

Co-Op To Open By November 15

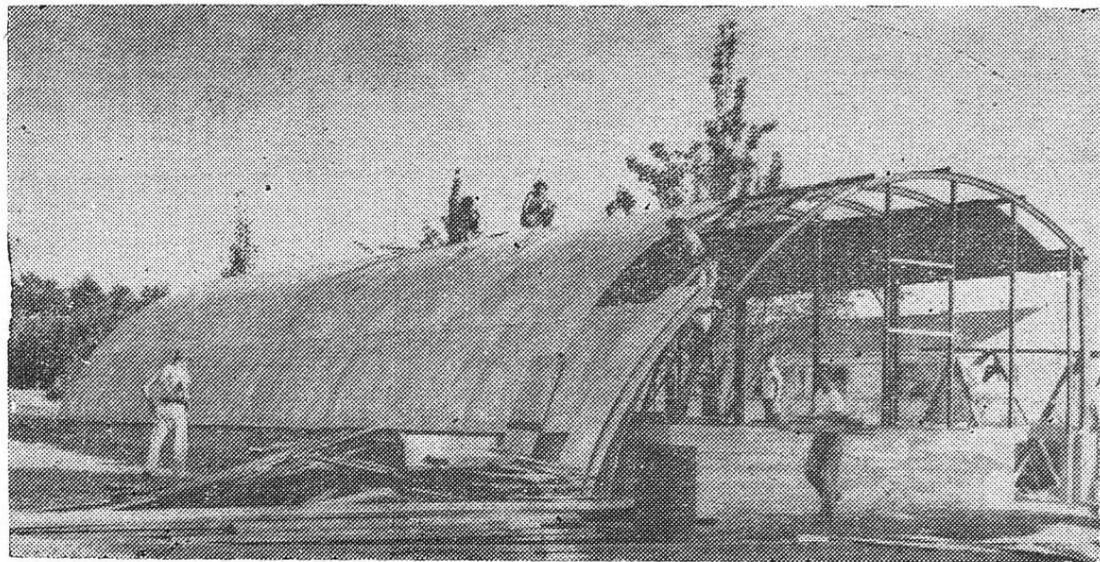
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Co-Op Grocery Quonset Goes Up



Construction of the Co-Op grocery is rapidly nearing completion. Ben Mayberry, President of the student co-operative organization, has announced that the grocery, located near Flavel 1, will open before Nov. 15.

Westminster Choir Set For Campus Concerts

By Neil Evans

The Lyceum Council will present the Westminster Choir, distinguished group of forty voices, on Sunday and Monday, November 3rd and 4th in the University auditorium.

Tickets for the Westminster Choir performance will be reserved for students until five o'clock this afternoon. After today the tickets will no longer be reserved, but available to the general public also. Student tickets are free. Tickets for students' wives and dates are 50 cents, and general admission tickets will be \$1.

Tickets in Advance

"Rich" Richardson, president of the Lyceum Council, cautions that tickets will not be available at the auditorium, but must be obtained in advance at the Florida Union desk. He also advises students to secure tickets for themselves, wives, dates, and parents while they are still reserved.

Programs Divided

Both Sunday's and Monday's programs will be divided into five parts broken by an intermission between the third and fourth parts. The first half of each program consists of choral masterpieces by such composers as Bach, Brahms and Lattl. The second halves will consist of music of a lighter nature.

Sunday's program will not commence until 8:30 p.m. in order to accommodate those attending church who wish to hear the performance that night. Gainesville —Continued on Page THREE

Paper Shortage Hits Alligator

Due to the paper shortage, which will soon force the closing of an estimated 250 newspapers in Florida if relief is not forthcoming. The Alligator was forced to go from an eight to a four-page tabloid this week. We hope to be back to normal by next week.

This issue carries only theatre ads due to the shortage of space for campus news. Our advertisers will be allotted a slight increase in advertising space to make up for this issue when and if the newsprint situation improves.

The Alligator had ordered 6,300 copies of The Collegiate Digest, a photo supplement, but since The Digest has also been hit by the paper shortage, only 2,000 copies are available to our 6,300 subscribers.

Plans For 4 New Buildings On Campus Near Completion

Plans for the addition of many permanent buildings to the campus are nearing completion, George F. Baughman, Assistant Business Manager of the University, revealed this week.

"The plans for the new \$500,000 cafeteria extension are very near completion and should be released this week," Baughman said. "At the last meeting of the Board of Control we were given authority to submit the plans to contractors and receive bids," he added.

Library Extension

The \$900,000 library extension is still in the planning stage, but the plans should be completed in the near future. Also in the planning

stage is the new \$1,200,000 gymnasium. The plans for the gigantic new administration and classroom building are still in the embryonic stage. The site for such a building is still undecided.

Sewage Plant Begun

Construction has begun on the \$230,000 sewage disposal plant. When the sewage disposal plant is completed, the pilot plant will be used extensively as an educational and experiment facility.

Others Planned

Many other buildings such as the Chemistry Building Extension, the Agriculture Building extension, and the proposed engineering buildings are still in the preliminary planning stages.

Sullivan To Head FSCW Gator Men

In a recent election of student officers, John Sullivan was chosen President of the Student Body for the ensuing semester at the Tallahassee branch of the University of Florida.

Sullivan, a member of Theta Chi Fraternity, formerly attended classes on the main campus in Gainesville. He is from Tallahassee.

Other officials of the student body are:

Milton Flack, New York City, vice president; Dean Wentworth, Pensacola, secretary; Robert Sanders, Jacksonville, treasurer; Jesse Wilson, Okeechobee, social chairman.

Air Base Gym Selected As Frolics Dance Site

By "Pen" Gaines

Comparisons of odd degree dominated the annual Fall Frolics picture this week when the Inter-Fraternity Conference, headed by President Joe Sherouse, announced the air base gymnasium as the site for the two dances. The IFC moved into action to map out the attack of certain problems arising from the fact that it will be the first social function for the largest student body in Florida's history.

