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#### Lecture Features Civil War Speaker

History majors and particularly those interested in the American Civil War may be interested in attending a lecture March 2, which will be given in the Jenkins Auditorium by Mr. Bell Irvin Wiley, Professor of History at Emory University. The attendance for this lecture is voluntary. Dr. Wiley's topic is "Jefferson Davis as President of the Confederacy.'

A required lecture has been tentatively set for March 3 at 11:00 A.M. at the Weis Cinema. The topic of this lecture is entitled "The Common Man in the Crisis of the American Civil War.

Dr. Wiley was born in Halls, Tennessee, on January 5, 1906. He and his wife are the parents of two boys. He received his Masters' Degree at the University of Kentucky and his Ph.D. from Yale University. He has taught in several colleges including the University of Mississippi, Louisiana State University, the University of Colorado, and the University of Alaska.

Dr. Wiley joined the faculty of Emory in 1949. During the academic year of 1965-66, he taught at Queens College, Oxford University while on leave from Emory.

Professor Wiley has written a total of twenty-one books. Among the best known are: The Life of Johnny Reb: The Common Soldier of the Confederacy; The Life of Billy Yank; The Common Soldier of the Union; and The Embattled Confederates; An Il-

#### Announcement

All students in the Teacher-Education Program who plan to do their student teaching during the 1967-1968 school year are requested to attend a meeting in Jenkins Auditorium, tomorrow at 12:30. Applications and assignments will be discussed.



Professor Bell Wiley of Emory University

Iustrated History of Southerners at

Professor Wiley has been awarded the Currier Research Fellowship, the Julius Rosenwald Fellowship, and the Rockerfeller Foundation Post-War Fellowship. He was appointed to the Civil War Centenial Commission by President Eisenhower in December of 1957, and appeared on the national ABC television program, "Meet the Professor," during 1962.

# Homecoming Plans Made; Students Approve Ring

by Sandy Beasley

Mr. Dale Price, Director of Student Activities has given the tentative plans for student activities during the next two quarters. First on the agenda for Winter Quarter will be the Homecoming Events scheduled to begin on February 15, continuing through February 17. The Homecoming basketball game will be held Wednesday night and, as plans stand now, a student-faculty basketball game will be held Thursday night, followed possibly by a barbeque and a hootenany. On Friday night the Homecoming dance will be held in the Student Center with music by the Group Therapy, coming directly from Holland.

Mr. Price indicated that a Home-

coming Parade was being considered, but because of problems posed by the Campus location, plans regarding the parade are still indefinite.

Tentative plans for Spring Quarter call for "a big spring Attraction of some sort - possibly another concert to be followed later in the quarter by Pioneer Days and finally the Spring

# Masquers Open Season With "Rules of the Game"

The Armstrong State College Masquers have planned a full season. The major production, The Rules of the Game, by Luigi Pirandello, and also two one-acts, The Lady of Lockspur Lotion, by Tennessee Williams, and Afraid To Fight, by Albert Bermel will be presented.

Frank Chew, director of Masquers, held try-outs for the production of The Rules of the Game at Jenkins Hall auditorium over a period of two nights. Mr. Chew selected the cast.

and work was begun immediately to make this play a success.

The Rules of the Game was written by Luigi Pirandello, whom critics have called the greatest philosopherplaywright of the Twentieth Century. Pirandello was a man "primarily concerned with the individual as a human animal torn between blind desires and social obligations, unable to dis-tinguish between illusion and reality, treading a thin, dangerous line between insanity and conscious suffering, seeking and never finding a solution to the mystery of life itself."

The cast for The Rules of the Game is headed by Hugh Cobb, Yvonne Tenney, and Bill Ross. Also featured are /Al Jokela, Alan Smith, John Spence, Toni Hill, Dennis Donnelly, Mary McCoy, Sandra Gottlieb, Sally Lovell, Gail Gilpin, and Florence Williams. The play will be presented in Jenkins Hall auditorium Feb. 22-25 at 8:00 P.M. each night.

The casts for the two one-acts were also selected. Hugh Cobb, Sally Lovell and Mary McCoy for The Lady of Lockspur Lotion, and Bill Ross and Toni Hill for Afraid to Fight. These plays will be presented on March 10.

Ring Approved by 75%

The ring, as designed by Josten has been approved by over 75% of those who voted. Mr. Price said that the percentage of those who voted against the ring would probably have been less if they had carefully read the letter posted in the Student Center above the projected design of the ring. Many of those voting "No" indicated on their ballots that they did not approve of various features of the ring, e.g., shape and/or color of the stone.

