SHOP AND CANNING PLANT

ADAMS Hall, on the South side of the Georgia State College campus, is an imposing one-story brick building with wide arch windows on the sides and across the entire front. This is the popular dining hall, where students, faculty and friends eat three times daily. Here competent cooks for students and faculty prepare uncommonly home-like meals under the direction of capable Mrs. Varnetta Frazier the College Dietitian.

From the Department of Business Administration

ALMOST two-hundred students are enrolled in the Department of Business Administration. This represents the largest number of students ever to enroll in this Department. Veterans of World War II constitute 33- $\frac{1}{3}$ % of the total enrolled.

The work in Business Administration at this institution has a three-fold purpose:

1. To give basic courses for all students in:
 - (a) Practical business methods and procedures
 - (b) Sound business theories
2. To give basic training for business as an occupation, especially for small business enterprises.
3. To give accurate preparation for those who wish to teach business and commercial subjects.

To meet the needs of many of the students, especially the veterans, much stress is being placed on training in small business. Many of the students, male and female, have made known their intentions of going into some type of retail or service business upon graduation. As a great number of these students come from the surrounding areas of the college, a course in Small Business Enterprises is offered. This course seeks to give actual experience and observation in small business enterprises in the city of Savannah. The student is permitted to choose a problem and the place and location for study of that problem for the first six weeks. The second six weeks is the apprenticeship period in which the student gains valuable knowledge concerning that particular enterprise.

The students taking the course in Business Organization and Finance, have completed as a project, a directory of all Negro owned-and-operated retail and service businesses in the city of Savannah. This is supposed to be the first directory of its kind for this area, and is to serve as a guide for study and observation of small businesses.

Among the courses offered in the Department are: Typewriting, Stenography, Office Practice and Machines, Elementary and Intermediate Accounting, Insurance, Retailing, Business Law, Negotiable Instruments, Business Organization and Finance, and Small Business Enterprises.

It is expected that in the very near future specific courses will be instituted to prepare those who wish to teach business and commercial subjects. They will receive laboratory practice in nearby secondary schools where such subjects are being taught.

In order to encourage initiative in establishing small, well-operated business units and, at the same time, furnish a laboratory for actual business participation, there has been organized a retail store known as the College Inn where sandwiches and soft drinks, etc., are sold. The sales and managerial personnel receive special training under the direction of the Department of Business Administration. The courses given are Salesmanship and Supervision of Personnel. Students of the Business Administration Department and others interested in retail training are given actual experience in working in the Inn for a period of six weeks.



COMMUNITY CENTER: Interior

OUR VETERANS

NOW in the front ranks with colleges training veterans, Georgia State College has attracted a total of 555 veterans, including 5 former WACS, for a record enrollment this year. Of this number 187 are enrolled in the Division of Arts and Sciences with major preferences in Business Administration and Social Sciences.

The additional service of the Office of the Veteran's Secretary has been of much assistance to the former G. I's.

From all indications the veteran at Georgia State College has every opportunity to become adjusted to college life. The Veteran's Club is very active and has already presented four activities on its program for the year: (1) A one-act comedy entitled "A Womanless Wedding," (2) An assembly program at which time Mr. Benjamin Crawford, club president, made a short address on "The Four Fears", (3) The presentation of a float in the Homecoming Parade; and (4) The collection of an initial sum of money towards the establishment of a Loan Fund—a project begun last summer.

OUR LIBRARY

"A BOOK that is shut is but a block." Certainly no one can doubt the truth of this adage. Yet how often do we measure our libraries by the books as they stand on the shelves. We must, of course, have the books if we are to read. But, in the last analysis, the use of these books tests the effectiveness of the library collection. We know that an individual's need for recreational and general or cultural reading is as important in the library's scheme as is his need for collateral or required reading for the courses he pursues. Once each year special emphasis is given to these general cultural needs. Book Week is celebrated by libraries, schools and publishing houses throughout the world.

This year the Georgia State College Library celebrated Book Week with a program that featured reviews of some of the most widely read and discussed books of the season. Miss Celeste Hatcher, Librarian of the Carnegie Library, Savannah, Georgia, reviewed "The Bishop's Mantle" and "Drums of Destiny". Miss Louise Lautier, instructor in the Department of English, gave the high points of the novel "Knock On Any Door". The student body was well represented by Mr. Raphael Oliver who reviewed "Speaking Frankly" and Mr. Lawrence Young who gave an outline of "Trinidad Village". The Meistersingers of Georgia State College, directed by Mr. R. H. Strider, presented several selections.

At Open House, held in the Library after the program, over five hundred visitors, instructors and students browsed among the many new volumes on display, drank punch, renewed acquaintance and made new friends.



SECTION OF LIBRARY

New Emphasis on Music at Georgia State College

Four Year Major

COURSES are being outlined to develop students in two phases of music endeavor. The perfection of this outline is wholly dependent upon the immediate and future music needs of the elementary and high schools of the State of Georgia. Incidentally, the training and development will be of such a comprehensive nature as to guarantee musical products that will be an asset to the community, church, and school.

Upper Division Classes

The four-year major in music will include two phases: First, students may elect a major in MUSIC EDUCATION which will include such upper division courses as Choral Conducting, Counterpoint, Methods and Principles in Elementary and High School Music Teaching, Orchestral Conducting, Voice Class Methods, and Orchestration. Secondly, students may elect a major in MUSIC with emphasis on development in a special phase of applied music such as piano, organ, voice, or one of the band or orchestra instruments.

In either case, a finished product is guaranteed in that the candidate will receive instruction toward the development of a first class musician with a knowledge of voice, piano and the instruments of the band and orchestra for the teaching of vocal and instrumental classes in the public schools.

Lower Division Courses

Basic courses in Ear-Training, Written and Keyboard Harmony, and Survey of Music Literature are pursued during the first two years. These special orientations courses comprise one-third of the student's total number of required hours.

Applied Music

The study of piano, organ, voice, or some orchestral instrument is a definite part of both the MUSIC EDUCATION and MUSIC major curriculums. Candidates for the degree in Music Education are drilled thoroughly in the art of accompanying. The study of piano also includes efficient playing of technical material and at least two compositions of the Romantic Period. The study of voice for a minimum of one year is also required of majors in this branch. Concentration in one applied field is required of majors in MUSIC. Candidates for the degree are also required to give a recital in their chosen instrument or voice at the end of the senior year.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE CHOIR

Nineteen



Organizations

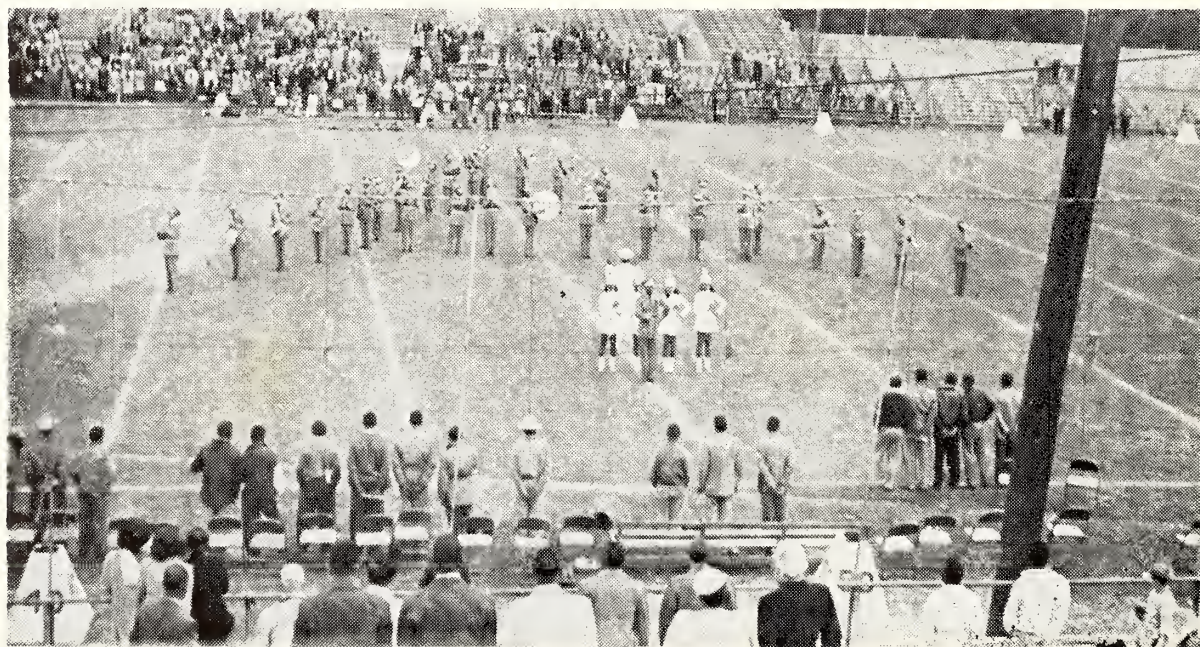
THE COLLEGE CHOIR—This group affords the student the opportunity of becoming acquainted with the most outstanding of choral music. All music majors will receive regular assignments in conducting this group of eighty voices which supplies the music for the Sunday Worship Hour. The College Choir also participates in a weekly broadcast originating from Radio Station WDAR, Savannah, Ga., gives seasonal on-campus concerts, and makes several appearances in nearby communities.

THE COLLEGE BAND—This group is to be considered an outstanding medium in the development of good public relations as well as a unit wherein students may become acquainted with the standard library of marching and concert band literature. A goal of seventy-five pieces has been set and this should be reached by September, 1948. The present group numbers fifty pieces and has added fanfare and color to public events.

SALON ORCHESTRA—A Salon Ensemble of approximately thirty pieces, predominately strings, is in the near-future plans of the department.

THE POPULAR ORCHESTRA—This organization, soon to become a reality, will afford an opportunity for the instrumental student to become acquainted with the most effective styles in modern dance orchestration. This group will be limited to eighteen members and membership in the unit will guarantee the development of a technical viewpoint of mediums which contribute to the organization and successful operation of the modern dance orchestra.

SMALL VOCAL GROUPS—The Male Quintette and the Female Sextette are constantly appearing both on and off-campus.



GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE MARCHING BAND

Trades and Industries



GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS OF ELECTRICITY:
Doing Line Work

THE objectives of the Division of Trades, Technical and Industrial Education of Georgia State College are:

1. To give students the fundamentals in the various trades offered.
2. To fit students for practical, everyday work.
3. To meet the ever increasing demand of industry for skilled workman in the practical arts.
4. To keep students aware at all times of all things happening in their trade or occupation; new techniques and devices developed; new ways of doing things and installing, repairing and using new gadgets brought to the public for the use of mankind.
5. To fit students for active, progressive citizenship.
6. To train teachers of Industrial Arts.
7. To train teachers of trade and industrial subjects.

This Division is offering a degree in Industrial Arts Education. In this course

teachers are prepared to teach students of the junior and senior high school level many phases of several trades so that the student can learn enough to obtain the following objectives:

1. Exploratory ideas of several trades.
2. Appreciation of neat, clean, accurate and efficient work.
3. Handyman activities.
4. Consumer's knowledge and appreciation.
5. Develop hobbies.
6. Social habits and a small per cent of vocational preparation.

The four-year degree course for teachers of trade and industrial subjects has for its purpose to prepare teachers to teach a trade and its related subjects to students of the high school level. The student is taught a trade so that he can go out and teach a specific trade to his students. These students in turn acquire enough techniques and skills to enter the trade as semi-skilled workers and journeymen. The student finishing this course can teach on the vocational level or enter industry as a workman.

The prospective teachers are being required to obtain actual practical experience in order that they may be aware of life and occupational situations. They are being trained to function as good teachers. These students are being taught to understand and interpret industrial and labor legislation. Emphasis is also being placed on instructional needs so that they will be able to do an effective teaching job in the school shops in the State of Georgia, or set up a shop wherever one is needed.

The major objective in the Division of Trades, Technical and Industrial Education at Georgia State College is not only to teach the student technical information, coupled with enough trade experiences to acquire the essential skills of the trade. It also fits the individual to enter gainful occupation with a greater earning capacity as well as working power.

The Division also seeks to train the student in the fundamental principles of good citizenship which may be exemplified in attitude, clean workmanship, a co-operative spirit, team work, fair play, pride in his work, interest in his home life, pride in his community, pride in his state and government.

A certificate of proficiency is given at the successful completion of one of the unit trades.

Improvements and Building Programs

MUCH of the recent praise accorded Georgia State College has been the result of its intensive all-Campus Improvement Program. A Project necessitating the expenditure of several hundred thousand dollars, this one Program calls for the renovating of all of the thirty buildings on the Campus, the installing of a new water system, and the setting up of a communication system, including a switchboard.

The building program is well under way. Presently three structures are going up: a Music or Fine Arts Building, an Infirmary, and a Cafeteria. Faculty housing is expected to become a reality soon. Immediately following this Project, the Campus roads will be rebuilt.

An Athletic Field, encircled by a quarter-mile track, is to be completed by August, 1948. Adjacent to it is to be a baseball diamond.

Six houses for faculty and staff members are to get underway soon. They will occupy space on the front grounds near the entrance to the Campus, and each house will have six rooms.

The Dining Hall (beautiful Adams Hall) is to have a new automatic steam generator heating system.

An important addition to these praiseworthy plans is a Campus beautification Program, which also is underway.

Religious Life Programs

THE fact that we are a state school does not alter the certainty that Georgia State College has a definite Religious Program.

The Religious Life Program of the College is set to meet two objectives. First, to create within the students a desire for a personal religious experience. In these times, when chaos seems impending, the world at large is looking for a way out. It is our philosophy that Christianity offers man that way and we have constructed a program requiring the services of a College Minister and comprising four organizations to meet this need. In this regard it should be said that we do not attempt to "denominationalize" our students. The College Sponsors a Protestant service each Sunday Morning, a College Mass for Catholic students, and an Inspirational Vespers Hour in the Evening. To meet this first need the College is also sponsoring a RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK IN JANUARY at which time emphasis will be put on having students make decisions for the Christian way of life.

Our second objective is to give the student a series of experiences designed to fit him for service in the local church of his community. We have long realized that the church poorly pays those whom it does employ, and that it cannot afford to pay for extra lay leadership. We feel that by giving our students an opportunity to plan and participate in the religious programs of our campus they will develop "know how" and techniques which can be used in the community in which they work.

Above all the total aim of our program is to produce in these students a moral philosophy as a guide to their mental efforts. In times such as these a more worthwhile objective could not be attained.

ARTIST SERIES

THE 1947-48 Georgia State College Artists Series will include five major attractions:

1. January 28-29. S. Hurok—the original Don Cossack Chorus and Dancers, conducted by Serge Jaroff,
2. February 4-5. One of America's leading sopranos, Muriel Rahn,
3. February 24-25. The Southernaires.
4. March 26. The American Negro Repertory Players, under the direction of Milton Wood, will present, performances of "Angel Street" and "Private Lives."
5. April. An outstanding Pianist.

In an effort to accommodate the large student body enrolled at Georgia State College and the people of Savannah, the College has arranged to present each performance twice—once at the College and once at the City Auditorium.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE

Savannah, Georgia

Founded, 1890

LOCATED in Chatham County, five miles from the heart of downtown Savannah, Georgia's oldest and chief seaport city, Georgia State College is a four-year institution supported through the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia and accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the State Department of Education.

The College is concerned that each student shall live deeply and happily as a socially balanced and spiritually mature person. Hence the College provides ample opportunity for individual student expression outside of the classroom. Students engage in a variety of extra-curricular activities including inter-collegiate and intra-mural athletics, dramatics, music organizations, and debating.

Competent faculty—effective curriculum—instructional methods geared to the abilities, interests, and needs of students—improved library service—modern program of student personnel service—beautiful Campus consisting of thirty buildings on a moss-laden tract of 136 acres.

Courses leading to the A.B. and B.S. degrees. Majors offered in Agriculture, Biology, Business Administration, Chemistry, Elementary and Secondary Education, English, Home Economics, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Social Science, Trades and Industries.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK:

The Year in Retrospect and a Look to the Future

ONE CALENDAR year has passed since the Regents of the University System elected me to serve as your president. When I accepted the honor to work with you, I recognized the opportunities made available to me and the corresponding responsibilities attached to such a sacred calling as that of a college president.

I recognize that we are living in a most critical period—a period in which educational institutions must make rapid change and considerable progress in their programs and facilities in order to meet the needs of this changing era. In this connection there is much, as you well know, that needs to be done at Georgia State. Even though we have hardly scratched the surface in terms of our

plans and hopes for our college, we have made some small beginnings. And it is these that I shall mention now.

The first step in the job to be done at Georgia State was to enlarge and improve the calibre of the faculty and the student body. Some progress in that direction has been made. At the beginning of the fall term, a faculty and staff of 96 people greeted the 1,063 regularly enrolled students, the largest enrollment in the history of the school. These students came from high schools in 94 counties in Georgia and 11 other states. Among the faculty members were two Ph.D.'s four who have done practically all the basic course requirements for the doctorate. Several have done additional study above

the master's degree and 36 of them hold the degree of Master of Arts. As near as possible, the faculty was selected not only for high scholastic attainment but on the basis of suitability for work at Georgia State College and consecration to the task of teaching young people.

Other steps in the direction of placing Georgia State in the rank of a good college include an almost complete renovation of the campus buildings and grounds; the provision of offices and equipment for the administration of the college; the installation of a new telephone system that connects all departments on the campus; the erection of an 18-bed infirmary with an examination room, offices for the doctor and nurse, and living quarters for the nurse; a fine arts building with choir, band, radio-broadcasting, and piano-practice rooms; a modernly equipped home economics practice cottage; a College Inn with a seating capacity of 200, a recreation room, a book store, and a confectionary counter. Interior decoration and more comfortable furnishings have been provided in all of the dormitories. Considerable care has been given to the preparation and service of food in the dining hall. New uniforms for the band and football and basketball teams have been purchased. A well-rounded athletic program giving opportunity for all of the students to participate is in its developmental stage. A well-balanced social and cultural program bringing to the campus a "name band" and other outstanding artists of the concert stage has been provided. Students at Georgia State College are provided with the kind of experiences that enable them to become well-integrated personalities.

Then, too, the school has served the community. Both the faculty and student body are regular participants in and contributors to the social, civic and religious life of the immediate and nearby communities.

A Look to the Future

As gratifying as the progress in the past has been, Georgia State's real contributions are in the future. Our strides must be forever forward. We cannot stand still. Any institution that does not make progress will regress. Georgia State must move forward.

The immediate members of the Georgia State family cannot do the job alone. It is ours together.

These are some of the things that must be done. Our faculty must be enlarged and become better qualified. We must secure a better calibre of student. Already twelve members of the faculty who can be released from teaching have planned to go away for further study this summer. One member of the staff has already secured a Rosenwald Fellowship to complete her work for the doctorate degree next term. We hope to secure fellowships that will enable two others to study next year, and four members of the staff plan to study on their own.

I believe that we can take care of upgrading the faculty. You must help us secure better students. If each alumnus would be responsible for directing to the college at least one very good student, the calibre of our student body would be greatly improved. Then, too, you can help build the kind of football team both you and I want if you will make a generous contribution to the Alumni Scholarship Fund. We cannot compete in athletics with the other good schools unless we get better athletes. A contribution from you will help us to do that.

Georgia State must expand its physical facilities. We need immediately a new library, an administration building with class rooms and an auditorium, two new dormitories, a second unit to the gymnasium and adequate housing for the faculty. The majority of these are necessary to make us a real grade-A school. We are pushing the Regents as rapidly as possible for these facilities. I believe that we will get them.

So we look to the future with full confidence that through the cooperation of the Regents, the alumni, and friends of Georgia State, our alma mater will assume her rightful place in the scheme of education today. With your help and God's help our dreams for Georgia State College will come true.

The very backbone of an institution of learning is its products—those who have passed through it into the problem-solving world which awaits them. In the final analysis it is they who create those qualities, circumstances, and what have you which cause a school eventually to be designated as genuinely distinguished. It is, therefore, natural that we pause just here to pay tribute to our two key Alumni leaders above, who have done and are doing well.

Alumni Heads Hold Important Posts



Leonard Law, President of the Chatham County Chapter of the Georgia State College Alumni Association, is Personnel Assistant for the Union Bag and Paper Corporation in Savannah.



Miss Frankie Golden, President of the State Georgia State College Alumni Association, is Consultant in Elementary Education for Chatham County Schools.

The Georgia State College Alumni Scholarship Fund.

FOR SOME time the alumni of Georgia State throughout the country have expressed great dissatisfaction about the poor showing made by our teams in athletic competition. Many have been particularly critical about the successive drubbings our football teams have suffered over a period of several years.

After much prolonged discussion, a group of local alumni got together and formulated plans for the current scholarship drive. This group was headed by Miss Frankie Golden, president, General Alumni Association, Alexander Hurse, a former president, Leonard D. Law, president, Chatham County Alumni Association, and Rutherford Lockette. The group set up a tentative board of directors and a statewide committee to initiate the drive. In addition to those named above the tentative steering committee consists of the following persons: Board of Directors, Alexander Hurse, Chairman; A. S. Bacon, Robert Blakely, Roosevelt Campbell, Mrs. C. V. Clay, Charles DuVaul, W. H. Harris, Mrs. Mabel Henry, Augustus Hill, B. J. James, Leonard Law, T. C. Meyers, Wesley Myers, J. B. Stevens, Reno Tap-

ley, Mrs. Mary Trawick; State-Wide Committee, Miss Leonard Bacon, Mrs. Mary Smith Blount, A. L. Boykin, R. C. Brown, Mrs. C. D. Camp, Mrs. Mary Catchings, R. C. Childers, Mrs. Lucille Cooke, Miss Mabel Cooke, Willie Cummings, Mrs. Jimmie Dennis, Chester Devillars, Homer Edwards, Mrs. Pearl Fennell, J. H. Flagg, Joseph Frambo, Mrs. C. E. Gay, Miss Loretha Gilmore, David Griffin, J. H. Griffin, Mrs. Essie Hannah Hall, Mrs. W. T. Harris, Mrs. Johnnie Mae Henderson, Mrs. Augustus Hill, J. M. Hill, Cula Jackson, Mrs. J. Jackson, John B. Jackson, Miss Olive Ruth Jackson, John King, U. S. Lane, Miss Annie Luten, Augustus McArthur, Miss Bessie McClendon, James McMullen, Raleigh Macon, T. R. Maxwell, John H. Moody, Elmore Morgan, J. S. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. James Odum, Raleigh Parson, Walter Powell, Charles Rawls, Miss Thelma Raye, Carl Reese, J. C. Sanders, M. Saunders, Odessa Shanks, John Shaw, Miss Lillie Skrine, Miss Annie R. Smith, Mrs. F. M. Staley, William Stevens, P. H. Stone, Jr., Mrs. Florine Sumner, C. L. Tapley, Henry Tarver, M. L. Walden, Otis Watson, Miss Pauline Wilcher, S. J. Williams, M. J. Woods.



Miss Janie L. Lester, Dean of Women at Georgia State College, looks on as two alumni register at the College booth during the Convention of the Georgia Teachers and Education Association. As a result of the efforts of Miss Lester and her staff, up-to-date data on more than 500 alumni were secured. A follow-up on the part of the Offices of the President and the Director of Public Relations has brought the new registrations up to over 800.

The committee recognized at the outset that every college which excels in athletics has to offer considerable financial help to attract good students who are also good athletes. The goal of this scholarship fund is \$6500. The purpose is to attract students of good moral character, superior scholastic ability, and outstanding athletic promise.

To date one hundred thirty-five letters of solicitation have been sent out and the following persons have contributed \$426.50. Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Allen, \$5.00; A. S. Bacon, 5.00; Miss Leona Bacon 5.00; Miss Lila Bell, 2.00; Charles Bennefield, 5.00; Mrs. Annie T. Blakeney 5.00; R. E. Blakeney, 10.00; Mrs. Leola Cooper Blunt, 5.00; N. R. Bolten 5.00; Miss Rosetta Booker 1.00; Wash Bradley 5.00; Mrs. Susan White Briggs, 5.00; Mrs. Mavis Montgomery Brown, 10.00; A. C. Carter, 5.00; R. C. Childers, 5.00; Mrs. C. V. Clay, 5.00; Miss Ellen Cogdall, 5.00; Mrs. Amelia Sloan Davis, 5.00; Mrs. Jimmie R. Dennis, 5.00; Miss Vera Dowdell, 5.00; Mrs. Carrie Dukes, 2.50; Miss Annie M. Early 5.00; Miss Frankie Golden, 10.00; Mrs. Sarah F. Hart, 5.00; Walter Horne, 5.00; Mrs. Ernie Von Hudson, 3.00; Alexander Hurse, 10.00; Cula Jackson, 5.00; Mrs. E. B. Jackson, 5.00; B. J. James, 15.00; Mrs. Carrie B. Johnson, 2.00; Mack Johnson, 1.00; Sammy L. Johnson, 2.00; G. B. Jones, 1.00; Miss

Marie Jones, 5.00; J. C. King, 5.00; Mrs. Leonard Law, 12.50; Leonard Law, 13.50; Mrs. Hattie Lewis, 5.00; J. E. Luten, 5.00; R. E. Lockette, 10.00; Mrs. Aggie McLeod, 5.00; Theodore Maxwell, 5.00; T. C. Meyers, 10.00; Wesley Myers, 15.00; Mrs. Almada Morgan 3.00; R. P. Pinckney, 50.00; Mrs. Mary Randall, 1.00; Miss Thelma Ray, 10.00; Miss Juanita Sapp, 1.00; Miss Madeline R. Shivery, 5.00; Miss Lula Smith, 25.00; Miss Melinda Smith, 5.00; F. R. Spencer, 10.00; W. J. Stephens, 5.00; Mrs. Majorie P. Tapley, 10.00; Reno Tapley, 10.00; H. W. Tarver, 6.00; Frank Tharpe, 10.00.

Alumni of Georgia State College have thus embarked on a program which has for years been established practice among alumni of other colleges. This is a new idea for Georgia State alumni. Therefore, considering the novelty of the appeal, we feel that Georgia State followers have reason to be congratulated on such a fine start.

Alumni of the College throughout the nation are now urged to do the following things in furtherance of the scholarship fund program:

1. If the alumni in your section are not already organized, organize at once and put over this drive. At the same time mail us your roster of officers and members, indicating the year of graduation of each.
2. Captains or solicitors in each chapter should get a contribution from every Georgia State alumnus and former student in your section.
3. Solicitors should give each donor a temporary receipt. Then send all money collected, in the form of a check or money order, payable to the Georgia State College Alumni Scholarship Fund, Box 8, Georgia State College, Savannah, Georgia.

Note that official receipts covering total and individual contributions will be sent back to the chapter from the Fund.

T. C. Meyers, Chairman
Finance Committee.

ALUMNI NEWS ITEMS

DOROTHY JENKINS (B.S. 1945) recently received the M.A. degree in Home Economics at New York University.

JOHN L. ROBINSON, former student, is reportedly the only Negro technician in the United States making contact lenses (newly created invisible glasses that fit the balls of the eye). Mr. Robinson is employed by the Gaynes and Firestone Company of Detroit, Michigan.

Lawton Junior High School, Screven County, Georgia, is progressing rapidly under the principalship of SUSIE MORGAN JACKSON (B.S. 1942) and her assistant, COLLEEN EDWARDS (B.S. 1947). Their Annual Field Day was held on May 7 at the Screven County Training School in Sylvania, Georgia. Closing exercises for Lawton Junior High are planned for May 21 and will include a play and readings.

GEORGIA STATE GRADUATES ATTEND TEACHERS' MEETING, ENJOY BUFFET SUPPER AT THE COLLEGE

More than two thousand teachers, principals, et al., attended the Annual Meeting of the Georgia Teachers and Education Association here in Savannah, April 15-17, 1948. Among them were hundreds of Georgia State College graduates, former students and friends. The College served as co-host with the Chatham County Teachers Association.

Meetings of the G. S. C. Alumni Association were held at the West Broad Street Y. M. C. A. in Savannah and on the campus.

The College's fifty-piece, blue and gold uniformed band and the eighty-voice choir assisted in providing excellent music for the delegates during the sessions of the meeting.

On April 16, a heavy, early rain changed the plans of the College for an outdoor barbecue picnic in the College Park and the setting was changed to the Dining Hall. The skies cleared and the sun came out brilliantly just before the hundreds of delegates arrived on the campus where the serving began at 5:00 P.M. and lasted continuously until after 8:00 P.M. Over two thousand persons were served a tasty

barbecue plate and a refreshing cold drink.

The following evening those of the delegates who were alumni and former students returned to their Alma Mater for a delicious and most attractive buffet supper and renewed fellowship with classmates and College associates. Music and flowers added to the beauty of the occasion.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT

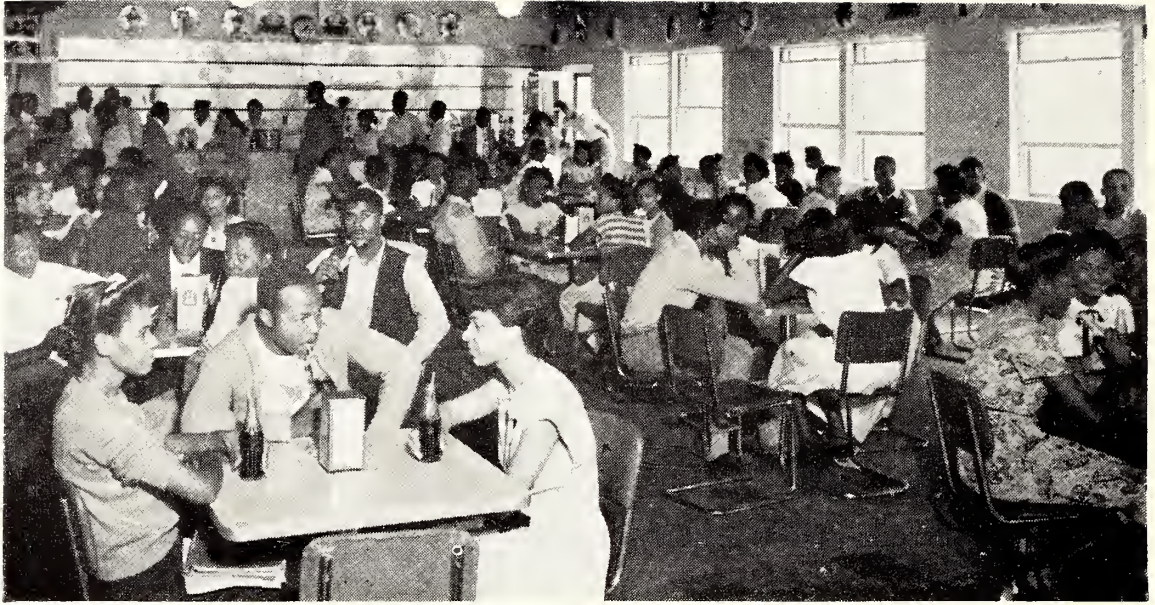
This Department offers a four-year curriculum, which has already attracted twenty-three majors working toward the B.S. degree in Physical Education.

Evidences of progress in this Department are reassuring. A new athletic field has been started; and soon to be set up is a regulation football field, attached to which will be a quartermile track and a baseball field.

Hence in the very near future the Physical Education and Health Department will be one of the chief assets of Georgia State College.



Members of the Savannah Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity at their Annual Guide Right Program held in the auditorium of Meldrim Hall April -8. L. to r.: W. Vergil Winters, Bowles Ford, Paul A. Stewart, Father Gustave Caution, C. C. Spaulding (President of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company and speaker for the occasion), W. Dickerson Donnelly, James T. Ellerbe, John Lyons, Jr., N. H. Collier. Not shown is R. Hayes Strider who provided the piano accompaniment for the fraternity hymn.



Campus Photographer snaps students as they relax for refreshments in the recently constructed College Inn.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE
Calendar of Commencement Events
1948

- Monday, May 31
 8:00 P.M.—Physical Education Demonstration—Willcox Gymnasium
- Thursday, June 3
 11:30 A.M. Senior Chapel — Meldrim Auditorium
- Friday, June 4
 8:00 P.M.—Class Night Exercises — Meldrim Auditorium
- Saturday, June 5
 8:00 P.M.—President's Reception for Seniors—Community House
- Sunday, June 6
 3:00 P.M.—Alumni Meeting — Meldrim Auditorium
 5:00 P.M.—Baccalaureate Service—Meldrim Auditorium.
 Sermon by Dr. William Holmes Borders, Pastor of Greater Wheat Street Baptist Church, Atlanta, Georgia
- 7:00 P.M.—Reception — Community House
 President and Mrs. James A. Colston at home to the

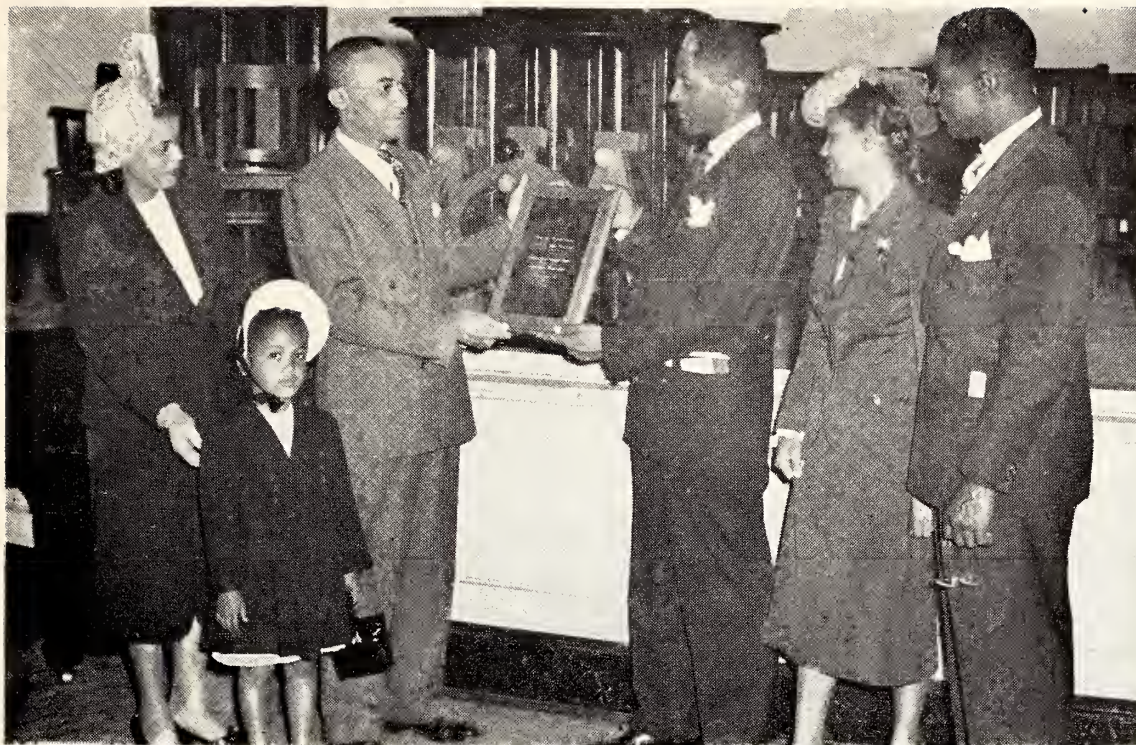
alumni, members of the graduating class, their parents and friends

- Monday, June 7
 10:00 A.M.—Achievement Hour — Meldrim Auditorium
 Alumni Induction Hour — Meldrim Auditorium
 Commencement Exercises—Meldrim Auditorium
 Address by Dr. Ira DeA. Reid, Chairman of the Department of Sociology, Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia

OFF-CAMPUS FIELD WORK
BY
PROSPECTIVE TEACHERS

Georgia State College has undertaken an intensive program for the training of teachers of Home Economics, secondary school subjects and elementary grades. The program is designed to produce a superior type of beginning teacher—one who will know how to take responsibilities in Georgia schools. These teachers are expected to make substantial contributions to the programs in the schools employing them.

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President James A. Colston receives "Alpha Man of the Year" award from National President, Belford B. Lawson, as (left to right) Brs. Colston and their daughter, Jean Alliece, and Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilson look on. Dr. J. W. Wilson is Chairman of the Educational Committee of Beta Phi Lambda Chapter who named President Colston "man of the year." C. V. Clay, who is absent from the photo, is President of the local chapter.

"The Alpha Man of the Year"

During the Georgia State College April 4 Vesper Hour Attorney Belford Lawson of Washington, D. C., general president of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, on behalf of the Beta Phi Lambda Chapter, presented "The Alpha Man of the Year"

Award to President James A. Colston of Georgia State College "in recognition of outstanding community service and educational leadership in Savannah."

A literally crowded Meldrim Hall Auditorium audience witnessed this impressive ceremony symbolical of the phenomenal achievements of the youthful, yet particularly able, educator, whose very name growingly identifies itself with Georgia State College progress.

SOME ASPECTS OF FACULTY GROWTH

The healthy growth of an educational institution is always related to the development of its faculty and staff. Colleges which serve a changing social order must always keep in tune with society.

The faculty, in addition to being well-trained, must participate in the life of the larger community in order to provide effective learning experiences for each new college generation.

In order to provide for this continuous growth of staff members, the college has encouraged its faculty to acquire the knowledge and experiences from the larger social world that would make them effective teachers. In their extension beyond the classroom, they have performed numerous services which have been beneficial to the groups whom they met as well as to themselves.

During the present school year, members of the Georgia State College faculty have delivered fifty-seven prepared addresses to many different kinds of social groups. In the preparation of such addresses, it was necessary for the faculty members to find out as much as possible about the groups to whom they would speak. Some of the addresses came in the form of radio speeches or special feature programs which required preparation for wider and more varied audiences.

Another indication of faculty growth comes through writing. The faculty members of the college have contributed more than seventeen articles to professional magazines and newspapers. Through this medium the instructor continues his study and likewise extends his influence beyond the walls of the institution.

Finally, one must not overlook the opportunity for growth and stimulation found in attending and participating in professional meetings and in holding membership in learned societies. The college has been represented by faculty members at nine professional meetings held in and out of the State. The staff members hold membership in eleven different learned societies. Membership in these societies provide the instructor with opportunity to contribute to professional journals, knowledge of trends of development in the field, and publications of recent developments in their areas of specialty.

OFF-CAMPUS FIELD WORK BY PROSPECTIVE TEACHERS

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The teacher-education program includes an initial field experience in schools following the students first year in college. This experience is providing prospective secondary school teachers through an arrangement between the college and principals of high schools by which the student is permitted to work in the high school in his home town as a "helper." This experience is arranged during September before the college opens.

Under the supervision of an experienced teacher, our students assist with records, organization of classroom materials and other routine tasks in a high school. The students attend faculty meetings and pre-planning conferences held in the home town school. It is felt that this experience provides an opportunity for students to gain deeper insights into the problems of schools from the point of view of a teacher. Further, it is felt that the experience can provide a background for subsequent work done at the college by the student in preparation for teaching.

A similar experience was provided for prospective elementary school teachers in connection with the course known as "Orientation to Teaching." The prospective elementary teacher makes frequent trips into the community to observe schools in action. These observations form the basis for discussions carried on in seminars for elementary school teachers.

During the sophomore and junior years, all education students are given opportunities to do field work, either in the schools or with community groups in connection with the regular education courses. During the senior year, all prospective teachers spend an entire quarter as student teachers in schools in or near Savannah. Spending full-time in the schools, they gradually assume responsibility for two or three classes, depending on their ability to plan effectively for these classes. It is felt that the production of superior teachers requires the student to take responsibilities not too much unlike those taken by veteran teachers.

A maximum of two student teachers is assigned to a supervising teacher who has been carefully selected by the directors of practice. In the schools, the prospective teacher finds rich opportunities to engage in a variety of activities designed to produce a teacher with many capabilities. Not only do they teach classes, but they take an active part in community programs and in extra-curricular activities in the school.

Georgia State College feels that these experiences can produce a teacher who does not cry on the shoulder of the principal, but rather one who takes responsibilities immediately upon entrance into his first job.

ALUMNI NEWS ITEMS

HAROLD EDWIN GRIER (B.S. 1941) received the M.S. degree from the University of Minnesota on March 18, 1948.

JULIUS HAND GOODEN (A.B. 1946) who holds the M.A. degree from the University of Minnesota, is working on the Doctor of Philosophy degree in Animal Husbandry and Agricultural Education at the same University. Mr. Gooden formerly taught at Georgia State.



Scene from All-State Music Festival, which included approximately 800 students from 23 high schools, with R. Hayes Strider directing and Mrs. Jane Parker Starr and Mrs. Alice Creecy Wright serving as accompanists.

ALL-STATE FESTIVAL

The first All-State Music Festival was held at Georgia State College on May 7. Willcox Gymnasium was filled to capacity as twenty-three high schools representing all sections of Georgia participated in this impressive observance. R. Hayes Strider, director of Music, served as general chairman and conductor of the mass chorus of 800 voices which climaxed the festivity.

Other features of the program were small group ensembles, instrumental and vocal solos as well as school choruses varying from twenty to 100 voices. Among the renditions were classics, semi-classics, folk songs, and Negro spirituals.

Beach-Cuyler High School of Savannah had a 100-voice chorus directed by Peter J. Smalls and Mrs. Jane Parker Starr.

Other participants included Boggs Academy, J. C. Briggs, director, Key-ville; Boston High School, R. M. Wilson, director, Boston; Brooks High School, L. M. Johnson, director, Quitman; Carver High School, E. H. Hall, director, Douglas; Carver High School, D. D. Carter, director, Milledgeville; Dasher High School, J. Hunter and M. Hunter, direc-

tors, Valdosta; Dickerson High School, Rev. G. W. Culpepper, director, Vidalia; Douglas High School, C. W. Thomas, director; Hudson High School, M. L. Morgan, director, Macon; Hutton High School J. R. Williams, director, Bainbridge; Industrial High School, J. V. Atkinson, director, Fort Valley; Jenkins High School, B. C. Gay, director, Millen; Liberty High School, J. R. Dinkins, director, Riceboro; Moultrie High School, L. M. Billings, director, Moultrie; Risley High School, A. W. Howard, director, Brunswick; Tift High School, E. O. Bynes, director, Tifton; Todd-Grant High School, M. F. McFarland, director, Darien; Washington High School, R. M. Meyers, director, Dublin.

The Georgia State 80-voice choir and 50-piece band were presented the night before the Festival in the Annual College Music Concert in Meldrim Auditorium with P. D. Davis, the Georgia State College, Comptroller, as guest cornetist.

President James A. Colston has announced that this All-State Festival will be an Annual affair during National Music Week at Georgia State College.

First Annual Men's Day

HISTORY was made at Georgia State College Saturday, April 24, as the Hill Hall Dormitory Club sponsored the First Annual Men's Day. This sports carnival was presented with the aid of the Department of Physical Education and the Office of the Dean of Men. The all-day program of athletic events included a softball tournament and track and field activities.

Competition for the softball championship was between four intra-mural teams: Trades Club, Agriculture Association, Physical Education Club and the Arts and Sciences Club.

President James A. Colston tossed out the first pitch to start the play in the Trades-"Aggies" game. The Trades edged their arch rivals 8-6 in a hotly contested battle. The Physical Education Club trounced the Arts and Sciences Club 9-5 in the second game of the day. In the championship game, Captain Emerson Ragsdale and his power-laden Physical Education Club overpowered a gallant Trades team 10-3. The sterling pitching performance by Jesse Morgan of the champions was a feature of the contest.

The track and field events in the afternoon gave the young men a chance to show their prowess in intramural competition. The list of winners follows:

60 yd. dash: Wright, T. (PE); Harris, G. (PE); and Conrad, J. (PE). Time: 5.7 seconds.