With the music of Les Brown and his nationally known band flowing from the air base gymnasium, a comparison of war-time significance is drawn, President Sherouse cited.

Reason For Site

In explaining the reasons for having to choose the gym off campus Sherouse listed the following: (1) "the campus gym's floor is being resurfaced for the coming basketball season, and having the floor resurfaced after the two dances would cause a great deal of added expense; (2) a basketball game is scheduled at the gym for Friday night... (3) bleachers have been set up, and it requires two and a half days for their removal and return. For these reasons, we are forced to leave the campus."

Many Advantages

In looking at the other side of the picture, Sherouse listed the advantages of the air base "dance hall": "The gym will accommodate

Branch To Open At Air Base Within 6 Weeks - Mayberry

By Ted Shurtleff

Building of the Student Co-Op Grocery will be complete within a week and the opening will be before the 15th of this month, Ben Mayberry announced today.

Mayberry, who is president of the board of directors of the students' cooperative exchange, inc., said that all fixtures for the building have been obtained and that a merchandise inventory is now being made.

Lee Proposes FBK Changes

A change in the constitution of Florida Blue Key was proposed this week by Herman A. Lee, vice president and nominating committee chairman of the organization. Lee's proposal will allow credit for summer school work toward qualifications and residence. The present Blue Key constitution does not allow summer school credit.

Summer Sessions Count

Lee has asked that two six weeks summer sessions equal one semester, the amended clause to read as follows: "Must have completed five semesters of college work, of which at least three regular semesters have been at the University of Florida, and two six weeks sessions of summer school shall constitute one regular semester."

A two-thirds majority of the active members present at two consecutive meetings is necessary to pass the amendment. The first meeting was held this week and the second is slated for Nov. 12. New members will be selected at that time.

Applications Urged

Students who now can qualify —Continued on Page THREE

Frolics Tickets For Non-Frats Go On Sale

Non-fraternity student tickets for the annual Inter-Fraternity Conference's Fall Frolics went on sale Tuesday afternoon, and will continue to be sold every afternoon from 3 to 5 in the Florida Union until Nov. 17, or until the 1,600 available ducats are gone, it was announced today by Bill Byrd.

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Chris F. Bracewell, general manager, has been meeting with wholesalers during the week to secure adequate stocks. He assures members that there will be plenty of fresh meat for the opening.

Scarce Items Rationed

Scarce items will be distributed under a rationing system designed to see that each member receives his share.

The building, which is of quonset type, is near Flavel Village No. 1, or, specifically, between the Duplicating Department and the Wood Products Laboratory. A \$6,000 grant from the Florida State Cabinet is financing construction.

Branch Planned

With the opening of the University grocery still a week or two away, plans are being pushed to open a branch store at the Air Base to accommodate the 107 married couples and the single men who live there or in the vicinity. The Air Base branch will be opened within the next six weeks, Mayberry said.

In this connection, Mayberry stressed that membership in the Co-Op Grocery is open to any student, married or single. The fee is \$15.50, used for initial capital, but when the student leaves the University he is refunded all except .50. Any money clearing overhead will be returned to the members in shares according to purchases.

Membership to date is approximately 425.

Service Station

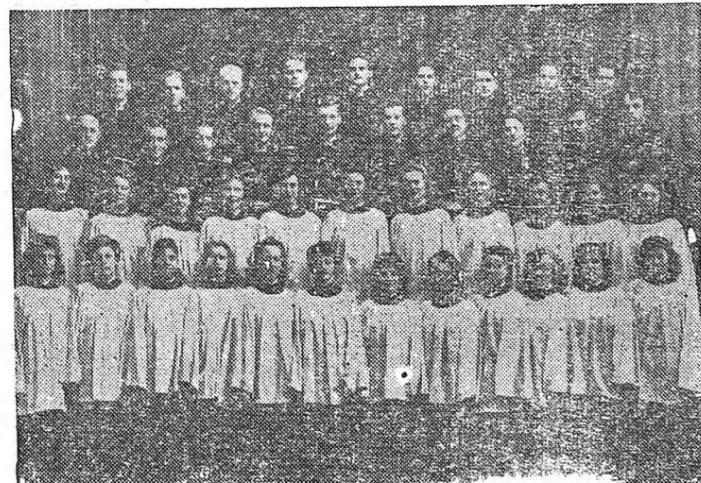
Next meeting of the board of directors is Tuesday, November 5, in Florida Union. Members will hear a report from a committee, of which J. L. Buggs is chairman, on the possibility of opening a Co-Op Service Station at the Air Base. Present plans are for renovating the station which was there when the Army had the base.

No More "Who's Who" Selections

The University of Florida, along with many other large universities, has discontinued entering men in "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities" because, Dean R. C. Beatty said this week. "It has ceased to hold the significance it once did."

the same number of couples as the campus floor. It can be heated in —Continued on Page THREE

Westminster Choir To Appear Here



The Westminster Choir, composed of 40 voices, will be sponsored by the Lyceum Council in a concert at the University auditorium at 8:30 p. m. Nov. 3 and 8:00 p. m., Nov. 4. This is the first postwar transcontinental tour taken by the outstanding choral group.

Statistics Show Gators' Offense

By Hugo Spitz
The University of Florida put up a gallant battle against the powerful University of North Carolina last Saturday and went down to defeat, 40-19.

In a wide open football game, 18,000 homecoming fans jammed Kenan Stadium at Chapel Hill to witness the brilliant running of Charley Justice and the accurate passing of Florida's Doug Belden.

Williams Standout

Right End Broughton Williams was a big cog in the Gators' aerial attack. In the second period he grabbed a short pass from Belden in the end zone for Florida's first score. Late in the third period he took a pass from Hal Griffin, eluded two Tarheels and ran 37 for the score. Williams caught five of the fifteen passes completed to regain the position of leading pass receiver in the country.