Mr. Dallas Tarkinton was on Campus during the week of January 23 to talk with Mr. Price and make definite plans concerning orders for the ring. Mr. Tarkington stated that a design for a lady's ring is being drawn up and will be mailed shortly for the students to view.

Digressing somewhat from actual student activities Mr. Price responded rather enthusiastically to the more nebulous subject of the prevailing school spirit. Mr. Price stated that he was very encouraged about school spirit and continued by saying that it is important to realize that there are measures of school spirit other than those ordinarily thought of, attendance at basketball games and pep

#### Price Comments on Annual

He said that there has been a "tremendous improvement in the area of student publications." Referring specifically to the Geechee, Mr. Price stated that work on the annual is "progressing nicely" and the staff of the Geechee will more than likely meet their final deadline March the

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photo by Donnelly

Yvonne Tenney auditions for a leading role in "The Rules of the

### Three Buildings Scheduled For Construction in April

Construction on the new science, general classroom, and student center buildings is scheduled to begin during the month of April, 1967, to be completed by September, 1968.

The chemistry, nursing, and dental hygiene departments will move into the new science building, however the physics & biology departments will remain in the present science building. Included in the new building will be a spectroscopy laboratory, instrument laboratory, glass blowing laboratory, solvent room, research laboratory,

analytical laboratory, and larger inorganic and organic qualitative labora-

The classroom building will house the psychology, history, and education departments. The psychology department will be located on the second floor. There will be twentyeight cells for research purposes. Included in these cells are animal quarters, animal laboratorys, and sound-proof rooms. Dr. Cormach, Professor of Phychology, stated that

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#### THE INKWELL

Art Editor Linda McGreevy

Sports Editor Jimmy Clayton

Advisor: Mrs. Mary Strong

# editorials

As Armstrong State College examines its growth potential and makes plans for new buildings and expansion, the Inkwell looks sorrowfully on its not-sobright future. Because of the unexpected drop of four hundred students from the projected enrollment, the lokwell has suffered as have other organizations.

The limited budget, even more limited because of the cut, may create new problems for the newspaper. At present a portion of the money each quarter is gained by advertisement; and this could in probability fill the lack, if the Inkwell became a four-page ad sheey. It is not difficult to realize the uncompromising figures which remind the business staff that on the present bedget it is impossible to print more than eleven editions per year (four quarters). Although we have received many favorable comments from the administration, faculty, and students, members of the Armstrong community still continually press the staff to print more editions each quarter.

True, too, the Inkwell cannot grow until journalism becomes an established part of the curriculum. There is a definite interest in this field of English on campus. Being a four-year institution, Armstrong has entered unknowingly the competition with other senior colleges of long standing. Existence is the only requisite for this competitive spirit, but nevertheless it does exist; and one of the major points of judging criteria is the student newspaper. Daily, students of Armstrong State College compare the Inkwell to other long established newspapers of educational centers which have journalism departments.

At present the only courses being offered are non-credit courses in newswriting. These courses are definitely not enough for a growing educational institute, and many students cannot find the time to take these courses which offer no credit and apply to no degree. As a growing liberal arts school, Armstrong is incomplete without journalism, a major form of writing which can improve the content of the Inkwell and familiarize students with journalistic techniques

As the Inkwell is continually charged to respond to growth by growing and progressing in itself, we charge Armstrong to respond with the necessary aid.

# 12 Brazilian Students Visit Armstrong Campus

by Sally Lovell

A group of twelve Brazilian students, on an American culture study, came to Armstrong's campus on January 6th. Most of these students were from St. Paul, Brazil, and were between the ages of seventeen and twenty; however, only two of them were college students. The remainder were high school students or were working to pay for their college edu-

These students, making an experiment in international living, live in a home where they are to be treated as guests; but no other special attention is to be given to them. In this way they learn the customs of families living in the United States

The students were taken on a tour of the campus and were shown each building. They were particularly interested in the student center, showing amazement at the food and drink machines. They commented that they had never seen anything like them. This same astonishment was shown when they saw the copying machine in the library.

The Brazilian students had previcently vinited Sevannah State Col-The Truffic Court, Chatham Nursing Home, a runnage sale, Union Hag, and the City Jail where one of the members of the group tried on the

handcuffs for size

Most of the students had been taking English in school since the fifth grade, and they spoke this language quite well. The group attended an ASC basketball game during their visit and cheered for the ASC team along with the students. The members of the group were delightfully friendly, and conversational.