100 yd. dash: Roberts, E. (T); Wright, T. (PE); and Woods, W. (A&S). Time: 13.2 seconds.

Shuttle relay: Physical Education Club. (Forfeiture) Conrad, J.; Harris, G.; Smith, C.; and Wright, T.

Discus: Hawkins, K. (PE); Billups, H. (T); and Bristow, J. (PE). Distance 99' 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

Shot put: Hawkins, K. (PE); Savery, Jr. (PE); and Bristow, J. (PE). Distance: 40' 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

High Jump: Denton, L. (A); Smith, C. (PE); and Harris, G. (PE). Height: 5' 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Broad Jump: Harris, G. (PE); Davis, C. (T); and Hart, A. (A&S). Distance: 18' 3".

Officials for all athletic events were: Edward M. Richardson, Albert Frazier, J. H. Wortham and William Shropshire.

A banquet, held by the men in Adams Hall, climaxed the day's festivities. Arthur Hart served as toastmaster for this occasion. William J. Holloway, Dean of Men, introduced Mr. Norman Roosevelt Dixon, the guest speaker. Mr. Dixon is principal of Euclid High School in DeLand, Florida, and has achieved an enviable reputation in educational, youth welfare, and interracial activities in North Carolina, Georgia, and Florida.

Speaking on "The Fable of the South," the speaker issued a powerful challenge to the men to seek full citizenship rights and privileges in our democratic society. "We are in need of a social hypodermic," he said. "We must arise and march forth to conquer hatreds and doubts here and now." Emphasizing the necessity of interracial cooperation to help America reach her potentialities, he urged his listeners to "be men, brothers. Speak forth bravely and courageously for truth and justice . . . There is a new day dawning, and there must be new men for that day."

Prizes were awarded by President James A. Colston to winners in all of the day's events. The most outstanding softball player award went to Jesse Morgan, ace hurler of the Physical Education team. Leroy Denton, broad jump star of the Agriculture Association, received the award for outstanding performance in track and field activities. Merchants and friends donated prizes.

Music was furnished by R. Hayes Strider, Director of Music, Robert Charles Long, faculty vocalist, and William Forrest, student pianist.

Short speeches were made by Henry Johnson, President of the Hill Hall Dormitory Club, Clyde Hall, President of the Student Council, and Samuel L. Harris, Editor of the Hill Hall Gazette.

Members of the planning committee were Harrison Miller, Arthur Hart and Mack Davis.



Georgia State College was host to the Georgia Council of Workers on the State Level during their Second Annual Conference. The picture above shows President Colston addressing the Council.

Annual State High School Basketball Tournament, and Oratorical and Spelling Contests

Twenty-two Georgia High School teams participated in the Twelfth Annual Georgia State High School Basketball Tournament at Georgia State College, March 18-19, 1948.

Fifteen hundred enthusiastic fans saw the boys' team from Haines Institute of Augusta defeat Beach-Cuyler High School (defending champions) of Savannah for the championship. In addition to that, the Haines girls defeated Candler High School, Metter, thus winning the girls championship.

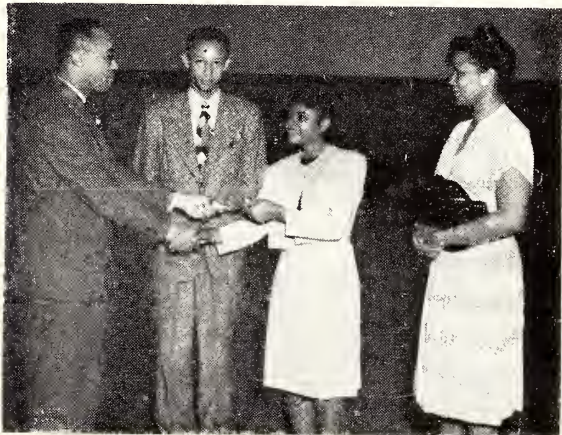
The fourth Annual Statewide Oratorical and Spelling Contests were held here on the campus also on March 18-19, 1948.

Winners of the oratorical contest prizes were: First (\$50) Miss Phoebe Robinson (Beach-Cuyler High School, Savannah); second (\$25), Miss Bettye Peterson, Dickinson Training School, Vidalia; third (\$15), Miss Dorothy Duncan, Henry Hunt High School, Fort Valley; fourth (\$10) Miss Lucile Bristor, Brooks High School, Quitman.

Winners of the Spelling Contest prizes were: first (\$50), Mr. Adolphus Carter, Beach-Cuyler High School, Savannah; second (25), Miss Lula Mae Luster, Staley

High School, Americus; third (\$15), Miss Constance Braswell, Henry Hunt High School, Fort Valley; fourth (\$10), Miss Elaine Cash, Risley High School, Brunswick.

The Fourth Annual Statewide Oratorical and Spelling Contests were sponsored by the Savannah "Morning News" and "Evening Press" at Georgia State College.



Miss Phoebe Robinson, Beach-Cuyler School student, receives first place award for oratory in State-wide Oratorical Contest from President James A. Colston as Adolphus Carter, winner of first place in the Spelling Contest, and Miss Ethel Jacobs, their high school instructor, look on.



The scene above shows the new College Infirmary's first patient being examined by the medical staff—Dr. S. W. McDew, Jr., Miss Cutie Weaver (student assistant) and Nurse Gertrude W. Holmes.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE HEALTH SERVICE

The College Health Service in cooperation with the United States Public Health Office and the Savannah-Chatham County Health Service X-rayed and blood-tested approximately 1,000 students at the beginning of the school year, 1947-48. Follow-up and care where needed have been given the students throughout the year. Health talks and motion pictures have been presented for educational purposes.



Students receiving care in the new 18-bed College Infirmary.

THE COLLEGE INN

The College Inn has entered its new home, a spacious white frame building between Willcox Gymnasium and Parson Hall.

The Main Dining Room accomodates one hundred people. Attractive furniture and a picolo make it especially popular. At the snack bar sandwiches, cold drinks, ice cream, candies, and "fountain specials" are available.

To the left as one enters from the front door is the Game Room, where students play cards, table tennis, and the like during spare moments.

Also in The College Inn is the Bookstore and Veterans Supply Center, under the management of Mr. N. R. Freeman. Here are textbooks and other school supplies, notions, etc.

Effectively managed by Mrs. Emma H. Wortham, whose assistant is Mr. William Webb, The College Inn serves more than 1,000 students and teachers daily.

SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

As Georgia State College served as host to the Southeastern Conference Basketball Tournament this year, the Georgia State girls' team emerged victorious as championship winners, and the boys came out in second place.

Participating in the Conference were teams from Albany State College, Albany, Georgia; Bethune-Cookman College, Daytona Beach, Florida; Claflin University, Orangeburg, South Carolina; Florida N & I College, St. Augustine, Florida; Paine College, Augusta, Georgia; Morris College, Sumter, South Carolina; and Georgia State.

Both Georgia State College captains (Miss Ida B. Girvin and Jesse C. Morgan) were voted the most outstanding players of the Tournament.

Activities of the Georgia State College

1948 Senior Class

GEORGIA State College looks forward with keen anticipation to the granting of degrees to approximately ninety young men and women at its June Commencement.

These young people have come from representative sections in Georgia, and Florida and South Carolina. They have majored in agriculture, business administration, elementary education, English, home economics, industrial education, mathematics, natural and social science.

During their stay here the student body has exhibited confidence in their ability and leadership by placing them at the head of the leading student organizations. Clyde Hall is the president of the Student Council; Benjamin Crawford is president of the Veterans' Club; Walker Williams is editor-in-chief of "The Tiger's Roar," the student publication; Charles A. Ogles-tree is president of the Agriculture Association and was president of the Little Theatre in 1946-1947; Felton Ransby is president of the Trade Association; Samuel Smith is the president of the Senior Class; Henry Johnson is president of the Hill Hall Dormitory Council; Charles Mention and Marie Scantling are members of the executive board of the Student Council; Naomi Bailey is president of the Rodelta Club; Mary McRae is president of the YWCA; Arthur Heywood is president of the YMCA; Maggie Hayes was elected Miss Georgia State in 1946-47; Thelma Perry was elected Miss Georgia State in 1947-48.

Many of the seniors have rendered larger service to their Alma Mater, and incidentally to themselves, through a further development of their special talents. In athletics, Lindsey Weatherspoon, Benjamin Crawford, Arnor Davis, General Stone, Robert Washington, Alcie Robinson, and Clyde Hall are members of the Varsity team in football. Luther Conyers and Carlton Cannaway are number one trainers and made themselves indispensable to the team. In business, Gwendolyn Thompson, Lula Battle, Sanders Golphine,

Lawrence Young, Ruby Parks Thelma Perry, Annie M. Williams, and Nelson Freeman are outstanding in typing and shorthand and have gained valuable experience through their work in the various offices connected with the College. Elizabeth Billups, Gwendolyn Thompson, Marie Scantling, and Jacqueline Carter have had special practice and training in library science. Walter Gambrell, Maggie Hayes, Mary McRae, Lawrence Young, Theresa Finch have played leading roles in dramatics, playing parts in such plays as "Silas Marnor," "The Brave Shall Serve," "St. Agnes Eve," and "Jane Eyre."

Ossie Ash, Milla Ball, Ida Dowers, Bessie Ellison, Nancy Neal, and Susie Wilkerson have shown superior ability in knowing not only the theory of, but the practice in the culinary arts.

In music, Walter Gambrell, David Thomas, Esther Bush, Alton Spells, and Lula Battle have sung in the College Chorus to audiences throughout Georgia, and over the radio to innumerable indivi-

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Shown in the living room of the new Home Management House at the College are six resident senior Home Economics students and the Director, Mrs. Ella M. Epting, in a discussion of operation plans. The house, which accommodates six students and the director during each six-week period, has been completely remodeled, re-decorated and refurnished to give students experience in the techniques and skills involved in homemaking.

News of General Interest

IN HONOR of the Tigers, the College Football team, students have voted to change the name of their newspaper from THE GEORGIA HERALD to THE TIGER'S ROAR.

April activities for the Department of Music included (1) a tour for a group of the members of the Band and Choir to Hinesville, Vidalia, Douglas, Moultrie and Columbus; (2) a broadcast through the facilities of WDAR from the City Auditorium on April 15, in connection with the Convention of the Georgia Teachers and Education Association; (3) the initial appearance on April 30 in Chapel of "The Aristocrats of Rhythm"—an 18-piece orchestra—followed in the evening by a three-hour performance and dance in the Gym. There have been other special appearances both on campus and off of individuals and groups from the Department, as well as regularly scheduled appearances in Church and Vesper Services and over the radio.

May events for the Department of Music follow: May 2—Septette at St. John's A. M. E. Church in Savannah; May 3—Meister singers on regular broadcast over WDAR; May 4, 11:00 A. M.—Choir and Band at SSSS Community Center for the Music Week Program of Beach Cuyler High School in Savannah; May 4, 8:00 P. M.—Choir at First A. B. Church in Savannah; May 9;—Meistersingers in Montgomery, Georgia, for the Ground-Breaking Ceremonies of the Montgomery Community Center; May 10-14—Choir and Band on tour to Dublin, Macon, Monroe, Athens and Sandersville; May 21—Orchestra and Band at Commencement Exercises at Guyton, Georgia; May 23—Choir at St. Paul's Church in Savannah.

The Dormitory Council presented a special program on Race Relations Day with the Honorable David S. Atkinson, Superior Judge of the Eastern Judicial Circuit Court of Georgia, delivering the morning address and the Honorable Andrew J. Ryan, Jr., Solicitor General, giving the evening address.

A new feature of the expanding program of Georgia State College is the Employment Bureau of the Student Per-

sonnel Council, under the direction of Dean of Men William J. Holloway, which secures employment for students both on and off the campus. Cooperating concerns include General Foods, Inc., New York; Cullman Brothers Tobacco Company, Connecticut; Rockywold Camp, New Hampshire; the Michigan Camp Association, Michigan; the Migrant Child Care Program, New York.

In addition to observing National Negro Health Week on the campus the College sponsored two radio programs on April 7 and 8—the first presenting Dr. S. M. McDew, Jr., (College Physician) over WTOC and the second consisting of a panel discussion on nutrition over WSAV in which the following persons took part: Dean of Instruction, William K. Payne; Dr. Booker T. Griffith, Chairman of the Department of Biology; Mrs. Gertrude Holmes, College Nurse; and Miss Robbie Boyd of the Department of Home Economics.

In order to facilitate joint donations from students and faculty of Georgia State College to organizations supported by voluntary contributions, the College has organized a Campus Chest Fund.

The Leadership Institute sponsored by the Student Personnel Council was very much of a success. The purpose of the Institute was to help leaders and potential leaders prepare for more effective service on the campus and in their communities. Addresses were made by President Colston who spoke on the Institute theme, "Intelligent Leadership in a Dynamic Society;" by Mr. James T. Ellerbe, Savannah Y. M. C. A. Secretary, whose subject was "Basic Principle of Democratic Procedure;" and by Rev. Leroy G. Cleverdon, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Savannah, who discussed "Social Responsibility for Leadership." Group discussions which proved most stimulating, as evidenced by the lively participation of students, were as follows: "Duties and Responsibilities of Presidents"—Dean W. K. Payne, Leader; "Duties and Responsibilities of Treasurers"—Mr. E. A. Bertrand, Chief Accountant; "Duties and Responsibilities of Secretaries"—Miss Mildred L. Burch, Administrative Secretary; "Dut-

ies and Responsibilities of Committees"—Miss Alma Stegall, Department of Education; "Problems of Parliamentary Procedure"—Mrs. Martha W. Wilson (Mathematics), Miss Loreese Davis, Counsellor for Women, Mr. E. B. Sarreals (Social Science), and Mr. Carl F. Flipper (Shoe Repair). A panel discussion in summation was led by Rev. Louis E. Lomax, College Minister, assisted by Mr. W. W. Law, alumnus, Mr. W. H. Brown, Director of Arts and Sciences and Mr. W. B. Nelson, Director of Trades and Industries.

Individual contributions from the Georgia State Faculty and Students to the American National Red Cross Campaign this year amounted to \$229.05 An "Award of Merit" was sent to Dr. B. T. Griffith and his committee by the Savannah Chapter of Red Cross for their work in this 10-day drive.

National Urban League's Sixteenth Vocational Opportunity Campaign observance on the campus, March 14-21, was spearheaded by Mr. George L. Edwards, Assistant Director of the Southern Field Division of the League, and Miss Frances McKnight, Director of the Migrant Child Care Program of New York, who addressed assemblies and held group discussion meetings. Other speakers were Mr. Leonard Law (1931), Personnel Counsellor for the Union Bag and Paper Corporation of Savannah, whose subject was "Opportunities and Problems in Industry," and Mr. W. Weldon Herring, Advertising Managar for Radio Station WCCP, who spoke on "Opportunities in Radio."

Deans and Registrars of the State Colleges for Negroes in Georgia held their third meeting April 10 in the Administration Building. They approved nine regulations designed to promote a more uniform and effective program of higher education. The representatives from Albany State College were Dean R. L. Jeffreys, E. J. Granberry, Director of Teacher Training, and H. M. Mayes, Records Clerk and Acting Secretary; from Fort Valley, Dean W. E. Blanchett and Registrar H. A. Bowen; and from Georgia

State, President James A. Colston, (ex-officio), Registrar T. C. Meyers and Dean of Faculty William K. Payne.

Recent Vesper programs have included (1) Mr. Norman Roosevelt Dixon, Principal of Euclid High School in DeLand, Florida, who spoke on "Education for Our Times." Mr. Dixon was presented by the Dormitory Club; (2) Dr. Grace Sloan Overton, nationally known authority on marriage and the family; (3) Dr. Frederick H. Dedmond, Chairman of the Department of Modern Languages at Morgan State College in Baltimore, Maryland; (4) Mr. C. C. Spaulding, President of the North Carolina Mutual Life Insurance Company, presented by Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; (5) Attorney Belford Lawson of Washington, D. C., presented by the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity; (6) Dr. Leonea Dudley of the Georgia State faculty; (7) Attorney Elise Austin of Washington, D. C. presented by the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; (8) Mrs. Esther Warrick, Florance Street Elementary School, Mother's Day speaker.

ACTIVITIES OF THE GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE 1948 SENIOR CLASS

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duals wherever Georgia State has been represented in Song. Naomi Bailey and Iola Kinsey have rendered special service as pianists. On several occasions, Iola Agatha Dingle, Leon Dingle, Theresa Kinsey have gone to rural schools and played for their closing exercises. Jewel Thornton and Agatha Dingle are members of the College Band.

June brings to a close a great adventure in the life of each member of the class. The College can only hope that every sail has been set aright; and, that as each leaves these protecting walls he remembers:

"To labor with zest and give of your best
Is the sweetest joy of living;

To help folks along with a hand and a
song,

Why, there's the real secret of living."



Off-Campus Business School

Business courses, accounting, shorthand, and typewriting are now being conducted off-campus at the West Broad Street Y. M. C. A. in Savannah, for high school graduates who find it difficult to attend classes in the day and others. This off-campus Business School is an extension of Georgia State College. College credits will be given those who have graduated from high school; while others will receive credit to apply to their high school records.

The course in accounting is designed to develop the ability to keep personal bookkeeping records for an individual or for businesses. Upon completing this course students are qualified as bookkeepers.

The course in shorthand is primarily for those who plan to become stenographers and secretaries. This course is designed to develop in the student the ability to take dictation, which one encount-

ers in a business situation, speedily and accurately.

The course in typewriting is designed to enable students to acquire a functional knowledge of the typewriter, including the keyboard and all other operative parts. It is also designed to develop ability to type for personal use simple business forms (such as letters, manuscripts, reports, and tabulations) and to prepare students to adapt themselves to business procedures and to practice acceptable standards of business behavior.

At the end of two years or six quarters, students will receive a certificate of completion, certifying their ability to qualify for positions as bookkeepers, stenographers, secretaries, and typists.

Robert Charles Long, Sr., Assistant Professor of Business Administration here at the College, is director of the Georgia State College Off-Campus School.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE

Savannah, Georgia

Founded, 1890

LOCATED in Chatham County, five miles from the heart of downtown Savannah, Georgia's oldest and chief seaport city, Georgia State College is a four-year institution supported through the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia and accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools and the State Department of Education.

The College is concerned that each student shall live deeply and happily as a socially balanced and spiritually mature person. Hence the College provides ample opportunity for individual student expression outside of the classroom. Students engage in a variety of extra-curricular activities including inter-collegiate and intra-mural athletics, dramatics, music organizations, and debating.

Competent faculty—effective curriculum—instructional methods geared to the abilities, interests, and needs of students—improved library service—modern program of student personnel service—beautiful Campus consisting of thirty buildings on a moss-laden tract of 136 acres.

Courses leading to the A.B. and B.S. degrees. Majors offered in Agriculture, Biology, Business Administration, Chemistry, Elementary and Secondary Education, English, Home Economics, Mathematics, Music, Physical Education, Social Science, Trades and Industries.

Registration for the Fall Quarter 1948.....September 21-24

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PRESIDENT COLSTON HONORED

On July 29, 1948, President James A. Colston of Georgia State College was installed as president of the University Club of the New York University Summer Session at Chautauqua, New York.

Unanimously elected, President Colston became the first Negro ever to hold an office in the University Club. He succeeded James A. Vaughan, executive director of Simmons College, Boston, Massachusetts, who served as president last year. Other officers include William Roberts, Director of Music, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., vice-president; Miss Marion Williams, Florida Park, Long Island, Secretary; Miss Katherine Sherwood, Nottingham High School, Syracuse, New York, Treasurer.

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Warrick, J. H. *
Ware, Henry L.

FACULTY MEMBERS RETURN

Fifteen members of the Georgia State College faculty have returned for the fall quarter after spending the summer doing further study at some of America's leading colleges and universities.

The group was headed by President James A. Colston who studied at New York University. Other members of the staff who did further study are Miss Janie L. Lester, New York University; Miss Madeline G. Harrison, University of Illinois; W. H. Brown, Ohio State University; Mrs.

Joan L. Gordon, University of Pennsylvania; W. E. Griffin, Iowa State College; Mrs. Martha M. Avery, Columbia University; Miss Grace Hunt, McGill University; W. E. Murray, Ohio State University; A. E. Peacock, New York University; Frank Tharpe, Iowa State College; Albert Frazier, New York University; A. S. Bacon, Connecticut State College, and W. V. Winthers, Ohio State University.

Miss Hooper received the master of science degree in physical education. Mr. Bacon is assistant supervisor of Negro extension work in the State of Georgia.

RECORD ENROLLMENT

A record enrollment of 1243 students are attending Georgia State College for the fall school term.

Pre-school planning activities began with a general faculty meeting at 10 A. M. on September 17. This meeting was followed by divisional and departmental meetings.

Freshmen reported to the college and began orientation on September 21 and completed registration on the 23rd. Advance students reported for registration on the 23rd and continued through the 24th.

Classes began Monday, September 27.

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of 26 new staff members to the faculty of Georgia State College was announced September 10 by President James A. Colston.

At the same time, President Colston disclosed three innovations in the college program. They are:

1. An expanded program of Student Personnel Services co-ordinated by Miss Charity Adams, Assistant Professor, Education. Miss Adams holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Wilberforce University and a Master of Arts degree from Ohio State University. She did her graduate work in Vocational Guidance and Personnel Administration. Miss Adams served in the Women's Army Corps for nearly four years, and was discharged with the rank of lieutenant colonel, the only Negro woman to hold such a rank in the U. S. Army. She is a former member of the Tennessee State College faculty.

Assisting Miss Adams will be Homer Hill Hamilton from Dallas, Texas. Mr. Hamilton holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Talladega College and Master of Arts and Master of Education degrees from the University of Illinois. He has done additional graduate study at Columbia University.

2. A Reading Clinic which will be conducted by Mrs. Emma R. Cunningham, Associate Professor of English and Education. She holds the Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts degrees from Atlanta

University. Mrs. Cunningham has done additional graduate study in the field of Reading at New York and Temple Universities. She is a former member of the LeMoyne College faculty, Memphis. "The purpose of this program is to assist students who show reading deficiencies on standardized reading tests to improve their reading skills," according to President Colston. During the ensuing school term, the program will be conducted primarily for entering freshmen.

3. A Visual Aid to Education Laboratory under the direction of James E. Parker. Mr. Parker will be responsible for developing and coordinating a visual aids program for the entire campus and will especially serve the Department of Education. He will hold the rank of Associate Professor of Science and Education. Mr. Parker received the Master of Arts degree from Fisk University and has done additional graduate work at the University of Chicago. He is a former member of the Knoxville College faculty, Knoxville, Tennessee.

THUNDERBOLT CONCERT

Approximately 2,500 persons witnessed the first open air concert presented by Georgia State College, July 25, in Thunderbolt. The concert was staged in front of the town hall.

Participating were: the college band, chorus and soloists under the direction of John J. Ballou.

The hour and a half concert was sponsored by the town of Thunderbolt. Persons who spoke included: Mayor Herbert Woods of Thunderbolt; President James A. Colston; Dr. Ralph M. Gilbert, pastor of the First African Baptist Church, Savannah; and the Rev. W. Williams.

The Rev. E. E. Seckinger, pastor of the Wesley Oak Methodist Church served as master of ceremonies. Wilton C. Scott, Georgia State College Public Relations Director assisted in planning the concert.

The Arts and Crafts Workshop at Georgia State College last summer was designed to help teachers throughout the State. Opportunities were provided for gaining insight into the philosophies, techniques, and media of art education and ways of adapting these to the particular problems and environs of elementary and secondary schools.



Four Co-eds pause momentarily on the steps of Boggs Hall, Senior Women's Dorm., before leaving for Class.

T B COURSE

During the first session of the 1948 Summer School, a course in Tuberculosis was conducted at GSC by the Chatham-Savannah Tuberculosis Association.

Georgia State was one of five Negro colleges in Georgia that offered this course in Health as a Summer School Workshop. Other schools were Paine, Fort Valley State, Albany State, and Atlanta University.

Miss Dorothy Ury, Health Education Consultant for the Georgia Health Department and a graduate of Georgia State College and the University of Michigan, conducted the course.

Consultants for this course were L. L. Young, executive secretary of the Georgia Tuberculosis Association; Dr. A. C. Schenck, director, Division of Tuberculosis Control, Georgia Department of Health;

Dr. Rufus F. Payne, Superintendent, Battey State Hospital, Rome; C. B. Shroyer, tuberculosis specialist, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Georgia Education Department; Miss Mary Moten McKinney, field representative, Georgia Tuberculosis Association; and Miss Olise Campbell, superintendent, Charity Hospital, Regional Consultant Nurse.

LOUNGE FACILITIES

Lounge facilities for off-campus students are among the projects to be completed for the 1948-49 academic year. This was recently disclosed by Miss Charity Adams, coordinator of student personnel services.

Accommodations for women students will be on the first floor of Parsons Hall and for men students in the College Inn building.

TWO ALL-STUDENT SOCIALS HIGHLIGHTED THE SUMMER SOCIAL SEASON

The summer session activity program was administered by William J. Holloway director of student personnel services. He was assisted by Miss Loreese Davis, J. J. Ballou, Theodore Wright, Sr., and Miss Charity Adams. This group composed the special Summer Activity Committee.

The summer session cultural-arts series consisted of two concerts. For the first session the Metropolitan Artists group was presented. Charles Everett, tenor soloist, was the feature attraction for the second session.

Summer session assemblies were held twice weekly and emphasis was placed upon activities which would prove of value to teachers and prospective teachers.

WORKSHOP

Georgia State College sponsored a summer workshop for 102 in-service teachers of Washington and neighboring counties June 14 - August 21. The workshop was held at the T. J. Elder high school in Sandersville.

Special emphasis was placed on the importance of preparing better teachers for the State of Georgia. The purpose of the workshop was to "provide teachers with information relative to their individual professional needs and with help in making long-term plans for meeting some of these needs; to provide information and skills which teachers might use in improving learning and teaching in the schools, and to enable teachers to earn undergraduate credit which would be accepted by the State Department of Certification and result in higher certificates for teachers."

J. C. Reese, Supervising principal, Center High School and schools in the Waycross system, was director of the workshop. Miss Gwendolyn Thompson, a June GSC graduate served as secretary and librarian.

Mesdames Yvonne Campbell, Theodore Maxwell, Athea Bailey, Misses Willie and Dorothy Gambrell, and Mr. Elijah La-Mare have represented the Georgia State College Music Department in serving for the production of plays, for church services, assemblies, etc.

DO FIRST THINGS FIRST

President James A. Colston, of Georgia State College challenged an overflow audience in Meldrim Hall auditorium Monday morning, September 27, to do "first things first."

Speaking at the initial chapel exercises of the school year, President Colston told the old and new students that the "whole (Georgia State College) instructional program is designed to assist you in attaining mental maturity." The strength of America today and in the future will depend in a large measure upon the mental strength of its vast population, he said.

President Colston declared, "If America is to be physically and intellectually strong, there are some things that we definitely need. In the first place, there is need for an aroused public opinion that will demand better education and health facilities. And then we need financial support that is based on need rather than tradition.

"On whom can we depend to arouse this public opinion? Whom shall we expect to provide the courageous civic and political leadership? It is not the people who go to college? If a minimum foundation program for education such as is proposed in Georgia and other states is to be realized, is it not true that leadership in promoting it rests with the people who are educated or in the process of gaining an education.

"Will you join a nationwide movement to make America strong, he asked? If you would, you too must consider and put into operation first things first."

The Booker T. Washington high school band of Atlanta played seven selections which included, "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise," "Sky Pilot," and "Night Rider." The band was under the direction of E. A. Starling.

A large delegation of in-service teachers of Washington and neighboring counties, enrolled in the GSC Workshop at the T. J. Elder High School, Sandersville, spent an entire day in Atlanta visiting businesses and educational institutions. Among the places visited were the ATLANTA DAILY WORLD, Atlanta Life Insurance Company, Atlanta University System, the Capitol, Grant Park, Stone Mountain Cyclorama, and housing projects. The group was headed by J. C. Reese, director of the Workshop. Late in the afternoon, the group was received by Mayor W. B. Hartsville at the City Hall who extended greetings on behalf of the citizens of Atlanta.

PERSONNEL PROGRAM

The Personnel Department at Georgia State College is made up of the following members: The Coordinator of Student Personnel Services, the Dean of Women, the Dean of Men, the directors of dormitories, college physician, college minister, and the Veterans Secretary. This department works under the immediate supervision of the President of the College and in cooperation with the Dean of the Faculty and heads of divisions and departments. However, the total program is functional only in terms of the assistance of all members of the staff.

Specific aims of this program include:

- 1.—assisting the individual in adjustment to new study conditions,
- 2.—helping the individual in the many adjustments in the ways of college living and general social relations incident upon leaving home and upon entering college.
- 3.—helping the individual to budget his time and his financial resources.
- 4.—assisting the individual in the development of worthy goals and in making plans to attain these goals,
- 5.—helping the individual in the study of occupational opportunities, qualifications and requirements and in the selection of his own occupation.
- 6.—helping the individual in analyzing and appraising his personal assets and liabilities,
- 7.—helping the individual to choose wisely among the athletic, literary and social activities represented in the college,
- 8.—assisting the individual, where necessary, in securing part-time employment during the college career and permanent employment after graduation.

The personnel program as planned includes the following activities:

- 1.—Freshman Orientation
This project includes Freshman Week, prior to the official opening of school, and a year's program activities, including class work, directed toward the satisfactory adjustment of all Freshmen.

2.—Counseling Service

To provide guidance for all students, both preventative and curative, for a wholesome college community.

3.—Testing Program

To provide testing services, as a technique of guidance, for all students in specific areas such as prediction of college success and native ability, college placement, personality adjustment, and vocational guidance.

4.—Placement Service

To provide part-time work for deserving students and to assist in finding employment for students leaving school.

5.—Student Organizations

To keep accurate information regarding functioning student organizations, sponsors for and purposes of the organizations.

6.—Religious Activities

7.—Extra-Class Activities

To sponsor additional campus activities for the continuous training and cultural development of students in general.

8.—Information Service

To provide information to members of the school community about facilities, policies, regulations, on the campus and off, when such information is needed.

9.—Health Service

To coordinate the services of the Health Service Department for efficient service to all campus personnel.

4-H CLUBS

Fifty counties were represented at the twenty-first annual 4-H club short course held at the Georgia State College August 8 - 14.

Directing the program were P. H. Stone, State Agent for Negro work; A. H. Bacon, Assistant Supervisor-Negro Work; Alexander Hurse, Negro State Club Agent; Augustus Hill, Assistant State Club Agent, and Camilla Weems, Assistant State Agent for Negro Work.

The short course program was designed "to train boys and girls in the fundamentals of 4-H club work."



COMMUNITY HOUSE
Georgia State College Campus

MRS. IDA B. GADSEN

Mrs. Ida B. Gadsen, Georgia State College graduate, was recently appointed to the position of health educator in the Savannah-Chatham (County) health department and instructor in health education at Georgia State.

Her services to Georgia State are being made available by the health department at no cost to the college. She is the first and only Negro woman employed in this capacity by the health department. Mrs. Gadsen finished GSC in 1936 with a major in home economics. Since graduation she has taught one year in the Nicholasville, Kentucky, high school (1936-37) and at Beach High in Savannah from 1937 until 1947.

Last year she was granted a one year U. S. public health fellowship by the National Infantile Paralysis foundation to study for the master of science degree in public health at North Carolina College, Durham. She received her degree in August. Mrs. Gadsen has also studied for two summers at Cornell University.

Her duties with the health department will consist of public health education in the schools and communities in Savannah and Chatham county.

Mrs. Gadsen will teach a course in health education at Georgia State College. The course is designed to acquaint pre-service teachers with the problems of healthful school living, health instruction and school health services.

OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FIGURES

Official registration figures for the fall quarter show that 1243 students are enrolled at Georgia State College, according to T. C. Meyers, registrar. This is the largest enrollment in the 52 year-old history of the institution.

The breakdown is as follows:

Men: 745. Of this number, 550 are veterans. Two hundred and seventy-three veterans are enrolled in the Trade School. Fifteen men are attending evening classes and two are attending Saturday classes. There are 193 non-veterans in school.

Women: 498. Five women veterans are enrolled. Twenty-eight women are attending evening sessions and 29 are attending Saturday classes.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

During the August, 1948, GSC commencement, eighty-one persons received degrees and thirty-four received certificates in trades and industries. Dr. Ralph M. Gilbert, Pastor of the First African Baptist Church, Savannah, delivered the Baccalaureate Sermon, and Dr. Judson C. Ward, Jr., Assistant Chancellor, University System of Georgia, delivered the Commencement Address.

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The first Southwide 4-H Club Camp for Rural Colored Boys and Girls was held, August 24-30, at Southern University. Eighty-eight delegates from sixteen states attended, representing the nation's 300,000 colored 4-H club members. The delegates were accompanied by twenty-nine extension leaders. Among the states represented at this history-making encampment were Alabama, Arkansas, Florida and Georgia.

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P M L A (Publications of the Modern Language Association of America, 1947; American Bibliography, Research in Progress, 1948) lists J. Randolph Fisher's "Christopher Milton."

Journalism is offered for the first time at Georgia State College this school term. The introductory course has as its aim "to train prospective teachers in the fundamentals of practical journalism in relation to student publications."

The course is taught by Charles J. Smith III, Director of Publicity and Instructor in Journalism. He holds the M. A. degree in Journalism from the State University of Iowa.



Moss laden trees give added beauty to the GSC Campus.

AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS CENTER

The Audio-Visual Aids Center was opened at Georgia State College, July 31. The Center is housed on the ground floor of Boggs Hall and consists of a large class and work room about 20 ft by 36 ft. a 12 ft. by 15 ft. storeroom, and a 6 ft. by 13 ft. darkroom. The class and work room is provided with ample space for books, magazines, and exhibits. The lower walls and shelves are in light green. The upper walls, provided for bulletin boards and photographic salons, are in eggshell, and the ceiling is in ivory. There are four 4 ft. by 8 ft. work tables and an 18 inch by 24 inch projection table in this room. Space is provided for a library, and a "listening" corner for individuals and small groups interested in music and dramatic recordings.

The darkroom is provided with a 4 inch by 5 inch Eastman Precision Enlarger, graphic camera, print box and other dark room accessories.

The Center has two 16 mm. projection machines, one Eastman and one Natco Lightweight. There is a Victor Soundmaster for playing of transcriptions and records, one RCA sound recorder, one RCA filmstrip and 2 in. by 2 in. slide projector, one delinescope for large slides and opaque projection. There are two large filing cabinets in the Center for pamphlets, records, and student papers.

THE PROGRAM OF THE CENTER

The Center is dedicated to the improvement of instruction. To this end there are four major areas of interest.

1. **The training of in-service teachers.** During both sessions of summer school a course in Audio-Visual Methods and Materials was offered. This course served ninety-nine in-service teachers during the two sessions of this summer school. This course was conducted along lines which had some characteristics of a workshop and some characteristics of a seminar. It was the purpose of this course to give training to teachers in the underlying philosophy of audio-visual education, experience in the selection and evaluation of appropriate aids, training in the more effective utilization of A-V aids, and some experience in the use of the various kinds of equipment.

2. **Pre-service teacher-trainer.** This phase of the work will be accomplished along several lines. First, during the regular school term the Methods and Materials course will be offered. Second, through curriculum intergration students will gain a functional insight in effective utilization of A-V aids.

3. **Curriculum Integration.** Most people agree that teachers teach as they were taught rather than as they were taught to teach. It is assumed, therefore, that if students are to be expected to use Audio-Visual aids when they become teachers, they ought to be taught with a variety of these aids. The Center aims, therefore, to work toward serving all of the college departments in the more effective utilization of Audio-Visual aids. In a sense the A-V Center is or should be cognate to the college library. That is, it should be somewhat of a hub from which radiate many avenues of instructional aids.

4. **A Photography Club.** The photography club offers opportunities for teachers and students to develop a hobby in photography. It is also a center for the making of photographic visual aids. To this end the director of the center hopes to acquire soon, among other things, a 16 mm motion picture camera. This club proposes to serve the College Public Relations Department by doing a good deal of the photographic work needed by that department.

This club is operated on a self-supporting basis. That is, the activities which are not a part of the A-V classes are supported by club membership fees. The club is a regular organization with its own Constitution and By-Laws.

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AUDIO-VISUAL AIDS

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TYPES OF SERVICE.

The Audio-Visual Center proposes:

1. To serve in an advisory capacity to individuals and teachers in the selection and utilization of audio-visual aids.

2. To provide a center from which audio-visual trends and developments can be transmitted to all departments and to Georgia public school teachers. To this end, memoranda will be prepared from time to time, and these will be mailed to the various departments and to teachers.

3. To arrange departmental forums and teas as a means of bringing together small groups of faculty members for an interchange of ideas on utilization, available materials, new A-V horizons, previews, etc. It is hoped that in this way a community interest will be developed.

4. To train a corps of student operators who can serve any teacher or class in the way of operating machines for classroom use.

5. To serve the county schools through certain types of extension services.

6. To operate a photography club for students and teachers.

7. To provide preview services for teachers and students.

a. **Teachers.** Teachers who use A-V materials will want to preview them before presentation in class. The Center will provide opportunities for these previews.

b. **Students.** Students who are working on certain assignments may find certain A-V materials available and invaluable.

8. Provide a record library and a "listening period" program for small groups from classes, interested individuals and groups of teachers and/or students.

9. To cooperate with the Director of the Reading Clinic in ways which will make for more functional services on the part of both the Center and the Clinic.

10. To attend conferences as a means of enlarging our own ability to render services and of keeping abreast of new developments.

11. To provide Requisition and Evaluation forms for use by those using A-V materials. In order to render the most effective service, the Center seeks the cooperation of such users in filling out special evaluation forms for the files. Such forms will help the Center to know trends, needs, etc.

12. To hold exhibitions, conferences for in-service teachers, and forums, etc.

Professor James E. Parker is director of the GSC Audio-Visual Aids Center.

SUMMER SESSION STAFF

Thirteen persons were added to the summer session staff.

They were Miss Charity Adams, A. B. Wilberforce, M. A. Ohio State University, visiting professor in Education from Tennessee State College, Nashville; Mrs. Emma R. Cunningham, A. B. and M. A. Atlanta University, English and Education, from LeMoyne College, Memphis, Tennessee; Dr. Asa H. Gordon, A. B. Atlanta University, M. A. Columbia. LL. B. Hamilton College, Litt. D., Allen University, in Social Science from Delaware State College; Miss Donella Graham, A. B. Morris Brown College, M. Ed., Atlanta University; Miss Thelma E. Moore, A. B. Fort Valley State College, M. Ed. Atlanta University, critic teachers in the demonstration school; Ben Ingersoll, A. B. Morehouse College, M. A. Atlanta University, in Business Administration; Miss Beulah V. Johnson, A. B. Spelman College, M. S. Tennessee State College in English from Knoxville College; Mrs. Ellen S. Murray, A. B. Clark College, M. A. Atlanta University, in Science and Education from Knoxville College; Eugene Stanley, B. S. Wilberforce, M. A. Ohio State University, in Social Science from A. & T. College, Greensboro, North Carolina; Miss Louise Terry, B. S. and M. A. New York University, in Art, from Lane College, Jackson, Tennessee; Miss Dorothy Ury, A. B. Georgia State College, M. S. P. H., University of Michigan, in Health Education, from the State Department of Health Education for Negro Schools; and Isaiah A. Woodward, B. S. Bluefield Institute, M. A. Atlanta University, in Social Science from Morgan State College.

On July 18, James E. Parker, Associate Professor of Natural Science delivered the Men's Day address at the Temple Baptist Church. His subject was "Urgency, Faith, and Service."

STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Appointment of twelve Georgia State College graduates to the College Business and Instructional staff was announced September 1, by President James A. Colston.

Six of the twelve are natives of Savannah. They are Theresa M. Finch, transcript clerk; Ann L. Eason, secretary to the Coordinator of Student Personnel Services; Johnnie Mae Smith, clerk, Office of the Comptroller; Ethel Jacobs, Assistant Professor of English; Mrs. Ida B. Gadsen, Instructor in health Education; Thelma Perry, secretary, Office of General Extension and Mrs. Mildred R. Romanski, recorder, Office of the Registrar. Miss Perry was "Miss Georgia State" of 1947-48.

The others appointed are Esther Bush, clerk Office of the Registrar, Royston, Ga.; Sanders Golphine, cost accountant, Ellaville, Ga.; Leanna T. Crawford, critic teacher, Powell Laboratory School, Kennesaw, Ga.; Nelson Freeman, Veterans secretary and manager of the bookstore, Lake Wales, Fla.; and Gwendolyn Thompson, secretary and veterans clerk, Douglas, Ga.

STAFF MEMBERS ON LEAVE

Five members of the Georgia State College faculty have been granted leaves of absence for the academic year 1948-49, to do further study.

They are C. V. Clay, associate professor of chemistry and chairman of the department, University of Michigan; Mrs. Alice Haynes, instructor in English, New York University; Miss Louise Lautier, instructor in English, New York University; Rutherford Lockette, assistant professor of industrial education in electrical engineering, New York University; Miss Alma L. Stegall, associate professor of Education and chairman of the elementary education department, Indiana University.

Miss Lautier was granted a General Education Fellowship award to do special work in reading on the freshman college level.

Miss Stegall, granted a Julius Rosenwald Fellowship, will complete work for the doctorate degree in elementary education.

FOOTBALL

The Blue and Orange Tigers of Georgia State College will engage in eight football games this fall. Six of these are conference contests. The two non-conference foes are Edward Waters College of Jacksonville, Florida and Allen University of Columbia, South Carolina.

The Bengals opened the 1948 season against Edward Waters on the evening of October 2 in Grayson Stadium. They journeyed to Orangeburg, South Carolina October 9 and met the Claflin College Eleven.

The homecoming game, slated for November 13, matches the Tigers against Florida N & I of St. Augustine, Florida. The season closes with the traditional Thanksgiving contest against Paine College of Augusta, Georgia. The latter game will be the first contest played on the new GSC athletic field which is currently under construction. All other home games will be played in Grayson Stadium (the Municipal Field).

The Tigers won one and tied one game last year. They are a member of the Southeastern Athletic Conference.

The complete Georgia State Football schedule is as follows:

(Home games) Oct. 2 (night) Edward Waters College; Oct. 14 (night) Morris College; Oct. 21 (night) Bethune-Cookman College; Nov. 13, Florida N & I College (Homecoming), and Nov. 25, Paine College (Thanksgiving Day).

(Games away) Oct. 9, Claflin at Orangeburg, S. C.; Oct. 30, Albany State College, Albany, Ga., and Nov. 20, Allen University, Columbia, S. C.

A five-piece combo (an orchestra within an orchestra) from the Georgia State College Aristocrats of Rhythm played for the opening of the St. Benedict's Recreation Center in Savannah on July 16; for the Summer Session Social, August 6; and for dances at Collins, Georgia, designed to raise funds for building a high school.

SPORTS

by

CHUCK SMITH, Director
GSC Sports Information Service

BETHUNE DEFEATS GSC 20-0

The Bethune Cookman Wildcats trounced the Georgia State College Tigers 20-0. Thursday night, October 21 before 5,000 fans in Grayson stadium. The win ran the Wildcats victory string to five and knocked the Tigers from the list of undefeated teams. GSC entered the fray with a 3-0 record.

Bethune's forward wall kept the Tigers speedy backfield bottled up throughout the game while opening holes in the Tiger line for its own shifty backs.

SLOCUM, HARDY PACE STATE VICTORY

Shaken loose by superb downfield blocking for touchdown jaunts of 32, 40, 65 and 90 yards, two flashy Georgia State College half-backs, Joe Hardy and Robert Slocum, paced the Tigers to a 32-13 victory over Morris College of Sumter, S. C., before 4000 fans in Grayson stadium Thursday night, October 14.

