

The image shows a decorative book cover with a textured brown background. It features a complex geometric design with various colored lines and shapes. A prominent horizontal black band in the center contains the word "ANNESSEAN" in a stylized, brown, blocky font. To the right, a vertical gold-colored strip contains a large, stylized, gold-colored letter "A" that overlaps the black band. The design is further embellished with red and black lines, including a large black rectangle on the right side and several thin horizontal lines on the left. The overall aesthetic is modern and graphic.

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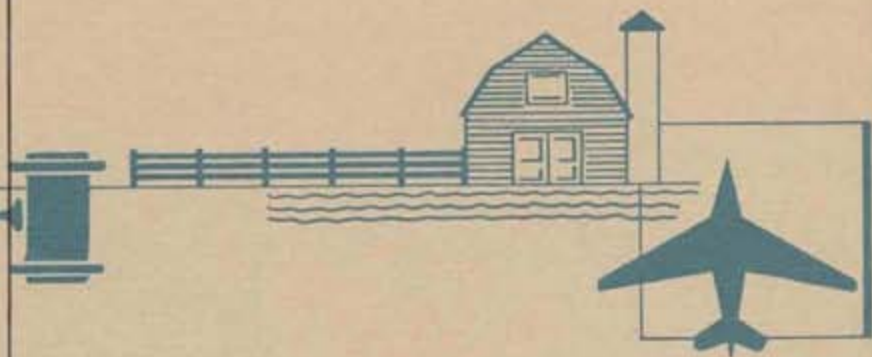
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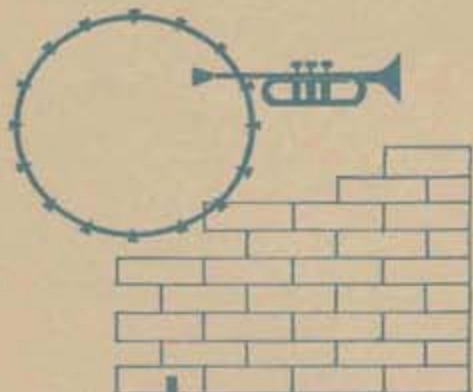
# A



A IS FOR ADMINISTRATION, AGRICULTURE, ART  
AND AVIATION

THE FIRST "A" SEES YOU SAFELY THROUGH. A  
PROGRAM SCHEMED AND MEANT FOR YOU.

THE SECOND, THIRD, AND FOURTH "A'S" STAND  
TO PROVE THE PROGRAM FINE AND GRAND.



# B

B IS FOR BUILDING, BUSINESS AND BAND

THE LATTER WE THINK THE BEST IN THE LAND.

BADMINTON AND OTHERS THAT START WITH "B"

ARE BASKETBALL, BASEBALL AND BIOLOGY.

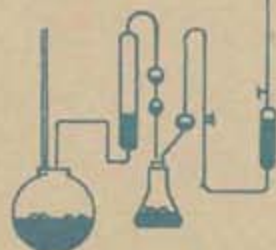
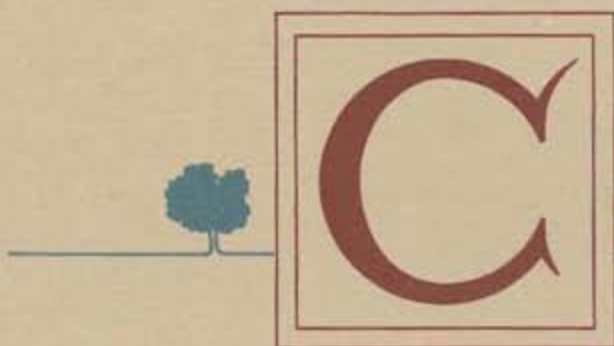


C IS FOR THE CHEERLEADERS AND ALSO THE CHOIRS

BOTH OF THESE "C'S" WE CALL THEM OURS

WE POINT TO EACH WITH EQUAL PRIDE

AND SING THEIR PRAISES FAR AND WIDE.



D IS FOR DORMITORY LIFE SELDOM DULL

WHERE EXCITEMENT ABOUNDS WITHOUT MUCH LULL;

WHERE FRIENDSHIPS ARE FORMED AND VOWS ARE MADE

TO KEEP THESE FRIENDSHIPS ERE GOODBYES ARE SAID.