Brazilian students visit the Armstrong campus during a tour of Savannah.



# Literary Club Makes Early Plans for Literary Magazine

The Armstrong Literary Club met January 24 and elected officers and a magazine staff. Bill Strong was elected president; Cynthia Hagan, vicepresident; Renee Tjoumas, secretarytreasurer; Sue Jaye Punzel, editor-inchief, and Linda McGreevy, art editor.

Elizabeth Mathes, Toni Hill, Mary McCoy, Jayne Purvis, Deborah Keller-man, Hugh Cobb, John Cason, Larry Thompson, and Dusty Brabham volunteered to be critics in the various fields of drama, poetry, fiction, and

The Literary Club also chose Dr. Robert Strozier as faculty adviser-in-chief, and invited Dr. Coyle to serve as faculty adviser in criticism of poetry, Mr. Chew in drama, Miss Nicora in short stories, Dr. Seals in essays and literary research, Mr. Beecher in history and philosophy, and Dr. Crider in scientific research.

In other activities, the club decided the dates for discussion of William Syron's novel Lie Down is Darkness to be February 26 and Mard 5. The first discussion will be o the literary techniques used by Syron the second on the novel's psychological levels, in which the Psycholog Club plans to participate. This is the first step in which the Literary Club hopes to be a growing interaction be tween the campus' various clubs.

The Fall Quarter of the 1967 s projected date of publication of student literary magazine. The magazine is to consist of students' write ings edited by the Literary Club's student staff. Dr. Strozier reports that the club has a "healthy backles of literary contributions, and the only thing needed now for publication is funds from the administration.

#### Frat to Announce Valuable Player Award at ASC

The second annual Tau Epsilon Phi Most Valuable Player will be an nounced on February 27, following the St. Leo game. The trophy was presented last year to Malcolm Rich.

The judges are the following Marcus Holland, Savannah Moming News; Richard Conley, Evening Press Jay Lingle, WTOC; Dale Price of Student Affairs.

There will be two trophies presented-one for the school and one for the boy chosen as most valuable player. The trophy, presented on February 27, is a permanent possession of the school. Each year a new name is to be engraved. In addition to this, a smaller one will be presented to the player.



Dear Editor,

In answer to the POPE - Profoundly Obscure Palaverish Epistle - I would like to analyze the lofty sentiments expressed, what little can be analyzed out of such terribly intellectual gibberish.

First of all, the honorable author of the POPE betrays his smallness in his hypersensitivity to honest, well-founded criticism. Father Coleman, the "outside" critic, has valid grounds for asserting that few Armstrong students are sincerely seeking truth. And I as an Armstrong student can testify to this from the "inside," without any rose-shaded glasses on. Yet, I do feel Father Coleman overstretched his point when he criticized the faculty for its lack of impact on the community. For I know faculty members who are perhaps more active than the robed critic. But when Father Coleman says that Armstrong students are simply "amusing themselves while awaiting marriage or the draft, I'm afraid the 'outsider' has much insight into many Armstrong students' at-

To quote the highly philosophical statement from the POPE, "Truth is an intangible which can only be sought after in bits and, when found, even in pieces, need not be publicized." Yes, truth comes out in pieces here at Armstrong alright, in parcels neatly labelled 'A, B, C, or D,' give or take a plus.

Oh, it's about those alliterative "bearded bunch of berserk beatniks," as the POPE so poetically purloined from E. E. Cummings or someone: as for those rabble-rousers (who happen to have no beards), I would like to assert that open opposition to an egregious evil, protest against bigotry's victory, is a very meaningful expression. And if anyone in search of that cloudy mystic Isle of Hope, if he thinks otherwise. . .well, I just hope he doesn't find that that Sacred Isle has been destroyed by the bomb before he reaches It. How does that trivial bit of pessimism 'bump' you, baby?

Bill Strong Sophomore

ON THE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF LUIGI PIRANDELLO

The ASC Masquers Present THE RULES OF THE GAME

February 22 - 26 Curtain time 8:00 P.M.



Phone: 354-9715



#### Dr. Ro Gives Views On Involvement Political

by John Cason

In an interview with an Inkwell reporter Mr. Ro of the history department was asked, "Do you approve of student and faculty involvement in politics?" His answer:

"Fundamentally I have no objection: democracy can't survive without the political involvement of its citizens. It seems to me that recent arguments over this question are a manifestation of the tendancy of regarding politics as an entertainment for the life in the private cave. I believe political interest should be revived at all levels of American society.