The Tigers overcame a 6 point deficit registered against them early in the first quarter to cop the contest and remain undefeated.

GSC TO MEET FLA. N & I NOV. 13

Georgia State College's Blue and Orange Tigers meet the Florida Normal Eleven of St. Augustine, Fla., Saturday afternoon, November 13 in Grayson stadium in a homecoming tilt.

The Florida team is coached by John Miles, former GSC grid great and coach. During the 1947 grid season Miles served as an assistant coach under Ted A. Wright, Sr., who is in his second year as coach of the Tigers.

This year's GSC homecoming will be the largest in the history of the institution, according to Antonio Orsot, chairman of the homecoming committee.

GA. STATE COPS OPENER 15-6

The Georgia State College Tigers won their opening football game of the season Saturday night October 2, in Grayson stadium by downing a scrappy Edward Waters eleven 15-6.

Two freshman backs from Spencer high of Columbus, Ga., Joe Hardy and Robert Slocum, spearheaded the GSC attack by scoring both touchdowns.

GA. STATE DEFEATS CLAFLIN 16-6

The Georgia State College Tigers won their second game of the season in Orangeburg, S. C., Saturday night, October 9, when they defeated Claflin University, 16-6.

The Bengals scored two touchdowns and two extra points in the second quarter. Two additional points were picked up in the third stanza when a blocked Claflin punt gave them a safety.



HARRISON MILLER

Harrison Miller, 193 pound guard from Newton, Ga., is currently the leading Tiger candidate for a berth on the all-conference squad. Miller, a senior in the Division of Agriculture, has gained the praise of opposing coaches and players alike in all games played this season because of his tremendous "drive."

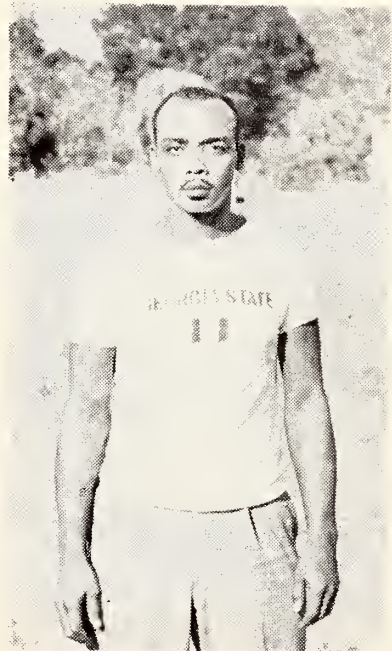
GEORGIA STATE TIGERS COACHING STAFF



TED WRIGHT, SR.
Head Coach



JOHN MARTIN
Assistant Coach



ALBERT FRAZIER
Assistant Coach

TRADES AND INDUSTRIES

Realizing the paramount importance of keeping pace with the growth of the institution by preparing journeymen, master workmen and trade and industrial arts teachers for Georgia and other states, the Division of Trades and Industries is ever on the alert, installing new and modern machinery and equipment, improving its staff and providing new trade experiences.

IMPROVEMENTS

New machinery has been purchased and much of the old idle machinery has been put into operation. In the Department of Automobile Mechanics, there is now in operation a new Bear Alignment machine, Sun Testing equipment and a Hoist Machine. In the Machine Shop a Cincinnati Milling Machine has been put into service. Pieces of new machinery have also been installed and are now being operated in the Carpentry Shop, Shoe Shop, Radio Repair Shop, Electricity Shop and Paint Shop; each piece aiding greatly in the improvement of our instructional program. Students in all classes are inspired to learn and are putting forth their best efforts to use science with practice.

Another feature in our improvement program is an addition to our staff. This new addition is an efficient, well-trained

itinerant teacher-trainer who will aid in the preparation of young, prospective teachers in the division. With his help we hope to prepare students to go into the state and do an effective job as trade and industrial arts teachers and to also contribute their bit to community leadership.

The itinerant teacher-trainer will also aid teachers of shop work on the field with their problems of instruction, shop organization and other problems affecting their services as efficient teachers. The teacher-trainer will, with the help of the institution, conduct conferences for shop teachers in various sections of the state during the year, when and where the need arises.

The curriculum in the division is being improved and the following has been worked out by the staff in the division: a curriculum leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Industrial Education with major in Electrical Engineering, Automotive Engineering and Building Construction in addition to the offerings already listed in our catalog. The students majoring in any one of the fields will be qualified to teach this work, enter graduate school in engineering without having any supporting work to do or may enter the field as a journeyman in the trade.

ENROLLMENT

The chart below shows the trades offered, length of courses in months (class attendance requirement, thirty clock hours per week), number of students enrolled in each course for the school year, 1948-49 (fall, winter, spring), and number of graduates for each quarter.

Trade	Length of Course	Enrollment			Certificates granted		
		Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring
Automobile Mechanic	30 months	19	18	24	0	0	0
Body and Fender	18 months	47	38	41	1	0	0
Carpentry	24 months	28	30	34	0	0	0
Electricity	18 months	17	17	19	1	5	2
Machine Shop	36 months	13	13	13	0	0	0
Masonry	12 months	42	37	46	1	0	0
Painting	18 months	28	26	25	2	9	2
Radio Repair	12 months	40	38	46	11	6	10
Shoe Repair	12 months	49	32	38	12	9	6
Industrial Education *	4 years	44	54	56	0	0	1

* Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Education.

A field training program, begun in September, 1948, enables sophomores who plan to teach to observe the teaching of their major subjects in schools in their home towns. Thus, they become thoroughly familiar with current teachers' problems. Mr. William H. Brown, director of the division of Arts and Sciences, is supervising this training program.

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Head Coach Ted Wright attended the annual meeting of the Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association coaches and officials in Birmingham, Alabama, September 4 and 5. Georgia State is a member of the Southeastern Athletic Conference.

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A. S. Bacon, former vice-president of the State Alumni Association, has been elected president to succeed Miss Frankie Golden, who has rendered valuable service to the group. Other officers elected were as follows: Charles Rawls, vice-president; Mrs. Eunice Clay, recording secretary; Miss Louise Lautier, corresponding secretary; and B. J. James, treasurer. Alexander Hurse, State 4-H Club Agent, was reelected Chairman of the Board of Directors.

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The Alumni Association awarded \$1200 in athletic scholarships for the academic year of 1948-49.

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The Powell Laboratory School was open during the summer under the auspices of the GSC Elementary Education Department for pupils in grades one through seven. Misses Donnella Graham and Thelma E. Moore (Jeans Supervisors of Doolley and Crisp Counties respectively) were in charge.

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During the second session of summer school an Atomic Energy Display was in the Georgia State College Library. Mr. Isaiah A. Woodward, visiting professor of Social Science from Morgan State College, brought the display here.

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Georgia State College Alumni chapters have been established recently at Milledgeville, Louisville, Sparta, and Sandersville. Mr. Alfred W. Bass is president of the Milledgeville Chapter; Mr. Miller A. Clayton, of the Sparta Chapter; Mrs. Thomasine Jordan, of the Sandersville Chapter; and Mrs. Flora B. McCall is president of the Louisville Chapter.

Book Reviews

The Negro in America. By Arnold Rose. Harper & Brothers: New York. 1948. pp. 325. \$3.75.

Arnold Rose's *The Negro in America* is a condensation of Gunnar Myrdal's *An American Dilemma*, published in 1944 and recognized as the most exhaustive study of the Negro. Mr. Rose, who with Richard Sterner assisted Gunnar Myrdal in producing the *Dilemma*, has managed his task with remarkable expertness. So much so indeed that his book is more than a mere condensation; it is also a first-class analysis.

The Foreword is done by Gunnar Myrdal.

Like the *Dilemma*, *The American Negro* has as its central viewpoint that the American Negro problem is a problem in the heart of the American, that the American dilemma is the ever-raging conflict between the values which we call "the American Creed" and the value of individual and group living. This book emphasizes that there is a great struggle in white people's minds—the struggle between the democratic ideals of equality in the American Creed and the obvious lack of equality in the treatment of the American Negro. Hence the dilemma.

The conclusion is reminiscent of Tannenbaum's *Why Men Hate*, Sach's *Black Anger*, and Gallanz' *Our Threatened Values*: "If we are to live at peace in the world. . . we will have to win them (colored peoples) by ideas and not force. Today, as always, the ideals of freedom and equality, if lived up to, are our strongest tools in building the international future."

An effective condensation of *An American Dilemma* is its own recommendation.

Witnesses for Freedom. By Rebecca Chalmers Barton. Harper & Brothers: New York. 1948. pp. 249: \$3.50.

Witnesses for Freedom by Rebecca Chalmers Barton is a very helpful analysis and interpretation of the autobiographies of twenty-three Negro Americans, a praiseworthy effort to evaluate objectively the life stories of a half-century of American Negroes. Thus Mrs. Barton has performed an especially needful task. Dividing the autobiographies into four parts (The Accommodators, The Achievers, The Experimenters, and Protestors for a New Freedom), the author begins with Booker T. Washington's *Up From Slavery* and ends with Richard Wright's *Black Boy*.

The Foreword is done by the eminent scholar Dr. Alain Locke of Howard University.

Mrs. Barton's book is a valuable addition to the rapidly growing body of literature which concerns itself with the status, problems, and desires of the American Negro especially and colored peoples throughout the world generally. Her treatment is objective, scholarly, painstaking. Assigning herself a task which has obvious drawbacks, this brilliant writer has gone about performing it with such thoroughness and clear-headedness that the outstanding result is a composition that is deserving of wide reading.

BOOK REVIEWS (Continued)

The Autobiography of Robert Morss Lovett: All Our Years. The Viking Press: New York. 1948. Pp. 373. \$3.75.

The life story of Robert Morss Lovett is more than just another autobiography. Also it is a particularly engaging account of one of the world's leading institutions of learning, the University of Chicago, from which Mr. Lovett has retired as professor emeritus of English Literature. Dedicated to his students, some thirty thousand of whom have enjoyed the high privilege of studying under him, this is a truly distinctive life story of one of the most distinguished educators, editors, and public figures of the world.

Born in Boston in 1870 on Christmas Day, Professor Lovett has stood out through the years as a liberal championing the cause of the down-trodden, not only here in the U. S., but also in the Virgin Islands, where he served as secretary to the governor, and in Puerto Rico, where he remained a member of the University English Department for two years.

Dr. Lovett distinguished himself as a teacher at Harvard, Chicago, and Colorado Universities. Moreover, under his able editorship the "Dial" held a commanding position among literary magazines of the Middle West. As associate editor of the "New Republic," Mr. Lovett stimulated a trend in literary criticism: "I felt that the reviewer's first responsibility was to the public in the selection of works of value, and then to the author—last to himself as a member of the staff of his paper."

As to Robert Morss Lovett's proteges, well, a roster of them looks like a Who's Who of prominent contemporary literati. A few who come to mind are James T. Farrell, Meyer Levin, Katherine Keith, Dorothy Scarborough, Katherine Anthony, Vardis Fisher, Howard Mumford Jones, Harry Hansen, Sterling North, Samuel Harper, John Gunther, Gertrude Emerson, Elsie Weil, Helen Sard Hughes, Odell Shepard, Paul S. Wood, Vincent Sheean, et al. Also noteworthy are celebrated persons who appear in *All Our Lives*: Jane Adams, Hamlin Garland, Harriet Monroe, Robert Herrick, Elizabeth Madox Roberts, Thorsten Veblen, Charles W. Eliot, Robert M. LaFollette, Willam James, Harold Ickes, Clarence Darrow, William Vaughan Moody, George Santayana, Rexford G. Tugwell, Amy Lowell, Vachel Lindsay, Carl Van Vechten, et al. The writer of two novels (*Richard Gresham* and *A Winged Angel*) and one play (*Cowards*, "which enjoyed a success de scandale"), Mr. Lovett had a hand in the production of several other books. For Houghton, Miffling Company he served as consultant and editor of books on their English list. Among his contributions in this connection are *A History of the Novel in England* (with Helen Sard Hughes), *British Poetry and Prose* (with Root and Lieder), *Eighteenth Century Prose* (with Shepard and Wood), *Writers of the Western World* (with Hubbard), *American Poetry and Prose* (with Foerster) and *A Preface to Fiction*.

A great teacher, a genuine lover of mankind, possessed of a happy flair for effective composition. Mr. Lovett has given us a worthwhile autobiography.

Trumpet in the City. By Helen Topping Miller. The Bobbs-Merrill Company: Indianapolis. 1948. Pp. 269. \$2.75.

Here is an exceptional novel of Georgia in 1775, a fascinating tale of the Savannah of the Revolutionary War Days. Effectively using Georgia's oldest city as her setting, Helen Topping Miller presents an intricately interwoven series of circumstances which inevitably determine the destiny of some attention-impelling characters.

How various American colonies were literally driven into union and rebellion against the English tyranny long since became a matter of record. To that impressive record must be added *Trumpet in the City* which addresses itself to Georgia generally and to Savannah particularly.

Mrs. Miller's protagonist is Maggie Clay, the spirited heiress and belle of the 1770's who likes "dangerous things better than being clever and seductive." Engaged, through family "arrangement," to Hardee McClure, the most eligible widower between Fernandina and Charles Town, she becomes enamored of handsome Major Richard Pryde, a British officer stationed in Savannah. Hence here we have the unusual eternal triangle, but, be it noted, this author gives the hard-to-handle circumstance a novel development.

The King's law was being openly despised by men of high estate in Savannah and there was a virus of recklessness in the air that was making rebels of strong men. Georgia patriots were becoming determined to help other colonies by sending supplies to Boston and to Washington who was preparing an army. Proclaiming her own loyalty to the Patriots against King George, Maggie declares: "Gentlemen, whenever I prove myself not so good as any man in defending Georgia against her enemies, you may ride me down Bull Street on a rail."

Mrs. Miller's graphic picture of Savannah preparing for attack is reminiscent of Henry Timrod's "Charleston," an especially memorable poem, which portrays Savannah's great rival city in an identical attitude. "What on earth has happened," demanded Maggie. "It looks as though someone had blown a trumpet in the city and everything became invisible." Following colonial successes in Boston, Bunker Hill, and Savannah a wave of nationalism becomes discernible. Deep-seated changes arrest attention and terrify. "Savannah", thought Maggie, "will never be the same again. The trumpet that had blown in the city had worked an alchemy of change and uncertainty upon it."

A small, bright red book, *Trumpet in the City* has a peculiar appeal for Savannahians. They will recognize such renowned persons and places as Noble Jones (who fought with Oglethorpe to build Georgia), Edward Telfair, Archibald Bulloch, Joseph Habersham, George Houston, et al., and the Savannah River, Wilmington Island, Tybee Island, Bull Street, Percival Square. Adhering apparently to historical accuracy, our author has done a splendid novel. Excellent as healthy entertainment, this book is, in addition, uncommonly informative. Finally *Trumpet in the City* is a noble tribute to one of the world's most warmhearted cities.

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PRIZE-WINNING FLOATS

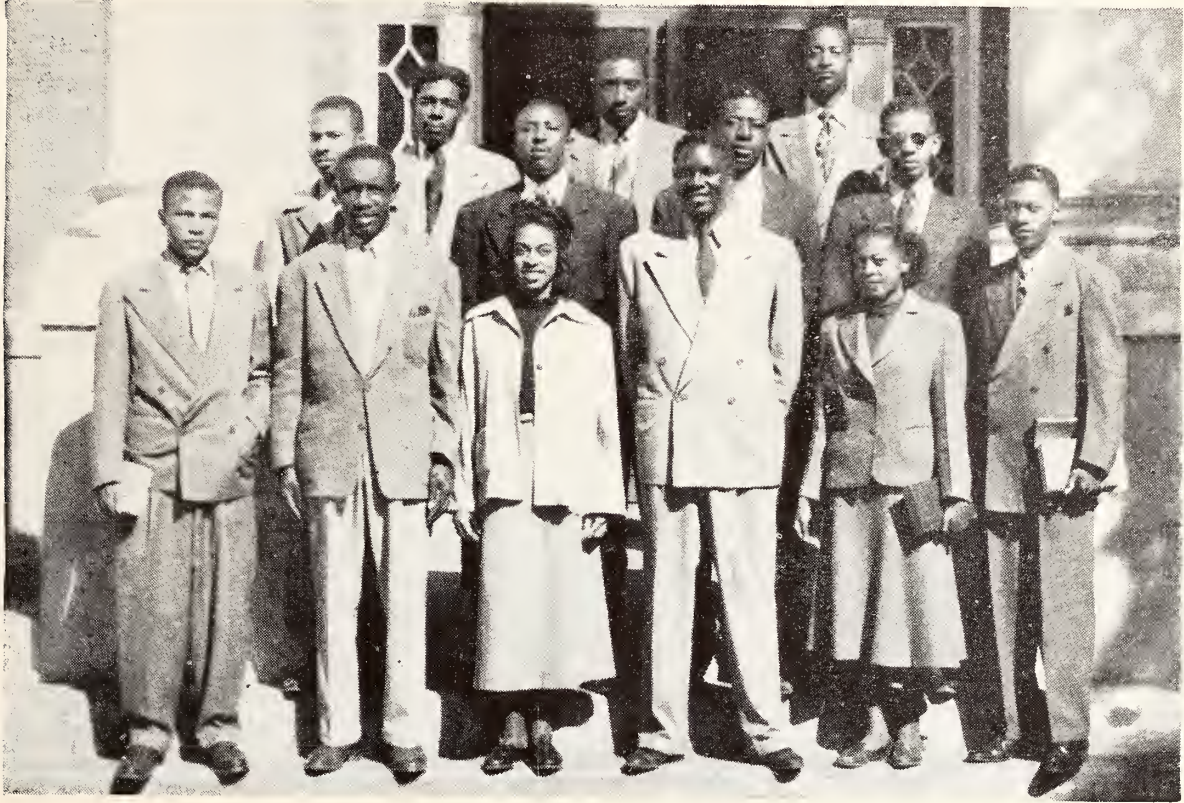


PRIZE-WINNING HOMECOMING FLOATS—These three floats won trophies during Homecoming festivities. In the top photo is the Veterans float, winner of the Homecoming Committee's trophy for being the most original. In the middle picture is the Architectural float,

winner of the N. H. Collier trophy, presented to the most beautiful float in the collegiate division. The bottom photo shows the Savannah Alumni float, awarded the B. J. James trophy for being the most beautiful Alumni float.

To achieve scholastically, is the primary desire of students. Georgia State College students are achieving scholastically. The following four stories exemplify scholarship.

Continuing Honor Students, 1947-1948



Twenty Students Maintain Continuing Honor Status

Twenty Georgia State College students successively made the honor roll during the Fall, Winter and Spring quarters of the 1947-48 school year. Nineteen are Georgians.

Statistics show that although male veterans constitute only 29.1 per cent of the present full-time enrollment, they comprise 75 per cent of the honor roll. While 2.2 per cent of all full-time college students now enrolled maintained honor status throughout the three regular session quarters last year, 5.8 per cent of present full-time college veterans held places on the honor roll. Men comprise

approximately 50 per cent of the present full-time college enrollment but they have 80 per cent of the honor roll. Male non-veterans comprise approximately 20 per cent of the present full-time college enrollment. However, they comprise 5 per cent of the honor roll. Honor students by majors are Agriculture, 35 per cent; Social Science, 20 per cent; Business Administration, 20 per cent; Mathematics, 10 per cent; Home Economics, 5 per cent; English, 5 per cent, and Biology, 5 per cent.

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TWENTY STUDENTS MAINTAIN CONTINUING HONOR STATUS

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Students who maintained honor status are Douglas Anderson, junior, Agriculture, Hawkinsville; Waldo Anderson, senior, Social Science, Fitzgerald; Robert Baker, senior, Social Science, Ludowici; Barbara Burke, sophomore, Social Science, Savannah; John H. Day, senior, Business Administration, Savannah; John A. Demons, senior, Agriculture, Thomson; Wiliam H. Grier, senior, Agriculture, Stovall; Samuel Hamlet, senior, Agriculture, Savannah; Johnnie Harris, senior, Agriculture, Thomson; Prince Jackson, junior, Mathematics, Savannah; William Jackson, junior, Mathematics, Savannah; Henry Lockhart, sophomore, Business Administration, Savannah; Hewitt Lundy, senior, Business, Sparta; Cornelius McIver, senior, Agriculture, Miami, Florida; Thelma Moss, senior, English, Columbus; Thomas Roundtree, senior, Agriculture, Blackshear; Folia Shields, junior, Home Economics, Athens; Frances Waddell, sophomore, Business Administration, Waycross; William Webb, senior, Biology, Thomaston, and George Williams, senior, Agriculture, Waynesboro.

HILL RECEIVES AWARD



GSC Freshman Receives Scholarship

Harold Henderson Hill, GSC freshman of Madison, was recently awarded a \$50

college entrance scholarship from Pepsi Cola Company.

The presentation was made by W. K. Payne, Dean of Faculty, during college assembly on November 2.

Honor Society Elects Officers

The Georgia State College honor society, with a membership of 20 students, elected officers for the school year, Wednesday, November 22.

Organized for the purpose of stimulating scholarship, the GSC honor society will carry on such activities as coaching students who are having difficulty and presenting such programs as will interest students in scholarship and in persons who have attained distinction as scholars.

While the College at present does not have a chapter of Alpha Kappa Mu National honor society, membership in the national society may become retroactive to this group at such time as the College receives a chapter. This was disclosed by Miss Beulah V. Johnson, faculty advisor of the group and national AKM officer.

"It is hoped that during the celebration of Scholarship Week at the College, representatives may be secured from both Alpha Kappa Mu and Phi Beta Kappa as speakers and consultants," Miss Johnson said.

Officers elected are John Demons, senior, President; Mrs. Frances Waddell, senior, Vice-President; Miss Thelma Moss, senior, Secretary-Treasurer; Samuel Harris, junior, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, and Samuel Hamlet, Reporter.

Three members of the college staff attended the annual meeting of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary School for Negroes in Wilmington, N. C., December 8-10.

They were President James A. Colston, Dean W. K. Payne, and W. H. Brown, Director of the Division of Arts and Sciences.

Regent Scholarship Winners



Twenty-Six Freshmen Attending GSC On Regent Scholarships

Twenty-six freshmen, graduates of accredited Georgia high schools are attending Georgia State College on Regents scholarships awarded for the 1948-49 academic year.

The scholarships are given each year to honor graduates of accredited high schools in the state to attend a unit of the University System of Georgia. They cover the cost of tuition for the year.

The awards are as follows: Virginia Bell Baker of Cordele, Holsey Institute; Illene Brown of Cuthbert, Randolph County Training School; Wilile James Dixon of Shiloh, Meriweather County Training School; Betty Louise Douse of Statesboro, Statesboro High and Industrial School; Senoia Downer of Elberton, Elberton High; Willie Alfred Hardee of Homer-ville, Carver High; Grace Ethel Henry of Tifton, Tifton Industrial School; Harold

H. Hill of Madison, Burney Street School; Rethel E. Holmes of Cuthbert, Randolph County Training School; Lillie Bell Johnson of Claxton, Evans County High; Eddie Lindsey of Columbus, Spencer High; Hosea J. Lofton of Blackshear, Lee Street High; Dorothy McIver of Savannah, Beach Cuyler; Curtis Michael of Waycross, Center High; Dorris P. Morrison of McIntosh, Liberty County Training School; Mary Leah Pitts of Jasper, Pickens County School; Willie Mae Polite of Savannah, Beach Cuyler; Rubye E. Pugh of Bainbridge, Hutto High; Delois J. Rawlings of Sandersville, T. J. Elder High; Reppard Stone of Macon, Ballard High; John D. Van Buren of Monticello, Jasper County Training School; Eudell E. Wilcox of Lumber City, Glenwood High; George Williams of Sandersville, T. J. Elder High, and Johnnie Mae Williams of Vidalia, Dickerson High.

G. S. C. Staff Member Attends AKM Meet

Miss Beulah V. Johnson, a member of the GSC English department, and national officer of Alpha Kappa Mu National Honor Society, recently attended the annual meeting of the Society's Executive Committee at Clark College, Atlanta. The Committee formulated plans for the annual AKM conference to be held at Morris Brown College, Atlanta, in February.

Miss Johnson



Alpha Kappa Mu has its purpose the recognition of scholastic attainment in Negro Colleges where to date Phi Beta Kappa, the oldest honor society of this type in America, has not granted charters for chapters, according to Miss Johnson. At present there are 34 active AKM chapters,

Miss Johnson, national historian, is in the process of completing a history of the first twelve years of the Society, the first official history to be released.

President Colston Speaks At Ala. State

President James A. Colston was the speaker for the opening public program for the observance of American Education Week at Alabama State College, Montgomery, Sunday, November 7.

President Colston based his discourse on the Bible quotation, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." He pointed out the fact that truth and knowledge are basic and emphasized that people want to know the truth but seem to have little inclination to practice it.

He further pointed out many of the inadequacies in our present day system of American education and expressed hope that national legislation might soon reduce those that exist primarily because of accident of race or place of birth.

The program was sponsored jointly by the College and the teachers of Montgomery city and county.

Dramatics Play Important Role at GSC

Dramatics play an integral part in the well-rounded life of the Georgia State College student. "Campus Quarantine," a three-act comedy staged in Meldrim Hall, Thursday evening, December 2, was the first production of the newly organized GSC players.

Miss Beulah V. Johnson, Director of Dramatics here at the College, was in charge of the production. She has expressed desire of having the players develop into a permanent little theater group such as is found in leading colleges and universities throughout the country.

The dramatics program for the remainder of the year is as follows:

Sidney Howard's Silver Chord, January 28; and in April, either Randolph Edward's Earth and Stars, or a series of three one-act plays

GSC Stages Gala Homecoming Celebration

The guiding hand in the largest homecoming parade in the history of Georgia State College and perhaps the most colorful Negro parade in the history of Savannah Saturday, November 13, was Antonio Orsot, Chairman of the homecoming committee.

The parade began on the GSC campus and was routed through four of Savannah's most densely populated thoroughfares: Victory Drive, East Broad, West Broad, and Oglethorpe Avenue. It was witnessed by many Savannahians.

Included in the parade were approximately 20 floats representing Georgia State College, city, fraternal, business, professional, military organizations, and GSC Alumni floats representing Jenkins County, Liberty County; Statesboro and Savannah Alumni chapters.

Alumni Queens and representatives for the homecoming celebrations were as follows: State Alumni Queen, Mrs. Mary Blount, Americus; Miss Ethel Jacobs, Savannah, Attendant; Savannah Alumni Queen; Miss Viola DeVillas, Savannah; Mrs. Catherine Mathis and Miss Annie Luten, Attendants, both of Savannah; Miss Statesboro, Mrs. Lee Bertha Wilson of Statesboro; Attendants, Mrs. Geraldine Campbell and Mrs. Loretha W. Butler of Statesboro; Miss Liberty County, Miss Victoria Mullinnox of Riceboro; Attendants, Mrs. Eugenia Dunder and Mrs. Vernell Maxwell.

In addition to the GSC band, Beach-Cuyler band, the Simmons Drum and Bugle corps, two out-of-town high school bands, Ballard High school band and Center High of Waycross, participated in the parade and half-time festivities.

Many Savannah firms cooperated in making the parade a success by providing trucks, automobiles, and even decorated

floats. "Without their help, it would have been impossible to stage the parade," Orsot said.

During half-time ceremonies at the football game in Grayson Stadium (Florida Normal edged Georgia State 15-13), Thelma Perry, Miss Georgia State College of 1947-48 crowned Bernice Thompson, Miss Georgia State College of 1948-49. Other half-time activities included musical numbers and performances by the previously named bands and their majorettes.

The Veterans float was awarded the Homecoming Committee's trophy for being most original. The Architectural float won the N. H. Collier trophy for being the most beautiful in the collegiate division and the Savannah Alumni chapter float was awarded the B. J. James trophy for being the most beautiful float in the Alumni division.

A dance in Wilcox gymnasium on the GSC campus Saturday night attended by College students Alumni and friends culminated the 1948 homecoming festivities.

Members of the homecoming committee were: Antonio Orsot, Chairman; Miss Janie Lester, A. S. Bacon, Dr. L. D. Law, W. E. Griffin, Frank Tharpe, Miss Madeline Harrison, Walter Simon, P. D. Davis, Leroy Brown, Wilton C. Scott, Charles J. Smith, III, Miss Charity Adams, John Clemons, John Ballou, Mina Brown and Ted Wright, Sr.

Wilton C. Scott, director of Public Relations, has played an integral role in organizing Alumni Chapters in the following districts:

(Southeast), Waycross, Riceboro and assisting in the program at Albany. Mr. Scott has organized district chapters at Milledgeville, Sandersville, Louisville, Sparta, Statesboro, Swainsboro and others.

HER ROYAL HIGHNESS



ROYAL COURT—Watching the game between Georgia State and Florida Normal with interest is Miss Bernice Thompson (center), Miss Georgia State College; her attendants, and various Alumni queens and their attendants.

CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER



CONGRATULATIONS—President James A. Colston congratulates Miss Bernice Thompson after crowning her Miss Georgia State College during half-time festivities. Placing the royal cape around her is Miss Thelma Perry, last year's queen.

Library Observes National Book Week

"Books Tell the Story," was the theme as the GSC library observed National Book Week, November 14-20.



The library presented a culmination vesper program Sunday evening, November 21, in Meldrim Hall. The program had as its theme, "Civilization on Trial," with special emphasis on the Far East.

Following the program, open house was held at the library.

A-V Center Holds Initial Open-House

The Georgia State College Audio-Visual Aids Center, established in July, was opened to the public for the first time during four open-house sessions as the College observed National Audio-Visual Aids Week, October 25-30.

The public saw in operation the Center's two 16 mm projectors, sound recorder, Victor Soundmaster (for playing of transcriptions and records), RCA film strip and slide projector and delinescope (for large slides and opaque projection). The adequately equipped darkroom, which serves the Center and the Office of Public Relations, was also open to the public.

Other activities of the week included three film forums. They were (1) A film forum designed to show more effective ways of utilizing classroom film, (2) A film forum designed to illustrate broader concepts of instructional methods and, (3) A film forum designed to illustrate the use of Audio-Visual materials in the Sunday school.

Additional activities included two lecture-demonstrations by W. A. Simon of the Art Department, a lecture-demonstration by Mrs. Emma Rush Cunningham, Director of the Reading Clinic and two chapel programs by the class in Audio-Visual Aids. James E. Parker is Director of the Audio-Visual Aids Center.

Eight Objectives Comprise GSC Plan of Study

Eight objectives comprise the tentative outline of study currently being discussed at bi-monthly meetings by the Georgia State College faculty.

They are Higher Education for American Democracy (President's Commission on Higher Education), Significant Plans of Reorganization Developed in Other Colleges, Current Problems of Education in Georgia, The Students and Alumni of Georgia State College, The Development of Objectives, Developing the Curriculum, and the Improvement of College Instruction and Student Personnel Program.

Dr. William J. Trent, President, Livingston College, Salisbury, N. C., was the guest speaker during special Assembly November 15.

The well-known educator and religious leader was introduced by President James A. Colston.

“Innovation” Synonymous With “New Georgia State”

Since June of 1947, the word “Innovation” has become synonymous with Georgia State College.

In keeping with this policy, announcement was made in September of three “innovations” in the academic program for the current school year. They were (1) An expanded program of Student Personnel Services, (2) A Reading Clinic and (3) An Audio-Visual Aids Laboratory.

However, “innovations” have not been limited to the academic phase of the College alone. Under the supervision of Felix Alexis, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, many “innovations” have been made in the GSC physical plant.

Several hundred feet of sidewalk has been constructed; thus not only affording adequate walkways but adding to the already unique beauty of the campus. Newly constructed asphalt roads have been laid making all parts of the campus easily accessible. By next spring these roads will have been topped with crushed slag and one-half inch rock, according to Alexis. Road signs, designed to promote safety on campus, have been placed in strategic places. Recently, the roads were shouldered and sodded. All this work with the exception of the latter, was done by the State highway department.

Water pressure on the campus has been increased from 10 to 46 pounds. This increase assures an adequate and sanitary supply of water at all times. It also assures an adequate supply of water in case of fire.

In the matter of communications, fifty-seven telephones provide excellent communication facilities to on-campus users. There are two trunk lines from the Col-

lege to Savannah and this number is expected to be increased as soon as materials become available, according to Alexis.

A completely new recreational-playground outfit greeted Powell Laboratory students when they returned to school in September.

Georgia State College is currently engaged in developing one of the finest athletic fields in the south. This field, when completely developed will contain a baseball diamond, 440-yard track with a 220-yard straightaway and a modern football stadium. The Tigers played their first game on the field when they defeated Paine College, 6-0, Thanksgiving Day.

Extensive renovations and repairs are being made on the college buildings. Hill Hall, Parsons Hall, The Fine Arts Building, Edwards Cottage and the Dining Room are among the buildings already renovated or in the process of being renovated.

A look at the dining room discloses the following: A domestic atmosphere, modern ovens, coffee urns, juice cooler, 240-gallon steam kettles, steam pressure cooker, new Magic Chef range, deep-fryer, dishwasher and drying machine, new tables and racks, one large revolving electric toaster, two large electric mixers and a giant electric refrigerator. This new equipment constitutes only a part of the extensive improvements. The interior has been painted and new furniture has been painted and new furniture installed.

These improvements or “innovations” are just the beginning of the “New Georgia State College.” The institution will continue to grow and innovations will constitute an integral part of this growth if past performance is any indication.

Traylor Surveys Teacher-Trainer Needs In High Schools

A. Z. Traylor, the first Negro trades and industries itinerant-teacher in Georgia, returned to Georgia State College during the middle of last month from a 1600-mile trip that included visits to high schools and veterans groups in 16 Georgia towns and cities.



Traylor, who works through the GSC Division of Trades and Industries, joined the staff September 1. His trip was primarily concerned with the making of a survey on the needs of teachers in high schools in reference to the establishment of a teacher trainer program.

Rev. Armstrong Receives Commission

The Rev. Ernest R. Armstrong, Sr., assistant professor of social science and college minister, was recently commissioned a captain (chaplain) in the U. S. Army Reserve Officers corps.

Rev. Armstrong joined the staff at the beginning of the fall quarter. He is a native of Soper, Okla., and graduated from



B. T. Washington high school, Tulsa. Rev. Armstrong received the A. B. degree from Dilliard University in 1942, the B. D. degree from Howard University in 1946 and the M. A. from the same institution in 1947.

Religion Integral Part Of Life At GSC

The Religious Life Committee is the consultant group for the College Minister and the two coordinate religious activities at Georgia State College.

The outstanding features of the religious groups for the fall quarter are as follows:

The Student Christian Associations (YMCA and YWCA), "Recognition Service" on October 31. The Thanksgiving assembly program sponsored by students of

the Religious Life Committee on November 23.

Each month during the quarter there has been a guest minister for morning worship services. Father G. H. Caution, Rector, St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Savannah, spoke on October 24 and on November 21, the Rev. A. E. Peacock, assistant professor of social science at the College was the guest speaker.

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RELIGION INTEGRAL PART OF LIFE AT GSC

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Georgia State College Vespers are dedicated to the three-fold development of body, mind and spirit. To carry out this purpose, the Religious Life Committee has had various kinds of programs and speakers, including President James A. Colston, Miss Frankie Golden, Consultant in Elementary Education for Public Schools in Chatham county; James T. Ellerbe, Executive Secretary, West Broad Street branch YMCA, Savannah; Rev. W. C. Davis, minister, St. Phillips Monumental A. M. E. Church, Savannah; The Sigma Gamma Phi Sorority presented Miss Gladys Hammond, of Washington, in concert in their annual Founders Day celebration; the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity presented President J. W. Seabrook, Fayetteville State College, in their National Achievement Week culminating program. The Library staff of the College celebrated Book Week.

News About the Faculty

Eugene Stanley, Assistant Professor of Education, was the Men's Day Speaker at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Sunday morning, November 28. His topic on that occasion was "Now Is the Hour." He called upon the men to direct their energies toward the regeneration of the spiritual life of the world in order to bring peace, harmony, and stability to a world torn by greed and avarice.

Mr. Stanley is serving his first year at Georgia State College. He comes to this institution from the Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina where he served in a similar capacity. He is a graduate of Wilberforce and Ohio State Universities.

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Miss Madeline G. Harrison, assistant GSC librarian, attended the two-day meeting of the North Carolina Association of Negro Librarians in High Point, N. C., November 5-6.

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Nine students are enrolled this quarter in the course in Journalism being offered at Georgia State College for the first time.

The class in American Government presented two assembly programs dealing with the 1948 national elections. On November 2, they presented a "Presidential Election Pre-View," and on November 4, a roundtable on "The significance of the 1948 Election." The class is taught by Dean William J. Holloway.

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Two members of the staff, the Rev. Ernest Armstrong, Sr., College Minister, and Robert Long, Sr., acting Chairman of the Business Department, appeared on Radio Station WDAR Sunday evening, November 28, during the Derst Baking Company regular Sunday vesper services.

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The C. E. A. Critic (formerly The News Letter of the College English Association) for October, 1948, pages 3-4, contains a review of Victor Gallanz' *Our Threatened Values* by J. Randolph Fisher. (Presently the C. E. A. Critic is the official organ of the College English Association; the editorial office is at Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, 10, New York.)

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Mrs. Ida B. Gadsden, Instructor in Health Education, who was recently appointed to the executive committee of the Chatham County Health Council, played an important part in the recent X-ray survey on the campus. Some 1100 students, faculty and staff members participated in the survey.

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The lure and charm of far away places—their people, customs, beauties—are a hobby of Miss Mildred L. Burch, Administrative Assistant to President Colston, who is being called on increasingly to share some of her overseas experiences with others. During the past two months she has lectured for the Wesleyan Service Guild at the Asbury Methodist Church on "Haiti—Past and Present"; for the Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church on "Glimpses of Australia, the Philippines, Japan and Korea"; for the Photography Club of Georgia State College, showing color slides of Japan and Korea. She has also shown slides for the women in Camilla Hubert Hall.

PLENTY OF MILKSHAKES



MAXIMAE LEONIA, a registered Guernsey cow here at the college attracted nationwide attention to GSC during the middle of September when she gave birth to twin calves. Her picture appeared in *the Savannah Evening Press*, local daily, and on the feature page of *the Pittsburgh Courier*, one of America's leading Negro weeklies. She is shown above with the twins shortly after their birth. According to animal husbandry experts, the probability of a cow giving birth to twins has been approximated to be "one-half of one per cent of all calves born yearly." The sire is Riegeldale Emory's Chester, also registered in the Guernsey herd book.

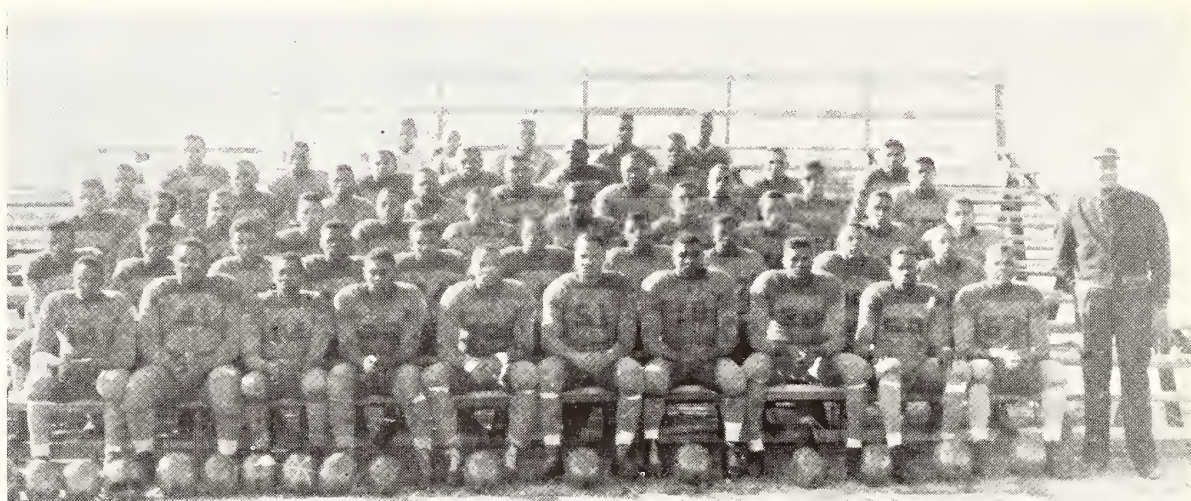
Extension Agents Hold Annual Conference

"A Look in Both Directions" was the theme of the Annual Conference of Ne-

gro Extension Agents held here at Georgia State College, December 7-10.

In addition to the State Agents, Agriculture Extension Officials, Specialists, and Supervisors were present at the meeting.

1948 Georgia State Football Squad



Tigers Close Season With 5 Wins, 3 Defeats

The 1948 GSC gridiron Tigers closed the season with a hard-earned, 6-0 victory over the Paine College Lions, thus earning themselves an impressive record of five wins against three defeats.

The Tigers lost to Bethune, last year's conference champs, to Florida Normal, and the Allen University Yellowjackets. Edward Waters, Albany State, Morris and Claflin were the other teams that fell to the cagey Tiger squad.

Eight members of the Tiger squad finished their collegiate competition against Paine and each of them ended their career in a blaze of gridiron glory. The group included Charlie and Arthur Williams, Lenwood Denton, Asa Eaddy, Noah Lester, Howard McCord, Earl Williams and Harrison Miller.

Returning for the 1949 season will be such promising men as Bunky Wright, Thomas Vann, Edgar Worlds, Jesse Morgan, John Vinson, Joe Turner, Joe Hardy, Mark McLendon and Bob Slocum.

Tigers open Cage Season Against Pirates

The Georgia State College basketball team opened the 1948-49 cage season against the strong Hampton Institute Pirates in Willcox gymnasium, Monday evening, December 13.

The Tigers, winners of the last year's conference crown, and tournament finalist, will, with the exception of one man, field the same squad. He is F. Carruthers who currently is out of school. However,

Head Coach Ted A. Wright has disclosed that he may return at the beginning of the Winter quarters.

Presently, the conference schedule has not been completed. Among the non-conference foes, in addition to Hampton, who will engage the Tigers include Morehouse, Morris Brown, Florida A&M and Ft. Benning.

Book Reviews

The Secret Thread. By Ethel Vance. New York; Harper & Brothers, 1948. Pp. 261. \$2.75.

The highly popular author of *Escape* and *Winter Meeting* has given us another fascinating study of human behavior (or, should we say, misbehavior?). In *The Secret Threat* Ethel Vance (Grace Zaring Stone) provides additional reasons for her well-deserved popularity. For here again we have actual people, grappling with the realities of life, who are portrayed with praiseworthy effectiveness.

En route to Washington, D. C., in New York City for a day, Cass Terhune decides to see his boyhood home again. Discovering that houses throughout the neighborhood have been condemned, Cass is pleasantly surprised to learn that his old home is still standing, though it is to be torn down presently. Examining his boyhood bedroom, he falls, breaks his ankle—thus becoming entrapped in a den of racketeers, who specialize in stolen whiskey, nylons, etc. Sought to no avail by his friends, Cass remained at the mercy of Mort's gang over a weekend.

Cass is a highly successful man according to American standards. He's a college president. Through extensive traveling, he has become a polished man of the world, a cosmopolite. His admirers are found in far-flung corners of the world. Yet he suffers from a mental sickness, symptoms of which are headaches, nausea, pains, weakness, sleeplessness, and apparently because of this "I've been illusioning and disillusioning myself over a whole lifetime." The horrible claustrophobia never left him till he returned to the old house of his boyhood and met Edna, a frail sixteen-year-old girl, who jeopardized her life that he (whom the meaningfulness of life had so long escaped) might find himself.