Belden To Turner

Florida's other score came early in the third period when Belden rifled a short pass to End Bill Turner in the end zone.

The Tarheel attack was led by Charley "Choo-Choo" Justice, who ran through the Florida team for two touchdowns, one on a 70 yard punt return, the other on a 90 yard kickoff return.

Although the score read 40-19, the Gators outgained the Tarheels by 95 yards. They completed 15 out of 39 passes and ran up 12 first downs to North Carolina's 11.

Midnite Movie Off This Week

Since the Gators have an open date this week there will be no midnight movie at the Florida Theatre this Saturday night. There will, however, be one as usual after the Georgia-Florida game.

Lee

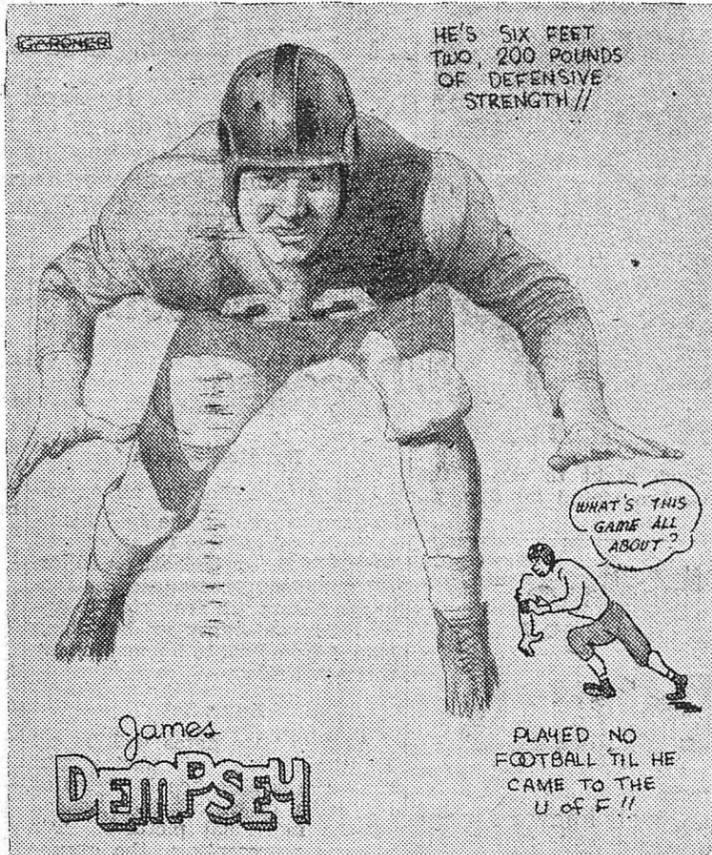
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under the new amendment, even though it hasn't been passed, are urged to submit their applications. If the new amendment is carried, those applications will be considered with those previously submitted, Lee stated. All applications should be typed, activities grouped and submitted at Florida Union desk before Nov. 5 at 5 p.m.

Won't Lower Standards

"The proposed change will not in any way lower the high standards required for entrance into Florida Blue Key, but will permit students to become members who go to school the year around, who otherwise could never meet the residence requirements," Lee said.

Dempsey--Standout Gator Tackle



Executive Council Passes Committee Nominations

By George Kowkabany

The Executive Council at its regular meeting last week approved the nomination of Sam Gibbons as Secretary of Labor and Walter Timberlake as assistant Secretary of Interior. Also approved was the nomination by Chancellor Herb Stallworth of Ted Camp to fill a vacancy on the Honor Court from the College of Business Administration.

Crews Reports

Secretary of Veterans Affairs, John Crews, reported that a War Assets Administration man would be obtaining surplus property. After Committee reports, President Harry Parham appointed a number of committees to further student projects.

To investigate the possibilities of acquiring a printing plant to serve the various campus publications, Parham appointed a committee headed by Frank Duckworth.

New Committees

Other committees selected were the student laundry committee headed by Don Jones, the labor committee with Secretary of Labor Sam Gibbons in charge, the

constitutional revision committee with Harold Smith as chairman, and the publicity committee headed by the Secretary of Public Relations, Morty Freedman.

Speeding Complaint

In response to numerous complaints about speeding in the vicinity of the campus the council passed a motion to request Gainesville city authorities to establish a restricted traffic zone around the campus.

Westminister

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churches are cooperating by ending services Sunday night earlier than usual.

Sunday Program

The program Sunday will begin with "Exaltate Te Domine," by Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina. It will include such selections as the delightful "Of Time and the River," by Marton Gould (commissioned by and composed for the Westminister Choir and being presented for the first time this season), and "Cindy," with arrangements by Harry Robert Wilson. The last selection of the program will be "Navajo War Dance No. 2," Arthur Farwell.

Monday's program will commence at 8 p.m. with numbers from "The Spirit Also Helpeth Us," Johann Sebastian Bach. It will include "Roger Young," by Frank Loesser (which is dedicated to the men of the U. S. Infantry, World War II), with arrangements by Carlton Martin. The last selection is "Navajo War Dance No. 1," Arthur Farwell.

Critics Praise Choir

Music critics have been lavish in their praise of the bass section of the Westminister Choir. It might be compared with the famous bass of the Russian choirs in that it acts as the foundation of the choir's structure. The sopranos form a clear but delicate part, like the fine, decorative, interlacing lines found in a Gothic cathedral spire.

Dr. John Finlay Williamson, founder the Westminister Choir, will conduct the concert.

Frolics

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secretary of social affairs, who is in charge of all ticket sales.

Two Events

The events, including a band concert on Friday afternoon, Dec. 6, and a dance that night, both presided over by Les Brown and his orchestra, will sell as follows: Concert, \$1 plus tax, stag or drag; Friday night dance for non-fraternity men, \$2 plus tax, stag or drag.