"Since the campus is not a political organization political activity on campus should be carried on within limits, or as a part of academic activity. Faculty members should be aware of their responsibility to the academic community and to the national community, so that they might advise the students and clarify the issues. The problem is to define the

activities of the students.
"Since the mid-fifties there has been a climate of opinion that scholars should not commit themselves to political ideals. But as Aristotle said,

#### Construction

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the phychology section of the building should be one of the finest undergraduate sections in this area.

The student center costing over \$700,000, will have on the first floor a large dining area an informal lounge, and private student dining areas. On the second floor there will be offices for student organization leaders, conference rooms, and a T.V. lounge. The new cafeteria will offer a larger selection of food than is pre-sently offered with expanded room in the kitchen and serving areas.

Dr. Ashmore, President of Armstrong State College, stated that the addition of these new facilities "puts us in the position of being the best institution of our kind in the state."

> The Statement "In Loving Memory of Walt Disney" was a paid advertisement,

a paid political announcement by the friends of Woodrow Wilson man is a political animal. A critical commitment to ideas is well-nigh indispensable to the instruction of the student. The academic life of the student should not be sacrificed to political activities; the two should go together. In this way, the student can train himself to be a responsible citi-

"In a state where the voting age is eighteen the law virtually requires the involvement of students in politics. I can't understand the idea that it should be otherwise. The real question is, 'How can the student reasonably exercise his rights and privileges?' And this applies not only to students but to all citizens.''

Mr. Ro said that he hoped to see more student activity on the Armstrong campus, especially academic activity. In his words, "The campus is a little too quiet."

#### FILM SERIES PRESENTS BIRTH OF A NATION

"The Birth of a Nation" will be presented on Friday, February 10. Because of the length of this film, it will be presented at 7:00 p.m. instead of the usual 8:00 time. This film is a classic of the American Civil War.



A scene from "The Birth of a Nation.'

#### Student Activities

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In concluding he said the private dorm which is scheduled for completion by September should serve as an added stimulus to the ASC student body. "Students are slowly, but surely beginning to see Armstrong as being their college. Because of this more students are becoming more involved with college life, and the atmosphere of the drive-in college will soon be a thing of the past."

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# BASKETBALL REVIEW

#### Geechees Rout Lions

A fired up band of Armstrong State Geechees, led by the outstanding play of Bobby and Tommy Cannon, got back in winning form on Saturday, January 21, by defeating Piedmont College, 96 to 70.

Bobby led all players in scoring with 28 points, pulled down 8 rebounds, and played an outstanding floor game for the Geechees. Brother Tommy contributed 12 points and pulled down 16 rebounds against the taller Lions. J John Tatum added 18 and Dunny Sims 17, to aid the Geechee cause.

# Cannon Leads Team To Second Place Tournament Finish

by Malcolm Rich

The Armstrong College Geechees faltered and blew a 16 point lead in the final quarter but held on to down Georgia Southwestern College, 75-74, in the first round of the West Georgia Invitational Tournament held in Carrollton Ga.

Bobby Cannon, the taller half of the Cannon boys, was the big gun for the Geechees as he poured in 17 points and pulled down rebounds to pave the way. Bobby was not alone though as he had plenty of help from teammate John Tatum with 17 points and also twin brother Tommy who chipped in with 14.

The Geechees held a comfortable 60-44 lead at intermission but became stagnant in the second half and the margin narrowed to one point. Danny Sims, Danny Hattrich, and Bobby all fouled out in the fourth quarter aiding to the Southwestern surge.

The following night the Geechees met a determined group of Jaguars from Augusta College and bowed to the tune of a 73-61 score. The Geechees trailed by only 4 points at the halfway mark, but could not make up the difference in the second half.



Bobby Cannon

Bobby Cannon played a superb game as he led the Geechee scoring attack with 17 points and 17 rebounds. Danny Sims and Danny Hattrich each added 13 points to the Geechee attack. The Geechees placed two men on the All Tournament team, Bobby Cannon and Danny Sims were both selected for their outstanding tournament play.

Piedmont stayed in the game for only the first ten minutes, as the fast-breaking Geechees turned numerous steals into easy layupts. Armstrongs ability to control the basketball was the difference in the game. Although both teams hit 46%, the Geechees outrebounded the Lions 54 to 40.

# BSU SCHEDULES NOON LECTURES

The Baptist Student Union is currently sponsoring a lecture series entitled, "What We Believe and Why," and attendance has been extremely high thus far.