Yes, our author has given us another particularly informative story, whose far-reaching message might escape the casual reader; so involved is it with the mind of man. Ethel Vance's protagonist sees in an uncultivated girl of the underworld "the complete knowledge of love, the ultimate knowledge, which is that the object of love is never worthy. And it does not matter. What matters is only the need to love."

Hence the all-important question, "Is it that a particular person must be the loved one, or simply that there must be a loved one?" is raised and treated with admirable effectiveness. (Is not an appreciable percentage of life's difficulties ascribable to failure or refusal to face this question?)

Ethel Vance's numerous readers are indebted to her for another heartwarming story interestingly related.

"Cotton-Patch Moses," by Cedric Selfridge in the November, 1948, Harper's Magazine, is an account of the Sharecropper Strike of 1939, "one of the most significant and—because war came soon afterward—most neglected events of recent American labor history." This is the fascinating story of the Rev. Owen H. Whitfield, a Missouri Negro, who organized well-nigh 2,000 white and colored evicted sharecroppers and led them so effectively that the phenomenon arrested the attention of the President's cabinet and eventually of F. D. R. himself, who summoned Whitfield to the White House. Thus Owen Whitfield has been a godsend to hundreds of the oppressed sharecroppers of Southeast Missouri, who in 1939 received 75c for a day's labor in the cotton fields and who today get \$3.50 for the same work. Having become a highly respected labor leader, Mr. Whitfield now enjoys a nation-wide reputation, especially for his work in Memphis, Winston-Salem, and some other cities.

J. Randolph Fisher

From The President's Desk

Since my statement in the May BULLETIN outlining programs in process and needs at Georgia State College, these things have been realized:

The athletic field designed as a laboratory for physical education experiences was opened to the public for the traditional Thanksgiving game with Paine College. Although there is much to be done before we can consider it complete, the first step has been made. Presently the field is suitable for football and track, and by spring the baseball diamond will be ready. Even though we closed the football season with five victories and three defeats, which represents considerable progress over last year, it is obvious that we need more and better football material.

In basketball, we expect to launch out from our regular conference by including such teams as Hampton Institute, Texas College, Morehouse, Morris Brown, Fort Benning, Florida A. & M., and Knoxville College. We also expect to improve facilities for basketball, and the physical education program generally, by adding a second unit to the gymnasium. This unit will include shower rooms, toilet facilities, locker rooms, office space, and quarters for visiting teams.

Housing for the faculty has been increased to take care of six families in comfortable apartments and seventeen single persons. Parsons Hall has been completely renovated and made into five spacious five-room apartments, single rooms for nine women, and lounges for faculty and city students. Occupants of this building have the advantages of all modern conveniences including a thermostatically controlled heating system. The Edward Cottage has been converted into a six-room apartment and single rooms to accommodate seven men.

The dining hall has been completely redecorated and modernized. The installation of kitchen equipment, including steam tables, has added much to the efficiency of the food service program.

Completely paved campus roads accompanied by a program of campus beautification add considerably to the beauty of our spacious campus.

Our growth has not been altogether in physical improvements. The calibre of our student body has been improved. The faculty has been strengthened and enlarged. Last summer, fifteen members of the staff studied at leading universities, and five are on leave for study this year. A Reading Clinic, an Audio-Visual Aids Laboratory, an Educational Laboratory, a coordinated program of student personnel services, and an Art Department are additions that are greatly enhancing the effectiveness of the educational program.

But we have a long way to go before we can boast of having a first-rate college. We need at least two dormitories, a library, an administration building including an auditorium, more classroom space, supplies and equipment. All of these are vitally necessary. We have completely outgrown our facilities. The library which will adequately take care of about 400 students now serves nearly 1,300. The science laboratories are terribly overcrowded. Classroom space is utilized to a maximum each period in the day. It is necessary to house twice as many men in the dormitory as it will adequately accommodate.

There is no doubt but that Georgia State College needs better and enlarged facilities. So do the schools throughout Georgia. The Governor has said that he favors legislation that will provide better schools, but the final decision will be in the hands of the people. If we want a better college or better schools throughout the State, we must busy ourselves to create favorable sentiment in their behalf. This is an undertaking for which all citizens of Georgia must accept full responsibility.

James A. Colston

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Letter From President Bacon of General Alumni Association

Dear Alumnus:

It is with the utmost sincerity that I call your attention to how important each of us is to our Alumni Association. I am trusting that each one of us will evaluate ourselves to determine whether we are giving the Alumni Association the proper support, financially and otherwise. In order for us to build a strong alumni organization, it is necessary for each of us to assist in developing and maintaining a functioning organization that will reflect great respect and strength on our "Alma Mater."

The alumni are a very definite and useful part of the college. The college administration often refers to the alumni as making up a third of the college family. Each one of us is acquainted with the fact that no chain is any stronger than its weakest link. Let us all strive not to let this weak link be the Alumni Association.

One of the great characteristics of human nature is that individuals tend to guide and assist in the development of those things they love. Whatever success our lives have been,

the credit must be given to the things and persons who have aided in our development. It is my firm belief that a person's Alma Mater certainly plays a very important part in his development. This being true, I would like to stress how urgent it is for all of us to make liberal contributions of our money and time each year, according to our ability.

The Alumni Association needs your support. Won't you make new efforts to aid in building a strong association?

I am sure each of you will join me in expressing our appreciation to the entire college staff for dedicating May's issue of the College Bulletin to the alumni. I think of no better way of doing this than to attend and support activities during the commencement season, especially the alumni affairs.

May I urge each alumnus to give his loyal support toward developing the kind of Alumni Association we all can be proud to claim. This can not be done unless all of us support the association to the best of our ability.

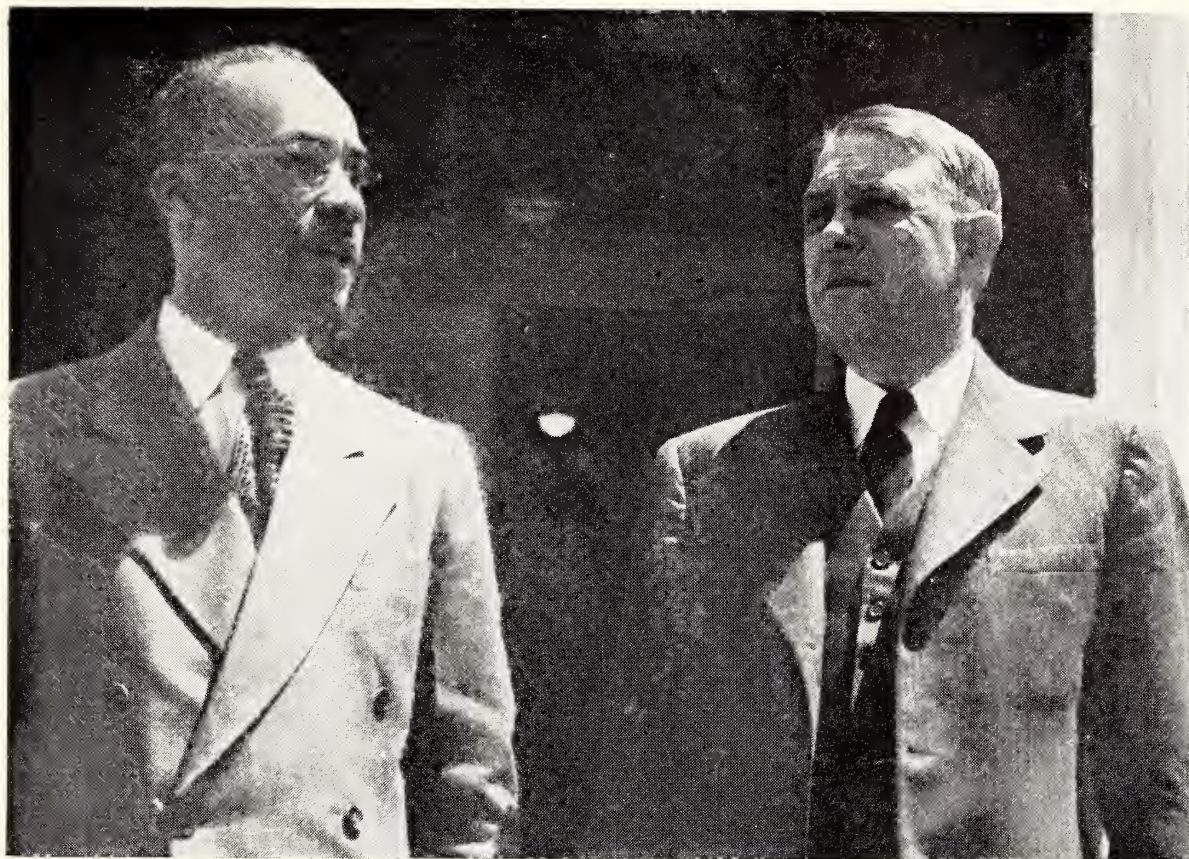
With best wishes, I am

Yours for a strong association,
A. S. BACON,
President.



GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETS AT COLLEGE . . . THE GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS ARE A. S. Bacon, president; Charles Rawls, vice-president; Mrs. C. V. Clay, recording secretary; Miss Louise Lautier, corresponding secretary; and B. J. James, treasurer.

President Colston and Chancellor Caldwell



PRESIDENT JAMES A. COLSTON AND CHANCELLOR HARMON CALDWELL PAUSE IN FRONT OF MELDRIM HALL during the Chancellor's recent visit to Georgia State College.

Chancellor Harmon Caldwell Visits Campus

Delivers Impromptu Address; Cites Need For New Auditorium

Dr. Harmon Caldwell, Chancellor, University System of Georgia, paid a surprise visit to Georgia State College Tuesday morning, April 19.

Speaking before an overflow audience of students and faculty members at noon in Meldrim Auditorium, the outstanding educator said, "It is indeed a pleasure for me to be present this morning . . . I didn't come prepared to make a speech but I will say something . . ."

Chancellor Caldwell said although he had visited the campus only a few times before, he was aware of its natural beauty and added that he thought it was one of the most beautiful in this section. "The

potential beauty of the Georgia State College campus is much greater than its present natural beauty," the Chancellor said. He then pledged whatever support he could to see that other State agencies would lend their resources in carrying out any campus improvements.

During his impromptu address, Dr. Caldwell touched on two other items that he thought of utmost importance to the audience. He stated that not only was he aware of the need for an auditorium but he was also aware of the need for additional housing. He said although the recently created university housing authority was all right, there is the need for the erection of other buildings of a non-self-liquidating nature. However, this is up to the officials and tax payers to provide the funds to do the job.

Chancellor Caldwell then stressed the importance of the Georgia State College trade and industries program. The men taking this training can play an important role in communities throughout the State.

President James A. Colston introduced Chancellor Caldwell and welcomed him to the campus in behalf of the administration, faculty and student body.

Dr. Clement, Bishop Wright, To Address June Graduates

Speakers for the June commencement exercises will be Rufus E. Clement, Ph.D., and Bishop R. R. Wright, Jr., Ph.D.

Dr. Clement, noted educator, will deliver the Commencement Address on Wednesday, June 8 at five o'clock. He is President of Atlanta University. He received his M.A. degree in 1922 and immediately accepted a professorship of history and government in his home town of Salisbury, N. C., at Livingston College. Three years later Dr. Clement joined the staff of Louisville Municipal College where he was named Dean of Faculty. He remained at the Louisville institution until 1937. At this time he accepted the Presidency of Atlanta University.

Dr. Clement has written a number of books on Negro history and education. Among these are, "The Church School as A Social Factor in Negro Life," and "A History of Negro Education in North Carolina."

Bishop Wright, a member of the first class to graduate from Georgia State College, is Presiding Bishop of the AME church in Georgia and will deliver the Baccalaureate Sermon Sunday evening, June 5. He is the son of the late Major R. R. Wright, Sr., the first president of Georgia State College.

Bishop Wright has presided over the AME districts of New York, Kentucky, Tennessee, and the African district for four years before taking over the Georgia charge.

The Bishop is a well known scholar, educator, writer, philosopher, traveler and leader. He has twice served as President of Wilberforce University, one of the first Negro institutions of high learning established in America.

GSC Represented At National Alumni Meeting; President Colston Delivers Address

Georgia State College was well represented by three individuals at the 40th annual meeting of the National Alumni Association held at Florida A. & M. College, Tallahassee, April 7, 8, and 9. The three President James A. Colston, Miss Frankie Golden, and Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations, were very much in the spotlight.

President Colston addressed the group on "A Reasonable Equalization of Educational Opportunities." (Before accepting the Presidency of Georgia State College, he was Director of Public Relations at Hampton Institute where he gained the reputation of being one of the best men in the field in America.)

Miss Golden, well-known in Savannah, Chatham County and State educational circles, was elected delegate-at-large and was also elected a member of the Bulletin Committee. Florida and Georgia comprise the district which Miss Golden will represent in the delegate capacity.

Director Scott was elected Chairman of the Membership Committee and named to both the Publicity and Bulletin Committees.

The Cover

The three young ladies gracing the "Spring" edition of THE BULLETIN are typical of future graduates. They are looking forward to the day when they become Alumni of Georgia State College. Left to right, Catherine Jackson, Mattie Turner, and Willie Mae Simmons.—Ed.

Mrs. Ayler Mae Lovett, President, Chatham County Teachers Association, and a graduate of Georgia State College, played an important role in the recent battle for equalization of teachers' salaries in Chatham County. She teaches at Florence Street School here in Savannah.

Plans Set For Grand Class Reunion

Mrs. Lemon Banquet Speaker; "Nine" Classes To Hold Spotlight

Mrs. Harriet Lemon, daughter of the late Major R. R. Wright, Sr., will be the main speaker at the Alumni Banquet Tuesday evening, June 7, in Adams Hall. Mrs. Lemon graduated in the class of "19."

Her address will highlight a week of Commencement activities which mark the reunion of the "nine" classes.

Plans for the "grand class reunion" were initiated November 26 when Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations, called a class reunion meeting of all members of the classes of "nine." This meeting was held in the office of President James A. Colston. Miss Frankie Golden presided as chairman of the meeting. It was decided that the reunion of these classes would be held during Commencement Week at which time the classes would sponsor a project. The members present agreed to boost the contributions to the \$6,000 Athletic Fund already being sponsored by the State Alumni Association. Mr. Scott was asked to contact all members of the "nine" classes. Persons present were: President J. A. Colston, Mr. Scott, John B. Jackson, Joseph Flagg, A. A. Mason, Miss Golden and Mrs. Mary B. Pearson.

The Executive Committee planning for the reunion of the graduating classes of 1909, 1919, 1929 and 1939 met Saturday, February 12, in Macon, at Washington Center.

At this meeting it was suggested that Georgia be divided into zones by the general chairman, Miss Golden, and key people or leaders given a list of names and addresses of Georgia State "nine" graduates in said zones to solicit contributions for the drive. It was also suggested that every zone set up its own goal and the college's Public Relations Office work with Miss Golden and members of the committee in contacting persons and making visitations as often as possible to centers where Georgia State College Alumni are in large numbers.

The committee pledged itself to cooperate with the college officials to do its utmost to make Georgia State outstanding in athletics and to boost other activities.

Presentation of the gift, secured from the drive, will be made by a representative of the zone raising the largest amount per capita. The time of presentation will be at the Alumni Banquet, June 7.

The final meeting of the Executive Committee was held Saturday morning, March 26, in the Fine Arts Building on the campus. The College and the Savannah Alumni Chapter were the host.

The "Nine" Graduates of High School-College Department From Class of 1899 to 1939

The following names are listed as they appeared on the commencement programs. For the past two years the staff in the Office of the Registrar has been "pulling together" Unassembled details of former students and graduates.—Editor.

High School Graduates 1899

Name

C. G. Coakley
H. H. Culpeper,
Javors Lucas
D. S. Larsheay
Jas. Monroe
W. N. Nelson
J. W. Haizler
C. G. Wiley

College Class of 1899

L. B. Thompson

High School Graduates 1919

Name

Bettie B. Abernathy
Dewey C. Belcher
Geneva H. Bogan
Minnie C. Clark
William M. Cuthbert
Edith Hall
Vincet Harris
Earnest T. Hemby
Thomas J. Hopkins, Jr.
Allen G. Maynor

Ernest C. Maynor
Julia H. Prioleau
Milton L. Reed
Luceybelle B. Rood
Theodosia L. Thurman
Lafayette W. Williams
Sara C. Williams

College Clas of 1919

Harriet Wright Lemons

Senior College Graduates, 1929

Wesley Meyers
Raymond P. Pinckney
Verdelle E. Stevens
Mattie L. Thomas

Senior Normal, 1929

Mattie L. Henry
Julia M. Gillison
Katheen F. Campbell
Magdalene M. Harrison
Alma Gladys Mical
Jimmie Juanita Rogers

Graduates of Georgia State College 1939

Elsie Adams, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Mary Beaton, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Ethel M. Best, Normal.
Harvey Black, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Matthew Burke, B.S. Agriculture
Leslie Calhoun, B.S., Home Economics.
Evans B. Cooper, B.S., Agriculture
Gladys H. Davis, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Paul Dixon, B.S., Agriculture.
Ruth Dudley, B.S., Social Science.
Willie Grant Edwards, B.S., Element-
ary Ed.

Joseph Flagg, B.S., Agriculture.
Margaret Frippe, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Frankie N. Golden, B.S. Elementary Ed.
Lennie M. Gordon, Normal
Robert Greyar, B.S., Home Ec.
Annie M. Hall, B.S., Elementary Ed.
George Hall, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Mattie Harvey, Normal.
Marion Heath, B.S., Agriculture
Eunice Hendley, Normal.
Viola Holbrook, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Ponola Hopkins, Normal.

McJoseph Horton, B.S., Agriculture.
John B. Jackson, B.S., Agriculture.
Emory Jordan, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Johnnie B. Jordan, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Ruby Lee King, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Robert Kirkland, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Mildred Johnson, Normal.
Helen Lambert, Normal.
Louise Lautier, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Elizabeth Livingstone, B.S., Home Ec.
Rutherford Lockette, B.S., Secondary
Ed.

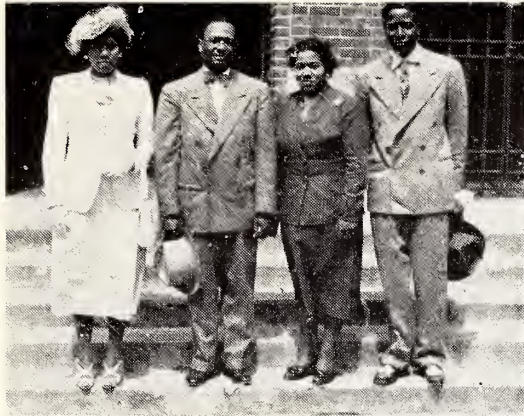
James Luten, B.S., Agriculture.
Charles Lyons, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Bernice McChester, Normal.
Robert McClinton, B.S., Social Science.
Mildred Henry McWhorter, B.S., Busi-
ness.

Charles Maddox, B.S., Agriculture.
Nathaniel Mayes, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Nathaniel Morris, B.S., Agriculture.
Alonza Ninon, B.S., Home Ec.
Rosemae Perrin, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Mabel Perry, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Susan Pollard, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Hattie Reese, B.S., Elementary Ed.
Nellie E. Simmons, B.S., Home Ec.
Rufus Spencer, B.S., Agriculture.
Carrie L. Starks, Normal.
Mattie Tharpe, B.S., Home Ec.
Harvey Walden, B.S., Agriculture.
Elizabeth Wells, B.S., Home Ec.
Hebron Williams, B.S., Agriculture.
Leon Young, B.S., Agriculture.
Annie Young, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Mabel Young, B.S., Secondary Ed.
Ralph Young, B.S., Agriculture.
Pauline Howell, B.S., Home Ec.

Summer School opens June 13. First sessions ends July 16, second session begins July 18 and closes August 20. For additional information write Office of the Registrar, Georgia State College, Savannah, Ga.

A pleasant place to attend Summer School—Georgia State College—excellent physical plant—strong faculty—varied curriculum—beautiful campus.

GSC Alumni, Former Students Attend GETA Meet

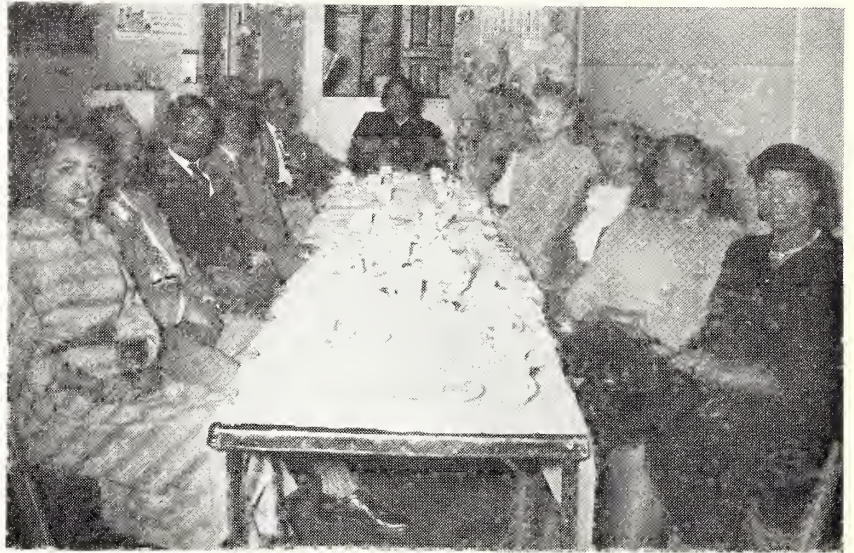


THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC RELATIONS THOUGHT THE ANNUAL GEORGIA TEACHERS AND EDUCATION ASSOCIATION meeting in Augusta would be a good place to find Georgia State Alumni, so off went Editor C. J. Smith and he got the following pictures. Upper left, (left to right) Mrs. Mary Blount, Miss Alumni; Deon W. K. Payne, GSC; Miss Frankie Golden, choirman, Grand Class Reunion Committee, and Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations. Upper right, GSC Alumni now employed as County Supervisors. Part of the approximately 300 GSC Alumni attending the convention are in the center picture. Lower left, Wilton C. Scott, and Miss Lillie B. Ashe, receptionist at the Alumni Registration Table register two GSC Alumni, Mrs. Morie B. Martin, and Miss Bessie J. McLendon. At the bottom right, GSC Alumni employed as principals throughout the State on the steps of the Charles T. Walker Elementary School scene of the three-day meeting.



THE WAYCROSS CHAPTER MEETS —Oscar Moody is president, Alton Spells, vice-president; Mrs. Willie E. Creigh, secretary; and Nicholas Fluker, treasurer. Also in the picture are Wilton C. Scott, College Director of Public Relations and Secretary of Alumni Affairs, Mrs. Scott, and Miss Viola DeVillars, Miss Savannah Alumni.

GEORGIA STATE MACON ALUMNI chapter entertains the "Grand Class Reunion" committee of a bonquet held in their honor during the recent committee meeting in Macon. Miss Frankie Golden, chairman of the committee is at the head of the table. Officers are Walter L. Thomas, president; John M. Hill, vice-president; Miss Olive Ruth Jackson, secretary; Miss Annie Epps, assistant secretary; and Theodore P. McLean, business manager.



SAVANNAH ALUMNI CHAPTER poses for the 'photog.' Officers are Leonard Low, president; Robert Young, vice-president; and Miss Annie Luten, secretary.

**GRADY AND THOMAS COUNTY
Alumni Association Meets . . .**

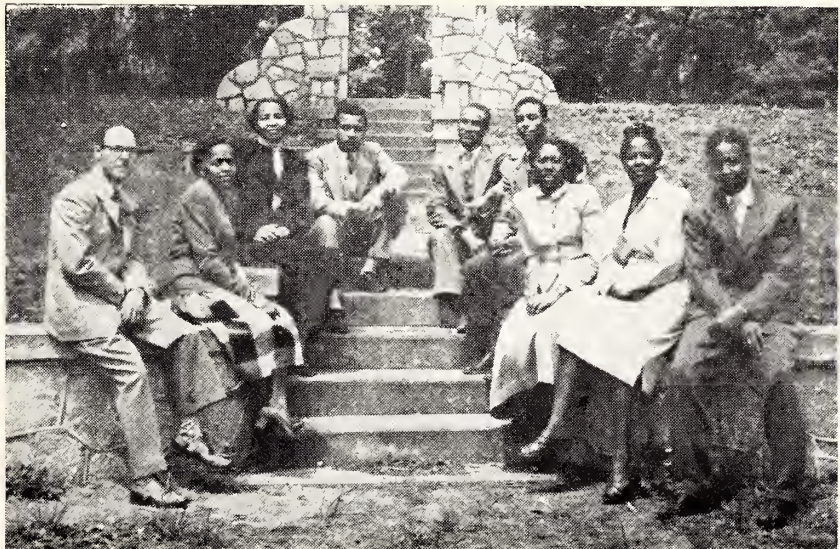
Seated around the table are a few whole-hearted workers of the Grady and Thomas County Alumni Association. Seated left to right, Mrs. Pauline Easten, Miss Virginia McCay, J. H. Morgan, Mrs. Evelean Lancaster, C. A. Ogletree, Mrs. Eula Fair Williams, Mrs. Juanita Harper and Mrs. Arminta Brawn. Walter Dawkins is standing in the rear.



**THE JENKINS COUNTY ALUMNI
"Get-To-Gether." L. R. Gay is
president of this up-and-coming
chapter.**

**PART OF THE GSC ALUMNI NOW
Employed at Georgia State . . .**

Left to right, T. C. Meyers, Mrs. Gwendalyn Thompson Canyers, Mrs. Leanna Crawford, Nelson Freeman, John Warrick, A. C. Carter, Miss Jahnne Mae Smith, Mrs. Sadie Cartledge, and Sanders Golphine. They hold membership in the Savannah Alumni chapter.



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GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE
ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FUND

April 21, 1948

Report of Expenditures for the
month of February, 1948.

Cash on Hand ----- \$ 60.00
(Money received from Mr. R. E. Lockette
on January 27, 1948)

Expenses:

Letterhead ----- \$23.15
(with envelopes)
Return Envelopes ----- 7.75
Stamps ----- 2.70
Secretary's Salary ----- 14.40

Total Expenses ----- 48.00
Balance of Cash on Hand ----- \$ 12.00

	Amount Contributed
Miss Hattie B. Lew's -----	5.00
R. E. Blakeney -----	10.00
Mrs. Annie T. Blakeney -----	5.00
Mrs. Sarah Flournoy Hart -----	5.00
Mrs. Susan White Briggs -----	5.00
Mrs. Ernie Von Hudson -----	3.00
Mrs. Amelia Sloan Dav's -----	5.00
Mrs. E. B. Jackson -----	5.00
Mrs. Leola Cooper Blount -----	5.00
Mrs. Mary Randall -----	1.00
T. C. Meyers -----	10.00
F. R. Spencer -----	10.00
Wesley Myers -----	15.00
H. W. Tarver -----	6.00
Frank Tharpe -----	10.00
R. E. Lockette -----	10.00
A. S. Bacon -----	5.00
Mrs. C. V. Clay -----	5.00
Alexander Hurse -----	10.00
Mrs. Leonard Law -----	12.50
Leonard Law -----	13.50
Theodore Maxwell -----	5.00
Walter Horne -----	5.00
Mrs. Mavis Montgomery Brown -----	10.00
Reno Tapley -----	10.00
Cu'a Jackson -----	5.00
Mrs. Marjorie Pughsely Tapley -----	10.00
Miss Thelma Jean Ray -----	10.00
Miss Annie M. Early -----	5.00
Mrs. Aggie McLeod -----	5.00
Mack Johnson -----	1.00
Charlie Benifield -----	5.00
Miss Juanita Sapp -----	1.00
R. R. Bolton -----	5.00
Miss Rosetta Booker -----	1.00
Miss Carrie B. Johnson -----	2.00
Miss Lila Bell -----	2.00

K. C. Childers -----	5.00
Mrs. Almada Morgan -----	3.00
Miss Sammie L. Johnson -----	2.00
Miss Marie Jones -----	5.00
Mrs. Carrie Dukes -----	2.50
W. J. Stephens -----	5.00
J. C. King -----	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Allen -----	5.00
Miss Frankie Golden -----	10.00
Wash Bradley -----	5.00
R. P. Pinckney -----	50.00
Miss Leona Bacon -----	5.00
B. J. James -----	15.00
Mrs. Jimmie Rogers Dennis -----	5.00
Miss Madeline R. Shivery -----	5.00
Miss Melinda O. Smith -----	5.00
Miss Lula Smith -----	25.00
Miss Ellen Cogdell -----	5.00
G. B. Jones -----	1.00
A. C. Carter -----	5.00
J. E. Luten -----	5.00
Miss Vera Dowdell -----	5.00

Total amount of contributions—

April 21, 1948 ----- \$426.50

**REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE
MONTH OF MARCH—APRIL 21, 1948**

Balance of Cash on hand ----- \$ 12.00
Cash received from Contributors ----- 426.50
Total amount of cash on hand ----- \$438.50

Expenses:

Stamps ----- \$.99
Receipt book and
Rubber Stamp ----- 3.45
Secretary's Salary ----- 9.00

Total Expenses ----- 13.44

Total amount of cash on hand—
April 21, 1948—2:30 P.M. ----- \$425.06

Brought Forward from 4-21-48 ----- \$425.06

CONTRIBUTORS

	Amount Contributed
Carl Kemp -----	\$ 16.67
Mrs. Sadie Cartledge -----	5.00
Mrs. Julia Mae Stevens -----	10.00
Mrs. Julia Mae Harris -----	10.00
Mrs. M. Thomas Barron -----	10.00
Mrs. Katheryn Chisholm -----	10.00
Miss Florence Bacon -----	5.00
Oscar Brooks -----	5.00
Dr. W. C. Atkinson -----	5.00
Mrs. Viola Holbrook -----	5.00
Miss Veronica Arnold -----	5.00
Miss Carrie Hendrickson -----	10.00
Mrs. R. W. Grissom -----	10.00
Mrs. M. O. Jackson -----	5.00

Mrs. Annie Gray	10.00
J. L. Stokes	5.00
Roliins Bacon	5.00
John McGlockton	5.00
Mrs. S. M. Tompkins.....	5.00
Mrs. O. S. Alexander.....	5.00
Mrs. L. G. Blunt.....	5.00
Mrs. C. D. Williams	5.00
Mrs. T. L. Stevens.....	5.00
Mrs. R. W. May	5.00
Mrs. M. D. Rivers.....	5.00
W. M. Sampson Mrs.....	5.00
Mrs. W. B. Hopkins.....	5.00
Mrs. W. Rhaney	5.00
Mrs. M. W. Lavender	5.00
Miss H. E. Carter	5.00
Miss Elizabeth Cash Smith.....	2.00
Mrs. Sarah W. Molette.....	2.50
Mrs. C. L. Lavender.....	1.00
J. Herbert King	2.50
Miss Ruth Mullino.....	2.00
Miss Viola E. Burroughs.....	1.00
Mrs. Rosalie Badger Gamble....	2.00
R. E. Baisden	2.00
Mrs. Eloise Pinkney Jones.....	1.00
Mrs. Lucile Atkinson	1.00
Mrs. Leo Harris	1.00
Mrs. Dorcas L. R. Smith.....	1.00
Prof. R. H. Perry.....	1.00
Prof. J. S. Wilkerson.....	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gordon..	10.00
Brought Forward	\$425.06
Received between 5-21 and 6-5-48.....	227.67
On Hand 6-5-48	\$652.73
Expenses	19.45
Cash on Hand	\$633.28
Received from Yearbook.....	8.00
Total Cash Balance 6-5-48.....	\$641.28
Brought Forward from 6-5-48.....	\$641.28

	Amount Contributed
B. J. James	\$ 10.00
Rev. James Bailey	5.00
Ellis Whitaker	5.00
B. R. Singleton	5.00
E. R. Gay	5.00
Mrs. C. B. Gay.....	5.00
Mrs. M. L. Duckett.....	25.00
Edward Greene	5.00
Christopher Greene	5.00
Miss M. W. Maree	5.00
Class of 1948 (Submitted by Miss Marie Scantling)	110.00
Mrs. Ethel W. Jackson.....	10.00
Miss Retha M. Gibbs.....	5.00
R. Holmes	15.00
J. S. Delaware	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Hill....	10.00

Rev. E. D. Curry.....	5.00
Carl Harden	10.00
Sol Harden	10.00
M. J. Woods	10.00
Mrs. M. Haynes	5.00
Miss Thelma Seay	5.00
Mrs. Eula Kate Moon.....	5.00
Mrs. Mary E. Smith	5.00
Prof. R. L. Moon.....	5.00
Chatham County Alumni Ass'n	395.00
Total Contributions	\$690.00
Brought Forward	\$341.28
Received from Contributions	690.00
Total Cash on Hand 7-6-48.....	\$1331.28

Expenses:

Stamps	\$1.50
Exchange Charge (Bank)55
Clerical	6.00
Total Expenses	8.05
On Deposit 7-6-48	\$1323.23
Withdrawn by Mr. Bacon 9-20-48.....	1282.00
(Turned over to Mr. Colston for scholarship aid to nine students)	
Balance on Hand 9-20-48.....	41.23
Brought Forward	\$ 41.23

1. Chatham County Alumni Association	\$ 5.25
2. Nathaniel Essie	5.00
3. Mrs. Georgetta Barr Griffin	1.00
4. Mrs. Beatrice Gisendaner..	10.00
5. Miss Annie Epps	3.00
6. J. M. Hill	5.00
7. Miss Olive Ruth Jackson...	5.00
8. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomas	5.00
9. Daniel Gordon	5.00
10. Miss Bernice Macon	3.00
11. Mr. Alex Hurse	5.00
12. Mrs. Mary Trawick.....	5.00
13. Mrs. Trudie Mosely Brown	5.00

Total Cash on hand to be Deposited	\$ 62.25
Brought Forward	41.23
Total	\$103.48

Submitted by
T. C. MEYERS

Attend the Annual Alumni banquet
Tuesday evening, June 7.

Baccalaureate Services, 5 P.M. Sunday,
June 5—Commencement 5 P.M. Wednes-
day, June 8.

Major T. J. Hopkins



Major Hopkins (USARC) is but one of the Georgia State Alumni slated to play an integral role in the forthcoming grand class reunion. He received the B.S. degree from Howard University in 1922, and also earned the B.S. degree in Electrical Engineering from the same institution in 1924. During the recent war Major Hopkins served with the 360th Coast Artillery "Anti-Aircraft" Regiment and saw overseas action in the Philippines.

At present he is engaged in electrical contracting and operates an electrical appliance shop at 1002 Montgomery, Savannah, Ga.

Mrs. Willie G. Edwards



Mrs. Willie G. Edwards is principal of Florence Street School here in Savannah. This elementary school is the largest in the city. Florence Street has an enrollment of 1244, 21 teachers and seven persons assigned to the lunch room. Mrs. Edwards received her B. S. degree from Georgia State in 1939. She earned the M. A. degree of Hampton Institute in 1942. Mrs. Edwards has done further study of the University of California. She has taught in Chatham County for over 30 years and also taught summer school at Georgia State College in 1945, 1946 and 1947.

Prof. Ellis Whittaker



Prof. Whittaker, in true Georgia State College fashion, is rendering excellent service to his community. He is principal of the Candler County Training School, Metter, and is president of the Alumni chapter in the same county.

Mrs. Viola Holbrook



Mrs. Viola Holbrook is a teacher at Florence Street School and graduated from Georgia State College in 1939. She received the M. A. degree from Atlanta University in 1946. Mrs. Holbrook has pursued further study on the Ph.D. level of Columbia University.

GSC Thinclads Compete In First Track Meet



These six Georgia State College thinclads represented the College at the Alabama State College Relays Saturday, April 16. This marked the first time that GSC has been represented in an intercollegiate track meet. Kneeling left to right, Enoch Roberts, Ted A. Wright, Jr., and Ceasar Davis. Standing left to right, Frank Prince, C. P. Harris and "Big Joe" Turner. A seventh member, Clarence Smith was not present at the time the photo was taken.

Prince Triumphs in American Debut

Frank Prince, the half-mile champion of Panama who enrolled in Georgia State College last fall, made his American track debut Saturday, April 16, in the Alabama State Relays in Montgomery and won his specialty in 2:01.

Although his time was slow, Prince was never pushed and was held back by Coach Ted A. Wright because he still had to run the anchor leg on two relays. Coach Wright took a seven-man squad to the meet and scored 10 points. This was the first time that Georgia State has ever participated in an inter-collegiate track meet.

Men making the trip included Bunky Wright, C. P. Harris, Enoch Roberts, Joseph Turner, Clarence Smith, Clarence Davis and Prince. Not only was this the first track meet of the season by the fellows, but it was the first that some of them had ever participated in.

They were greatly handicapped by lack of practice and the condition of the GSC track. However, this did not keep the local team from winning the sprint medley in 3:38.24. Running in this race were Turner, 440; Roberts and Wright, 220 and Prince 880. The Panama flash was unofficially clocked in 1:55 for his leg which is an indication of what he can do.

Harris qualified in the 440 trials during the morning but was scratched by Coach Wright because he had to run a leg on each of two relays. Wright broadjumped 23 feet, two inches but scratched in the takeoff. However, he won fifth place in the javelin by tossing the spear 147 feet without any previous practice this season. He has thrown it 167 feet. Smith failed to place in the high jump and went out at five feet, six inches. Turner, Harris, Roberts and Prince composed the mile relay team.

Tigers To Meet Kentucky Wildcats In Season Opener

Another milestone in the history of Georgia State College is slated to take place Saturday afternoon, September 24, when the 1949 edition of the gridiron Tigers clash with the Wildcats of Kentucky. This contest will be the second played on the new athletic field which is well on the way to becoming one of the best in this section.

The game will also mark the first time that a member of the SEAC (Southeastern Athletic Association) has ever competed against a Midwestern Conference outfit. The Frankfort eleven is coached by Randy Taylor, one of the up-and-coming young coaches in the nation.

Tentative plans call for the field to be dedicated at this game, Athletic Director Ted A. Wright, Sr., said recently. However, at the time of his statement further details had not been completed. The 1948 Tigers closed the season with an impressive record of five wins against three defeats. In a hardfought battle they edged the fighting Lions of Paine College 6-0 Thanksgiving Day in the first contest played on the new field.

Speaking of the athletic field, considerable work has been done in developing the track and field facilities. A 220-yard straight-a-way has just been added on the

eastern side of the field, and also a broad and highjump pit. Cinders have been placed on sections of the track and the job is slated for completion in the very near future.

President Bacon Cites Four-Point Program; Executive Committee Meets At College

Four points were emphasized by General Alumni President A. S. Bacon when the Executive Committee met Sunday, April 24, in the faculty lounge of Parson Hall. They were (1) expanded organization of the Association to include 1,000 paid members, (2) continuation of the Athletic Scholarship Fund, (3) improved relationship between the college and the Alumni and (4) the development of a bigger and better Association. At the same time President Bacon appointed Leonard Law, B. J. James, Alexander Hurse, K. C. Childers and T. C. Meyers to the new created Finance Committee. Mr. Law was named chairman. Mr. Bacon also disclosed that Miss Idonia Dutchie, a student at the college, has been appointed as a special worker to keep the Association's records and handle any additional business assigned to her by him.

The committee accepted a suggestion by Wilton C. Scott, College Director of Public Relations, that a fund-raising contest should be held to elect Miss Alumni. This suggestion, later put in the form of a motion, stipulates that the chapter which raises the largest amount of money per member be given the right to name Miss Alumni.

Later T. J. Hopkins suggested that the annual dues be increased from \$2.00 to \$5.00 (with \$2.00 being earmarked for the annual banquet.) Following this suggestion a motion was passed to initiate a fund-raising drive. A key member of each chapter will be named to collect the funds from this drive.

Tri-Hi-Y District Leaders



Left to right: Mrs. A. L. Sheppard, Adel, Ga., '33; Mrs. M. J. Jackson, Adel, Ga., '38; Mrs. Gertrude Murry, Dixie, Ga., '41; Mrs. Julia Harris, Quitman, Ga., '44; Mrs. C. W. Tolbert, Savannah, Ga., '48; Mr. C. W. Tolbert, Savannah, Ga., Mr. Tolbert, Savannah, Ga., Mr. A'phonous McLean, Savannah, Ga., and Mr. Chas. Julian, '47, Quitman, Ga.

The following poem "came into" the possession of the Office of Public Relations and the staff thought it very fitting to publish it in this edition of **THE BULLETIN**.—Editor.

On Mr. Colston

(President of G. S. C.)

Working in the day
 Slaving in the night
 Ever trying to keep things right;
 Untiring in your manner,
 Sleeping little at night
 But keeping ever on the job.
 You, the Citadel of information,
 Whose help for man takes no vacation,
 A face revealing all contemplation;
 Some thirteen hundred destinies in your hand,
 Futures of men at your discretion,
 Could not rest in a better man.
 Back of each student you are the thinker,
 Like the toiling Blacksmith with his hammer,
 Out of boys, men you help to mold.
 Watching students through stress or strain
 Yours is the mind behind them
 Back of the brawn you're the brain.
 Though you may get many blows—
 Others may dislike your plan,
 You're the clear-eyed man who knows.
 Yes, in the back you're the Schemer,
 The man who drives things through;
 Yes, back of the job, you're the dreamer,
 And you are making the dream come true.

By Walter J. Leonard.

President James A. Colston was the guest as the New York Alumni chapter held a banquet recently. He told those

present of the dire need for supporting the Alumni Scholarship Fund.

Following his address Mrs. Alenes Heacock, class of '22, and outstanding New York business woman, said she would give a full scholarship.

GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT EVENTS June, 1949

Friday, June 3, 11:45 A.M.—Senior Chapel, Meldrim Auditorium.

Saturday, June 4, 5:30-7:30 P.M. — President's Lawn Party for Seniors, Community House Lawn.

Sunday, June 5, 5:00 P.M.—Baccalaureate Service, Center Campus, Richard R. Wright, A.B., A.M., Ph.D., LL.D., Presiding Bishop in Georgia, African Methodist Episcopal Church.

Monday, June 6, 8:00 P.M. — Class Night Exercises—Meldrim Auditorium.

Tuesday, June 7, 6:30 P.M.—Annual Meeting of General Alumni Association, Meldrim Auditorium. 8:00 P.M.—Alumni Banquet, Adams Hall.

Wednesday, June 8, 5:00 P.M.—Commencement Exercises, Center Campus, Rufus E. Clement, A.B., B.D., A.M., Ph.D., President of Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia.

From The President's Desk

Last year at this time I reviewed the growth of the institution during the one-year period of my service and pointed out that while accomplishments over this short period of time indicated that the institution was growing in the right direction, we have to constantly press forward if we are to provide the educational opportunities that our young people deserve.

It is true that many improvements have been made in the quality and the professional attitude of our faculty, in the size and quality of our student body, and in the physical facilities. Twelve members of the staff studied in leading universities in the country last summer. Four members of the staff are on leave for a full year of study during this term. One of these members, Miss Louise O. Lautier, a graduate of Georgia State College, is studying on a General Education Board fellowship secured for her by the college. Mr. Rutherford E. Lockette, another one of Georgia State's favorite sons, will complete his work for the Master of Arts degree at New York University this Summer. One member of the faculty received his Ph.D. degree in March of this year. Another one expects to complete her work for the degree of Doctor of Education during the month of August. Several others are expecting to continue their work for advanced degrees during the summer session, and it is hoped that General Education Board fellowships will be available for two or three other members of the staff for study next year.