Boxing Finals Scheduled Tonight; Phi Delt's Hold Edge On Murals Trophy

By Bill Boyd

After three nights of fighting the Intramural Boxing tournament has been narrowed down to 22 men with eight eliminated last night as the fights have been staged before one of the largest crowds ever to witness an intramural contest.

Williams Is Top Pass Receiver

Big Broughton ("Brute") Williams, Fighting Gator right end, is back in the No. 1 spot in the list of the nation's pass receivers. Not only does he lead all college spiral snatchers, but he has racked up nearly twice the yardage of his nearest competitor, Louie Mihajlovich, of Indiana.

Snagged 23 Passes

In the North Carolina game last week, Williams snagged eight throws to add 166 yards to his excellent record, which now stands at 23 passes caught in five games for a total gain of 433 yards, putting him 207 yards ahead of the No. 2 receiver, Mihajlovich, who has snared 18 throws in six games for a total of 226 yards. With four games remaining on Florida's slate, Williams has a good chance to make an all-time record for passes received.

Vets May Appeal New Earnings Law

By John S. Brady

The highly controversial issue behind the "Productive Labor" forms, distributed to campus veterans last week, has been settled as far as the University is concerned. "The attitude of the University will be one of complete compliance and cooperation with the Veterans Administration," said Dean Price, veterans' counselor, early this week.

New Deduction

The situation arose from the announcement of Public Law 679, passed to amend the existing P.L. 346. This new law provides for the deduction from veterans' subsistence allowance any earnings over \$110 a month. The measure was directed primarily at correcting "on-the-job training" abuses.

University Cooperates

Although the University has decided to co-operate with the VA in this matter, veterans, either individually or through the veterans' organizations, have the right to appeal the enforcement of the new law. However, these appeals must be made to the director of the Veterans Administration or directly to Congress, as the measure originated with them.

Committee Holds Forum Monday

On Monday, Nov. 4, at 8 p.m., the Florida Union Forum Committee will present its first regular forum of the year in the Union auditorium. The topic of discussion will be "The Crowded Conditions of Gainesville—What Has Been Done and What Can Be Done?"

Mr. Sam Harn, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. M. E. Parrish, Jr., local contractor, will represent the town of Gainesville and Dan Williams, Mayor of Flavet 1; Ben Mayberry, spark plug in the new grocery co-op, and Tom Fridy will represent the student transportation by bus will be furnished to and from the campus and city.

The total attendance for the first three nights has passed the 4500 mark. With the last of the semi-finals fought off last night the finals of eight matches will be staged tonight. Eight bouts last night narrowed the field to sixteen men and from the looks of things the Phi Delt's have a decided edge on the team trophy.

Pikes Second

They head the list of the contestants still in the thick of the fight with five men. One of their men has already reached the finals with four in the semi-finals. Next in line comes the Pikes with two men in the finals, TEP with one in the finals and one in the semi-finals, KA with one in finals and one in semi-finals, Phi Kaps have two left in the semi-finals. There are also two independents in the semi-finals. Having one man in the finals are the Pi Kappa Phi, Beta Theta Pi. Also with men still in the semi-finals are All-stars, Delt's, Sigma Nu, Kappa Sig, ATO, Delta Sig, CLO.

Feature Bouts Tonight

Opening the fights tonight will be Breslar, TEP and Robbins, PDT in 120 class, followed by Davidson, KA, and Pena, PKP in the 127, Melton of Beta and Hess of Pikes in the 135.

The other fights with the unlimited as an exception, depend on the outcome of last night's fights in the semi-final bracket.

The unlimited matches will pit Bill Widden, Pi Kappa Alpha, 1945 champ against Goldberg TEP. This fight has stirred up much interest as both men are top contenders and should give a good fight for the large crowd that is expected to attend.

Pena-Davidson Bout

Another fight that should be tops is the Pena, PKP, and Davidson of KA's. Pena won over Spicola, last years champ, a gruelling battle and Davidson has shown he is tops by two decisive wins.

In the 135 class Bill Hess of PKA and Melton of Beta are expected to stage a battle royal as both boys are fast and hard hitters. This could very easily be the top fight of the evening with two such powerful and fast sluggers.

Boxing Rules Aired

The Intramural department wants to call to the attention of the fans, according to intercollegiate rules when a fighter is knocked down he must take the count of nine, and also when a fighter is cut badly enough to warrant stopping of the fight that the fighter with the most points at that stage of the battle is named the winner.

Air Base

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case of cold weather, while the University gym cannot. It is much more modern, with excellent lighting effects, and it can be decorated. The air base gym has a stage for the band instead of having to construct a platform on the campus gym floor, and there are concession rooms off the dance floor at the base gym."

Transportation

The only great disadvantage is the transportation difficulty, and Sherouse quickly added that adequate transportation by bus will be furnished to and from the campus and city.

POLL OF OPINION

By Alpha Phi Omega

This is one of a series of weekly polls conducted by the campus chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity in order to obtain a representative cross-section of opinion on questions and issues that are of particular concern to the students on the campus of the University.

The question this week: Are

you for or against a Veteran's bonus? The results of the tabulation follows:

For: 64%

Against: 30%

No opinion: 6%

Question for next week will be "Do you think the University of Fla. needs a larger infirmary?"

STATE THEATRE

REST AND RELAX THIS WEEK BE PREPARED FOR "FLA.-GA." GAME

TODAY — SATURDAY

NANCY KELLY
IN
"WOMAN WHO CAME BACK"

BUSTER CRABBE
IN
"GHOST OF HIDDEN VALLEY"

SUNDAY — MONDAY

Lakeland's Own Movie Star Frances Langford



and

Robert Armstrong
in
"ARSON SQUAD"

TUESDAY
"OUR HEARTS WERE GROWING UP"

WED., THURS.
"TO EACH HIS OWN"

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Third Party In Offing?

In another column of this issue there is a "Letter to the Editor" protesting the injustices perpetrated against non-fraternity men on this campus, insofar as politics and social life is concerned.