The series, which is being held in room 9 of the Armstrong gym each Friday at 12:30, is designed to give students an insight into the beliefs and doctrines of other faiths, religions, and denominations. Religious leaders representing Judaism, Catholicism, Mormon, Jehovah Witness, and others have been booked to speak.

Over 60 students turned out to hear Father Thomas Paris of St. Paul's Greek Orthodox Church during the "kick-off" meeting January 20. On January 27, Mr. Paul Heisel of Atlanta, came to speak on behalf of the Christian Science movement.

Father Michael Smith will speak February 3 on "What Catholics Be-



by Spencer Dillard and Patrick Kelly

MORE RULES: This quarter the Masquers of Armstrong State College and presenting Luigi Pirandello's The Rules of the Game on February 22 through February 25. Make your plans now to attend.

OOPS: Friday night during the showing of Il Grido the audience was treated to an unexpected exchange of pleasantries between Bill Ross and the projector when it refused to cooperate.

FREE FEED: The Newman Club of ASC is sponsoring the second annual Ecumenical Dinner to be held on February 12 at the Cathedral Community Center. The other religious clubs on campus are invited.

PERSONAL NOTE: To anybody to whom it applies: Do unto others, before they do unto you. Take it from one who has been done unto many times.

THOUGHT: In Georgia a young man may vote at 18. He may be drafted and shot at age 18. But he may not drink until he is 21. Are we to assume that our elders take drinking more seriously than voting or dying?

live and Why." The February 10 meeting will feature a leader of the Jewish faith. The series will continue for approximately eight more weeks.

Judging from attendance, there are a number of students interested in getting "first-hand" facts about the various beliefs of different churches, and this is the ultimate goal of the series.

All students are invited to attend the lectures, which are preceded by a free lunch.

#### 2 Players Make Fall Dean's List

Armstrong's Geechees may have run into trouble on the basketball court during their first year of senior competition, but performance in the classroom is another story.

Coach Larry Tapp reports that grade point averages for the fall quarter included a C Plus academic average for the 13 basketball players.

Danny Sims, the little 5'7 playmaker, finished the quarter with a 3.6 classroom average, while Mike Kellett, who played ball last quarter, produced a 3.5 average. Both boys made the Dean's List despite the hours required for participation in basketball. Bobby Cannon tallied a 3.1 academic average to help boost the overall team average.

# SPORTS LITE-OD

As the various departments at Armstrong continue to expand and attempt to provide an interesting and appealing program, the ASC Athletic Department must not be underestimated.

Coach George Bedwell, Director of Intra-murals, has worked diligently to provide a well-rounded sports program for all interested A S C students. The intra-mural basketball leagues got underway January 24 with 13 teams taking part in roundball action. In fact, over 100 boys are participating!

"We've placed the basketball teams into two leagues," commented Bedwell. The Organizational League, composed of school organizations, plays on Tuesday nights, while the six-team Independent League (open to any A S C student) meets on Thursday evenings."

The Organizational League is composed of two fraternities—Alpha Phi Omega and Tau Epsilon Phi—a group of Chemistry majors, and four physical education class teams. The Independents are composed of groups of Armstrong students who "just have

a love for sports."

"We hope to have a championship game between the top team in each league," said Bedwell. "If enough interest is shown, we may even have all-star teams to play the league champs."

#### Varsity Tennis Hopes

The intra-mural tennis program is also making giant strides in its initial year. Some 25 men and women have signed up for the sport and matches are being scheduled for the convenience of the participants. Anyone who wishes to take part may do so by giving Coach Bedwell a listing of your free hours so that schedules may be arranged accordingly.

Coach Bedwell seemed most enthusiastic about the tennis set-up.

"As an outgrowth of the intramurals, plans are in the making for a varsity tennis team. The varsity idea is in the embryonic stage, and we welcome anyone who wishes to compete for the team.

#### Announcement

John W. Diehl of the Bureau of Indian Affairs will be on campus tomorrow to interview any students interested in elementary teaching positions in the Indian Education Program. Interested students should contact Dr. Anderson.

#### More Intramurals

Are the coaches stopping here? Not They're planning even more events, including the formation of a bowling league if enough students are interested in such a program. All bowling enthusiasts should contact Coach Bedwell if they wish to enter a team.

Coach Bedwell was quick to point out that the pool is open to students, faculty members, and their families from 12:30 to 1:20 Monday through Friday, and from 4:30 to 6:00 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Why do the coaches see a need for such an active sports program? Bedwell feels that when accreditation teams come to Armstrong, one of the things they may look for is whether or not we have an effective intra-mural program.