The enrollment this year reached a new high of 1,260 regularly enrolled students in our college and trade departments. The laboratory elementary school enrolled an additional 186. According to a report of the Registrar, the college had 1773 students enrolled in off-campus, summer and extension programs. This means that the college has served during the year approximately 3,300 students. Not only has the college served more students but it has been fortunate to serve students with real abilities and definite purposes for their lives.

To more effectively provide for the needs, interests and abilities of our students, several innovations in the educational program have been made. They include an expanded program of Student Personnel Services, a Reading Clinic, an Audio-Visual Aids Laboratory, an Education Laboratory; and plans are under way for the development of Social Science, Business, and Mathematics Laboratories. All of these represent the developing philosophy of functional teaching and learning on the part of the faculty.

The dining hall has been completely renovated and modernized. Parson Hall has been completely renovated also. It now provides comfortable apartments for five families, rooms for nine single teachers, a faculty lounge, and a spacious lounge for city students. A well-furnished and beautifully appointed nursery school has been established as a part of the training program for home economics teachers. The campus roadways have been paved and plans are now under way for providing curbing and walks throughout the campus.

There has been increased interest in the development of the institution on the part of the alumni. Alumni organizations have been activated in many sections of the State and in some cities outside of the State. Last year the alumni contributed \$1,221 for athletic scholarships, and it is quite clear that their contribution helped considerably in the improvement of the athletic program during the past year.

Working together, our accomplishments have been great; but even so we have only scratched the surface. Our job now is to build an educational climate that will make the American public increasingly more aware of the value of education and the importance of providing support for an adequate program of education for all of our citizens. This is a responsibility which alumni, not only of Georgia State but of all colleges, must assume.

It is true that for the vast majority of young people, education on a higher level is based not on their ability to profit from education but on their ability to pay the cost of an education. For every young person with ability who is financially able to pay the cost of his education there is one with equal ability who is not able to pay the cost. It is to this second person that I invite the alumni of Georgia State College to direct their efforts during the ensuing year. Young people with talent in music, in drama, in athletics or with other abilities should be encouraged to come to Georgia State and assisted in their efforts to finance their education.

I congratulate you upon your efforts during the past year and urge your continued support in the provision of scholarships for some of our most talented students. With the full cooperation of the alumni and increased financial support from the State of Georgia—and you can do something about both of these—the future growth and development of Georgia State College will be assured.

James A. Colston
President.

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NEWS BULLETIN

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A. C. O. E. Admits Georgia State

Christmas Greetings from the President

The season of the year for giving is at hand. How long man has practiced this custom of giving is unknown, but the observance of this custom at this time of the year in western civilization may be traced directly to the influence of Christ. It is interesting to note to what extent the spirit of giving has taken place in America. People give to those whom they love and to those for whom they have a feeling of warmth. In all of the giving there is that link of interest and love which comes from fundamental thought and regard of other individuals.

As one goes through America he is impressed with the breadth of this concept of giving. In one city he sees hospitals that have been given for the benefit of the entire community. In others he finds libraries, churches, recreation centers, parks, museums, and services of various kinds. Every community enjoys at some time a gift from someone who is interested in all of the people. The spirit of giving warms the hearts of people and brings hope to all. It keeps alive that fundamental bond of unity which makes everyone realize that Americans are one in purpose and ideals.

Some donors are very careful in planning their gifts. Some wish to have their gifts reach many people during the time when the gifts are made and also to have these gifts reach larger numbers of people at later dates when new groups come to the institution. schools, churches, hospitals and museums are examples of this desire to share what one has with people of more than one generation. Often this sharing on the part of one individual furnishes the idea and the stimulus for the people to provide for themselves additional facilities in the particular areas concerned. This has been especially noticeable in the development of public libraries and the Supervising of Jeanes Teacher Programs.

Although the giver stands out in the eyes of the people, one should never forget the men and women who assisted the donors in working out their



plans. Many of the people who possess money to give have not given because they do not know how to plan their gifts. These potential givers need information and inspiration to guide them into the channels where real need exists. The individuals who play this role, though unseen, serve mankind in no unworthy manner. For them the world is grateful.

Georgia State College falls in the class of many public institutions which need the stimulus and warmth of donors. There are a few places on the campus where one feels the presence of this spirit of giving. The number of places on the campus can be increased if the men and women who pass through the institution and the friends of the College will assist some of our public-spirited people in planning their gifts. The College needs many things that could be provided by public spirited persons in our county, state, and nation. One without money himself can make this contribution by helping someone else plan his gift for the College.

The opportunities for helping larger
(Continued on Page 7, Col. 1)

KEY AMERICAN EDUCATION GROUP

Georgia State College has been granted institutional membership in the American Council on Education. The disclosure was made at a press conference by Acting President W. K. Payne.

The American Council on Education is a council of national educational association; organizations having related interests; approved universities, colleges and technological schools; state departments of education; city school systems; selected private secondary schools; and selected educational departments of business and industrial companies. It is a center of cooperation and coordination whose influence has been apparent in the shaping of American educational policies as well as the formulation of American educational practices during the past twenty-eight years. Many leaders in American education and public life serve on the commissions and committees through which the Council operates.

President Payne was all smiles at the press conference. He said, "I think it will mean much to the College to hold membership . . . because it (the Council) conducts surveys and studies in strategic areas of education and most important of all, keeps member institutions in touch with the important developments in the field of education. The membership should mean a lot to the instructional program of the College . . ."

He displayed the letter from George F. Zook, President of the Council. Mr. Zook wrote, "I am happy to inform you that our Executive Committee selected the Georgia State College . . . to institutional membership in the American Council on Education . . ."

College Establishes Reading Clinic

One of the few in the South

If you have had trouble toiling your way through magazine articles, news stories, and books on the economic aspects of the cold war . . . don't worry.

No doubt you have passed the encounters off as being too technical because they were difficult. If you are such a victim, then you need to go to a clinic—A Reading Clinic. Such a clinic was established here at Georgia State College in 1948 (as part of the Department of Language and Literature) and is now under the supervision of Miss Juanita Sellers, attractive young Columbia University (M. A.) trained reading expert.

To enable students with reading deficiencies to improve and/or overcome these handicaps through increased efficiency and comprehension (understanding)—this is the aim of the Georgia State College Reading Clinic.

Two methods of approach—diagnostic and remedial—are pursued in attaining the aims of the Clinic. Diagnostic procedure embodies scientific approach through the employment of precision instruments and machines (mechanical aids,) and standardized tests. In everyday language this simply means—finding out on what grade levels the "patients" read.

Let's take a look at these mechanical aids and see how they work. Currently, there are 61 "patients" in the Clinic. Each was given the Iowa Silent Reading Test, New Edition (Revised Am.) at the beginning of the quarter. Statistics obtained presented Miss Sellers with the following picture—a median score of 138, grade equivalent of 6.2 and age equivalent of 10-5. This simply means that on an average, the "patient's" reading level is the same as that of a student in the sixth grade and in the age group of 10 years and two months. Of the 61 tests, five read on the college level, four on the 11th and 12th grade levels, and the remainder (52) below these grade levels. The mechanical instruments are now employed to determine or find other causes of deficient reading.

The Tachistoscope (or flashmaster) measures visual span. It operates in this manner. Words, phrases, numbers, figures, and paragraphs are flashed on a screen in fractions of a second. Through the constant presentation of these visual span increasing "devices" the student's recognition ability is expanded. This results in faster reading and more accurate recognition of words.

Moving pictures are made of the eye while reading by the Ophthalmograph. Upon the subsequent development of the film (right here on the campus,) the supervisor knows each student's rate of reading, number of regressions per 100 words, and, among other things, how well he understands what he reads.

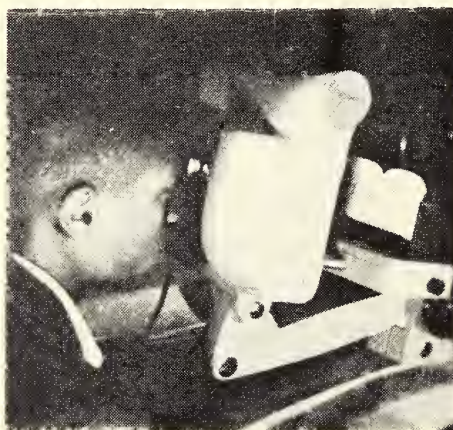
Meantime, errors in phrasing, pronunciation of words, enunciation, and reading with clarity are detected through the use of the Recording machine—in other words the student is



MISS JUAITA SELLERS, SUPERVISOR OF THE READING CLINIC operates the flashmeter during a typical class session. The instrument, which flashes words . . . on a screen in fractions of a second is employed to increase the "recognition ability"

confronted with an audio (hearing) means of knowing how he sounds to others. Through a filing system, the student "hears" his improvements.

Oops!—Almost forgot . . . eye difficulty is determined by the Telebinocular. This instrument, which is one of the



most important ones in the Clinic, is used to keep an accurate record of the physical condition of both eyes. Thus, Miss Sellers is able to tell when a student's eye difficulty is sufficient to warrant seeing an optometrist.

Remedial Program Important

Now that we have a mental picture of the diagnostic procedure, let's see how the remedial program works. This is nothing more than correcting reading deficiencies.

Miss Seller's remedial program is founded on the premise set forth by Miss Ruth Strang (under whom she studied at Columbia).

It is:

1. Read.
2. Read.
3. Read some more.
4. Read everything.
5. Read about everything.
6. Read enjoyable things.
7. Read things you yourself enjoy.
8. Read and talk about it.
9. Read very carefully some things.
10. Read on the run most things.

11. Don't think about reading, but
12. JUST READ.

The first week of school Miss Sellers required each student to write an autobiography. She found that most of their reading consisted of reading the comics. "Many confessed that they just didn't like to read. Then too, I learned that the span of concentration of a great number of students was relatively short. This is one reason why they preferred reading comics rather than a book from cover to cover. However, I also learned that some students didn't know what a novel was," Miss Sellers disclosed.

J. Hooper Wise's *THE MEANING OF READING*, and the accompanying workbook are the basic text materials, along with Miss Strang's *STUDY TYPE OF READING EXERCISES*. The latter is used to help students gain insight in reading problems (causes,) effects, and how to eradicate them, Miss Sellers says:

Included in Wise's book is an anthology of reading selections by famous authors. Subject matter treated (poetry, psychology, religion, essays, fundamental philosophy) is of such a nature that the personal reading prejudices of most students are present. "It is an excellent book, and one that has proved to stimulate interest because in many instances the students must think—thus posing a challenge," according to Miss Sellers. "At the same time I just had to increase their leisure time reading. The College Library has cooperated wonderfully along these lines," she added.

Oral activities are a definite part of the remedial program. Book reviews are presented—certain students are appointed to lead the discussion on various reading materials.

How does Miss Sellers feel about her work? "The Clinic should be open to all students, regardless of classification. (Its facilities are now limited to freshmen.) In other words, Miss Sellers believes the Clinic should be operated on a teacher-referrable basis. That is, a Chemistry teacher may be confronted with a student who is doing poor work

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A-V Center Serves Campus Community

MISS STEGALL GRANTED Ph. D.

Miss Alma Lirline Stegall, Chairman of the Department of Education, has been awarded the Doctor of Education (Ed. D.) degree from Indiana University. This was disclosed in a recent announcement by the Board of Directors of the famed Mid-Western University.

Dr. Stegall joined the staff of Georgia State College as head of the Elementary Education Department in 1947. Prior to this, she served in various capacities throughout the State. Dr. Stegall is a former Jeanes Supervisor, Lowndes County; at one time she directed the student teaching program at Albany State College, and has served as Acting Consultant, Georgia Negro Elementary Schools, State Department of Education.

The popular G. S. C. staff member is a native of Colt, Ark. She graduated from the Laboratory High School of Mississippi Industrial College, Hollysprings, and received her undergraduate degree from the College department of the same institution. She holds the

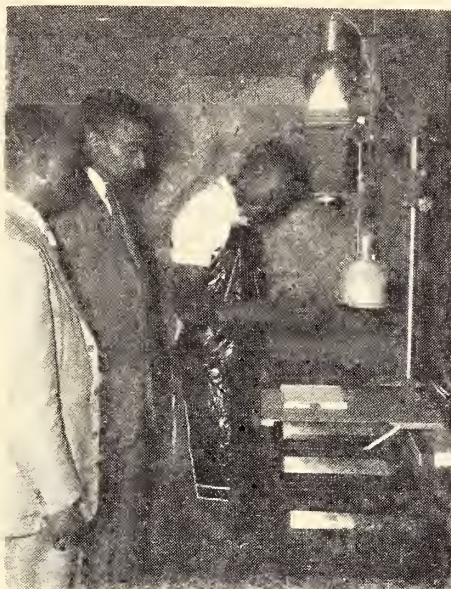


M. Ed. (Master of Education) degree from Atlanta University.

Dr. Stegall first entered Indiana in 1945, spending the school year of '45 and '46 there. She also studied the first semester of the 1946-47 school year. She earned an enviable reputation at Indiana University where she returned in 1948 on a \$2,000 Rosenwald Fellowship. She majored in Elementary Education and minored in Elementary Educational Psychology. Her dissertation is entitled "A Critical Analysis of the Pre-and In-Service Education of Jeanes Supervisors in Georgia."

While pursuing her studies in '45-'49, Dr. Stegall served as a graduate assistant in the Division of Personnel. She was elected to membership in Pi Lambda Theta National Honorary Fraternity for Women in Education, and Alpha Kappa Delta National Sociological Fraternity.

Dr. Stegall is a key member of the Committee on Higher Education of the National Education Association.



PRESIDENT W. K. PAYNE recently visited the Audio-Visual Aids lab dark-room and was given a few pointers on enlarging. Here he is shown with M. S. Stokes, Director, and Charles McDaniels, student assistant at the enlarger.

Establish Local FTA

A charter chapter of the Future Teachers of America has been established on the campus. It is composed of 31 members.

The charter was presented to John Camper, faculty advisor in a recent chapel program, by Acting President W. K. Payne. The presentation was followed by colorful induction ceremonies, and a challenging speech by the Chief Executive.

Miss Catherine Hill, president of the organization, envisions an active year for the chapter.

Entrance Exam Slated January 2

Freshmen seeking admission to Georgia State College during the Winter Quarter who are not graduates of accredited high schools, may qualify by taking the entrance examination which will be given at the college the morning of January 2 at nine o'clock. This was disclosed by T. C. Meyers, Registrar.

At the same time Mr. Meyers pointed out that those individuals who are graduates of accredited secondary schools must see that the necessary credentials are on file in his office prior to registration. The dates are January 2, and 3, with payment of late registration fees on the 4-5 admitting qualified persons.

Those individuals who have not completed high school but have had unusual opportunities may qualify for admittance by the successful passing of the college entrance examination, Mr. Meyers disclosed. He added that there are a few openings for qualified veterans or special students in several trades.

Laboratory Gets National Award

Many changes have taken place during the first part of the twentieth century. Complex and intricate aspects of the occidental civilization have been revealed on all sides of our indigenous culture. Parelleling the vast material development has been the most startling extension of knowledge and wisdom for college students. One of the most recent curriculum innovations at Georgia State College has been the Audio-Visual Education Department which is a part of a larger movement for providing adequate experiences for all concerned.

Over one hundred years ago, Daguerre experimented with photography; then came the Eastman Kodak late in the nineteenth century. During the second decade of the twentieth century the silent motion picture became established. In 1920, KDKA of Pittsburgh inaugurated its first broadcast. Finally during 1929, the second motion picture made its way into several of our larger universities and colleges. In recent years, various mechanical devices and machines have been utilized by educators. Today, on our campus there are two 16 mm sound projectors, one delineascope projector, a filmstrip and

The Audio-Visual Aids Center recently was awarded a certificate of merit by the Audio-Visual Project Department-Secondary Teachers-National Education Association. The citation was made in recognition of the Center's cooperation with the Department and the indication of its faith in the important place Audio-Visual Aids hold in the Curriculum of the nation's schools, and for commendable advances in the area of instructional materials.—Ed.

slide projector, several recordios and cameras. Naturally, the radio and television aids are closely related.

After taking a brief panorama of some of the mechanical aids, it is easy to understand that they are not ends in themselves but rather a means to an end. They enable us to have direct and vicarious experience. This inevitably leads to the question, "What is Audio-Visual Education? It is meaning to drama, models, demonstrations, exhibits, graphs and pictures that are both flat and projected, etc. The connotations of the term Audio-Visual Education imply an abstraction which is difficult to define with precision. It is a conceptual term. As our knowledge and understanding increase, definitions will probably change. For the immediate purpose of this article, "Audio-Visual Instructional Material and Methods will be defined as those which do not depend exclusively upon comprehension of words or similar symbols."

The wonders of educational films have been shown in order to help students. During the current quarter a variety of topics have been chosen by different instructors in the college and the laboratory school. A few of the many films that have been shown are *Pasture and Exercise*, *The Negro Soldier*, *The Cattleman*, *Living and Learning in a*

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News Round-up Divisional and Departmental

Trades and Industries

Some divisional and departmental news has been omitted because of space limitations. However, they will be "carried" in a future edition.—C. J. S., III.

Keeping in mind that some of the chief functions of education are (1) to transmit a way of life, (2) to improve and reconstruct that way of life, and (3) to meet the needs of individuals, the Division of Trades and Industries at Georgia State College is constantly evaluating, revising, adding to, and improving its program in order to fulfill such needs of each student in the Division.

Skill or the acquiring of skill is the core around which our work is centered and it is essential that we supply as much working experience as possible for each individual in the Division. Many types of work experiences are provided in each shop for the benefit of the students. Constant adding of new equipment, supplying of tools and materials, increased preparation of staff members, use of various techniques of instruction are all means being used to develop in each student the fundamental principles of education for making a living.

The division does not end its service to the student on the campus, but has a program to aid in-service teachers of trade work in various sections of Georgia. To promote this phase of the work, an itinerant teacher-trainer for trade and industrial education is establishing extension classes in various parts of the state and is doing much in aiding said teacher in the use of modern methods of teaching shopwork. With his help these teachers are overcoming many problems facing them. The itinerant teacher-trainer maintains offices in the Division of Trades and Industries at Georgia State College.

Each Summer a trade conference is held at Georgia State College to aid in-service teachers in securing additional trade experiences and new methods of teaching. At these conferences the teachers share the experiences and problems of others and devise means of solving problems.

The staff members in the Division, in cooperation with administrative officials of the college, are working on additional courses and trades to be added to the Division so that a large varieties of trades will be offered, trades that will aid students in keeping up with the present age of development in industry and new fields of employment which call for efficient semi-skilled and skilled workers.

All of our graduates are finding places in this work-a-day world. Of our four students who graduated in the Summer of 1949 all are employed in schools in the state. One of our 1948 graduates, one has received his Master of Science degree from Iowa State College and is now employed in the Division of Mechanic Arts at Arkansas State College, Pine Bluff, Arkansas.

Our enrollment in the Division of Trades and Industries is at its highest peak. Of the Industrial Education majors there are twenty-six freshmen, eighteen sophomores, twenty-two juniors and fourteen seniors. Our enrollment in the Special Unit Day Trade follows: Automobile Mechanics; Automotive Body and Fender Repairs; Carpentry; Electricity, Machine Shop Prac-

tice; Masonry; Painting; Radio Repairing and Shoe Repairing.

Of the Special Unit Day Trade approximately one hundred and fifty (150) students receive certificates of proficiency yearly and many of these students are working at their respective trades in various sections of the country.

This year, in cooperation with the Director of Student Personnel Services, chapel programs are being planned and executed by students in the Division. Friday of each week has been set aside for Trade Assembly.

The trade students have recently organized a Glee Club and have performed at one of their assembly programs.

The students of the Division of Trades and Industries invite you to visit the nine departments in their division and to assemble with them in Meldrim Auditorium each Friday at 12:00 Noon.

MUSIC

The Fine Arts Department is seeing a busy season this year with music activities in full sway. With three music instructors staffing the steadily-growing Department (in addition to one instructor in graphic arts) a finer quality of work is evident.

Aside from the instructional program the music instructors are highly concerned with the "service" program of the Department. This involves the rehearsing and preparing of various music groups for performances, as well as providing the campus with wholesome music experiences. Georgia State College can boast of one of the smartest-stepping (180 S. P. M.) military bands in the country. This band has had concentrated training experience under Mr. John J. Ballou, director and Mr. Allen Pyke. It has made the 'half' an interesting part of every football game this season as well as stimulated school spirit among students. Now that the football season is over the band will concentrate on concert repertoire building. The dance band, made up of members from the regular band, is providing 'sweet' music for many affairs on the campus as well as fulfilling engagements out-of-town. Each man in this group is an 'artist' in his own right and enjoys working out the many arrangements among which Mr. Pyke has thrust some very interesting ones.

The choir soars 'On Wings of Song' to new heights in musical performance, tackling some of the most difficult and intricate arrangements. This group, comprised of approximately thirty-six men and women, is in constant demand for radio and concert appearances and is under the able directorship of Mr. Pyke.

Two glee clubs take pride in being able to contribute to the musical wealth of the Georgia State College Campus, the Women's Glee Club under the directorship of Hilliary R. Hatchett, who is also acting chairman of the Department of Fine Arts; and the Men's Glee Club under the directorship of Mr. Ballou. The Women's Glee Club has a membership of twenty-four and the Men's Glee Club, approximately forty.

Both groups have had radio and concert experience. To date the Men's Glee Club has already fulfilled an out-of-town concert engagement.

Aside from preparing these groups for performances (5 to 10 hours rehearsals per week) the staff firmly believes

that these activities provide the participants with an enriching experience which will prove invaluable in later years. The Music Education curriculum requires that future music teachers from Georgia State College have ample opportunity to participate in these activities. 'Joining up' with a music group on the campus has been encouraged by the department.

Switching to a different aspect of the Music Department, we discover that each instructor has revealed to the student body and faculty his performance abilities which tend to indicate versatility in professional attainment. Mr. Hatchett, a pianist and organist, has lately revealed another talent; that of singing. At a vespers program recently he very successfully rendered two selections in Italian. Mr. Pyke is a well versed instrumentalist, performing on the piano, organ, bass violin, and orchestral instruments. He has sung with the Howard University Choir. Mr. Ballou is another instrumentalist who has performed on the piano and organ. His experiences as a tenor with the Wilberforce Quartet give definite indication of his singing qualifications.

Georgia State College can boast of a Fine Arts Department that is increasing steadily, in size and scope, at a rate that will carry it to surprising heights in a short period of time, with a group of people who are constantly behind the wheel.

HOME ECONOMICS

The evolution of the Division of Home Economics at Georgia State College from its early beginning in 1915—has grown from an initial enrollment of around 25 to the present number of 127. From a college area whose purpose was to train home economics teachers and home demonstration agents to one whose aims are to: enrich the cultural and social background of students so that they might become more worthy members of the families, homes and communities in which they live; to train vocational home economics teachers; to give young women the pre-professional training and upon completion of a dietary internship, they may pursue professional careers as dietitians in approved hospitals, schools, or other institutions, become owners and managers of restaurants, tea rooms, cafes, cafeterias, etc; to offer such background subject matter courses which will enable young women to satisfactorily pursue graduate training in their chosen field of endeavor to achieve the all over College functional educational responsibility of offering related training through service courses for persons majoring in the fields other than home economics. These are the Divisions Objectives*.

The College education of the home economics women embodies a condition of the biological, physical and social sciences, thus the changes which are evident in the curriculum have come because of the developments and advances made by science and education in the past half century.

Sociological and economic trends in today's living and employment have brought certain pressures for the training of young women, therefore it behooves educational institutions to recognize these signs and meet the challenges.

All schools of higher learning in Geor-

gia have trained home economics teachers for secondary schools for many years. The picture today shows that Georgia has almost reached the saturation point relative to placement of prospective teachers. In Negro schools the turnover is very slow—due to the fact that most of our teachers remain in the classroom after marriage.

To overcome employment handicaps, Georgia State College is making a serious effort to find out the number of trained home economists in the fields other than teaching, and what the potential opportunities are in unexplored fields. These fields of endeavor have been presented to freshmen, sophomores, junior and senior women to offer encouragement and enlightenment in order that they might know that employment is open to them upon graduation. A check as to percentage employment will be a further aid to their placement.

In step with the increasing College enrollment, the Division of Home Economics has kept pace for a functioning department. The American Home Economics Association has set a standard of at least a 10% home economics enrollment of the over-all figure of college women Georgia State College has 22.5% of its women in the Division of Home Economics. We are proud that this figure is indicative that we're serving the tax paying citizens of Georgia satisfactorily, and the prospective graduates feel definitely that a purposeful and productive future awaits them.

CHEMISTRY

The work in the Department of Chemistry at Georgia State College is intended to serve several purposes. It provides a thorough foundation in general courses for students who seek an understanding of the methods and achievements of the Chemist. It provides for pre-professional training for the students who intend to study dentistry, medicine, nursing, etc., and affords training for persons who plan to teach Science in the Secondary Schools.

It also provides needed semi-specialized preparation for students who are majoring in Home Economics, Trades and Industries and also training for those who plan to enter graduate schools.

In order to provide additional opportunities and experiences for the increasing number of students who are pursuing courses in Chemistry, additional equipment is constantly in demand. The maintenance department is now installing a new fume hood. It is the latest type with provisions for water, gas and electricity with controls from the outside for safety and convenience.

For the students in Analytical Chemistry, another analytical balance has been added. It is the chainmatic type which will provide students with training in work requiring a high degree of precision. Last Spring saw the addition of a new laboratory table which provides additional locker and working space for sixteen students. Among the immediate needs of the department is additional laboratory space. An Organic Chemistry Laboratory and an Analytical Balance room as well as adequate facilities for Physical Chemistry would greatly enhance the training facilities.

This Spring will see the first students to graduate from Georgia State College with a major in Chemistry, which requires a minimum of fifty quarter hours.

This year the Chemical Rubber Company of Cleveland, Ohio is awarding the 31st edition of its Handbook of Chemistry and Physics, to the freshman student with the best scholastic record in Chemistry for the school year 1949-50. A handbook is almost a "must" for students in Chemistry courses today. The Award will be made at the June Commencement.

ENGLISH

The establishment of an English Workshop* has been authorized by the President. The idea for this project was conceived by Miss Luetta Colvin, Instructor in English, and has been well received by the "College family."

Realizing the need for a project designed to eliminate the English problems that face the entire campus community, this Workshop will serve those students who are in need of assistance in solving problems of mechanics, (grammar, spelling, syntax) literature, and vocabulary.

Additional aims and proposals include the following:

Scope and Method of Procedure: The English Workshop will assist those who are interested in self-development via the media of selected reading materials and creative experiments; those who have some special and immediate problem in the field (term papers, bibliography form, letters of application, etc.)*

The English Workshop will meet twice a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 12:00 to 1:20 P. M. Those students attending chapel on Tuesdays will have advantage of the Workshop on Thursdays, and vice-versa.

Letters will be sent out to the various departments advising them of the availability of the project. All instructors will be urged to inform their students of the existence of the Workshop; thereby each department will with the aid of the individual instructors, serve as a clearinghouse for soliciting and encouraging students to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Value to the Institution as a Whole: The English Workshop will not only serve as an efficacious substitute for English 99, (remedial English) but will also act as motivating agent for those students who are interested in creative work and self-development. As a result, each department will realize benefit from the services of such a project. Integration can be secured through the use of volunteer consultants from various departments.

Personnel: The Workshop will be guided by a chairman (to be appointed by the head of the Department); and will employ the services of the English Department.

*A Workshop may be defined as a practical experience in working out problems.

PERSONNEL

An enriched program of student personnel services has been inaugurated at Georgia State College this year and is contributing more effectively to student adjustment and general welfare.

The Freshman Orientation program has been reorganized and divided into three sections. The first deals with adjustment information relative to purposes of college, study habits, health, human relationship, dress, religion, and

school activities. The second consists of testing. The following types have been utilized: aptitude, personality, interest, intelligence, achievement, and general culture. The third will be concerned with special individual and group problems.

A new counseling system has been installed providing for assigned faculty counselors to all freshmen and sophomores. The major advisors handle counseling problems of juniors and seniors. This will enable us to provide finer professional counseling for all of our students.

The health services have been reorganized and the infirmary provides 24-hour medical care for staff as well as students. This year physical examinations were scheduled for all college students. Plans are being made now for chest x-rays to be given annually. Lectures, Motion pictures, and periodic inspection of buildings are regular activities of the Committee on Health Standards.

Thirty-seven approved student organizations are at work on the campus covering a wide range of significant activities. All groups have planned programs for the cultural advancement of the college community. This year a new committee on Student Organizations is working with the officials and sponsors of these groups to improve their general effectiveness.

An activity calendar has just been released showing the schedule of socials, concerts, plays, athletic events, vespers, and special projects for the entire school year.

Highlighting the student activity program this year will be a series of special projects planned jointly by students and faculty. These include Religious Emphasis Week, Leadership Week, Marriage And Family Conference, Vocational Opportunity Week, Charm Week, Men's Day, National Negro Health Week and Better Business Week.

Aiding students to solve their financial problems is a major objective of the Student Personnel Department. Job assignments are made on and off the campus. The Department worked with a group of students to form the Student's Loan Association. Vacation jobs are secured for male and female students.

Religious activities are directed by the College Minister with a joint-faculty committee assisting him. Regular services on Sunday, counseling, community welfare projects, and special programs are activities promoted in this area.

This Fall a new system of cumulative records has been installed at the College. The basic form was constructed by the American Council of Education. This gives us a first class records system and will improve the effectiveness of our Placement Bureau which is responsible for securing positions for graduates and students who withdraw from school prior to receiving a certificate or degree.

One of the most encouraging signs of the times has been wider participation on the part of the faculty in the program of student personnel services. This-in the long run—will result in the development of men and women properly adjusted and adequately prepared to assume the full responsibilities of first class citizenship.

EDUCATION

Teaching provides a challenging opportunity for usefulness and devotion to human welfare; thus only those persons who find deep satisfaction in such usefulness are encouraged in this sphere. It requires belief in the public schools as a basic means of promoting and maintaining a democratic way of life. A teacher must be able to participate with administrators, teachers, students, parents and the community at large in efforts to improve the quality of social services.

It is with these dominant factors in mind that we provide experiences in student teaching during the Fall, Winter and Spring quarters at Georgia State College. Then, too, this is the last step in the teacher education program to be taken by progressive teachers. It is in this step that prospective teachers find opportunities to plan, try out, evaluate and improve the learning activities of pupils under direct guidance of critic teacher and college personnel. In this step prospective teachers and children work together, each taking a share of the responsibility for making the experience valuable to all concerned. The student enters student teaching with the hope that he has those qualities necessary to assure a reasonable amount of success in the teaching profession. However, no assurance is guaranteed the student teacher of graduation from the teacher education curriculum unless his performance during this period is satisfactory to all concerned. It is often found that during the student teaching period, many attitudes and other deficiencies are manifested and the student is required to repeat the experience until the necessary changes are evidenced or is guided out of the teaching profession entirely. He is required to present a minimum of ninety hours of general education, a total of forty hours in major field of concentration and a 1.4% average in quality points.

There are approximately forty-eight persons enrolled for work "on the field" during the next two quarters with twenty-three persons in the field of Social Science, fourteen in Elementary Education, four in English, three in Mathematics and four in Chemistry and General Science.

Dr. Alma Stegall, Chairman of the Education Department, is director of the teacher-training program. Miss Murial C. King will serve as supervising teacher of secondary education while the supervision of teacher-training in elementary education will be done by Miss Donella J. Graham.

The schools cooperating in the proposed teacher-training program serve as laboratories which offer great promise as a means for bridging the gap between educational theory and practice. Also, these schools provide opportunities for prospective teachers to observe how those educational theories, championed by the college, may be put into action in "good learning situations."

Seminars in Elementary and Secondary Education will parallel the student teaching program. These Seminars will be conducted when necessary. Participants in the seminars will be student teachers, the critic teachers, the supervising teachers, the subject-matter specialists, other resource persons and the director of student teaching.

LIBRARY

People, books, magazines, and newspapers are the stock in trade of every library. The library of today is no vault in which to keep these books. The librarian is not a keeper of books, but a person interested in getting people and books together.

In keeping with this philosophy, the Library of Georgia State College holds open house everyday and makes everyone of the fifty-two weeks of the year Book week. A lot of people know that. Yet, There are some who do not know the helpful services that the library offers. So to put special emphasis on our wealth of reading materials, we celebrate along with the other libraries of the United States, National Book Week.

Each year we have observed this Week by bringing to the students, faculty and friends of the College speakers who gave some interesting and provocative reviews of timely books.

Lest we become one-sided in our thinking and in our approach to books, we decided this year to vary our program. So for the celebration of Book Week we brought to our audience Mrs. Phoebe Burney, Dean of Women at Clark College, Atlanta, Georgia.

"Lifting the Arches of Our Souls—Developing Ability to Take It—was the theme for her inspirational address. She said in part:

"Our world today is precariously balancing itself upon its shaking foundations. And man in his fear is casting about for devices and techniques which will minimize the conditions and circumstances which threaten his security and he is seeking refuge in any citadel, where blind to his inevitable fate, he can make himself believe that 'God's in His Heaven and all's right with the world! In what direction, then, shall man turn? Since personal unbalance never leads to social stability, man must learn first, then, the art of living with himself. Marcus Aurelius has the direction for us when he says that 'Man must be arched and buttressed from within else the temple wavers in the dust.'

"I can offer one splendid promoter of reassurance in efforts to raise the aches of our souls to such promotions that we will have ability to accept with equanimity the pummelings of fate and fortune. I offer the long and intimate association with noble literary, philosophic, and artistic masters and critiques of the ages. Accept the challenge of Kirby Page and explore great biographies, courage is sustained and the willingness to make sacrifices is strengthened by the discovery that these great social reformers triumphed in the face of strenuous opposition and ruthless hope that he has those qualities necessary for persecution. Explore great biographies. Be captured by noble and commanding leaders in the battalion of worthy achievement. He who cherishes a beautiful vision, a lofty ideal in his heart, will some day realize it."

BUSINESS

The Department of Business has revised its curriculum offerings to more nearly meet the needs of business. The first students, under the new curriculum, will graduate in June, 1951.

The Department of Business aims, through its curricula offerings and through counseling of individual students, to approach the following goals: (1) preparation of competent teachers of business subjects for secondary schools; (2) reparation of competent secretaries; (3) preparation of competent accountants; (4) reparation for gainful participation in the business world.

Three major areas of concentration are offered the student. The student may major in Business Administration, Business Education or Secretarial Science.

All students majoring in the Department of Business are required to develop special competence in typewriting, accounting and office organization and management.

At the beginning of the sophomore year, each student desiring to work toward a major in the Department is required to decide upon a three-year program of courses and other activities comprising his major work. The student reaches this decision in conference with his advisor.

One of the new projects of the Business Department for this year is the Student Loan Association. This is an organization for the benefit of the students, owned and operated by the students.

This loan association is unique in that the money was raised by selling stock to the students at fifty cents (\$.50) per share. The money purchase of stock makes each stockholder a part owner of the association.

The money obtained is loaned to any student, who qualifies, desiring a loan at 1% interest. The borrower signs a note for the money, and the note is cancelled upon payment of the loan.

It is 100% student owned, operated and participating. Professor Franklin Carr is sponsor to the Student Loan Association.

The Business Club, though not a new project, has begun their year of activity with a social hour held at the Community House. The Business Club is under the advisorship of Associate Professor Ben Ingersoll, and with the assistance of the ladies of the auxiliary, prepared a program of entertainment, and refreshments were in abundance. The motif was in keeping with Hallowe'en.

The second annual Business Education Institute will be held in April this year. The theme of the institute will be "Job Clinic." The Phi Beta Sigma fraternity has agreed to cooperate with the institute thus utilizing an entire week featuring schools of higher activities.

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Rural School, The Nervous System, Football Thrills of 1945, King Cotton, Symphony Orchestras, Know Your Library, Blood, The String Choir, French for Beginners, Macbeth, Chemistry in a Changing World, Heredity, The Molecular Theory of Matter, Aptitudes and Occupations, Julius Caesar, Tuberculosis, and Nature of Color.

It is thought that students should be informed about personal health, economics, industry, social and occupational competency. Aesthetic art, physical and biological understanding have been presented also. A student should be informed about all phases of life in a democracy. Because of documentary films access has been given to free judgement, opinions, and interchanging of ideas.

The phenomena of developing the expressional phases of the language, arts has been and will continue to develop in public speaking, story telling, the art of conversation, using the telephone, the interpretation of dialect and poetry. The concrete and dramatic manner in which large numbers of students take advantage of recordio training at the present give momentum to the statement that this was unheard of yesterday, it is the marvel of today, and the common place action of tomorrow.

During the Winter quarter a course will be given in Audio-Visual Education. Basic objectives and purpose of Education, various materials, operating equipment, photographic aids, and non-photographic aids, and the administration of Audio-Visual Education are some of the units that will be presented. Georgia State College students will have an opportunity to exchange ideas with the teachers of the State, visit museums, art galleries, and libraries. It is thought that this is an integral part of a general education.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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and large numbers of Negroes throughout the State of Georgia are on the increase here at Georgia State College. Each year the number of students grows larger and larger. More and more is needed to prepare students to be citizens which our state and this age require. Among the pressing needs at this time are a library, a chapel, dormitories, a student union, a bus, an athletic field house, lights for the athletic house, a central heating plant, special endowments, and a general endowment. Gifts of this kind, though material, become immortal when transplanted into the youth of our state and nation.

We have tried something new in this edition of "The Bulletin". You'll find divisional and departmental news, some "straight" news as well as feature stories. The time element is of the factors that convinced us that we should emphasize feature material. If you like what we've done . . . and then too, you don't . . . drop us a line sometime. Thanks. —Sum of fifty quarters

COLLEGE INN, CAMPUS HUB

"Meet me at the Inn!"

The College Inn, that is. Opened March 13, 1948 the Inn has become an integral part of the every day living of the Georgia State "family", and at the same time serves an important function in the informal education of the student body.

"Meet me at the Inn" is the campus by-word whether one is seeking shelter from the elements or is merely taking time out for a "Coke." It's just the sort of place that furnishes facilities and services that make it a hub for student activities of many types.

For the sake of "oletimers" the Inn is the cussessors to the Co-Ap. However, the basement of Boggs Hall housed the "Inn" when it was first opened back in '47.

Now that we're up to date . . . the present day building, though of frame construction, is modern in every respect and very attractive. However, one must confess that the newcomer to the campus is somewhat shocked by the ultra-smartness that is apparent once he's entered its revered portals.

A soda fountain that reresents the latest in fountain equipment is staffed by courteous and neatly dressed student employees. Stainless steel chairs and tables are available for those who wish to sit. On the other hand counter stools are also provided and lend that "corner drug store atmosphere."

Now back to the original objective of this story . . . College Inn . . . The Inn is a meeting and eating place for students and their friends, a "lounge" and a center of additional activities for the entire College "family."

Students stop in to relax in the corner lounge, listen to the juke box, meet their dates or just to spend those extra minutes between classes, and take that last quick glance at notes before going to class.

Currently the Inn is under the management of Mrs. Dora Martin. Along with one other person, she is the only full-time employee. Six students are also employed. This staff of eight persons is responsible for the smooth operation of the Inn.

The volume of business attests to the popularity of the Inn. One day of observation disclosed that 300 cups of coffee, and 300 cups of hot chocolate were consumed. At the same time, some five dozen donuts and between three and four dozen coffee cakes accompanied the coffee and hot chocolate on their "journey".

"Pop" is also pouplar, with the large ones being the favorite, Mrs. Martin said. Many kinds of sandwiches are available. However, the ten cent sausage sandwiches is more widely bought than any other, she added. Other types sold include hamburgers, pork chops, boiled hams, pressed ham, cheese, ham and egg, chicken, chicken salad, shimp salad cream cheese, egg salad and barbecue. They are all made fresh daily.

To accomodate those persons who wish dinners, the Inn offers as its speciality, chicken and steak . . . both being priced far below "off campus" rates (\$.50 and \$.65 respectively).

Ordinarily the Inn is open from seven a.m. to seven p.m. However, on special occasions it remains open much longer. For example, during homecoming activities it remained open for 19 hours. Between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. the Inn

is jammed daily. The hardest thing during these hours is to keep the tables cleared, according to Mrs. Martin.

Campus organizations are beginning more and more to take advantage of its facilities to hold smokers and the like. Alpha Phi Alpha and Omega Psi Phi Fraternities, the Y. M. C. A., and the Hill Hall Dormitory Council are only a few of those who have already done so.

READING CLINIC

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and ordinarily he would suggest that the student budget his time more carefully, thinking this would improve the quality of the student's work. However, on the other hand, the student might be deficient in reading, which naturally means that he would have trouble understanding his content subject matter. After she has worked with the student in the Clinic, this could be erased and the student would become a better Chemistry student.

Miss Sellers advocates giving every freshman the standardized reading test. Those found with a reading level should be referred to the Clinic individually and in groups, she says.

Poor background is the greatest factor in the low reading levels of the 61 patients now enrolled. This may be attributed to the fact that there is little or no reading in high school. Consequently, the students have no means of knowing whether they are reading below par, Miss Sellers disclosed.

Quietly, and without fanfare, the Reading Clinic is more and more becoming one of the most important education "ventures" in the entire academic program. It is one of the few in the entire Southeast.

A product of the Georgia State Reading Clinic may not be able to read and understand all the things about the economic aspects of the cold war, but can be assured that he or she has a knowledge of the various types of materials and methods desirable to promote the integration of reading in the content subjects.

The Religious Life Department consists of the official organization of the campus, whose general aims are to promote the religious growth of the student body. The organizations which are considered as officially, affiliated with the department are the College Church, Sunday School, the Usher Board, the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A.

A student who has successfully pursued English as his major subject should have some power to discriminate between that which is genuinely great and that which is least great in literature, should have an intelligent acquaintance with a fair number of English masterpieces, should have some facility, taste and understanding in expression, and should have some idea of the main trends of English and American thought.

The aim of the Department of Language and Literature is to help the student become proficient in oral and written language, and to help him develop an appreciation for good literature.

College Infirmary Ranks High

To the Georgia State College Infirmary each day come as many as 35 students. They explain their problems to the College Nurse and Physician: "I have a sore throat . . ." "I wonder if the doctor would look at my ear." "I think I've fractured my thumb."

A trained staff, consisting of one physician, one full-time nurse, and a student assistant, gives the finest of professional service to these students, many whom are away from home for the first time.

"Keeping the College community in good health is a problem of preventive and therapeutic medicine that includes personal contact with each student," says Dr. Stephen M. McDew, Jr., College Physician.

"Our program begins the moment a student first registers at Georgia State College, when he is given an appointment for a thorough physical examination. Each Freshman is required to take a complete physical. At the same time we probe the family background. In this way physical disabilities and health problems requiring special consideration are detected," Dr. McDew added. The majority of the student ailments are treated in the out-patient clinic. Here the students receive care for most of the health problems that are apt to befall a student body of 1,271, per sons.

The Infirmary is equipped to render ambulatory (able to walk about; not bedridden) and bed services to nine men and nine women students. The physical plant which was opened in 1948, is comparable to any other institution this size, Dr. McDew said.

An office for the nurse is provided along with sleeping quarters. In addition there is the doctor's office, a dispensary, (stocked with all types of drugs) treatment room, separate bathroom and shower facilities for both men and women, a diet kitchen which contains an electric stove, refrigerator, and all the necessary appliances. Light house foods such as soups, juices, broths are always kept in the kitchen.

Dr. McDew emphasizes that the Infirmary offers the finest in professional skill. Mrs. Gertrude Holmes, College Nurse, is considered one of the best. She is a graduate of Charity Hospital Training School for Nurses (in Savannah), and has also attended Simmons College in Boston. Miss Cutie Weaver, the student assistant, is a former member of the Women's Army Corps W.A.C.'s, serving in the medical branch. Dr. McDew received his undergraduate training at Georgia State, and the M. D. degree from Meharry Medical



Infirmary Staff—Miss Cutie Weaver, Student Assistant, Mrs. Gertrude Holmes, R. N., and Dr. S. M. McDew, Jr.