The writer of the letter calls for the formation of a third party to be known as the Independents, and which would be limited solely to non-fraternity men. We agree wholeheartedly with the author of the letter that the independents on this campus are getting what might conservatively be called a "raw deal" so far as representation goes.

Both political parties, with an equal amount of fraternity backing between them, nominated approximately 50% fraternity candidates and 50% non-fraternity candidates in the last election, in spite of the fact that the 2,000 fraternity men on this campus comprise only 30% of the total enrollment of the University.

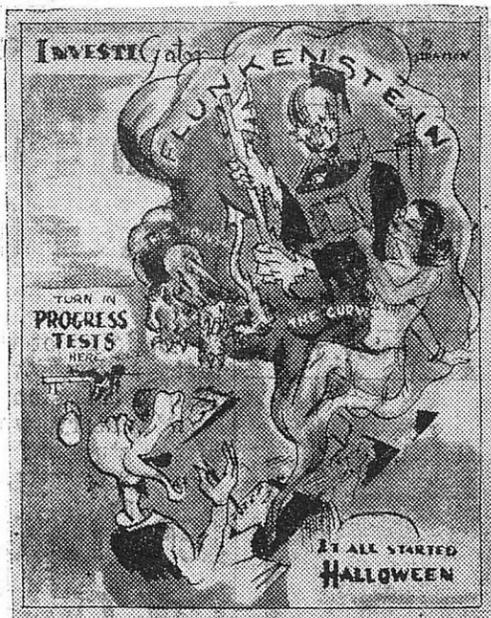
We agree that the independent has been treated shabbily by the existing political parties; we agree that the time is ripe for those two parties to correct these injustices or for a third party to be established to correct these inequities; we disagree, however, that such a party should be formed from non-fraternity men alone.

Such a move would tend to create a cleavage, a wide breach, between those in fraternities and those not in fraternities. It would tend to set up a social distinction, which in fact, does not exist. A third party could represent predominantly the interests of the independent—but in order to be a true cross-section of campus representation, this party should have a proportion of its representation allotted to fraternity men.

In one paragraph of his letter, the writer made reference to the fact that the Inter-Fraternity Conference had allotted Friday night's Frolics dance to the non-fraternity men while keeping the "choice" Saturday night date for the fraternity men. The writer also called upon non-fraternity men to boycott Fall Frolics.

While the letter was obviously written in good faith, the real facts relating to the Inter-Fraternity Conference's stand on Frolics do not warrant any criticism of the actions taken by that group. In the first place, Fall Frolics is, and always has been a function sponsored by the IFC. In addition to that fact there are these to consider:

1. The IFC must carry the full financial responsibility for the success or failure of the function.
2. Over \$3,000 has already been raised by IFC members and placed in a local bank as security, upon the stipulation of the booking agents.
3. The IFC is an independent campus organization, which, like the Rotary Club or American Legion, may limit attendance at its functions to its members alone if it so desires.
4. In the past, as is being done this year, non-fraternity men have always at-



BY LES GLEICHHAUS

Well, she's here again. Yep, the grandma of all the red-hot mamas is wielding her big stick again. It's B. Stanwyck who makes a very fine impression on her aunt's head by parting her hair with lead cane! Yes, a suspenseful, exciting melodrama of murder, lust, deceit and realistic romance was unfolded on the screen of the Florida last night in the form of "The Strange Love of Martha Ivers." It was shown to an audience which remained spellbound throughout the telling of this grim, but fascinating drama. In fact, it was so quiet in the Florida last night that you couldn't even hear a popcorn box drop.

"The SL of MI" tells a sensationally unusual tale, an insight into the diabolic mind of a completely evil woman. As a child, she had beaten her wicked ole aunt to death, an act which sets the pattern for her dark future. Her outlook and actions shadowed by the guilty knowledge of murder, she sends an innocent man to the chair for the crime, flaunts her infidelity into the face of, and completely dominates her weakling husband, and twice attempts to kill the man she loves in her own warped way. This picture is typical of the Andy Hardy series—bring the kids along—they'll love it.

CAMPUS CHATTER—Don't miss the University's Glee Club's "Skit Get-together" on the eve of the Florida-Georgia game, in the Roosevelt Hotel in Jax. . . . For that cold weather just around the corner take a reading in L and L's for those popular corduroy combos of slax and sport jackets . . . woolen tartan shirts in Silverman's . . . Jantzen all-wool blazers in Wilson's. . . . The frat houses along mortgage row are buzzing with plans of decor and festivities for the biggest of all Fall Frolics in December.

Midnight show for Gatowis at the Florida Satellite is "Personality Kid"—the audience participation is a welcome relief from the featured ham and hammesses that flutter across the silver screen . . . Don't forget to keep November third and fourth open to hear the Westminster Choir. . . . Trek on over to the gym tonight and see the finest of all intra-mural presentations—boxing—it is the biggest draw of all intra-mural sports. . . . One reason the football season is such a popular time of the year is because it's the only time a guy can walk down the street with a blonde on one arm and a blanket over the other and not encounter raised eyebrows.

See Joan Davis as a calculus instructor who unknowingly writes a risqué novel about a gal named Lulu—it's a riot. Starting Tuesday at the Florida—"She Wrote the Book." . . . For a book you cannot put down read "The Hucksters" it's out of this world. . . . Coming to the Florida this week-end is a gem of a pic—"Anna and the King of Siam," with Irene Dunne. It marks a new high in pic entertainment. See it, by all means; it's that rare kind of movie you'll want to see again and again.

tended dances sponsored by the IFC. None have been closed affairs.

5. The only reason the two dances have been divided into fraternity and non-fraternity dances instead of splitting the dances, is because of the limitation on space available for the dance.

While we firmly believe that the suggestion made in the letter to the effect that the student government should sponsor its own dances, is a worth-while and progressive one; we are certain that the IFC, if anything, should be commended for its handling of the coming Frolics.

Letters To The Editor

University of Florida
Gainesville, Florida
U. S. A.