College. He is recognized as one of Savannah's top surgeons and physicians.

The facilities of Charity Hospital are available to the College staff. To quote Dr. McDew, "Charity Hospital works especially close with us. For example, our students receive a reduction of 20% of hospitalization fees. Consequently, cases that the Clinic is unable to handle are referred to Charity where they are taken over by "specialists." "These specialists are always available to render services to the College family," Dr. McDew stated. However, anxious parents may be assured that they will be notified if their daughter or son is ill enough to require hospitalization of several days duration.

Do students make use of the Health Service? Statistics made available (Oct. 48—Oct. 49) disclose the following:

Freshman physicals for 1949; Boys 102, Girls 119; students treated; Boys 176; Revisits, 247; Girls Treated, 196; and revisits 486; Secondly, Persons admitted: Boys 31, Girls 46; Major operations 6; Minor operations 8.

During the Winter one gallon of cough syrup is consumed every ten days and one hundred influenza or "flu" capsules are consumed every three weeks.

The efficiency of the clinic is attested by the fact that a student requiring an appendectomy is only out of school ten days, and this includes the weekend. The efficiency is further widened by an unusual case that occurred two years ago. Ten days prior to Commencement exercises, Dr. McDew removed three feet of intestine from a student; however, on Baccalaureate Sunday she wore her academic gown.

Because of the implicit faith in him, Dr. McDew is the campus "Dr. Christian." Many students take to him their personal problems and as yet he has never been too busy to take the time to discuss and help them to reach a solution.

A small fee of \$3.00 . . . is included

in every student's bill to take care of the health service. (Contrast this with professional rates which average \$2.50 per visit.) On the other hand, the Georgia State Medical College student is assured of skilled medical advice whenever he needs it.

President Payne Named Consultant

W. K. Payne, Acting President of Georgia State College, was selected as Chief Consultant for the 12th annual Georgia Principals' Conference held at Albany, Friday and Saturday, November 18th and 19th. He was chosen for the position by Robert Cousins, Director of the Negro Division, State Department of Education.

Said by many to be the best such conference ever to be held in the State, the meeting ended by President Payne's giving a summary and evaluation of the accomplishments of the various work groups at the two-day Negro Principals' Conference.

Other consultants from Georgia State College included Timothy Meyers, registrar; Dr. Alma Stegall, head of the Department of Education; Miss Muriel King, Supervisor of Secondary Education; Leo Ballard, Principal of Powell Laboratory School, the Rev. R. M. Roberts, Assistant Chaplain; and Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations.

President Payne and Mr. Scott, while at the conference, addressed a special meeting of the Georgia State College Southwest Alumni Chapter at Albany. A. Z. Taylor, G. S. C. Itinerant Teacher-Trainer, Industrial Education and Scott spoke at a meeting of the Georgia Inter-Scholastic Association, which met in conjunction with the Principals.

The theme of the conference was "The Principal in Curriculum Development."

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Dr. George W. Gore, Jr. To Deliver Commencement Address June 7

Dr. George W. Gore, Jr., newly-elected President of Florida A & M College will deliver the Commencement address Wednesday, June 7. He succeeds Dr. William H. Gray who resigned as President of Florida A & M College last year.

A native of Nashville Tennessee, Dr. Gore has been Dean of A & I College for 23 years. A graduate of DePauw University Indiana, he holds the Ed. M. degree from Harvard University and the Ph. D. degree from Columbia University.



While an undergraduate, Dr. Gore was a Rector scholar for three years and graduated cum laude. Later he received a Rosenwald Fellowship and two General Education Board Fellowships for graduate study. At one time, he was secretary in Marion, Indiana.

The first Negro to be elected delegate to the National Education Association from a Southern State, he has been a member of the Tennessee delgation for five years. Dr. Gore has for many years been secretary of th Tennessee State Teachers Association and is now president-elect of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. A member of the American Council on Education, and member of the Joint ATT and NEA committee, he is past president of the National Association of Collegiate Deans and Registrars in Negro Schools.

Rev. J. S. Bryan Baccalaureate Speaker Sunday, June 4

An alumnus of Savannah State College, the Rev. John S. Bryan, pastor, St. Phillip A. M. E. Church, Savannah, will be the Baccalaureate speaker Sunday, June 4. He graduated in the Class of '27.

Rev. Bryan received his A. B. degree at Savannah State College, his D. D., Turner Theological Seminary (1930), and an additional D. D., Morris Brown College, (1937).

He has attended Hartford University, Hartford, Connecticut; Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Georgia and received a B. D. at Morris Brown College.

Rev. Bryan has served as pastor of the following churches; Wesley Church of Savannah; St. Paul of Macon, Georgia; Cosmopolitan Church of Atlanta, and St. John of Columbus, Georgia. He is connected with the General Committee of the A. M. E. Churches, and a trustee of Morris Brown College.

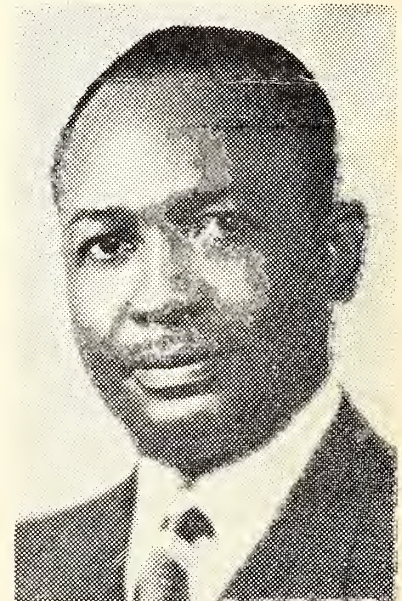
Dr. Bryan is a candidate for Bishop in 1952 and has been endorsed by the Connectional Council of the A. M. E. Church.



Board of Regents Appoint Popular Head March 1; Move Lauded

William Kenneth Payne, 46, well-known administrator, and educator, is the new President of Savannah (Georgia) State College.

His appointment Wednesday, March 1, by the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia was announced by Chancellor Harmond W. Caldwell following a meeting of the Board. President Payne was named to the acting



presidency of the College last September following the resignation of James A. Colston.

Some 1,200 students, faculty and staff members learned of his elevation during a special assembly at which time Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations revealed that the popular leader had been unanimously elected. He is the fifth president of the institution which was founded in 1891.

Miss Janie L. Lester, Dean of Women, one of the oldest members of the staff in point of continued service, was one of the individuals to appear on the assembly program. She said of the President, "I've known him (President Payne) a long time... and I know that he is the man to make Savannah State College the type of college it should be."

Emerson Ragsdale, President of the Student Council, representing the stu-

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Plans Set For Alumni Reception

Letter From President Bacon Of General Alumni Association

Dear Alumnus:

As we approach the close of another year, I would like to express my gratitude to everyone who supported the Alumni Association this year, in any way.

There has never been any time in the history of the College when the support of the Alumni is needed more than now, morally as well as financially. Therefore, may I urge you to support the Alumni Association by attending the meetings and helping to build the kind of organization you desire. The College is still our school, regardless to the number of changes it undergoes, and we cannot do too much about stabilizing the things we like about our Alma Mater unless we develop a well organized Association. This makes it imperative for us to unite and begin working for the good of the College and its family. Let us make this Commencement Season the greatest in the history of the College by encouraging all graduates and friends to attend all the programs, especially Alumni meetings.

I am sure that each one of you will join me in expressing our appreciation to President Payne and his staff for dedicating this issue of the College Bulletin to us.

The support of every loyal alumnus is needed to build the kind of Association we would like to see. Let us start a revival of our school spirit for a stronger Alumni.

Sincerely,
A. S. Bacon, President
General Alumni Association

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dents, expressed the feelings of that group by saying that they stood behind him 100 per cent in his program. W. B. Nelson, Director, Division of Trades and Industries, spoke for the faculty.

"The College will continue to grow . . . I sincerely appreciate the efforts of everyone . . . and I'm sure that we all have the concern of the institution at heart and will do everything possible to see that it progresses in the right direction . . ." declared the newly-elected president in his initial speech.

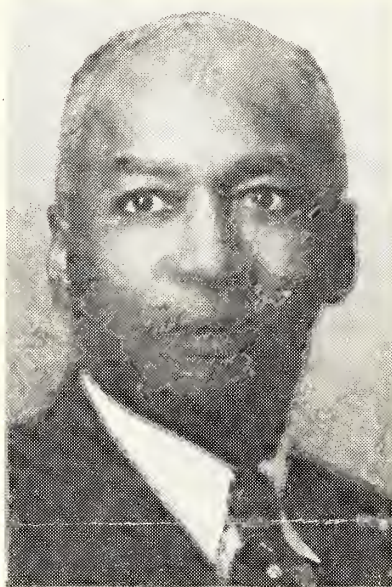
President Payne is a graduate of Morehouse College (A.B.), and Columbia University (M.A.), and has done advanced study at the Universities of Minnesota, and Chicago. He is regarded as one of the top men in the field of administrative finance.

The Chief Executive has long been active in local civic and religious activities as well as in national and state educational circles.

Summer School opens June 12th. First session ends July 15, second session begins July 17th and closes August 19th. For additional information write Office of the Registrar, Savannah State College, Savannah, Georgia.

Dr. J. H. Griffin Principal Speaker

Dr. Joseph Howard Griffin, Class of 1911, will be the principal speaker at the Alumni Reception Tuesday evening, June 6, in Adams Hall. His address will highlight a week of commencement activities which will mark the reunion of the (1900—1910—1920—1930—1940) classes.



The Savannah State alumnus, valedictorian of his class, also won this same honor at Meharry Medical College where he received the M. D. degree in 1915. He has done post-graduate study at Cook County Hospital, Chicago (1928), Emory University (Summers of 1931, 32, and '33), and at the University of Pennsylvania (Summer of 1948).

Dr. Griffin founded Johnson Memorial Hospital in 1935 where he is senior surgeon, as well as owner of Griffin Hospital and Clinic, Bainbridge. He performed his 8,000th major operation June 15, 1949. He plans opening the New Memorial Hospital June 1.

He is a member of the following organizations:

John A. Andrew Clinical Society, (Former President), Florida A. and M. Clinical Society, (Co-Founder and former President), South-Eastern Medical Society, (Founder), Georgia State Medical Association, and National Medical Association.

The program for the evening follows:

Instrumental solo, Hilliary R. Hatchett, Acting Chairman, Fine Arts Department; Introduction of President W. K. Payne, Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations; Welcome address, President Payne; Response, A. S. Bacon, President, General Alumni Association; Solo, Dorothy Gambrell, Class '50; Introduction of main speaker, Alexander Hurse; address, Dr. Griffin; Greetings, chapter presidents and/or representatives; annual Alumni meeting and election of officers, Meldrim Auditorium, 8 p. m. L. D. Law will serve as toastmaster at the reception.

"Zero" Graduates To Hold Spotlight

The following names are listed as they appeared on the commencement programs. For the past two years the staff in the Office of the Registrar has been "pulling together" unassembled details of former students and graduates.—Editor.

Class of 1900 (High School Department) W. H. Bryan, Ethel W. Jackson, Florence A. Ester, Samuel A. Grant, J. W. Haigler, E. W. Houston, Etta Judkins, A. J. Shootes, Mamie L. Duckett, and E. A. Overstreet.

Class of 1910 (High School Department) J. T. Brown, M. Rebecca Brown, J. S. Frazier, N. B. Hester, Gertrude Holmes, Jennie L. McIntosh, Elizabeth Radford, M. L. D. Spears, Frank B. Stoney, and Essie Thorpe.

Class of 1920 (High School Department) Alfred A. Alston, Ralph Baisden, Nathaniel H. Collier, Amanda M. Curley Jefferson H. Edwards, Clyneta C. Ford, Laura Mae Ford, Wm. R. Jackson, Leon E. Josey, Luther Ison, S. L. Lester, Mazella R. Moultrie, Carrie L. Pope, Samuel Mansfield, Deneffield Player, Julia Robinson, Fredrick B. Reeves, Clarence R. Sampson, Herbert L. Tomlinson, and Mildred E. Whigham.

Class of 1920 (College Department) Jessica L. Arline, Nixon D. Bryant, and Moses D. Haynes.

Classes of 1930 (Senior College) George Henry Cannon, Arthur C. Carter, Albert Cutter, James B. Stevens, Jr., Elsie Juanita Adams, Ola Beatrice Bass, Dorothy Marie Davis, Amanda Bell Dinkins, Nianza Dorothy Freeman, Jeannette Permelia Caston, Lennie Magnolia Gordon, Geneva Earle Hamilton, Janie Louise Greene, Cecilia Anita Hazard, Margaret Hutchinson, Flossie Gertrude Livingston, Grace Mae Moon, Fannie Cleveland Moore, Theresa Victoria Murray, Wilbert Wilkins Smith, Nancy Victoria Thomas and Sidney Elizabeth Woodruff.

(Senior High School) Camille Gwendolyn Barnes, Laura Mae Barrett, Frank Battle, Doris Belcher, Herschel Bell, Robert Armintha Bryan, Elizabeth Cook, James Henry Flemister, Mildred Cecile Grant, Alma Eleanor Louise Hughes, Samuel S. Kelson, Mary Tallulah King, Dorothy Roumanier Lawson, Martha Anita Manes, Willie Eleana Meyers, Hallie Quinn McGahee, Theodore Phorston McClean, Eleanor Josephine Mosley, Mabel Marie Perry, Willie Clyde Ponder, Nobel Porter, Rynalder Dean Rambeau, Martha Lovenia Readdy, Marguerite Hortense Sanders, Matthew Sloan, Alonzo Smith, Florine Albertina Solomon, Eunice Marika Walker, Rosalie Clementina Whitfield, and Leah Lucinia Woods.

(Class of 1940) John Louis Davis, Wesley Barthelmew Hudson, Ernest Gatson, James Wesley Graham, Walter Thomas Pace, Walter Rambeau, Shelley Rambeau Hazel Walker, Mary Alice Jenkins, Florine Able, Christopher Brown, Fannie DeVeaux, Alice Haven, Roger Bernard Jones, Canzadie Keith, Vension Oliphant, Janie Sibert, Annie Mae Washington, Pearl Williams, Elsie Adams, Walter Boles, Lenora Durham, Dorothy Hubert, Mary Manes, Benjamin Ralph Singleton, Sopherine Barnett, Dannie Dennson, Arie

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College Changes Name Second Time Since 1891; Regents Make Move

For the second time since its founding in 1892, the name of the College has been changed.

Savannah State College, established by an act of the Georgia legislature in 1890 as "The Georgia State Industrial College for Colored Youths," had this name changed to "Georgia State College" in 1931, and was renamed "Savannah State College" on January 18, 1950 by the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.

President W. K. Payne, who announced the change in name at a press conference also disclosed that several changes were made in curriculum offerings. He added that both changes were made by the Board following a recent survey of the University System by a committee of outstanding educators.

While neither President Payne nor the Board has given any specific reason for the change in name, it is felt that this was done to eliminate any possible confusion of the local college with other colleges in the system. Savannah State was established originally, and still is as one of the schools of the system which is comprised of 18 units, many having the name "Georgia State" connected with them in some manner. The two other Negro state colleges, Albany and Fort Valley, are named for the towns within which they are located. The change has brought mixed reaction, both on the campus and in nearby areas.

"The college (Savannah State) will continue most of the things that it has been doing for the past 20 years. While it will still provide work in the arts and sciences on the bachelor level, it will center its chief efforts on the industrial and business fields.

"New areas for expansion will be in the graphic and plastic arts, home economics from the commercial and industrial aspects, elementary education, and secondary education 'as soon as' adequate facilities are provided for apprentice teaching." President Payne said.

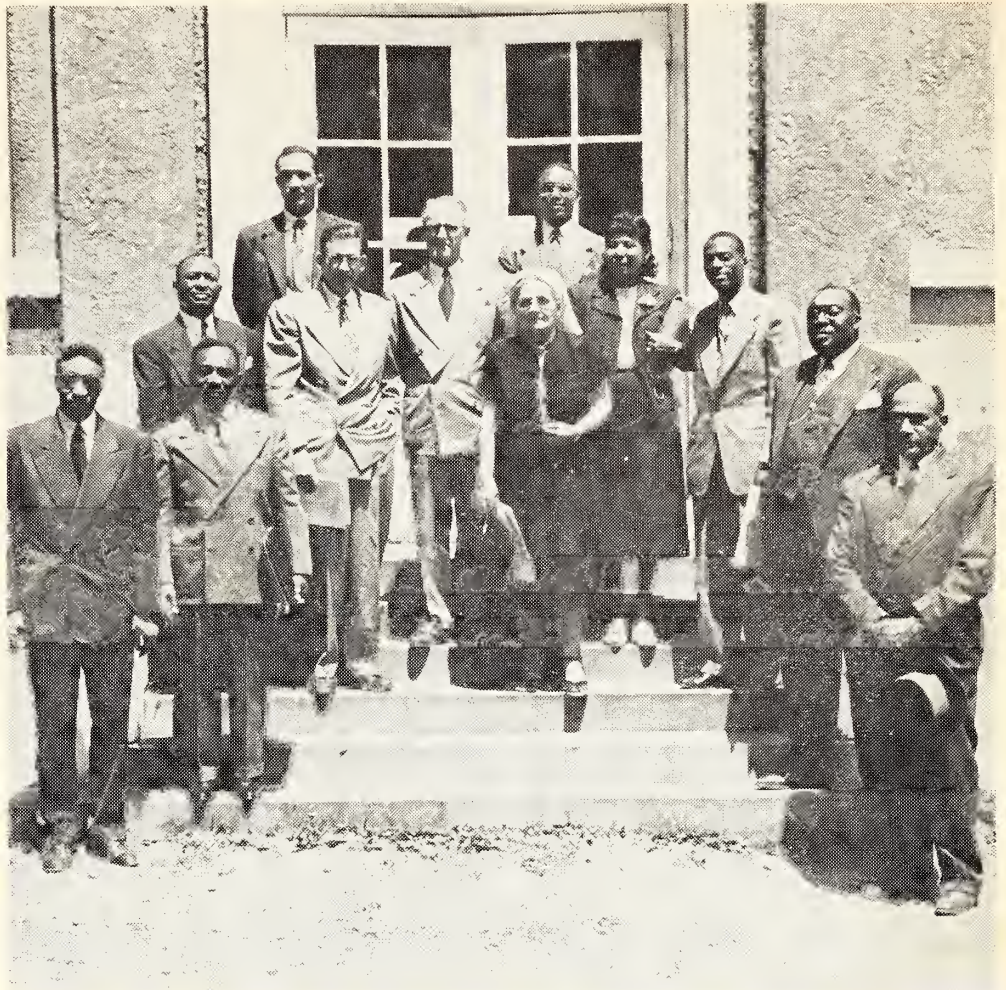
It is expected that the academic changes will be brought up to recommended standards by the survey committee within the next few months, Mr. Payne added. In his opinion, the new things will afford increased opportunities for the College to expand, and, at the same time, be of more use to the youth and citizens of this state.

President Payne Gave Finals Speech

President W. K. Payne delivered four commencement addresses during the week of May 22 in Georgia and Alabama.

The Chief Executive spoke at Alabama State College Monday, the 22. It was here that his illustrious career as an educator began. President Payne served as instructor and later as principal of the high school.

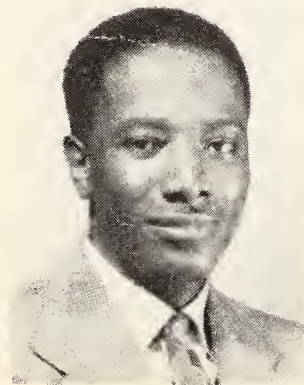
He delivered the address at the State Branch of the School in Mobile, Tuesday, the 23rd. Thursday and Friday, May 25th and 26th respectively, he spoke at Mitchell County Training School, Pelham, and Wayne County Training School, Jesup.



Some of the individuals who participated in the first regional Leadership Conference held at the College are shown in the above picture. They are: (left to right) Maurice S. Stokes, Director Audio-Visual Aids Laboratory, J. Randolph Fisher, Acting Chairman, Department of English; President W. K. Payne, Savannah State College; John Lawton, Statesboro; William Fielder, Managing Editor, Savannah Morning News; E. A. Lowe, Director, Division of General Extension, Miss Emily Woodward, Director of Forums, University System of Georgia; Mrs. Mary Hall, Jeanes Supervisor, Bryan and Evans Counties; Rev. Richard Roberts, Savannah State (Class of '50); John Q. Jefferson, Savannah; and Wesley Meyers, Brunswick.

Wilton C. Scott Gets Top Education Post

Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations, Savannah State College has been named editor of the Winter Newsletter, quarterly publication for the Southeastern Regional Conference for the American Association for Adult Education. He



was elected at the three-day confab held at the University of Virginia at Charlottesville which adjourned recently.

In addition to being elected to the editorial post, Mr. Scott was also named to the conference publications committee. The following states were represented;

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Rev. J. W. Maxwell Visits Savannah State

The Rev. J. W. Maxwell, Class of '96 was in the office of Public Relations recently for a short visit. He was accompanied by the Rev. John S. Bryan, Class of '27 and the Baccalaureate speaker.

Rev. Maxwell is currently Presiding Elder of the Brunswick District of the A. M. E. Church. He has been and still is one of the strongest supporters of the College. The well-known minister was a classmate of Bishop R. R. Wright who delivered the Baccalaureate address last June.



SSC Alumni, Former Stu



Thinking the Annual Georgia-Teacher Association a good place to find Savannah State Alumni, Editor C. J. Smith grabbed his Speed Graphic and Medalist cameras and headed for Macon. What he got is found on this and the adjacent page. Without too much difficulty we are sure you will find some one you know, then too, more than likely if you were there, you will find yourself also. The division of pictures on the next page is as follows: (1) elementary school teachers, (2) high school teachers, (3) Savannah State Alumni in attendance, and (4) home economics and agriculture teachers.

nts Attend GETA Meet



College Initiates Recruitment Drive

President W. K. Payne Enlists Aid of Alumni

Without students there would be no need for colleges. However, not just students are desired by Savannah State College, but good students. Consequently a concentrated drive to secure students of high caliber is currently underway at the College.

President W. K. Payne and Public Relations Director Wilton C. Scott have enlisted the aid of certain Alumni in various communities to carry out this program.

The following form letter was mailed out by the President:

My dear Alumnus:

Savannah State College is interested in securing some of the best students of our state as members of our student body.

It is our opinion here that the men and women who know Savannah State College best are able to assist the College in recruiting such students. Your record and standing in your community place you in position to be a valuable representative of the College on the field.

I know that in most communities there are several individuals who might be helpful in this recruitment. I would like for you to utilize all of the interested persons in your community in the recruitment of desirable students for the Savannah State College.

I am requesting all of the designated representatives who attend the Georgia Teachers and Education Association at Macon next week-end to hold a conference at the Ballard-Hudson High School. The hour and room will be announced during the first day of the meeting.

If you cannot be present for that meeting, please write your willingness to be such representative for the College. At that meeting more detailed plans will be drawn for the recruitment program. However, it will not be necessary for you to wait to begin your work as a representative of the College if it is agreeable with you.—

I wish to thank you for your demonstrated interest in the Savannah State College and express my wish for your continued co-operation.

Below are the names of some prominent Alumni who have been asked to help recruit students to Savannah State College.

Mr. Josie B. Sessoms, 740 West 45th Street, Savannah; Charles DuVaul, Spencer High School, Columbus; Mrs. Ollie Ruth Jackson 105 Dubose Street, Macon; Otis Watson, 476 Flint Avenue, Albany; Charles Ogletree, Inner Boulevard, Thomasville; Miss Loretha Gilmore, Jeanes Supervisor, 704 West Magnolia Street, Valdosta; Mrs. Ernestine Holle, 116 Hamilton Street, LaGrange; R. C. Blakeney, Principal, Waynesboro High School, Waynesboro; General Stone, County Agent, Swainsboro; Walter J. Boles, 380 Andrew Street, Cuthbert; James Edward McCoy, 103 Cooper Street, Pelham; Mrs. Julia Mae Cooper Harris, 1306 S. Washington Street, Quitman; Mrs. Mary C. Catching, Home Demonstration Agent, Camilla; Henry T. Jones, South Jefferson Street, Dublin; Ellie R. Gay, County Agent, Millen; Richard

Chisholm, Statesboro High & Ind. School, Statesboro; E. B. Cooper, Liberty County Training School, Riceboro; Mrs. Louise D. Edwards, Log Cabin Center, Mayfield; James Smith, 243, Lawrence Street, Cuthbert; Charles Julian, Brooks Co. Training School, Quitman.

Miss Bernice Williams, P. O. Box 452, Wrens; Mrs. F. M. Staley, E. Forsyth Street, Americus; Mrs. Eula P. Williams, 310 Hayes Street, Douglas; Mrs. Louise Butler Jackson, 502 10th Avenue West, Cordele; Thomas Blount, 301 N. Lee Street, Americus; Miss Dorothy F. Jones, 408 5th Avenue, N. W., Moultrie; Miss Mary Ellen Jones, 221 Newman Street, Sandersville, and J. Copeland, Principal, Colored High School, Boston, Georgia.

Augustus Hill Gets Top Rural Housing Post

Augustus Hill, class of '37 was recently appointed State Agent in Rural Housing. His appointment was announced by P. H. Stone, State Agent for Negro Work, Georgia Agricultural Extension Service.



The new appointee, who is a native of Telfair County, comes to his assignment with a fine background of training and experience, having worked with his father, who was an outstanding builder in McRae. He is an excellent builder and planner, and has served as a high school principal and teacher of vocational agriculture. During the operation of the N. Y. A. project at Albany, Georgia, he was director and also supervised the construction of the various project units.

In 1942, he left this assignment to accept the position in Grady County as Negro County Agent, and, in 1945, he was appointed as Assistant Negro State 4-H Club Agent. While serving in this capacity, he was given a summer's leave to study methods and trends in rural housing and has, since then, in addition to his other duties, supervised the developments at the State 4-H Club Camp at Dublin.

After Mr. Hill's return from his study of rural housing, he directed a State-wide housing school which was held under the auspices of the Georgia Agricultural Extension Service. Community leaders were brought in from the various counties and given instructions in the fundamentals of simple construction required in repairing, or building simple farm homes. Reports from all of the trainees have shown that splendid results have been obtained from their training received at the school.

John Warrick, Graduate, Masonry Instructor Passes

The peace and quiet of this College community was shaken by the death of John Harrison Warrick, Assistant Technician of Masonry on April 5. The Savannah State Alumnus died as a result



of injuries sustained in an automobile accident while enroute to work the morning of March 28.

Final rites were held in the College's Meldrim Auditorium Saturday afternoon, April 8. The spacious college chapel was bedecked with flowers. Remarks were made by President W. K. Payne, William Nelson, Alexander Hurse, John Q. Adams, Rev. J. H. Bryant, L. L. Law, and David Johnson. The invocation was given by the Rev. Andrew J. Hargrett. Music was furnished by the College choir, the College Park Baptist Church Choir, and Robert C. Long.

Mr. Warrick was born in Baxley, Georgia. He came to Savannah as a lad and entered what was then known as Georgia State Industrial College with the late Major R. R. Wright as president. There he remained until the outbreak of World War I when he was called to the service of his country. He was then in the graduating class. His diploma was presented by proxy to his father, the late Reverend Allen Warrick. After the war he returned to the college to serve as head of the Department of Masonry, succeeding the late L. B. Thompson, who resigned to enter the wrecking and construction business in Philadelphia. Here he served efficiently and faithfully almost continuously until his death.

Just as he sought education, he also sought spiritual guidance, and soon after arrival he became affiliated with College Park Baptist Church.

He was one of the organizers of Vance Allison Post, V. F. W. and served as one of the members of the Trustee Board and chaplain.

He never severed his connection with New Jersey Baptist Church, Baxley, and would make periodic trips to Baxley to participate in its activities. He also served Beth Eden Baptist Church where he was considered almost the same as an active member.

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Alumni Activities Report Compiled, Released By Office of Public Relations

The following report on Alumni activities was compiled under the supervision of Wilton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations. Its purpose is to acquaint you with what Savannah State College's former students and alumni are doing. However, it is by no means conclusive, and any additional information received will be highly appreciated.—Editor.

The report follows: Chatham County teachers, 180; Georgia teachers excluding Savannah, 515; outside of Georgia, 20; Jeanes Teachers, 28; county agents, 25; vocational agriculture and veteran farm instructors, 94; State Agriculture Extension Agents, 3; home demonstration agents, 3; and home economic teachers, 20



These four charming personalities (left to right) Misses Doris Harris, Leona Carter, Sarah Derrick, and Opie Marcus, are employed here at the College. Each of them finished in the class of 49.

We have alumni working at the following colleges:

Savannah State College, Southern University, Florida Normal and Industrial College, Prairie View College, Bethune Cookman College, Jackson College, Albany State College, Fort Valley State College, A & T College, and West Virginia State College.

In various businesses we find the following:

Business proprietors, 44: (radio shops, shoe shops, grocers, morticians, etc); Physicians dentists, and surgeons, 14; Nurses 8; office workers other than colleges, 21; clergymen, 15; college president, 1; college dean, 1; army officers, (Majors, captains, and lieutenants) World War II, seven; school principals, 68; American Legion District Officers, 20; skilled occupations, 40 (carpenters, brickmasons, etc.); miscellaneous, 250 (cleaners, pressers, etc.) social workers, 8; Federal government, 27; factories and plants, 41.

This information is based on facts secured from alumni, state agencies, etc.

Some of Savannah State College's most outstanding graduates follow:

Dr. Julian W. Ross, M. D., 619 Florida Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C. Grant H. Davis, carpenter and builder, 2241 E. 93rd St., Cleveland 6 Ohio; Dr. L. C. Youngblood 2587 East 55th Street, Cleveland, Ohio; Dr. J. W. Griffin, founder and owner, Memorial Hospital, Bainbridge, Georgia; Dr. David I. Griffin, Jackson Street, Thomasville, Georgia; B. J. James grocer, Thunderbolt, Georgia; John McGlockton, solicitor of 5,000 Negro votes

Southwest Alumni Group



Representatives of Southwest Savannah Alumni Association—Seated (left to right) are: Mrs. Birnell Rivers, Odest J. Watson, President; and Mrs. Helen Mayes, Corresponding Secretary. Standing (left to right) are: Mrs. L. O. Hall, Howard Seay, Mrs. Catherine Cooper, and Nathaniel Mayes (future Statite.)

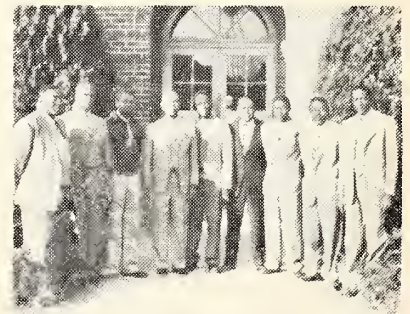
and grocer, Savannah; Oliver T. Strong, funeral director, grocery and cafe owner, Moultrie, Georgia, and Dr. R. R. Wright, Jr., Bishop, Bethel A. M. E. Church, Atlanta.

Rev. J. S. Bryan, outstanding clergyman and candidate for A. M. E. Bishop, Savannah, Georgia; Dr. Robert Pugh, President, Florida N & I College and former Dean of Religion there, St. Augustine, Florida; Homer Edwards, Supervising Principal, Athens Public Schools, President, Georgia Teachers & Educational Association, Athens, Georgia; Charles DuVaul, Supervising Principal, Columbus Public Schools—Treasurer, Georgia Teachers & Educational Association, Columbus, Georgia, and A. S. Bacon, Assistant State Agent for Negroes, Savannah State College.

Leonard Law, Assistant Personnel Officer of Union Bag & Paper Co., Largest paper mill in the world, Savannah; Mrs. Alene Heacock, owner of three New York apartments, 145 Gate Avenue, Brooklyn, New York; Dr. S. M. McDew, Jr., President, South Atlantic Medical Association and noted Savannah physician; Dr. N. H. Collier, noted Savannah Dentist; Dr. Henry Collier, Sr., owner of Savannah X-ray Clinic, Savannah; Dr. L. W. Williams, 415 Church Street, Valdosta; Dr. W. H. Stafford, 116½ N. Ashley Street, Savannah; E. B. Stevens, funeral director in Quitman and Valdosta, 215 E. Broad Street, Quitman, and O. W. Bryant, District Manager, Atlanta Life Insurance Company, Valdosta.

Edgar Law, District Manager, Atlanta Life Insurance Company, Savannah; Carl Lawrence, public relations consultant for advertising syndicate and candidate for city council and for correspondent for New York Amsterdam News, 10 West 138th Street, Apt. 10D, New York, New York; Miss Dorothy Lampkin, supervisor of local vocational school and recipient of State homemaking award, Savannah; Al-

exander Hurse, Negro State Club Agent, Savannah State College Branch; Augustus Hill, State Rural Housing Agent, Savannah; T. C. Meyers, Registrar, Savannah State College, and John L. Roberson, optical lens technician, Gayner and Firestone Optical Lens Company, Detroit, Michigan.



In Vidalia recently, a representative of the Office of Public Relations staff photographed the following Savannah State Alumni: (left to right) C. D. Jackson, T. R. Maxwell, Douglas Holmes, W. J. Bryant, G. H. McCord, W. O. Horne, W. P. Forest, R. E. Ellison, and W. C. Scott, Director of Public Relations.

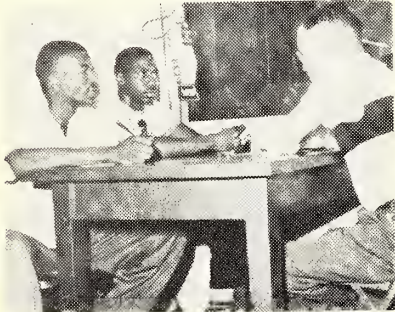
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Florida, Tennessee, South Carolina, Mississippi, Alabama, North Carolina, and Virginia. Mr. Scott attended the meet after being invited to serve as a group leader. As director of Public Relations, Mr. Scott co-ordinates all phases of the College public relations program and serves as a personal representative of the President in College community relations, alumni and public affairs. He is assisted by Charles "Chuck" Smith and Miss Leona Carter.

'50 Track Team Rated South's Tops

A look at the 1950 track record of the Savannah State College "Flying Tigers" discloses that they were undefeated by a team east of the Mississippi—This makes them "THE NUMBER ONE TEAM IN THE SOUTHEAST."

In Montgomery, Alabama on April 15 a five-man squad consisting of C. P. Harris, Enoch Roberts, Joe Turner, Frank "Breadtruck" Johnson, and Frank Prince scored 25 points with one additional point being made in the shotput by Kenneth Hawkins.



Frank Prince (left) and Curtis Harris were interviewed over radio station WFRP following the return of the track team's return from the Drake Relays. Here they are shown with Dick McLaughlin, sports director.

This is how they scored those points—successfully defended their sprint-medley title (Johnson, Turner, Roberts, Prince), time 3:34; won the mile relay (Turner, Roberts, Roberts, Harris, Prince), time 3:24.4; won the mile run (Prince), time 4:43; Won the half-mile (Prince, Johnson, third) time, 2:3, and second in the 440 (Turner).

At the Tuskegee Relays the two-mile relay team finished second behind Texas College, and third in the mile as Tilston College and Texas College beat them to the tape.

John Warrick, Graduate

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His quiet manner, his desire to serve, and his love for people endeared him to all with whom he came in contact. The beauty and solemnity of his funeral were compatible with his private and public life.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Esther S. Warrick, one son, John Warrick, One daughter Jean Elizabeth Warrick, one sister, Birdie W. Stewart, two brothers, Samuel W. Warrick, Baxley and Ronald M. Warrick, Fort Pierce, Florida, and a large number of nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.

Honorary Pallbearers were President W. K. Payne, Mr. William B. Nelson, Mr. Alexander Hulse, Mr. Arthur Dwight Mr. Wilton C. Scott, Mr. L. L. Law, Mr. C. O. Ryals, Dr. M. P. Sessoms, and Dr. S. M. McDew, Jr.

Active Pallbearers were Mr. B. J. James, Mr. James Butler, Jr., Mr. James J. Edwards, Mr. S. L. Lester, Mr. E. J. Simmons, and Mr. James Ferguson.

When better cars are built, the back-seat driver will be enclosed in a sound-proof case.

SCHOLARSHIP CONTRIBUTORS

Names of contributors to the 1949-50 Alumni Scholarship Fund as released by General Alumni President A. S. Bacon follow: Amount Contributed: A. S. Bacon, 5.00; T. R. Maxwell (Vidalia Chapter) 18.00; Alexander Hulse, 5.00; Savannah State College Chapter, 158.50; Miss Annie M. Sams, 5.00; Wesley Myers, 5.00; Mrs. Hattie Reese, 5.00; Grant H. Davis, 5.00; Joe Martin, 3.00; Timothy C. Myers, 5.00; Calvin Pressley, 2.00; B. J. James, 15.00; J. C. Sanders, 5.00; James Luten, 5.00; Mrs. Rosemary Harrell, 3.00; George M. Robeson, 15.00; W. D. Carnegie, 3.00; John Camper (N. Y. Fund), 10.00; Miss Annie M. Daniel, 1.00; Miss Ruby King, 5.00; Miss Mary Rushia, 1.00; Alonza Ninons, 2.00; A. W. Moss, 1.00; Mrs. Elizabeth Gaston, 2.00; Mrs. L. L. Austin, 1.00; Mrs. Mamie Harrell, 1.00; Mrs. Sarah W. Mollette, 3.00; Tatnall County, 5.00; Mrs. Roselie B. Gamble, 3.00; Miss A. Walker, 5.00; Mrs. Eloise Pinkney, 1.00; Mrs. Viola Holbrooks, 5.00; Mrs. R. E. Baisden, 3.00; Frank Tharpe, 15.00; Mrs. Lucile Harris, 1.00; J. B. Stevens, 10.00; Mrs. Eloise Pinkney Jones, 1.00; Mrs. L. Orene Hall, 5.00; Mrs. Viola C. Daniels, 3.00; J. C. Few, 1.00; Mrs. Frankye Roberson Mosely, 2.00; Mrs. Parmela Taylor, .50; Mrs. Eunice J. Brown, 5.00; Mrs. Helen Mayes, 5.00; Miss Thelma Walker (for Alumni members attending AU), 5.00; R. P. Pinckney, 10.00; Mrs. Rhina Miller, 5.00; Mrs. M. G. Seabrook, 5.00; J. S. Delaware, 5.00; Mr. & Mrs. I. M. Jackson, 10.00; Mrs. Melandia Smith, 5.00; James M. Washington, 5.00; C. A. Edwards, 2.00; C. A. Wiggins, 5.00; Mrs. M. W. Law, 5.00; L. D. Law, 10.00; Rollins Bacon, 2.00; Fred Owens, 1.00; A. C. Carter, 2.00; F. D. Tharpe, 10.00; Mrs. Beatrice Gisenaner, 10.00; Miss Jessie Dunn, 2.00; Mrs. E. Hall, 6.00; Walter Horne, 5.00; Raymond Head, 5.00; Ernest S. Spikes, 2.50; Odest Watson, 5.00; Total \$482.50. *The names of members of the "Nine" classes and their contribution was not available at press time.

The following students received scholarship aid; Edgar Worlds, Jr., Beach, Savannah; Frank Johnson, Hudson, Macon; Robert Slocum, Spencer, Columbus; Willie Johnson, Hutto, Bainbridge; Willie C. Hardwick, Moultrie, Moultrie; Ulysses McDowell, Center, Waycross; Wade Travers, Center, Waycross; and Willie Patterson, Wayne, Jesup.

Mrs. Lampkin Receives Home Making Award

The New Homemakers of America holding their annual meeting at Fort Valley Georgia, where more than 600 girls and advisors were in session, recently paid signal honor to Mrs. Dorothy R. Lampkin (Savannah State graduate), homemaking teacher in the Savannah School system and advisor of the Senior Chapter of N. H. A. at Beach High School where she received the national emblem, a gold pin. The award was made at Fort Valley College.

Each year three individuals are named by the Executive Council for Honorary Degrees. Those individuals whose work towards improving youth in educational, religious and cultural activities has been outstanding based upon the objectives of the New Homemakers receive the coveted honor.

Mrs. Dorothy R. Lampkin will be one of the 15 advisors representing the State at the national convention which convenes at Southern University, Baton Rouge, La. in the near future.

"Zero" Graduates

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Gilbert, Ella Hardwick, Eunice Marguerite Leake, Mary Smith, Gaynell Willoughby Mattie Boles, Alethea Bailey, Carrie Cole, Madeline Hannar, Susie Joseph, Samuel Byrd, Jammie Lee McDonald, Arthur H. Richardson, Peter James Smalls, Ernest Williams, Carrie Akery Wright, and Mable Perry.

*Represents students who received Normal Diplomas

TIGERS TAKE S. E. A. C. TRACK, FIELD TITLE

Savannah State College's Flying Tigers completely outclassed the three-team field here Saturday, May 20 as they rolled up 76 points to win the second annual South-eastern Athletic Conference track and field championship on a wet and soggy track during intermittent showers.

Clafin College, Orangeburg, S. C., followed the local squad in rolling up 40 points to place second with Albany State being held to eight, and third place. Last year at the inaugural meet, host Clafin finished behind Savannah, as they were the only S. E. A. C. schools to participate.

Prince Impressive In Kansas Relays

Savannah State's Frank "The Rocket" Prince added more glory to the name of the school as he finished third in the invitational Glenn Cunningham mile at the Kansas relays April 22.

He finished behind Don Gehrman, recognized as America's top collegiate miler, and Monte Javez. Invitations were originally extended only to the top five collegiate milers in America.

Sanders Golphin, Class of '48, is currently managing the College Inn.

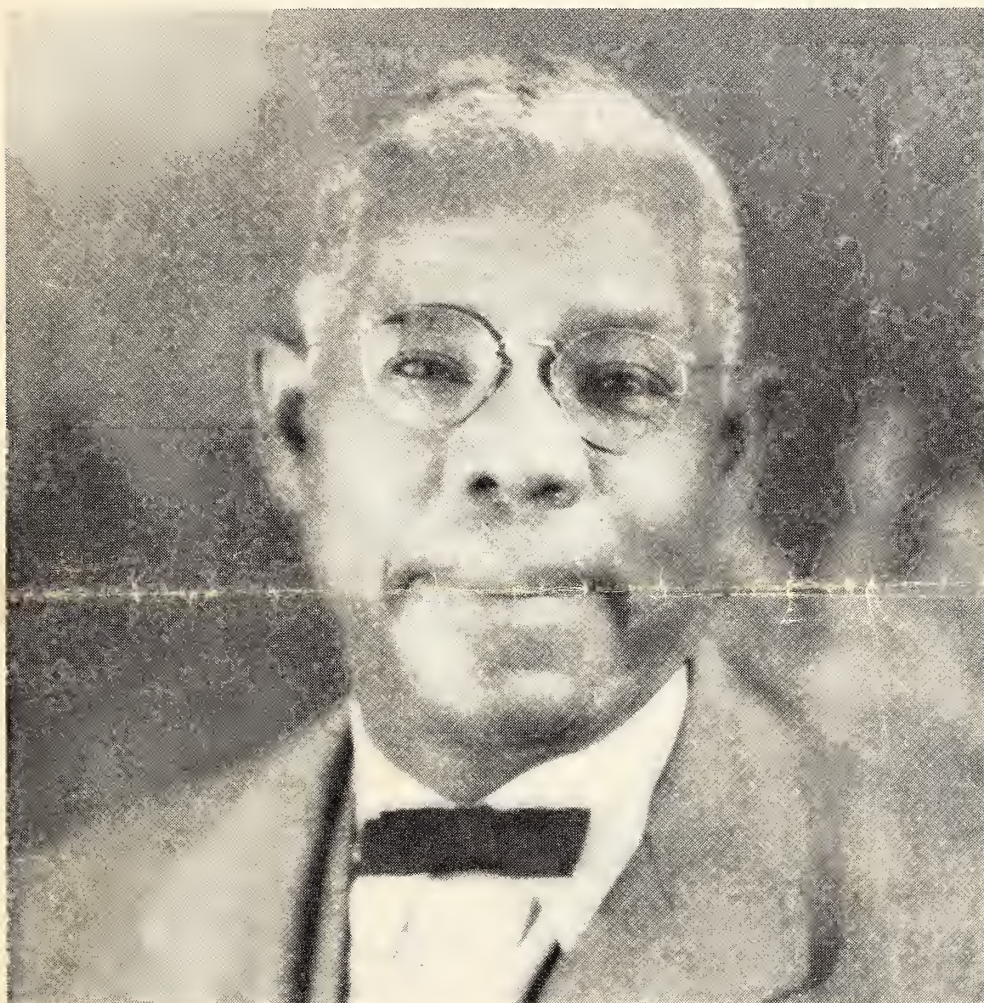
Many people think the air is better in the summer without knowing the reason, which is; many radio programs are off of it.

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Howard Jackson Retires; Serves College 36 Yrs.

Compared to Mr. Howard Jackson, veteran Savannah State College employee who retired July 1, Alexander Woolcott's "Man Who Came to Dinner" is a "babe in the woods."

Mr. Jackson "came" to the College at the invitation of the late Major R. R. Wright, Sr., "State's" first president, in June of 1914 as a consultant for the establishment of a laundry and remained for 26 years. And in this amount of time he supervised the washing of approximately 7,488,000 pounds of clothes or enough to fill 3,740 two-ton laundry trucks that would extend over a distance of 15 miles — if lined bumper to bumper.

In describing recently how he was employed by President Wright the veteran employee said, "I had an exhibit at a fair in Macon when the Major approached and asked, '... Don't you think

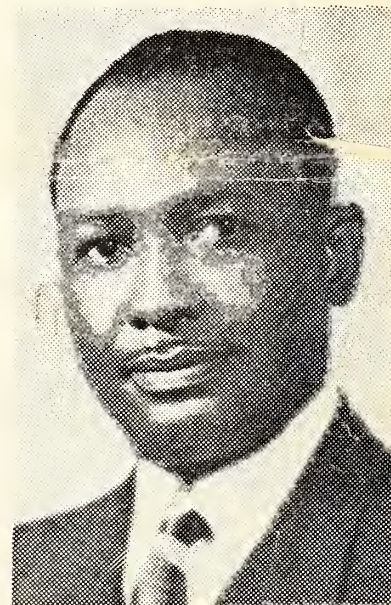
you would like to work for the college?' No! I don't think so, I replied. And we dropped the matter after he asked what I was doing. At the time I was engineer for the Georgia Steam Laundry downtown (Savannah).

"Sometime later Major Wright dropped by to see me, and finally he got me to say what was needed to set up and equip a laundry at the College. Subsequently, I took time out from my job to supervise the placing of the equipment. After this was done, the Major still didn't have anyone to run the laundry, and I consented after much insistence on his part, mainly because it would make me look bad if I didn't. Evidently no one was ever found who could run it because I remained for 36 years."

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President Payne Listed in "Who's Who" In American Education

President William K. Payne, already widely acclaimed as one of the South's great educators, recently received additional honor by being listed in the 1950 edition of "Who's Who in American Education" (p. 944).



However, this is not the first time that the eminent leader has been listed in an outstanding publication in the field of education, as he is one of the few Negroes whose biographical sketch appear in "Leaders in Education" (One of the most distinguished directories of ranking educators.)

President Payne is active in other areas related to his field — particularly those organizations that strive for and stress the value of professional attainment. He is an active member of the Academy of Political Science, a consultant for the American Teachers Association, a member of the National Society for the Study of Education, the National Educational Association (NEA), treasurer, Georgia Committee on Cooperation in Teacher Education and a member of Sigma Phi Fraternity.

Savannah State College, under his administration, was admitted last December to membership in the American Council on Education.

HOWARD JACKSON RETIRES

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Prior to joining the staff, in addition to his employment at the Georgia Steam Laundry, Mr. Jackson worked as a plumber and steamfitter in Portsmouth, Virginia, and in Charleston, South Carolina.

In working here for 36 years, Mr. Jackson served under five presidents — R. R. Wright, C. G. Wiley, Benjamin Hubert, James A. Colston, and W. K. Payne. "When I came, there were only a few buildings on the campus. In fact, Hill Hall was the first building constructed. The others were here when the College was moved from Athens," he said.

In addition to his duties as Supervisor of the laundry, Mr. Jackson at one time taught laundering and plumbing. The laundering curriculum is listed in as late edition of The Catalogue as 1944-45. However, it has been longer than that since anyone received a certificate in the field. There are a number of individuals who received certificates that either own laundries or are employed in the field throughout the State, according to Mr. Jackson.

He lists four important things necessary for the successful operation of a laundry — maintaining a good engine room, assorting, washing, and the ability to get along with people. Mr. Jackson emphasizes the value of marking clothes because if anything is lost, you are bound to encounter trouble from an unmarked individual.

In order to avoid the above, he devised a marking system which has proved to be foolproof because he used it successfully during the time of his employment, and it is still in use. He describes it as follows: "When the laundry was first established, I assigned every individual who lived on the campus a number, i. e., assuming there were 300 persons on the campus, each of them was given a number, which was placed in the record book, and they kept this number as long as they were here. At the end of each year, a new book was made consisting of numbers, and as the students, faculty, and staff returned in the Fall, their names were placed opposite their old number. In this manner I was able to determine those who didn't come back, and subsequently, newcomers were given numbers of those who failed to return. Of course as the enrollment increased it was necessary that I increase the numbers, but the procedure was the same, and I used it throughout my employment."

Mr. Jackson stressed the importance of knowing the types of soaps, how to load, and temperature control in regards to washing. He also emphasized how necessary it is to know what colors will not fade, and those that will. "I've stayed up many nights bleaching some light or white piece that was mistakenly placed with the colored clothes," he said.

"The engine room constitutes another major problem. The boilers must be kept lubricated and most of all, they must maintain a certain amount of pressure — not too high or too low. One problem that is peculiar of this region is that the water contains an excessive amount of lime and magnesium, and periodically the boilers must be cleaned to remove those chemicals



SUMMER SESSION STRESSES WORKSHOPS — During both Summer Sessions the accent was on workshops. Shown above are two workshop scenes. In the top photo Miss Evanel Renfrow, Director of the Division of Home Economics, examines a child as members of the Health and Nutrition Workshop look on. In the bottom picture, O. L. Douglas (standing far left), lends a helping hand in the Secondary Education Workshop.

Outstanding Educator Speaks During Assembly

The retiring president of the Georgia Teacher-Education Association, R. J. Martin, spoke at the College Thursday morning, August 11.

Mr. Martin who is principal of the Ballard-Hudson High School, Macon, discussed the purpose, program, and needs of the GTEA. He was introduced by President William K. Payne.

before they make the boilers useless.

"The last, but by far perhaps, the most important phase of successful laundry operation, is the handling or the ability to get along with people. You come in contact with all kinds of people and you must know how to handle them tactfully. If this is successfully done, half the job has been accomplished," Mr. Jackson declared.

For a man who has worked under five college presidents and has come in contact with students for 56 years, Mr. Jackson has truly been a man whose perseverance can stand as a model for generations of students yet to come.

Students Debate 'Mercy Killing'

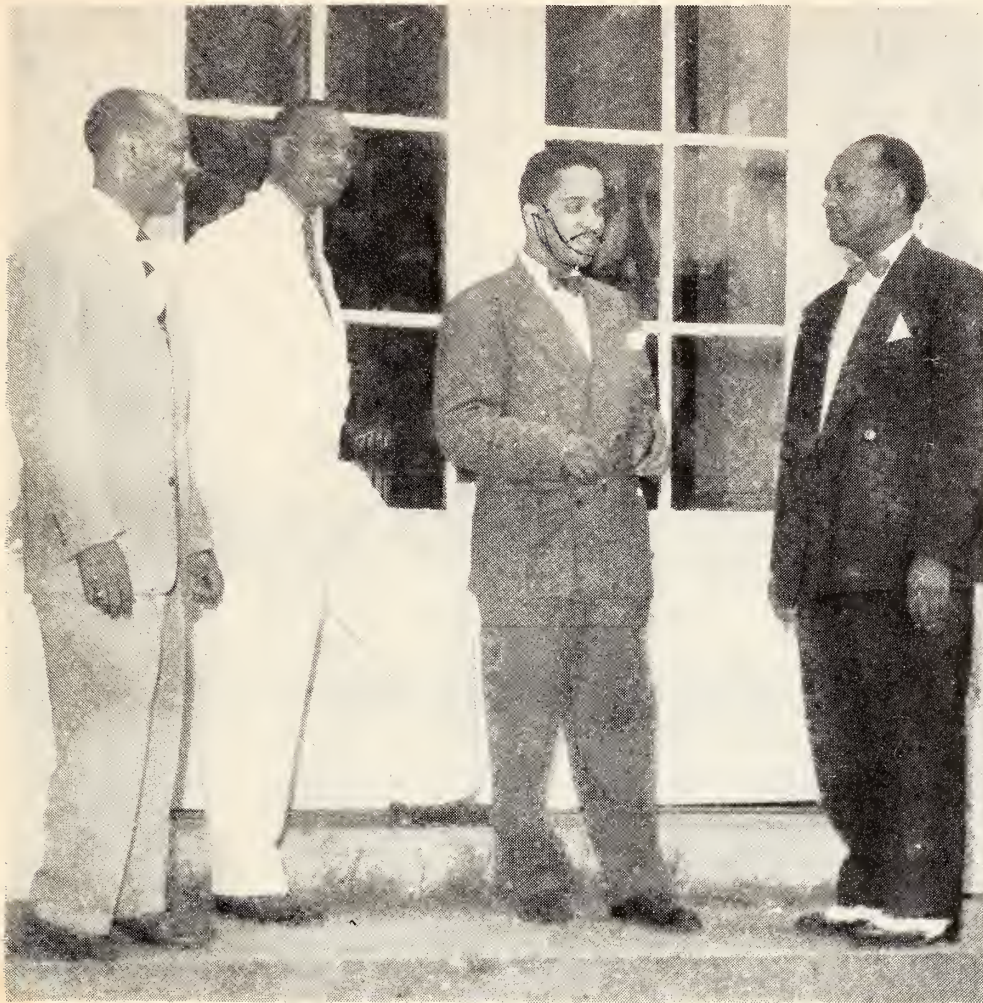
One of the Summer Session's most "heated" and perhaps enjoyable assembly programs at Savannah State College transpired when the speech class presented a debate, "Resolved that Mercy Killing Should Be Made Legal."

Some 400 persons, many in-service teachers, heard the provocative point discussed for some 40 minutes as both the affirmative and negative quoted well-known sociologists and the Bible, and subsequently maintaining that his point should be accepted.

Representing the affirmative were Benjamin Simon, Mrs. Mattie Stephens, and J. H. Solomon. John W. Scott, Mrs. Georgeanna Bleach, and the Rev. H. L. Stinson carried the banner for the negative.

Mrs. Clemetine Wilburn was chairman. Miss Ethel Jacobs is instructor.

The first football game of the season sends the Savannah State College Tigers against the Kentucky State Thorobreds in Frankfort, September 23.



MOSS KENDRIX OF THE NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION (third from left) is shown with College officials following an address he delivered. Left to right, Dean Eugene Stanley, William J. Holloway, Dean of Men; Mr. Kendrix, and President W. K. Payne.

Moss Kendrix, NEA Representative Speaks

An overflow audience of Savannah State College students, faculty, and staff heard Moss Kendrix, Public Relations Representative of the National Education Association speak on "Education — The Great Task" during special assembly Monday, July 24. He was introduced by President W. K. Payne.

Mr. Kendrix, who is widely recognized as one of the top young public relations men in the country said, education is no longer a sectional problem but is national in scope. He cited statistics uncovered during World War II which pointed to the inadequate training which a large number of draftees had when called to service.

"Every teacher should belong to a professional organization and the N. E. A. is the strongest organization of that nature. It is trying to get the United States Congress to pass the Federal Aid to Education bill, which will result in better salaries for teachers," Mr. Kendrix declared.

Remarks were made by Dean Eugene Stanley. The College Choir, under the direction of Hiliary R. Hatchett sang, "Oh What a Beautiful City." Dean William J. Holloway, presided.

Following his appearance in assembly, Mr. Kendrix spoke to a joint meeting

"News Digest" Makes Debut on S. S. C. Campus

"The Savannah State College News Digest" is the name of the latest publication conceived at the College. It is the brainchild of Wilton C. Scott, Public Relations Director.

Serving as editor is J. Randolph Fisher, acting head of the English Department, who has had considerable experience in the editing field. "The News Digest" is a mimeographed effort and is being published monthly. Its circulation is limited to the campus and news items contained therein are directly related to happenings among the faculty, staff, and their families. The "News Digest" is the name given to the official college publication by President W. K. Payne.

of the Elementary and Secondary Education Workshops. Again he pointed to the N. E. A. as working for the improvement of teaching services, as well as professional services provided. Miss Donella J. Graham, and O. L. Douglas are the directors of their respective workshops.

Cumulative Summer Session Enrollment 1,026

The cumulative enrollment for Savannah State College during both Summer Sessions was 1,206. Enrollment for the First Session was 1,067, for the Second Session 933.

An analysis of the cumulative enrollment presents the following picture:

491 men and 115 women. Three hundred and sixty-six male veterans were enrolled with 181 in the College and 185 as trade specials. There were six trade special non-veterans and 119 regular College veterans. Two women veterans were included in the 715 women enrolled.

All except the 37 enrolled at the Appling County Off-Campus Workshop were in residence.

A general breakdown for the First Session discloses that:

476 men were enrolled. Three hundred and sixty-five veterans were in attendance with 171 in the College, and 185 trade specials. Total non-veterans, 120, College non-veterans, 114, trade special non-veterans, six.

An analysis of the Second Session enrollment follows:

Men, 400. Of this number, 323 are veterans. One hundred and thirty-eight veterans were enrolled in College and 185 as trade special students. Only six non-veterans were enrolled in trades with 71 attending College.

Of the 533 women enrolled, two were veterans.

Faculty in the Headlines

Miss Evanel Renfrow, Director of the Division of Home Economics, was a consultant at the Foods and Nutrition Workshop at Florida A & M College during the latter part of July.

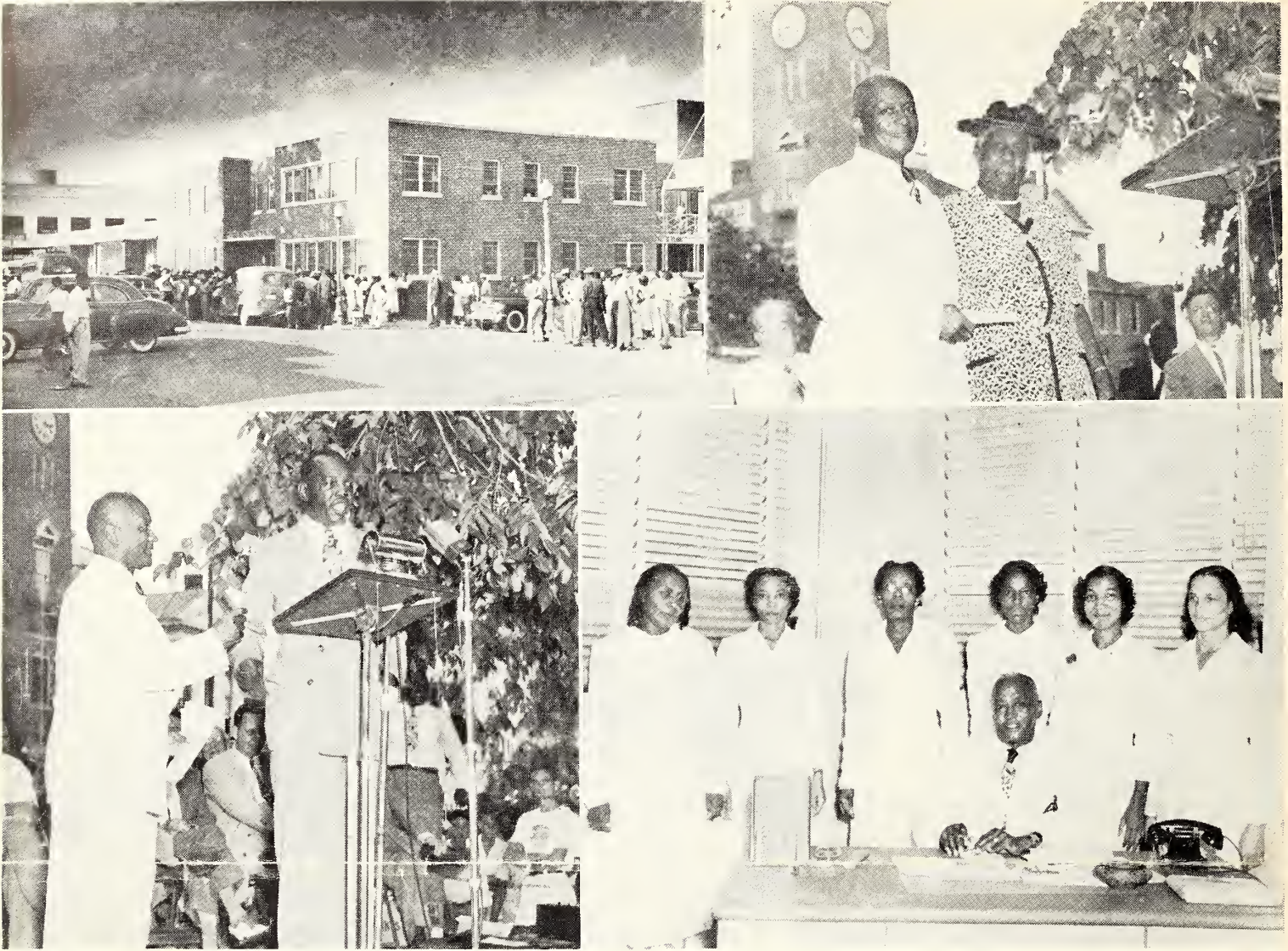
Miss Luella Hawkins, head librarian, attended the annual meeting of the American Library Association which met in Cleveland, July 16-22.

Charles J. Smith, III, Director of Publicity and Editor of The Bulletin presented a research paper at the Eleventh Annual Meeting of the National Negro Publishers Association in Houston, June 17.

Be an active member of the Alumni Association!

Keep in contact with the College through the Office of Public Relations.

Arthur Hart, Class of '50 (June) is the new manager of the College Inn.



SCENES FROM THE DEDICATION OF GRIFFIN HOSPITAL AND CLINIC — Above are four photographs made during the recent dedication of the \$250,000 hospital and clinic owned and operated by Dr. J. H. Griffin, outstanding Savannah State College alumnus. Top left, part of the crowd that visited the hospital during open-house, and to the right, Dr. Griffin poses with his proud mother. Bottom left, he receives the keys to the building from Carl Kemp, who built the hospital, and who also is an alumnus of the College. At the right Dr. Griffin is shown with the charming nurses on the staff.

Thousands Attend Dedication of Dr. Griffin's \$250,000 Hospital

President W. K. Payne Speaks; Kemp, Hopkins Build and Wire Edifice

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following story was written by Wilton C. Scott who attended the dedicatory services.

Over three thousand people gathered in Bainbridge's city park for the dedication of a hospital valued at a quarter million dollars, built by Dr. J. H. Griffin, graduate of Savannah State College, constructed by Carl Kemp, contractor and Savannah State College alumnus with electrical work by Major T. J. Hopkins, electrical contractor, also an alumnus of Savannah State College.

Ralph E. McGill, editor of the Atlanta Constitution delivered the principal address and lauded the tremendous efforts of Dr. Griffin.

President W. K. Payne of Savannah State College (S. S. C.) voiced the sentiment of the faculty and the alumni of Savannah State College in praising

the venture of Dr. Griffin, assisted by Major Hopkins and Mr. Kemp.

With T. Jan Perry, Sr., business administrator for Griffin Hospital and Clinic presiding, a most enjoyable program was presented. The invocation was given by Rev. R. C. Crouch, president emeritus, Georgia State Baptist Educational Association; and choral renditions, Albany State Choir.

Greetings were extended by Hon. R. A. Griffin, mayor, City of Bainbridge; R. M. Reynolds, chairman, Decatur County Commission; Dr. M. A. Fort, Health Commissioner, Decatur County; Dr. H. A. Bridges, President, Second Congressional Medical Association; Dr. W. L. Wilkerson, former mayor of Bainbridge; Marie Johnson, women's clubs of Bainbridge; and H. L. McIver, Sr., retired postal employee, who represented the citizenry.

Mr. Kemp, president of Kemp Construction Company, presented the building keys to Dr. Griffin.

Dr. J. L. Shirley, president of the Southeastern Medical Association, represented colored physicians; Rev. J. Howard Dell represented churches, and Professor H. S. Dixon, public schools; Presidents Aaron Brown and William K. Payne of Albany State and Savannah State Colleges represented the various colleges.

Mr. McGill was introduced by the Rev. Olin C. Cooper, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Bainbridge.

Griffin Hospital is recognized as the most modern for Negroes in Georgia with telephones and bathrooms for private rooms.

Among those attending the dedicatory ceremonies from Savannah were: Dr. Smith, Dr. J. E. Fonvielle, Wilton C. Scott, college public relations officer and Mrs. Scott, T. J. Hopkins, Mrs. Muriel Williams, the Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Lampkin, B. J. James and numerous students and alumni.

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The President Speaks



W. K. PAYNE, Fifth President of Savannah State College Speaks

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT

Savannah State College is happy to greet members of the alumni, faculty and staff, students and visitors for the 1950 celebration of homecoming, November 2, 1950. In no previous year in the history of the institution has more warmth and cordiality been extended. It is our hope that the occasion will be a mere indication of homecoming throughout the year 1950.

To our visiting opponents on Homecoming day, President Troup and members of the Fort Valley State College aggregation, we wish to extend hearty greetings. It is our desire and hope that the day will bring joy and happiness to each of you and that the contest engaged in on that day will further demonstrate our mutual goodwill. Whatever the outcome of the contest, it is our desire that the end of the day will find both institutions nearer and closer together in the genuine things which count in the education of college youth.

Since the Homecoming of last year, our Alumni have noticed that the College has continued to press forward in the development of a sound educational

program. Many of the improvements have been made in the physical plant. The value of the plant has been increased by more than \$40,000. The nucleus of a central heating plant has now been assembled on the campus. The installation of two new boilers, a 125 h. p. boiler and a 30 h. p. high pressure boiler, has been completed as the first step on the heating plant. The recent acquisition of another 125 h. p. boiler and related equipment valued at more than \$10,000 have provided the major special equipment needed for the development of the central heating system. In Camilla Hubert Hall long-due repairs have been completed at a cost of more than \$3,500. Boggs Hall which has been on the condemned list for a long time has been made safe and now houses the expanding department of Business Administration.

On the campus attention has been given to the monumental trees that provide a distinctive college setting unequalled anywhere else in the state. More than a thousand dollars have been spent providing the first scientific pruning of the trees which are so intimately related to the life of the College. It is not difficult to see what has happened

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EX-REGISTRAR NAMED ACTING DEAN

Timothy C. Meyers, 50, a native of Cordele, Ga., was appointed Acting Dean of Faculty at Savannah State College September 1. This was announced by President W. K. Payne.

Mr. Meyers is a graduate of the old Georgia State Industrial College High School. He holds the A. B. degree from Lincoln University, Pa., having graduated from that institution magna cum laude, and the M. A. degree from Columbia University. He has also completed residence requirements for the Ph. D. degree in English at Columbia.

The new Acting Dean brings maturity and rather extensive know-how to the position. He has had considerable teaching and administrative experience including work at Tuskegee Institute, Johnson C. Smith University, Tillotson College, and Hampton Institute.

Prior to coming to Savannah State College, Meyers was Administrative Assistant to the President of Hampton Institute, and Director of the Division of Education, and the Division of General Studies at the Virginia institution. In 1944 he re-established the Registrar's Office at Hampton Institute and remained there as registrar until 1947. He became registrar at Savannah State College in July 1947. During his tenure at the College both enrollments and graduates have reached record numbers.

Widely Known in Educational Circles

Acting Dean Meyers is widely known in national, state, and local educational circles. In recent years he has edited the *Journal of the National Association of Collegiate Deans and Registrars*, and has taken an active part in the work of the Georgia Commission on Cooperation in Teacher Education. He is also active in community life, serving currently as President of Saint Benedict School P. T. A. and as Treasurer of the General Alumni Association of Savannah State College. He is affiliated with the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

Family Man

Mr. Meyers promotion to the position of Acting Dean of Faculty came on the twentieth anniversary of his marriage to

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Ten New Faculty and Staff Appointments

Department of Education Gets New Head

Ten new faculty and staff appointments have been made at Savannah State College for the 1950-51 academic year, President W. K. Payne has announced. Nine of the appointments are replacements.

The new faculty members are graduates from some of America's most outstanding colleges and universities. Many of them are recognized specialists in their respective fields.

New appointments include: Miss Albertha E. Boston, A. B., Howard University, advanced study, New York University. Miss Boston attended Savannah State before enrolling at Howard. She joins the Department of Business as Instructor, and replaces Mildred L. Burch.

Mr. William H. M. Bowers, A. B., Morehouse College, M. A., Atlanta University. He joins the faculty as an Instructor in Business Education, and the Business staff as Assistant in Public Relations. Mr. Bowers replaces Mr. Charles J. Smith, III, now at Florida A. & M. College.

Mr. Henry F. Bowman, Jr., B. S. degree, South Carolina State College, Summer Study South Carolina State College and Tennessee A. & I. Mr. Bowman is Assistant Technician in Masonry in the Department of Trades and Industries. He replaces Mr. John H. Warrick, deceased.

Mrs. Mollie N. Curtright, B. S., Kansas State College, M. S., University of Minnesota. She is a former Instructor of Home Economics in the Phoenix, Arizona Public School System, Beach High School, Savannah, Ga., and former Research Assistant in Home Economics Education at the University of Minnesota. Mrs. Curtright, a new member, joins the faculty as Assistant Professor of Foods and Nutrition.

Mrs. Ruth S. Dobson, B. S., Savannah State College joins the faculty as a Critic Teacher in the Powell Laboratory School, and replaces Mrs. Josephine W. Browning.

Miss Nella F. Harris, B. S., West Virginia State College, A. M. Columbia University joins the faculty as an Assistant Professor of Home Economics, and replaces Mrs. Evelyn Hunter Lockhart. She is a former Kindergarten teacher at Topeka, Kansas.

Mr. Calvin L. Kiah, A. B., Morgan State College, A. M., Columbia University, advanced study Columbia University. He is a former High School Teacher and Principal of Frederick Douglas-St. Clair High School, the third largest high school in the public school



PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION—The receiving line at the President's Reception for Freshmen on Wednesday evening, September 20. The reception was held at the Community House. Shown from left to right are: Mrs. Helen Carr, President W. K. Payne, (shaking hands with one of the Freshmen), Mrs. W. K. Payne; Dr. Carter C. Beverly of Orlando, Fla., brother of Mrs. Payne; Acting Dean of Faculty, T. C. Meyers; Mrs. T. C. Meyers; and Mr. E. A. Bertrand, Comptroller.

Payne Addresses Upperclassmen

"We live in a different world than that of a few years ago, when the 'cold war' was in progress. Today's outlook is different, because of the shooting war that is now taking place. We still look forward to a world faced with problems so difficult that present-day minds have not been able to solve them."

Thus spoke President W. K. Payne, as he addressed the first All-Campus Assembly audience on September 28, for the academic year 1950-51 at Savannah State College in spacious Meldrim Auditorium. "One cannot develop and grow when at odds with present-day accepted principles and standards of our society," the outstanding educator pointed out.

Mr. W. Virgil Winters resumes his position as Associate Professor of Physical Science after a year's study at the University of Ohio.

system of Maryland. Mr. Kiah has completed his work for the Ed D. degree at Columbia, which will be awarded this year. Mr. Kiah is Associate Professor of Education, and replaces Dr. Alma L. Stegall.

Miss Edna L. Ligon, an alumnus of Savannah State College, replaces Miss Ruby E. Mickle as Transcript Clerk in the Registrar's Office. Miss Ligon received the B. S. degree in August, 1950.

Enrollment Less Than Last Year

Registration figures for the Fall School term show that 1127 students have enrolled in Savannah State College according to Ben Ingersoll, Registrar. This is slightly less than last year's record figure of 1,263. These figures do not include registration for Saturday classes, and for evening classes.

Significant in the decline in enrollment is the drop in veteran enrollment from 478 for the 1949 Fall Term to 314 for the 1950 Fall Term.

The breakdown is as follows:

Men, 606; of this number 294 are non-veterans and 312, veterans. Eight non-veterans are enrolled in the trade school, and 286 in the College. One-hundred and sixty-eight veterans are enrolled in the College, and 144 in the Trade School. Non-veterans enrolled in the Trade School and the College of men and women increased from 785 last year to 813 this year.

There are 521 women enrolled in the College. Two of these are veterans. At the same time, preliminary figures show that 39 women and 4 men, (3 non-veterans and 1 veteran) are enrolled for Saturday classes. Sixty-two students are enrolled in evening classes. Twenty-seven of these are women, two of whom are veterans. Thirty-five of these are men, five non-veterans and 30 veterans.

Savannah Mayor and Aldermen Ask Aid For S.S.C.

Freshmen Orientation

Praises Work of College



(1) Freshmen students get X-ray exams on campus. This program is sponsored annually by the Chatham County Tuberculosis and Health Association. (2) Miss Louise Lautier, Assistant Professor of English, administers one of the several Psychological and Intelligence tests given to freshmen students annually. (3) Professors R. Long, and F. Carr, consult with freshman students on registration day about their course choices and academic loads.

Realizing the splendid job that Savannah State College is doing in educating the Negro youth of Georgia and the nation, the Mayor and Aldermen of Savannah met on September 22, and asked the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia to allocate more funds for the institution.

The following article which appeared in the Savannah Morning News, September 23, outlines the group's proposals:

Savannah Morning News, Saturday September 23, 1950: The Mayor and Aldermen yesterday unanimously approved a resolution commending the record of the Georgia State College at Thunderbolt to the State Board of Regents.

The resolution urges that the proposed building program for schools in the University System include the Thunderbolt college in keeping with the institution's "dignity, scope and work."

Among other things the resolution points out that the Negro college here now has a total of 1,525 students and it is the only large college for Negro education in this section of the state.

The resolution reads as follows:

"Be it resolved by the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Savannah in Council Assembled, and it is resolved by authority thereof that,

"The Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Savannah are keenly interested in the future development of the Savannah State College, a branch of the University System, located in Chatham County, Georgia, and engaged in the teaching and the dissemination of knowledge to Negro men and women of Savannah, Chatham County and other districts, and, whereas

"It appears that said institution now has approximately fifteen hundred twenty-five students, of which eight hundred thirty-five are registered from Savannah and Chatham County alone, and,

"Whereas said institution spends well over one million dollars a year for living in Savannah and serves as a force for improving and enriching the life of the Negroes in said community and has been an instrumentality in raising the economic standards and the educational knowledge of the Negroes who have been a source of good will to the State of Georgia, and,

"Whereas, it is the only large college for Negro education in this immediate section of the South, and,

"Whereas, the State of Georgia is about to embark upon a large building and rehabilitation program designed to improve the status of all of its branches

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Ingersoll Named Registrar

Ben Ingersoll, a native of Columbus, Ga., was appointed Registrar of Savannah State College by the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia, effective September 1. This announcement was made by President W. K. Payne.

Mr. Ingersoll received the A. B. degree in Business Administration from Morehouse College, and the M. A. degree in the same field from Atlanta University. He has also done advanced study for 2 years at the Catholic University of America in Washington, D. C.

The post of Associate Professor of Business Administration was held by Mr. Ingersoll for 2 years at Savannah State, his first appointment being made in the summer of 1948. He also served as Treasurer of Savannah State College in 1947.

Mr. Ingersoll is a member of the American Economics Association, American Institute of Accounting, and the American Accounting Association. He is also a member of the Georgia Teachers Educational Association.

Mr. Ingersoll, who resides in Savannah at present, is married, and has no children.

Gigantic Homecoming Plans in the Making

Prof. Antonio Orsot, Chairman of the Annual Homecoming Committee announces that immense plans are nearing completion for one of the most colorful and magnificent Homecomings ever sponsored at the College, on November 4th. Plans are being made for a 1,000 car parade from downtown Savannah to the campus. Also featured in the parade will be several gorgeous and dazzling floats representing Miss Savannah State, the various departments and organizations at the college, and several local business concerns.

All-American News cameramen are slated to be on hand to photograph the Junior Mardi Gras for nation-wide movie audience consumption.

According to Professor Orsot, this will be one of the biggest homecomings ever staged at the college.

Members of the Homecoming Committee are Antonio Orsot, Chairman, Wilton C. Scott, E. A. Bertrand, Prof. E. H. Harmond, Prof. Mollie N. Curtright, Dean Jannie L. Lester, Mrs. Marie Orsot, Prof. R. E. Lockete, Prof. W. E. Griffin and James Savery, F. J. Alexis, and W. H. Bowens.

News Round-up Divisional and Departmental

BUSINESS

The Department of Business aims, through its curricular offerings and through counselling of individual students, to approach the following goals for the 1950-51 school year: (1) Preparation of competent teachers of business subjects for secondary schools; (2) preparation of competent secretaries; (3) preparation of competent accountants; (4) preparation for gainful participation in the business world as pertains to the efficient establishment and operation of businesses.

All students majoring in the Department of Business are required to develop special competence in typewriting, accounting, office organization and business management. To this end, certain courses are required, i. e., accounting, business organization and management, typewriting, retailing, insurance, and office practice.

At the beginning of the sophomore year, each student desiring to work toward a major in the department is required to decide upon a three-year program of courses and other activities comprising his major work. Students may major in business administration with emphasis on accounting and business management, secretarial science, and business education (teaching). The student reaches this decision in conference with his advisor. The content of the program will depend upon the student's ambition and purpose underlying his choice of business as a major. The major program for the B. S. degree requires a minimum of 185 quarter hours, with at least 45 hours of business courses. Such courses may be planned with a view toward concentration in accounting, business education, and secretarial science.

Students in business administration desiring a major in accounting must satisfactorily complete a minimum of 35 quarter hours of accounting, including 15 quarter hours of laboratory practice, above the sophomore year.

Students in business administration may secure specialized training for employment or for ownership and operation of business enterprises.

Persons desiring to become certified as teachers of business subjects in the secondary school must meet requirements set up by the Department of Education. In the business education curriculum all of the professional education courses, particularly those in business education, together with field experience, are designated for this purpose.

All eyes are focused upon the students who are seniors this school year, for this is the senior year of the revised

MATHEMATICS

The Mathematics Department is happy to welcome Mrs. Wilson back to its staff after a two year maternity leave. Mrs. Wilson received the B. S. degree in Education with a major in Mathema-



MRS. WILSON

tics from the University of Minnesota, and the M. A. degree in Statistics from the same University. She has enrolled for advanced work at the same institution in the summer of 1940 and 1946.

curriculum in the Business Department. This year for the first time on a large scale, prospective senior business or accounting, secretarial science, business management, and business teachers, will be placed on the field to receive actual experience in the schools and business in the community.

It is felt that training within the four walls of the classroom are not sufficient for the overall growth and development of the business student, therefore, for each quarter of the present school year, students will be placed in business situations where they will receive experience in an actual working situation. This field experience will begin early in October, as soon as available contacts are made.

Two new members have been added to the business staff for the coming school year. They are Miss Albertha E. Boston, graduate of Howard University and New York University, and Mr. William H. Bowens, graduate of Morehouse College, and Atlanta University.

The complete staff for this school year consists of Mr. Robert C. Long Sr., Chairman, Mr. Franklin Carr, Miss Albertha E. Boston, Mr. William Bowens, part-time, and Mr. Ben Ingersoll, part-time.

FINE ARTS

Mr. Hilliary R. Hatchett Jr., Acting Chairman of the Department of Fine Arts announces that the Department of Fine Arts which no longer offers a major in the field of music, is now in the process of formulating an intensified minor curriculum. Plans are also being made to formulate a major curriculum in the field of Graphic Arts.

The Department provides opportunity for work in music and the graphic arts for students who have special interests and abilities in these fields, and for those who desire an intelligent understanding of the arts, as a vital part of their general education.

The Department of Fine Arts also provides for the general student body, an opportunity for an understanding, and an appreciation of the graphic and the musical arts, thereby creating a background for the overall development of the student.

In order to supplement formal education on the campus, many activities are presented for cultural enrichment. To this end the department sponsors interesting and inspirational college worship services; stimulating band music and art during the annual homecoming activities; original and creative dance music by the college dance band, programs for football games, popular music for college dances and social activities, intensified music programs for vespers, special chapel programs, art exhibits, and open house.

Plans have just been completed to copyright the Savannah State College Hymn. During the Summer Convocation this Hymn was sung by the choir and a large number of Alumni, graduates and friends, accompanied by the college band. Music for this Hymn was composed by Mr. Hatchet. The words were composed by Mr. J. Randolph Fisher of the English Department, and the Hymn is humbly dedicated to all the Alumni of the college.

The Savannah State Marching Band under the direction of Mr. L. Allen Pyke, will also be greatly improved this year, and will be doing interesting things on the field during the halves of the football games this season. Mr. Pyke has taught the band several new and interesting formations.

The Choir, under the direction of Mr. Pyke, plans to present the "Messiah" for Christmas. Other music organizations on the campus are the Women's Ensemble, a Male Quartet, and Male Glee Club.

Home Economics

Whither the Home Economist

The Home Economics professor is more versatile at this time in history than every before. An ever running stream of lucrative opportunities are available to those women who have prepared themselves for productive and creative living. Preparation embraces the biological, social, physical, and natural sciences with required collegiate courses in general education.

For too long the profession of home economics has meant to most people, classroom teaching. However, trends indicate that Home Economics is fast assuming the authoritative position to solve problems in consumer education on better buymanship in clothing, foods, and household furnishing, and assume creative and consultant jobs in other areas of training.

It is refreshing and stimulating to know that in no branch of the profession has the door been closed to a Negro woman who shows proficiency in the field. The door is open to qualified and trained women.

The profession has two professional organizations; The American Home Economics Association and the American Dietetic Association to which qualified persons may belong, and benefit by a continuous flow of professional encouragement and help.

Membership in the American Home Economics Association is open to anyone who has finished an accredited collegiate Home Economics course. The American Dietetic Association is open to persons having some home economics training with a major in foods and nutrition or institution management, and who have done a fifth year in internship in an approved hospital or administrative unit, or its equivalent.

The American Home Economics Association has encouraged full participation and membership. At least three Negro women have received fellowship awards for study on the doctorate. One of the young women is at present studying at the University of Chicago.

COMPLEMENTARY FIELDS

The above suggestions on how a Home Economist may use her talents does not include possible combinations in complementary fields; that is, allowing the student to minor in her field of second choice.

Among the possible combinations are:

Home Economics and Journalism, for the person who has a flair for writing, and who knows her consumer public and what will appeal to them. Her job is to inform, interest, and sell through the printed page.

The increasing popularity of household magazines with all members of the family makes it more and more necessary to interpret the subjects for the better understanding of all concerned.

Home Economics and Nursing. This is

a five year course which gives the student academic standing and an opportunity to seek further training at a higher level.

Home Economics and Chemistry. Such a combination of subject matter usually leads to a research career in either the field of foods and nutrition or textile chemistry.

The development of new goods, the improvement of other marketable goods for consumption to meet the needs and demands of a changing civilization is forever before us and it is incumbent upon those who are trained in the scientific fields to develop these things. Many universities retain students who excel in the laboratory as research assistants. Other students by choice, and by appointment, find employment in industry and with the Federal Government.

A combination of a student's field of major interest and minor interest in Home Economics offers the student wider choice of jobs. This combination has proved to be very beneficial when new highways to jobs have just opened up.

The foregoing discussion gives an overview of what students may hope to do when finishing courses in Home Economics. Too much stress cannot be placed on the fact that specialized training is necessary to do specialized jobs. The Home Economist, by the very nature of her scientific profession is required to be consistent with the philosophy that we are exponents of an educational system which places emphasis on growth of the individual and on breadth of training.

In keeping with the broad phases of vocational outlets in the Home Economics field, Savannah State College is preparing its students for leadership in divergent fields.

The college prepares students for work in the areas mentioned below:

Home Management and Family Life Education in which the student is taught, by living example, how to achieve through the philosophy of home management, a way of life, with home making goals based upon human values and management.

Child Development and Nursery School Education, which provides laboratories for the study of normal young children. The Nursery School provides experiences in studying and observing various stages of development and the care of the whole child.

Institution Management, which offers practical "on the job" experience in quantity food preparation in the school lunch room. This is only one of the areas for such experience. Other areas include the College-Inn which offers problems comparable to a commercial unit, where the manager is entirely on his own, and the College Dining Room which serves as the central unit for feeding the College family, and offers training in catering responsibilities for special occasions.

BIOLOGY

Dr. B. T. Griffith, Professor and Chairman of the Savannah State College Department of Biology, jointly with Dr. W. M. G. Tyson, local physician, is currently conducting a study of pollen grain count, and mold colonies in the Savannah area. The study which has been in progress since 1949 by the American Academy of Allergy.

The purpose of the study is to isolate the different fungi that are causative



DR. GRIFFITH

agents for certain respiratory diseases.

For several years, in various parts of the globe, scientists have been working quietly under the auspices of the Academy in their battle against respiratory fungi.

Dr. Griffith, and Dr. Tyson who conducted their work in the Savannah State College Biology Laboratory, have had their findings thus far, published in the September issue of the *Journal of Allergy*.

SOCIAL SCIENCE

The Social Science Department has approved the following program for the school year of 1950-51, according to Mr. Elmer J. Dean, Chairman.

Each professor in the department will have daily office hours which will be posted on the department office door.

A complete file, with individual folders for each Social Science major will be kept, thus eliminating any future misunderstanding concerning any student's record.

Closer contact with the department's major students by the departmental staff will be stressed in an attempt to improve the overall efficiency of majors.

The Social Science Club is being recognized as to purpose, scope, and contribution to the total college program. The club proposes to inaugurate monthly forums, and to improve the caliber of its social activities.

At least one informal seminar will be held in each quarter. All seminars will be open to the entire College.

Savannah State Gets Lights For Night Football

From a cornfield to night football!

That is the story of the newly lighted football field at SSC where the installation of lights for night football was completed October 4, 1950. The project was launched by Coach "Ted" Wright during his first year as coach here.

Coach Wright, who came to SSC from Xavier University in New Orleans, Louisiana, is an old hand at building and lighting football stadiums. He initiated and sparkplugged, from the planting of the grass to the laying of the last stone, Xavier University's Athletic Stadium, one of the most imposing edifices in the nation. He also drew up the plans for, and started work on, the athletic stadium at Florida A. & M. College in Tallahassee, Florida.

The modest, congenial, former head football mentor, and now Athletic Director at SSC did not hesitate to point out that praises for the lights and the progress of the stadium project as a whole should go to all of those persons who have so wholeheartedly cooperated with the plan thus far.