Dear
I will be agreeably cheerful if one of the pupils, boy, write me for support correspondence.

I no knew write good the english.

Please write a long letter as I am waiting impatiently for yours news. Send me one your picture.

The friend,
NEUSA PIMENTEL.

EDITOR'S NOTE: A picture of the very lovely Miss Pimentel, aged 17, may be seen by contacting me in the ALLIGATOR office. Her address for those interested, is: Miss Neusa Pimentel, Piza Almeida 17, Vila Ezabel, D. Federal, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Editor
The Alligator
University of Florida
Dear Mort:

Dean Beaty sent me over to see you to have an article put in this week's "Alligator" as regards the Honor System. I have the apple concession and am having to fix a box with a slot in it and lock it up to keep the receipts from being stolen. I lost \$5.00 the first week. This past Monday \$7.85 was stolen (either in apples or money; I have no way of telling). Tuesday \$7.96 was stolen and Wednesday \$19.66 was stolen. Naturally, since I was losing money, I couldn't continue to put out the apples for sale under the old system.

Under the new system students won't be able to make change, as the money will be locked up. I just hope the apples aren't all stolen.

F. CLYDE STEVENS, JR.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Is honor dead among Florida men?

Mr. Morty Freedman, Editor
The Florida Alligator
University of Florida
Dear Morty:

Being an avid reader of the "Alligator" with particular emphasis on the last two issues, I am beginning to wonder if the University of Florida is being run for the minority or the majority in respect to its political and social life. The minority and majority in this case being fraternity and non-fraternity respectively.

First the political situation. This last election is a disgrace to a democratic institution. Not only were the candidates mostly fraternity but one party was even accused of holding a fake primary, the stench of which included the odors of "bossism." The primary is the basis of a democracy, and the voting the duty and privilege of each of its citizens. The best place to educate our people in this matter is in the school systems of our country.

We have two parties on the campus, the Dixie and the Gator. The Dixie is considered to be fraternity and the Gator is supposedly a middle-of-the-roader, but it still remains that it is primarily fraternity. No matter who wins the election it is still fraternity. In other words, the minority rules.

To combat this situation I suggest the formation of a third party to be known as the "Independents" and to be composed of non-fraternity men. This party to foster the principles of a democracy by having primaries, run honestly, so that the best qualified candidates may be chosen. Further, that this party try to educate the students as to their duty and privilege of voting. With these points in mind we can then have a student government based on democratic principles and representing the majority.

My second point is that of the social aspects of campus life. I have just finished reading the article on the proposed plans for Fall Frolics and was so happy to learn that the IFC had graciously consented to recognize non-fraternity men by setting aside one night for them, Friday night, and keeping the accepted choice spot, Saturday night, for themselves. I feel that due to this discrimination all non-fraternity men should refuse to support this dance.

My solution to the problem is this: that President Harry Parham appoint a committee, representative of all factions, to plan future Frolics or other social activities on the campus so that these activities will be for the students of the University and not for a selected few.

Let us make this University a

model of democracy for all universities to look up to.

I would be interested in receiving comments on my proposed plan, particularly from the staff of the "Alligator."

Yours for better representation,
F. REYES.

EDITOR'S NOTE: We do not believe, as Mr. Reyes has stated that the Dixie Party has more fraternity bonds than the Gator Party. For further comment on Mr. Reyes letter see the editorial column. The ALLIGATOR welcomes such letters of constructive criticism of campus affairs.

Mr. Morty Freedman,
Editor-in-Chief, Florida Alligator,
Gainesville, Florida.

Dear Sir:
I am penning this note not so much to complain, but to point up a subject that to my knowledge has been neglected. It concerns our library and their book circulation system.

In checking out a book you sign your name, thus giving anyone a clear record as to who has this book and the date. This is commendable. Of course this might be mistaken (we will mention this just for the record) by the borrower as a question of honesty, after all if he borrows a book from his instructor or a friend he does not have to issue a receipt. However, as we know, in a library the receipt is useful as an accurate count on the demand for and consequently the popularity of a particular book.

Our grievance though is in the system of returning these books. The book is merely laid on the circulation desk and you get no receipt for its return. Again we state that honesty, this time on the part of the librarians, is of no importance. While the book is laying on this desk the character just behind you may appropriate it. The book also stands an excellent chance of being shelved before being checked in and if it is shelved wrongly, it triples the chance that the unsuspecting borrower will receive a card asking for return of the book and later demanding payment. It's at this point, when you dig into your pocketbook, that you begin to wonder if an improvement isn't in line!

Just dash us off a receipt with the call number, dates, and a signature on it. This would suffice and would entail very little extra work and, even so, there are plenty of veteran wives that would love a job.

How about some protection?
WM. B. SUMNER.

Parham Censures Campus Vandals

Within the past two weeks a very base sort of vandalism has been practiced on our campus.

Contrary to all the ideals, customs and traditions of Florida men some few have reached a new low of indignity by desecrating the memorial dedicated to Doctor Murphree.

Perhaps this was done in a spirit of mischievousness or just plain thoughtlessness. However it might have been, I ask all true men of Florida to help put a stop to this disgrace to our student body.

As a further clinching point, I might add that such a defacing of public memorials is in violation of the federal law and punishable as a felony. However, I feel we maintain our own house without resort to any outside forces. Let us do so.

HARRY PARHAM,
President University of
Florida Student Body.

Fla.-N.C. Films Set For Nov. 15

Technicolor pictures of the Florida-North Carolina football game will be shown in the University auditorium on Friday, Nov. 15, at 8 p.m. It was announced this week by Bill Moor, chairman of the Florida Union picture show committee.

Next Tuesday the pictures of the Florida-Vandy game will be shown in the Florida Union auditorium, the University auditorium being previously engaged. However, pictures of the North Carolina game will be shown in the University auditorium.