"He cannot be praised too highly," Coach Wright said of F. J. Alexis, SSC's industrious, affable Superintendent of building and grounds. He kept driving until a dream became a shining reality. Superintendent Alexis and his co-workers, working jointly with a power company crew installed the lights.

Continuing, he pointed out that President W. K. Payne, then Acting President of SSC, stated in a speech at the opening football game of the 1949 season that the lights would be completed, thereby giving his stamp of approval to the project, as his predecessor, President James A. Colston had done. E. A. Bertrand, upon being appointed Comptroller of the college, also endorsed the measure.

Thanks also go to Prof. Frank D. Tharpe of the Industrial Arts Department who surveyed the field, and who is now responsible for the upkeep of the posts and woodwork.

The lights were financed by the State, the County, the School and athletic funds. The job is not yet completed; the plan is to build a cement stadium around the lights and the playing field.

Even though the stadium is not complete, the lights should be a boon to night pigskin contests in and around Savannah, since it is the only field lighted especially for football in this

THE JUBILEE SINGERS



Jubilee Singers Head Savannah State College Lyceum Series

The appearance of the Jubilee Singers, formerly of Fisk, will mark the opening of the Savannah State College Lyceum series for the school year 1950-51. The singers, under the inspired direction of Mrs. James A. Meyers, will appear in concert in Meldrim Auditorium on Tuesday, November 21, at 8 p. m.

The Lyceum group, which was originated in 1871 at Fisk University, has come before the people of the world with their message of hope where darkness abounds; of joy, when all around is shoddy hopelessness and dreary unending pain. To them the world is indebted for a new and unusual form of folk music which lays bare the soul of a people, naive, perhaps, and unlettered, but wise in belief and strong in faith in an Almighty God.

Miss Louise Lautier resumes her duties as Assistant Professor of English after two years at New York University. Miss Lautier practically completed all resident requirements for the Ph. D. degree in English Education. She was a General Educational Board Fellow for one year.

area. Grayson Stadium in Savannah, which is used for the majority of the night football classics in this immediate community is a baseball stadium, and is lighted for the American pastime.

Also, night games mean that many loyal supporters of SSC's fighting Tigers who could not attend afternoon games because of their jobs, or other similar reasons, will now be able to come out and root for their favorite team.

Through the years the personnel of the Singers has changed frequently. The small group that will be heard on Nov. 21, represents the third generation of Jubilee Singers. This group is composed of Mr. Norton Evans and Mr. Starling Hatchett, Tenors; Mr. Brooks Alexander, Baritone; Mr. Colston LeGrand, Bass; and Mr. Matthew Kennedy, pianist.

Mr. Starling Hatchett is the brother of Mr. H. R. Hatchett, chairman of the Fine Arts Department and the Lyceum committee.

Other attractions on the Lyceum series include: The Y. M. C. A. Players, December 1, 1950; Hal and Ruby Holbrook, Dramatists, February 2, 1951, and Dr. Luther Gable, Atomic Specialist, March 8, 1951.

Savannah Mayor and Aldermen

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of the University System, and,

"Whereas, it is fair and proper that a substantial portion of said sums should be donated and used towards increasing the efficiency, the sphere of operation and the work of Savannah State College,

"Now, therefore, be it resolved as aforesaid that the Mayor and Aldermen commend to the Regents of the State of Georgia the records and accomplishments of said institution and request that in the allocation of funds for the improvement of the branches of the University System, that a substantial portion of said funds in keeping with the dignity, the scope and the work of said institution be allocated to be used for the benefit of said institution at the earliest possible time."

THE MANAGEMENT HOUSE—
COUNCIL OF THE HOME ECO-
NOMICS DEPARTMENT.



POWELL LAB LUNCH ROOM—A student supervises the luncheon period in the Powell Lab Lunch Room.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER—
Miss Nella Harris, (extreme right) Assistant Professor of Home Economics conducts a class in Child Development at the Child Development Center Nursery School of the Home Economics Home Practice Building.



Greetings From The Office of The Dean of Faculty

As we launch into the sixtieth long session at Georgia's oldest institution for the higher education of Negroes, this office extends most cordial greetings to students, alumni, and staff. This anniversary is, indeed, one of hope, bearing great promise of rewarding labor.

The faculty program of intensive institutional self-study — begun so auspiciously under President Payne (then Dean) in 1947 — continues with unflinching vigor. Concrete results are now reflected in the annual catalog, the student handbook, and — less tangibly but no less real — in evidence of improved instructions and a healthier student-staff morale.

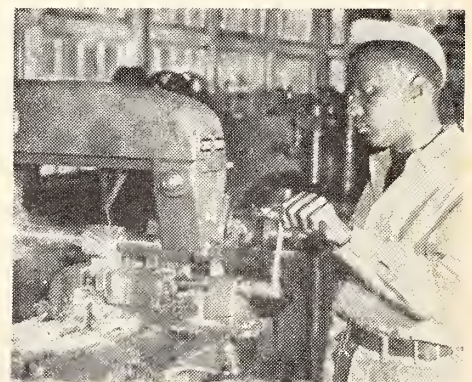
A pre-planning conference — noteworthy for one hundred per cent partic-

ipation of the entire instructional staff of seventy-eight persons — ushered in this year's phase of the faculty study program. Divisions and departments severally outlined and resumed the attack on some of our chief instructional problems.

These problems will be dealt with in staff sessions throughout the year. The complete agenda is, naturally, too detailed for inclusion in this brief note. Some of the problems to be considered are:

1. Improvement of Internal Communication.
2. Coordination of All Staff Efforts in Carrying out Institutional Aims and Purposes.
3. Improvement of Student Advisement.
4. Publication of a Faculty Manual.

Sincerely yours,
T. C. MEYERS,
Acting Dean of Faculty



MACHINE SHOP—A student at work in the Machine Shop of the Department of Trades and Industry. The Department offers special terminal preparation for students which will fit them for employability in a trade or in industry.

Tigers Trample Claflin, Morris, Lose to Kentucky State

The Savannah State College Tigers, showing a classy brand of football under the leadership of new Head Coach, John "Big John" Martin, yielded to Kentucky State of the Mid-western Conference, 13-0, in the 1950 season opener at Frankfort, Kentucky, but came back to trample Claflin and Morris College on successive week-ends.

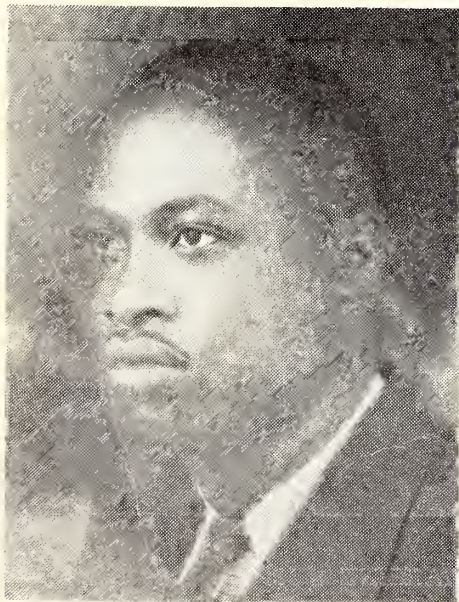
In their first SEAC tilt of the season at Orangeburg, S. C.'s Municipal Stadium on October 7, after an idle week-end on September 30, following the Kentucky game, the Martinmen romped over a favored Claflin eleven, 18-3.

On October 13, in the first home game of the season, before a capacity crowd of approximately 5,000 eager fans, the Tigers staged their second upset of the season. This time it was over Morris College of Sumter, S. C., 28-0. The Tigers kept possession of the ball practically all evening, and not once did Morris come closer to the Tiger goal line than the 30 yard stripe.

The superior line play and running attack, led by Robert "Nancy Hanks" Slocum, Doc Graham and W. F. Johnson, highlighted the evening.

The Tigers, who show promise of winning the SEAC pigskin crown this season are scheduled to play five more games. The schedule is as follows:

October 28, Albany State at Albany; November 4, Fort Valley State at Savannah (Homecoming); November 11, Florida Normal at Savannah; November 18, Open; November 23, Paine College at Savannah (Thanksgiving); and December 2, Open.



MR. L. D. KENNEDY—President of General Alumni Association and County Agent, Hancock County. Mr. Kennedy is doing a splendid job organizing the Alumni and rallying them to the support of their Alma Mater.

Miss Savannah State College



HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN—Miss Beautine Williams Hardwick will reign over Homecoming Festivities this year as Miss Savannah State.

THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS

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on the athletic field. Lights have been provided at an initial cost of more than \$4,000. The building of an adequate field for football, baseball, and track goes forward.

As one might expect, all the improvements taking place at the College have not been centered in the physical plant. Significant developments have been made in the up-grading of all aspects of the institution. Curricula, tone of the institution, and faculty and staff have been continuously improved and up-graded. The institution's fiscal status has been improved and placed in first-class condition. The reported surplus of last year has been added to the current year's budget, thus making possible some of the improvements already listed and many of those to be done in the coming months.

Since the homecoming celebration of last year the College has been admitted to membership in the American Council on Education. New equipment, such as, fluorescent lights, an electric mimeograph machine, and photostat machine for the Registrar's office have placed the institution in a better position to provide a more efficient program of education. The increased participation of students and alumni in the administrative and educational affairs of the in-

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the former Miss Mildred Stone, a Native of Brunswick, Georgia. They have three children, Timothy Jr., Ann Marie, and Michael Joseph.

When asked to comment on his appointment, Mr. Meyers stated briefly that he was naturally grateful to President Payne and the Board of Regents. He regards the step as an opportunity to reaffirm his complete loyalty to the work of the college and his devotion to the cause of higher education.

stitution is beginning to provide an atmosphere of belonging for the entire college family.

The extension of the activities of the College into the surrounding communities, the participation of its staff members and students in activities and programs beyond the college campus, and the attraction of various kinds of interest groups to the College provide stimulation for both the College and the outlying communities. The radius for this kind of development continues to grow.

Savannah State College can only express in a meager manner its greetings to you on this occasion and wish that the homecoming spirit of today will bring you closer to the College and its continued growth and development.

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MORNING NEWS PRAISES PRESIDENT PAYNE AND COLLEGE

Christmas Greetings from the President . . .

It is a pleasure to communicate at this season of the year with alumni, students, faculty, and friends of the Savannah State College. The Christmas season unlike Thanksgiving lasts for a long time. It usually comes in on the evening before Christmas Day and lasts throughout the year. During this period of time, one is particularly impressed by the general spirit of merriment and the less obvious signs of inventory taking.

For weeks and, in some instances, months individuals plan for the celebration of Christmas. Many of the presents and greetings are selected with care and placed in some secure depository. It is predominantly a season when people are interested in giving for the chief purpose of lightening the hearts of friends and associates. Some individuals or groups work on large scale projects and become benefactors for whole institutions or less fortunate groups. Almost everyone enjoys playing Santa Claus to the extent of his ability. The ability to do this at Christmas time clearly demonstrates that it is possible for individuals to develop such a spirit for other parts of the year and alleviate much of the tenseness in our social order. The ability to give happiness to and to create good will among one's fellows needs to be generalized on a much larger basis and a longer period of duration. To this present world, the friends of higher education whose training and experience have put them in positions of leadership are obligated to help encourage the happiness of mankind in general. The aim here is to encourage those of you who possess that power to utilize it during the 1950 Christmas Season.

The other special sign of Christmas comes as a natural part of the close of the calendar year. In almost all cases, everyone tends to compare his status with that of the former year. One often itemizes definitely the progress or loss made during the year. This is true not only in respect to individuals but also



in cases where institutions are involved.

Taking inventory at Savannah State College at this Christmas season increases our sense of responsibility to the thousands of boys and girls who will fashion and shape their ideals on the basis of the training and development which they receive here. Their spirit of giving and spreading good will must become broader and more active because of the observance of this Christmas of 1950. Everyone, whether alumnus, faculty member, student, or well wisher, can give a token which will grow and endure in the hearts of men.

Savannah State College comes to the end of the year 1950 in such a position. During the year the institution has continued to move forward in strengthening the various phases of its program. This is especially noticeable in internal improvements and planning for the future development and growth. The College has been able to re-establish its financial stability and the value of the plant has been increased to \$1,359,867.74. Improvements and repairs made during the year have placed the college in a better condition to perform the func-

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Unanimously Adopt Mayor And Board of Aldermen Resolution

The following editorial appeared on the editorial page of the Savannah Morning News, September 24, 1950:

Aid Asked For Negro College

The resolution unanimously adopted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen calling on the State Board of Regents to supply a "substantial portion" of the University System's allocation of funds to the Georgia State College, focuses public attention on the excellent record the local institution has made from both an administrative and scholastic standpoint under the able presidency of Dr. W. K. Payne during the past eighteen months. The college has a first-rate faculty, an enrollment of 1,525 students and is, as the resolution points out, the only large college for Negro education in this section of the State. Thoughtful citizens of both races will agree with the observation of the Mayor and Aldermen that the local institution "serves as a force for improving and enriching the life of the Negroes" in South Georgia, and that it deserves to receive sufficient financial aid from the Regents to carry on its highly important work. The Morning News congratulates Dr. Payne and his associates on their fine showing, and we add our voice to the hope that the Regents will give careful consideration to the appeal of the City Fathers.

WILLIAM J. FIELDER NEWS EDITOR, SPEAKS AT SAVANNAH STATE

Mr. William J. Fielder, Managing Editor of the Savannah Morning News, was the speaker for the weekly upper-classmen assembly in Meldrim Auditorium, Thursday, Nov. 2, 1950. Mr. Fielder's theme was "Keep Your Feet On The Ground."

George Washington Carver, he pointed

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Moss Kendrix, National Education Week Speaker



PRESIDENT W. K. PAYNE and Acting Dean of Faculty, T. C. Meyers, chat with Mr. Kendrix on the steps of beautiful Meldrim Auditorium, following his address on the observance of National Education Week.

Speaks on Citizenship

Mr. Moss Kendrix, Legislative Assistant of the National Education Association, Washington, D. C., was guest speaker at Savannah State College on November 8, in observance of National Education Week.

Speaking to an overflow crowd of students, faculty and staff members in expansive Meldrim Auditorium on the topic, "Becoming a Responsive and Well-Informed Citizen," Mr. Kendrix pointed out that we live under a government of, by, and for the people.

Continuing, he stated that we should work to keep it that way by becoming as well informed about our government, and our way of life as is possible.

Kendrix is a well-known journalist and fraternal leader. He founded the Delta Phi Delta Journalistic Society, and was responsible for the founding of National Negro Press Week.

Dean T. C. Meyers, Acting Dean of Faculty, was in charge of the program.

Savannah State Faculty and Staff Members Attend Principals' Conference

Several Savannah State Faculty and Staff members attended the Annual Principals' Conference at the Main High School, Rome, Georgia, which was held November 17-18.

Among those attending were Acting



SYMPOSIUM PRINCIPALS—Pictured above are, from left to right, Mr. Calvin Kiah, Chairman of the Department of Education; Miss Christine Coleman, Assistant Professor of Home Economics; Miss Althea Morton, Assistant Professor of French; and Mr. Franklin Carr, Assistant Professor of Business Administration, all of whom appeared in a symposium on Audio-Visual Aids in Meldrim Auditorium, October 26. "Better Education Through Audio-Visual Aids" was the title of the symposium.

Dean of Faculty T. C. Meyers; Miss Thelma Moore, Assistant Professor of Education; Mr. Calvin L. Kiah, Chairman, Department of Education; Mr. Leo Ballard, Principal, Powell Laboratory School, Miss Louise Lautier, Assistant Professor of English; Mr. Theodore R. Wright, Athletic Director, and Mr. Wil-

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SSC Celebrates National Audio-Visual Education Week

Panels, Educational Films, Highlight Week

In keeping with the celebration of "Audio-Visual Education Week" throughout the U. S. A., Savannah State College conducted its annual observance of the week, October 22-28, under the direction of Mr. Maurice S. Stokes, Director of the College Audio-Visual center. The purpose of the week was to show and acquaint the general public with audio-visual aids, and their use as educational devices.

Several interesting and educational programs highlighted the week long educational venture. On Tuesday, October 24, at 11:15 a. m., the members of the "Audio-Visual Materials and Methods of Instruction" class conducted a panel in Meldrim Auditorium — "Understanding Audio Visual Aids." Participants included Misses Helen Fuller and Ruby Wright, and Messrs. Joseph Williams, Robert Moberly, and Joseph Jackson, Chairman.

On Thursday, October 26 in Meldrim Auditorium, T. C. Meyers, Acting Dean of Faculty presided over a symposium on "Better Education Through Audio-

Visual Aids." Participants included Mr. Calvin Kiah, Chairman of the Department of Education, Miss Christine Coleman, Asst. Professor of Home Economics, Miss Althea Morton, Asst. Professor of French, and Mr. Franklin Carr, Asst. Professor of Business Administration.

At the close of the session Pres. W. K. Payne gave summary remarks. The SSC Womens' Glee Club sang "Listen to the Lambs." Professor Stokes was also presented a certificate of merit for his outstanding work at the College A. V. Center.

In an attempt to carry the benefits of the Audio-Visual Education Program to the secondary school, Mr. Stokes, with the aid of Mrs. Viola Holbrook, Critic Teacher, conducted a demonstration unit at the Florence Street School in Savannah at 4:00 p. m., Thursday. The topic of this demonstration unit was "Physical and Commercial Forces of the Southeastern States."

On Friday evening, October 27, at 7:45 p. m. a series of short educational films were shown in Meldrim Auditorium. The films represented the various departments of the college.

Remarks lauding the celebration of the week and the value of Audio-Visual aids were delivered by Pres. W. K. Payne following the showing of the movies.

Season's Greetings from the Music Department



As we approach the Yuletide season, joyous strains of "Silent Night, Holy Night" fill the air, and men everywhere pause to pay their humble respects to the Savior of Mankind. Men at war with each other turn their eyes heavenward and pray for peace—everlasting peace. Beautiful Christmas carols, symbolic of this peace, ring out from their war-weary lips, and for the moment at least, worldly hatreds are forgotten.

Through music, men have learned how to express themselves aesthetically; also through music, as well as the other arts, men have been able to transcend national and language barriers.

There is no one wholly unresponsive to the elevating appeal of music, regardless of whether it is sung in their native tongue or in a foreign tongue. At this season when mankind gathers in the church, the home and elsewhere to sing the international music of Christmas, the staff of the music section of the Fine Arts Department, Mr. Hilliary R. Hatchett, and Mr. L. Allen Pyke, extend to you their heartiest wishes for a happy holiday season. The members of the five musical organizations, the Male Glee Club, the Female Glee Club, the Choir, the Marching Band and the State Collegians (Swing Band) also extend to you best wishes for a most enjoyable Christmas season.

This year, the Choir under the direction of Mr. Pyke, will present an interesting and inspiring program of Christmas music in Meldrim Auditorium to usher in the Christmas season. The program will be held during the regular Sunday Vesper Hour on Sunday, December 10.

The twenty-eight voice Male Glee Club and the twenty-four voice Female Glee Club under the direction of Mr. H. R. Hatchett, will both present major concerts this spring. Both of these groups were formulated by popular request of students this year.

WILLIAM J. FIELDER

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out, was a person who kept his feet on the ground. Dr. Carver, he reiterated was a man who lived by the "I'll Show You" philosophy; he could explain anything by demonstration.

Mr. Fielder pointed out that he and Dr. Carver corresponded frequently and that he has a collection of over 100 letters from the noted scientist which he cherishes as one of his most prized possession.

In conclusion, Mr. Fielder cited the college for the position of leadership which it has assumed in the state, and pointed out that Georgia is one of the richest states in the Union with reference to natural resources.

(1) THE FEMALE GLEE CLUB; (2) THE MALE GLEE CLUB
(3) THE MARCHING BAND

President and Mrs. W. K. Payne Hold Homecoming Reception For General Alumni Chapter Meet

General Alumni President, President Payne Address Group

On Saturday afternoon, Nov. 4, at 5:30 p. m., the Savannah State College General Alumni Association held its Annual Homecoming Meeting at the College Community House, with General Alumni President, L. D. Kennedy, presiding. President and Mrs. W. K. Payne were on hand to greet the members of the Association.

The group discussed plans for an annual Football Classic in Columbus, Georgia between Savannah State and Albany State College. Other general matters were also discussed.

President Payne welcomed the group formally to the Homecoming activities, and praised the Association for the fine work which it is doing on behalf of the College. He also pointed out the progress which the College has made in the past few years.

President Kennedy welcomed the group on behalf of the General Alumni Association, and pointed out that the many hardworking Alumni of Savannah State College are producing results. The Alumni Association, and the extent of its activities, he stated, are growing by leaps and bounds.

Mrs. W. K. Payne served the group refreshments.

Among the outstanding Alumni present were Mrs. Josie Sessoms, Secretary of the General Alumni Association; Mr. C. D. Jackson, Vidalia, Principal of Dickerson County Training School; Mr. Casey Childers, County Agent from Waynesboro, Georgia; Mr. Odest Watson, President of the Southwest Georgia Alumni Chapter, Albany, Georgia; and Mrs. Irma Fields of the Candler County Training School.



GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT ADDRESSES ALUMNI—Pres. L. D. Kennedy, General Alumni Association President of Savannah State College, speaks to the Alumni of the College at the Community House on Homecoming Day. Shown in the background (right) is Pres. W. K. Payne, President of the College; in the foreground (right) is Mrs. Josie Sessoms, Secretary of the General Alumni Association.

Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges Representatives Inspect Savannah State For Possible "A" Rating

Come at Request of Board of Regents

On Wednesday, November 15, 1950, several representatives of the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges inspected Savannah State College in order to determine whether or not it should be given an "A" rating.



PRESIDENT AND DEAN OF FACULTY HAVE DINNER WITH SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVES—Pres. W. K. Payne, (center) and Acting Dean of Faculty, T. C. Meyers, (back to camera), have dinner with representatives of the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges, who came to inspect the College for an "A" rating on November 15. They are: Mr. Frank A. DeCosta, Dean of the Graduate School of South Carolina State College, left, and Mr. W. H. Brown of the North Carolina College, Division of the Bureau of Education and Research, right.

They came at the request of the Board of Regents of the State of Georgia.

Chancellor Harmon W. Caldwell, Chancellor of the University System of Georgia, accompanied the representatives. At present Savannah State, as well as the other two state institutions of higher learning for Negroes have "B" ratings with the Association.

Payne Speaks At First Congregational

President W. K. Payne was Men's Day Speaker at The First Congregational Church, Habersham and Taylor Streets, Savannah, on November 26.

The Brotherhood of the church was sponsor of the program.

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ton C. Scott, Director of Public Relations.

The purpose of the conference was to discuss problems in schools and how to alleviate them. Special consultants were brought in to discuss various phases of school programs, problems connected with these various phases, and how to intelligently solve these problems.

Former SSC Student Named "Outstanding Trainee of the Day" at Fort Knox

Recruit Gussie O. Doe, 21, a former student at Savannah State College, was recently named as the "Outstanding Trainee of the Day" for the 3rd Armored Division at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Doe was chosen for this honor by the officers and cadremen of his training outfit, Battery "C" of the 54th Armored Field Artillery Battalion. The selection



RECRUIT DOE is congratulated upon being named "Outstanding Trainee of the Day," by Brigadier General R. E. S. Williamson, Commanding General of the 3rd Armored Division, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

was based on his military bearing, initiative, and devotion to duty.

As the "Outstanding Trainee of the Day," Recruit Doe served as enlisted aide for a day to Brigadier General R. E. S. Williamson, Commanding General of the 3rd Armored Division. In this capacity, he accompanied the General on all inspection tours and all staff meetings held that day.

Recruit Doe was a Sophomore at Savannah State College when he enlisted in the Regular Army in August, 1950. While at Savannah State, he was a model student, and was very well liked by all who knew him.

He is the son of Mrs. Edna Doe, 812 Carter Street, Savannah Georgia.

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tions allocated to it. The College looks forward to an era of physical plant expansion. Preliminary plans for building structures have been made in several instances. The boy's dormitory housing 210 individuals is being planned for early construction. Let us hope that this will be followed by an annex to Willcox Gymnasium, a sewage disposal plant, and a central heating plant and other needed structures. The thought of these tends to heighten our spirit for Christmas and the coming year. We stand in an atmosphere of joyous expectancy!

W. K. PAYNE

HOMECOMING AT SAVANNAH STATE



PARADES, QUEENS, FOOTBALL— These were the order of the day as Savannah State College celebrated its Annual Homecoming Day on November 4. Pictured above are some of the outstanding scenes and events of the gala occasion. (1) "Miss Alumni," Miss Louise Lautier, Assistant Professor of English at SSC, reigns supreme as thousands of eager, bedazzled spectators watch her beautifully decorated limousine pass by,

on West Broad Street in downtown Savannah. (3) Charming and lovely Mrs. Beautine W. Hardwick receives a beautiful bouquet from Pres. W. K. Payne during the halftime ceremonies of the Homecoming football game with the Fort Valley Wildcats as Tiger Captain, James Neal, looks on. (4) Miss Lautier, "Miss Alumni," also receives a bouquet at halftime as Mr. L. D. Law, President of the Savannah Alumni Chapter, looks

on approvingly. (5) The royal court of beauty, Mrs. C. V. Troup, Mr. L. D. Kennedy, General Alumni Association President, and President and Mrs. W. K. Payne watch the Tigers lose a hard fought battle to the Wildcats, 20-18. (6) Captain James Neal moves in on Calvin Turner of the Wildcats during the third period, as Turner's teammates, Alexander Douse (39) rushes in to assist him.

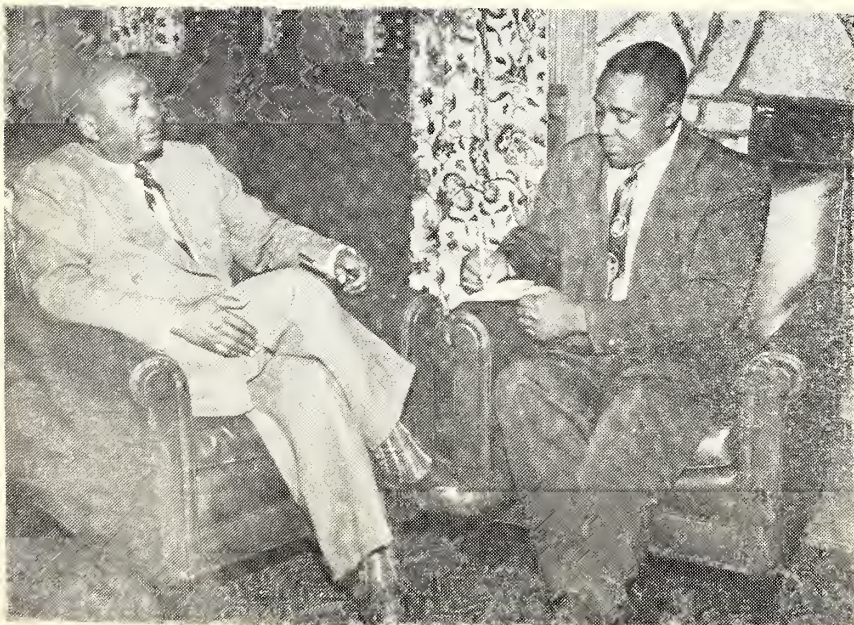
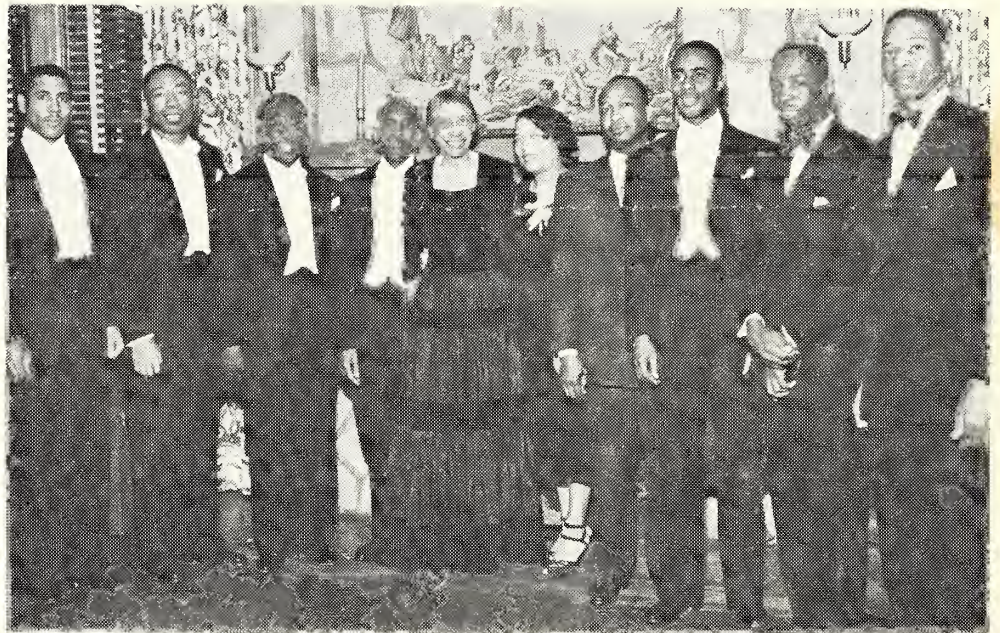
AT THE COMMUNITY HOUSE



FOUNDER'S DAY RECEPTION—Principals in the Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Founder's Day activities chat with Pres. and Mrs. W. K. Payne at the Community House following their founder's Day Program in Meldrim Auditorium, Sunday, November 12. They are from left to right, Mrs. W. K. Payne; Miss Harry Mae Simons, Basileus, Omicron Sigma, Memphis, Tenn., who was guest speaker at the Founder's Day Program, during the regular Sunday Vesper Hour; Miss Elizabeth Toles, Omicron Sigma, Memphis, Tenn.; and Mrs. Nona Hopkins, Alpha Iota Sigma, Savannah, Georgia. Alpha Iota Sigma graduate chapter, Savannah, and Alpha Iota undergraduate chapter, Savannah State College, were joint sponsors of the Program and Reception.

JUBILEE SINGERS APPEAR—On Tuesday evening, November 21, at 8:00 p. m. the Jubilee Singers, formerly of Fisk University, appeared in concert before an overflow crowd in Meldrim Auditorium. Their appearance marked the opening of the 1950-51 Lyceum series. Following the concert, a Reception was held at the College Community House. Shown above are the members of the receiving line. They are left to right: Mr. Brooks Alexander, Baritone for the Jubilee Singers; Mr. Matthew Kennedy, pianist; Mr. Starling Hatchett, Tenor; Mr. Colston LeGrand, Bass; Mrs. James A. Meyers, Director; Mrs. W. K. Payne; Pres. W. K. Payne; Mr. Norton Evans, Tenor; Mr. Hilliary R. Hatchett, Acting Chairman of the Dept. of Fine Arts, and Mr. R. C. Long, Sr., Acting Chairman, Dept. of Business.

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MR. M. E. JACKSON INTERVIEWS PRESIDENT PAYNE

—On November 23, 1950, Mr. Marion E. Jackson was at Savannah State College to cover the Annual Turkey-Day Classic between the SSC Tigers and the Purple Lions of Paine College. While here, Mr. Jackson interviewed Pres. W. K. Payne at the Community House about the College in general. Mr. Jackson is Sports Editor of the Atlanta Daily World.

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News Roundup - Divisional and Departmental

Language and Literature Department

The Department of English at Savannah State College is instructing trade students in composition for the Division of Trades and Industries at the request of the latter.

These classes are conducted voluntarily by prospective teachers of English who are gaining actual practice which will enable them to become better teachers.

This unusual program of cooperation was conceived when Professor H. F. Bowman, Assistant Technician of Masonry, conferred with Professor J. Randolph Fisher, Chairman, Department of Languages and Literature, concerning the need of coaching for special trade students, many of whom are veterans lacking the benefits of a high school education.

Professor Fisher immediately tackled the problem, developing the project which is now popularly called, "The Division of Trades and Industries Department of Languages and Literature Project in English," conducted by English majors. The most competent and capable students were searched out and invited to join the project. The number of prospective participants greatly exceeded the instructional demand which resulted in a handpicked group being selected on the basis of scholarship, ability, interest and reliability.

Officials of the project have been praised for their undertaking which has enjoyed tremendous success in the few weeks it has been in progress.

The plan at present requires one student teacher to conduct the afternoon classes for a day and to distribute writer assignments among the project group for grading. Weekly meetings are held to evaluate the program and to invite recommendations or criticisms which may add to its effectiveness. The project organization includes student officers and a supervisor whose functions are independent of the regular college department.

Students who are working with the project are: Miss Lillie Belle Johnson, Miss Mildred Boyd, Secretary; Miss Carolyn Lewis, Miss Emma Mayo, Miss Mary L. Telfair, Miss Alethia Sheriff, Mr. Hosea J. Lofton, Field Secretary, and Miss Corine Williams, Chairman. All these students are juniors and seniors with teaching in mind.

Faculty officials are Professor J. Randolph Fisher, Supervisor, assisted by Prof. H. F. Bowman, and Prof. Arthur Carter, Assistant Technician in masonry. Mr. W. B. Nelson is chairman of the Division of Trades and Industries. Project has sanction of Pres. Payne and Dean Meyers.

Business

The Department of Business instituted an orientation program on November 10, for all of its majors, designed specifically to keep them constantly informed of all general, special, and new policy matters of the college and the department that will affect them while here.

The orientation sessions are held each Friday from 12:30 to 1:20 p. m. in the assembly room of the business building, Boggs Hall. The full time members of the departmental staff conduct the orientation periods.

Subjects to be discussed are: General Information, History of the College, The College Calendar, Admission, Estimated General Expenses, Scholarships, Registration, Degrees, The Business Education Program, The Secretarial Science Program, Job Opportunities for Business Education (Teachers) majors, Administration and Management majors, and secretarial Science majors. A program listing each topic and the staff person designated to discuss each topic has been placed in the hands of all business students. A program is also posted on the bulletin board.

Mr. Robert C. Long, chairman of the department, conducted the first meeting on November 10. Mr. Franklin Carr, assistant professor of accounting, conducted the second meeting on Friday, November 17, and Miss Albertha Boston, instructor in secretarial science, conducted the third meeting on December 1.

Plans are now being made to offer certain business courses to business majors attending evening classes. It is hoped that Accounting, Business Law, Salesmanship, Money and Banking and typewriting will be among the courses offered.

Planning for Business Education Institute

The idea of a job clinic for seniors was chosen with a view towards helping graduating seniors to find jobs. The following seminars will be conducted: "Where Do I Look for Job Contacts?" "How Do I Catch The Employer's Eye?" "What About That Letter of Application?" "How Do I Dress During the Interview?" "I'm Still Confused" "Questions and Answers." "Rubbing Elbows With Men Who Know," will be the concluding seminar.

The department will bring prospective employers to the campus. Among them will be State and City employment agents; high school principals; and business operators and managers. In this manner students will learn firsthand, what prospective employers want.

Religious Emphasis Week to Be Observed February 4-8

Savannah State College will observe Religious Emphasis Week February 4-8, 1951. The purpose of the week is to make religion a living reality on the college campus.

Rev. A. J. Hargrett, college minister, announces that plans are well underway for the event, and that this year's observance promises to be one of the best in the history of the College.

Several outstanding speakers will participate in the week-long program. Among them will be Dr. Harry V. Richardson, President of Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. Melvin Watson, Dean of the School of Religion at Morehouse College in Atlanta; Dr. Thomas C. Allen, Co-Secretary, Department of Race Relations of The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, and the Federation of Churches, Washington, D. C.; and Mr. Charles M. Jones, for seven years, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, University of North Carolina.

There are 14 committees, composed of 100 students, presently carrying out plans to make the week a success.

Also, all local ministers and their congregations have been especially invited to attend the sessions.

Annual Homecoming Parade A Gala Success

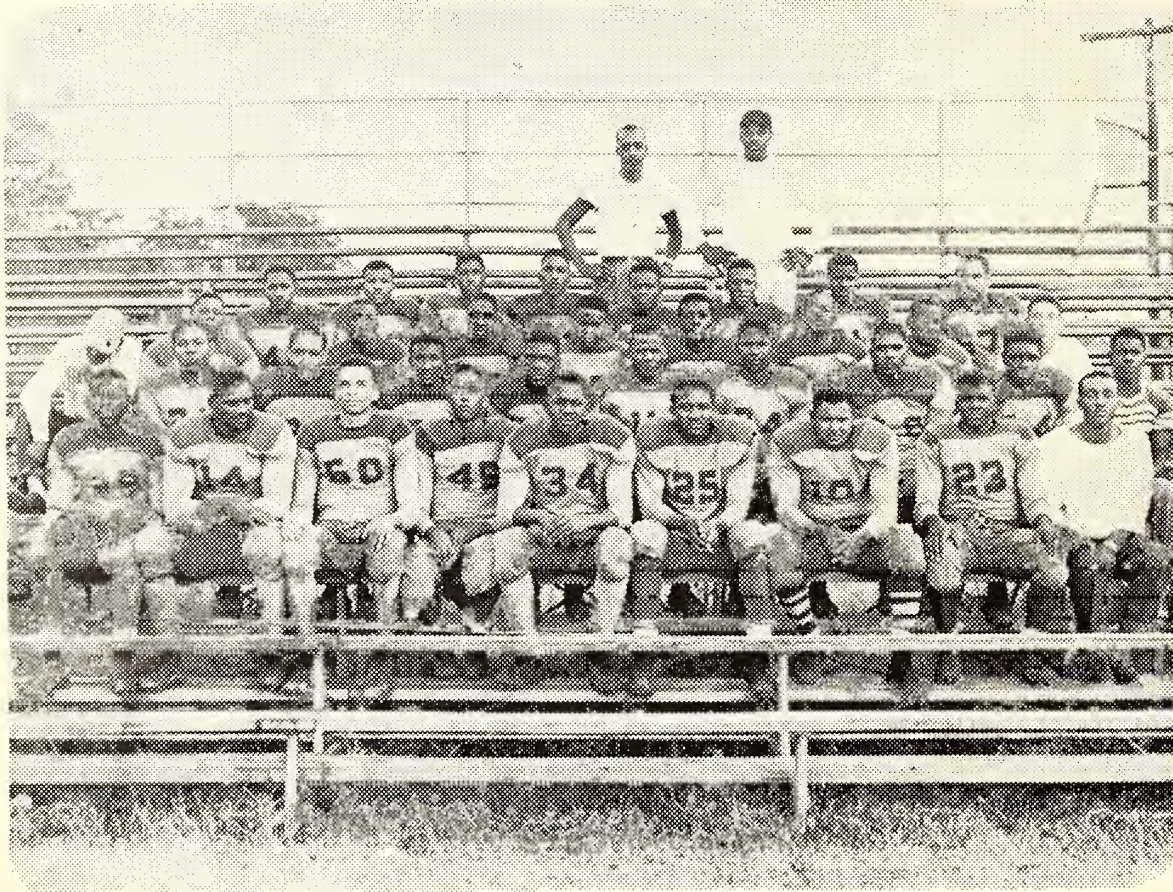
Thousands of friends, alumni, and former students watched the colorful, mammoth, magnificent, Savannah State College Annual Homecoming Parade with fervent, breathless admiration, as the float-bedecked column, with pretty girls, marching units and marching bands splattered in between, got underway at 1:30 p. m.

Among the most colorful floats in the parade were the Home Economics floats which featured the moon, the stars and little angels; "Miss Savannah State's float which was a beautiful, miniature home and garden scene, and the Fine Arts float which was based on a Greek myth. "Miss Fine Arts" rode in a chariot, drawn over the clouds by the dove of peace and goodwill. The Trades and Industries float also rated tops. Representing the progress of industry, the Queen of Trades and Industry sat on her throne surrounded by the "Wheels of Industrial Progress."

There were approximately 39 floats in the parade which represented downtown business concerns, fraternities, sororities, the various classes, Alumni Chapter floats and other campus or-

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THE 1950 TIGERS



vannah; Theodore Wright, Thunderbolt, Ga.; Alex Ellis, Savannah; and Jesse Morgan, Savannah.

Two outstanding Tiger players, Robert "Nancy Hanks" Slocum, and C. P. Harris were named on the Pittsburgh Courier All-American second team by Mr. Marion E. Jackson, Sports Editor of the Atlanta Daily World. Slocum and Joseph Turner, Tiger Co-captain were named to the All-SEAC, offensive first team.

The official 1950-51 basketball schedule of the SSC Tigers was also decided at the SEAC Committee meeting in Orangeburg, December 7, and will be announced later. The 1950 cagers have been practicing for several weeks, and show promise of ending up in the first division at the end of the 1950-51 season.

SSC TIGERS WINNERS OF 1950 SEAC FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE TO BE ANNOUNCED LATER

The Savannah State College Tigers, with newly appointed Head Coach John "Big John" Martin at the helm, completed their 1950 season of 8 games with 4 wins, 3 losses, and 1 tie. This record makes the Tigers the 1950 Southeastern Athletic Conference champions. The Tigers were named conference champs at the annual post-gridiron season meeting at Claflin College, Orangeburg, S. C., on December 7, 1950.

The Tigers have a conference record of 4 wins, 1 loss and 1 tie. Their 1950 record is as follows: Kentucky State 13, SSC 0; Claflin 2, SSC 18; Morris College 0, SSC, 27; Bethune-Cookman 32, SSC 13; Albany State 6, SSC 13; Fort Valley State 20, SSC 18; Paine College 0, SSC 33. The Tigers racked up a total of 122 points to their opponents 73, to make their average per game 15.25 points. They scored in every game at least twice, with the exception of their encounter with Kentucky State College.

The runner-up for the title, 2nd place, Morris College, was trounced by the Tigers, 27-0. Morris played four conference games, won 3 and lost one. Bethune-Cookman, mythical champions of the SEAC, played only two conference games.

ELEVEN PLAYERS GRADUATE

Eleven SSC players all seniors, saw action for the last time in their college

career in the Annual Turkey-Day Classic with Paine College at Savannah. They are: Collis Florence, Statesboro; Kenneth Hawkins, Dayton, Ohio; Richard Lyles, Baltimore, Md.; Clarence Reynolds, Savannah; Calvin Smalls, Quitman; Matthew Vinson, Macon; Perry Williams, Columbus; Edgar Worlds, Sa-

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vanizations. The procession was over two miles long and in addition to the many beautiful floats was composed of the Moultrie High School Band, the Beach High School Band, the Ballard-Hudson High Band, the Savannah State Band; flag groups from Local American Legion Posts 513 and 500, the Savannah Marine Corps base, and a marching unit from Hunter Field.



FORMER SSC ATHLETES SEE ALMA MATER DOWN PAINE COLLEGE 33-0 IN ANNUAL TURKEY-DAY CLASSIC—These former SSC athletes posed for the photographer along with Pres. W. K. Payne and Athletic Director, Theodore A. Wright after the Paine College-SSC football game on Thanksgiving Day. They are from left to right: front row, R. E. Lockette, halfback, '35-38; A. A. "Brick" Mason, tackle, '35-38; M. C. Blount, end and basketball forward, '40-41; Pres. W. K. Payne; Mr. L. D. Law, end, '28-31; N. R. Freeman, end, '42-43; Robert B. Washington, end, '36-37; Virgil C. Demery, halfback and fullback, '36-38; back row from right to left, Boston Williams, halfback, '47-50; James M. White, tackle, '47-50; G. H. McCord, tackle, '46-49; L. W. Schmidt, halfback, '47-50; Athletic Director Theodore R. Wright; Roger B. Jones, basketball, '36-38; John H. Myles, halfback, '39-43; Noah Lester, halfback, '46-49; and Frank B. Mullins, halfback, '46-47.