Stanley Fletcher Featured Nov. 7

Stanley Fletcher, an outstanding interpreter of the works of Chopin, will be presented in a request concert of Chopin numbers in the University auditorium Thursday, Nov. 7, at 8:15 p. m. Claude Murphree, University organist, recently announced.

Request Choices

Request blanks for Mr. Fletcher's piano concert are being distributed, it was stated, and students may make their choices known by sending requests to the University Division of Music.

Proceeds from the concert will be used for the establishment of a record lending library, it was announced. Murphree stated that such a library would be invaluable to music-lovers and that the project is most worth while.

No Advance Sale

There will be no advance sale of tickets, it was announced. Admission to the concert will be 60 cents for students and \$1.20 for the general public.

Florida Union Bridge Tourney Victors Named

By Charles Geer

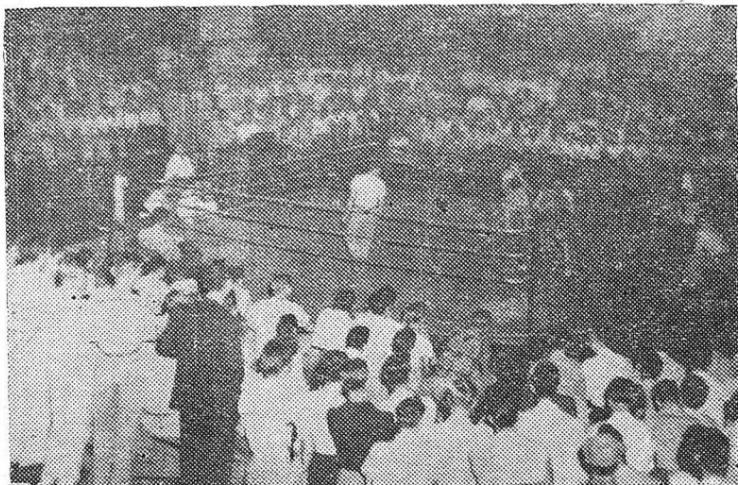
For the first time in four years the walls of Florida Union echoed to the cries of "Four no trump," "Double!" "Redouble!" Last Friday evening the first of a series of bridge tournaments got under way. Over twenty tables were set up in Florida Union Auditorium to accommodate the large crowd of bridge addicts who signed up for the event.

Winners and runners-up of the initial tournament last Friday with their respective scores are as follows: North-South: Young and McLaughlin, 209; Murray and Miller, 188-1-2. East-West: Nelson and Walker, 198; Winfrey and Grey, 194.

Fink Promises More

Friday's event was the first of several bridge tournaments planned for the current school year by the Florida Union Committee on Tournaments. Abbey Fink, chairman of the committee, stated that another bridge event is scheduled to be held in about three weeks.

Murals Boxers Slug It Out



Approximately 1400 students turn out each night to watch the intramural boxing matches. The final bouts are slated for 9 p. m. tonight in the New Gym.

Movie Stars To Judge Beauty Queen Entrants

By Harold Herman

Ronald Reagan and Jane Wyman, well known screen stars, will do the preliminary judging and pick the finalist for the Seminole Beauty Queen, who will be accorded full honors and will reign over Fall Frolics weekend, Pat O'Neal, Editor of the 1947 Seminole, announced this week.

Tew Names "Male Animal" Production Crew

The managers for the production crew which will work on the Florida Players' presentation of the three-act comedy, "The Male Animal," to be presented on Nov. 18, 19, 20, have been chosen, it was announced this week by Professor Roy E. Tew, director of the play.

Ten Named

Those chosen were Leldon Martin, assistant to the director; Dick Jones, set designer; George Harbold, house manager; Ray Noble, program designer; Dick Jones, Marvin Ramber, electricians; Russell Foland, makeup artist; Jimmy Miller, sound effects manager; Elihu Edelson, Oscar Rappaport, poster designers.

Students are still needed for the production crew. Those interested are asked to watch the Orange and Blue bulletin for the time and place of the next meeting.

The queen will be chosen from photographs submitted by the students. The deadline for these pictures will be on November 22. Portraits are preferred and the pictures should be left at the Florida Union desk with the name and the hometown of the girl and the name and address of the students on the back.

After the two screen stars pick the top beautys, the photographs will be returned and the finalists will be invited to the University of Florida campus for the big weekend.

CELEBRITIES CONTACTED

The finalists will be judged at Les Brown's concert on Friday afternoon and from them, the Seminole Beauty Queen will be selected. Those finalists who aren't able to attend will appear in the beauty section of the 1947 Seminole. Well known celebrities are being contacted to appear here, and the judge for the final selection will be announced later.

Committee Investigates Need For Campus Press

By Jack Bryan

A long-standing dream of many Florida students and faculty members may become a reality in the near future. Student Body President Harry Parham announced the appointment this week of Frank Duckworth, Edgar Davis, and Louis Leibovitz to a committee to investigate the feasibility of establishing a University printing plant on the campus.

Seminole Sets Deadline

By Alan Westin

Official deadline for all organizations to contact the 1947 Seminole was set at Nov. 17, announced Alan Westin, organizations editor. All presidents, secretaries or faculty advisors are requested to appear for an interview beginning Nov. 4 from 3:30 to 5 p. m. Monday through Friday.

Dates Set

At this time dates will be set for the taking of photographs since the section has inaugurated the policy of action shots instead of the individual pictures. The persons representing the groups should also see Al Sheehan, business manager as soon as possible to pay for their pages in the book.

Active Organizations

The following organizations are listed as active this year and must see the staff before the date mentioned above:

IFC, Blue Key, Florida Players, University Glee Club, University Symphony Orchestra, Fighting Gator Band, Florida Union, Gator Pep Club, Cheerleaders, "F" Club, University Radio Guild, Lyceum Council and University Debate Society. Also, all organizations associated with colleges and curricula should sign up for their pages; these include Law, Business Administration, Journalism, Engineering, Mathematics, Chemistry, Military, Forestry, Horticulture, Pre-Medical, Agricultural and others.

Third Group

The third group are the clubs, such as the International Relations Club, Society for the Advancement of Management, Fine Arts Club, Block and Bridle, Astronomy Club and all others that may be active or intend to reactivate this semester. Any professors knowing of clubs that will be started anew are asked to drop their names on a postcard and mail it to the Seminole office immediately.

Headed By Duckworth

Duckworth, spokesman and chairman of the committee, disclosed Tuesday that the group will follow two basic plans of inquiry. They will first canvass the respective deans, department heads, staffs of student publications to determine to what extent each is handicapped by the present lack of a University press to do their printing tasks.

The committee will also seek estimates from each official as to the amount of material each would desire published if the cost were much cheaper and the quantity unlimited, as it would be if we had our own press.

Will Secure Estimates

Finally, according to Duckworth, if definite need of a press is proven, the committee will compile their findings, and will turn to authorities in the journalism department and other experts in the publications field to secure estimates and technical data as to the actual size, type, and cost of a printing plant which would be adequate to meet University requirements.

Phi Eta Sigma Open To Frosh

At a meeting last Tuesday night of the Campus Chapter of Phi Eta Sigma, national freshman honorary fraternity, Bob Connelly was selected to represent the membership at the national convention to be held soon at Iowa City, Iowa.

President Frank Stanley then appointed committees to handle arrangements for the forthcoming banquet and initiation.

3.5 Average Needed

The requirement for membership in Phi Eta Sigma is an average of 3.5 for the first semester or first and second semesters of attendance at the University.

There are a number of students on campus who are eligible for membership, but have not filled out application forms. If you can meet the requirement listed above, please see Dean Price, Language 3, and file your application.

LYRIC THEATRE

Program For Week Of Nov. 1st

LAST TIMES TODAY
Penny Singleton in "Life with
Blondie"
Basil Rathbone in
"Woman In Green"

Sat. — Sun. — Mon.

BARBARA
STANWYCK
That double-trouble dame!
DENNIS
MORGAN
That 'God is My Co-pilot' guy!
WARNERS'
**CHRISTMAS IN
CONNECTICUT**
CO-STARRING SYDNEY
GREENSTREET
REGINALD GARDINER • S. Z. SAKALL
Directed by
ROBERT SHAYNE • PETER GODFREY
Screen Play by Lionel Houser & Abele Commandant
From an Original Story by Aileen Hamilton

and

Johnny Mack Brown
in
"LOST TRAIL"

Tues. — Wed.

Preston Foster
in
"TWICE BLESSED"
Basil Rathbone
in
"DRESSED TO KILL"

CONTINUOUS FROM 1:00 P.M.
Weekly Program Mat. 40c **FLORIDA** Eve. 44c Students 30c on Saturday

TODAY & SATURDAY

BARBARA
STANWYCK
LIZABETH
SCOTT-HEFLIN
in
**The Strange Love of
Martha Ivers**
A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

SUNDAY & MONDAY

MAGNIFICENT! UNFORGETTABLE!
IRENE DUNNE REX HARRISON LINDA DARNELL
in
**ANNA
AND THE
KING
OF SIAM**

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

FUN GOES WHAMOROUS!
She Wrote the Book
with
JOAN
DAVIS
JACK OAKIE
MISCHA AUER

Starts Thursday — "CAESAR & CELOPATRA"

The Next Seven Days

FRIDAY

Hillel Foundation, Fla., Union 208, 7:30 p. m.
Carnegie Set, Fla., Union 305, 3:00-5:30 p. m.
Masonic Group, Fla., Union Aud., 7:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

Exec., Committee, Gator Vets, Fla. Union 208, 1:30 p. m.

SUNDAY

Westminster Choir, University Aud., 8:30 p. m.
Hillel Foundation, Fla., Union 209, 7:00 p. m.
Carnegie Set, Fla., Union 305, 2:00-4:00 p. m.

MONDAY

Westminster Choir, University Aud., 8:00 p. m.
Alligator Staff, Fla., Union, 8, 7:30 p. m.
Hillel Foundation, Fla., Union 208, 8:30 p. m.
Carnegie Set, Fla. Union 305, 3:00-5:00 p. m.
Wanberg Committee Room, Fla. Union 7:00-8:00 p. m.
6:00-7:30 p. m.
Alpha Kappa Psi Smoker, Fla., Union 305, 7:30 p. m.
Forum, Florida Union Auditorium, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

University Flying Club, Florida Union 210, 7:00 p. m.
Coop Grocery, Florida Union 208, 7:30 p. m.
I. F. C., Florida Union 209, 7:30 p. m.
A. V. C., Florida Union 305, 7:30 p. m.
Carnegie Set, Florida Union 305, 3:00-5:00 p. m.
Cavaliers, Florida Union 308, 7:00 p. m.
Free movies, Same time as Monday, Florida Union Auditorium.
Florida football movies, Florida Union Auditorium, 8:00 p. m.
APO Poll of Opinion, Committee Room, 7:00 p. m.
Free movies, Florida Union Auditorium, 12:00-1:30 p. m. and

WEDNESDAY

Carnegie Set, Florida Union 305, 3:00-5:00 p. m.
Veterettes, Florida Union 305, 7:30 p. m.
Free movies, 12:00 to 1:30 p. m. and 6:00 p. m. Fla., Union Aud.

THURSDAY

Mathematics Club, Fla., Union 209, 4:00 p. m.
Christian Science, Fla., Union 210, 7:30 p. m.
Los Picaros, Florida Union 210, 8:30 p. m.
Carnegie Set, Florida Union 305, 3:00-5:00 p. m.
Alpha Phi Omega, Florida Union 305, 7:00 p. m.
Newcomers Club, Florida Union Lounge, 3:00 p. m.
Free movie shows, Florida Union Auditorium, 7:00 and 11:00 p. m.
Stanley Fletcher, Piano Concert, University Aud., 8:15 p. m.