E IS FOR ENGLISH, FOR SOME A GREAT CHORE

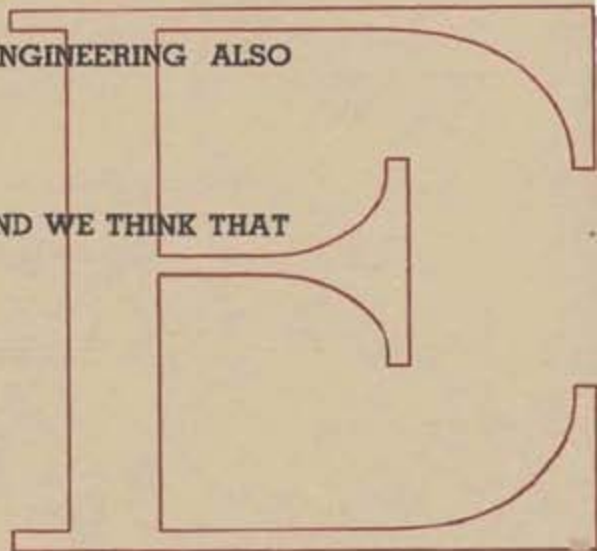
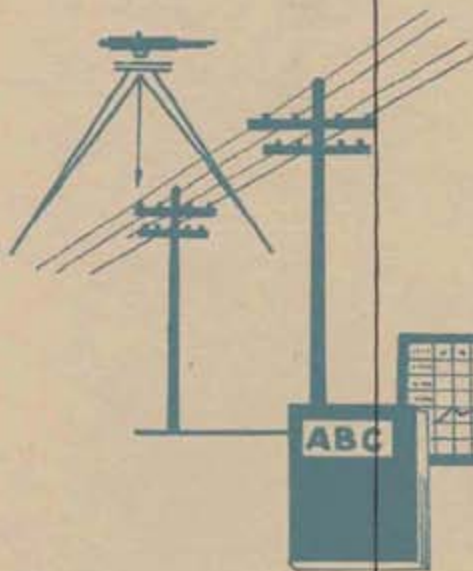
FOR MANY AN ART, TO OTHERS A BORE

EDUCATION, ELECTIONS, ENGINEERING ALSO

FALL

IN THE COLUMN OF "E'S" AND WE THINK THAT

IS ALL.



F IS FOR FAVORITES, YOURS AND MINE

THE "MISTERS" AND "MISSES" WHO FOR THE  
SCHOOL SHINE.

IT'S ALSO FOR FRESHMEN AND FOOTBALL YOU  
KNOW.

WE'RE PROUD OF THE "F'S" BECAUSE WE LOVE  
THEM SO.



G IS FOR GRADUATE CLASS AND THE GREEKS  
THEY STUDY FOR DAYS AND THEY STUDY FOR  
WEEKS  
TO REACH SOME GOAL OR ATTAIN SOME  
HEIGHT.  
GRADUATION, PROBATION OR MAYBE MERE  
MIGHT.

G

H IS FOR HISTORY AND HOME ECONOMICS TOO;  
ALSO FOR HPER WITH ITS EXCELLENT CREW.  
THE HONOR SOCIETIES MUST ALSO TAKE A  
BOW.  
THERE ARE EIGHT OF THEM AT AYENI NOW.





I IS FOR THE INSTITUTES WHICH MEET ON  
CAMPUS HERE.

i

WE TRY TO BE HOSPITABLE AND TO MAKE OUR  
MEANING CLEAR

WE INVITE THEM OUT TO SOCIALS AND HELP  
THEM WHEN WE CAN

WITH A MEETING HERE AND THERE AND NOW  
AND THEN A PLAN.



J IS FOR THE JUNIOR CLASS, POWERFUL AND  
STRONG.

J

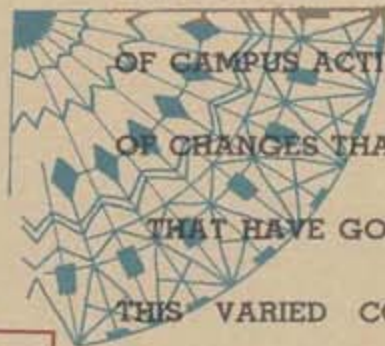
THEY SEEK ELECTIVE OFFICES ALL YEAR  
LONG.

THEY'RE SOON TO BE SENIORS AND THEY  
KNOW IT TOO.

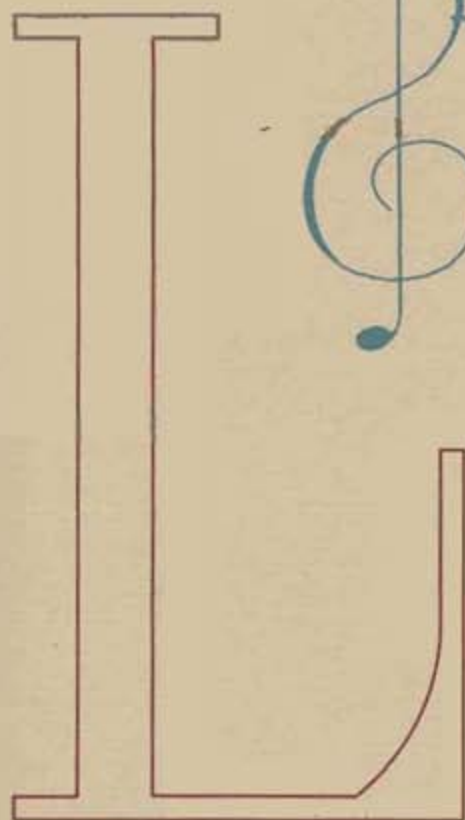
THEIR LOYALTY TO ALMA MATER IS TRIED AND  
TRUE.

K

K IS FOR KALEIDOSCOPE, A GRAND MELEE  
OF CAMPUS ACTIVITIES ALONG THE WAY  
OF CHANGES THAT HAVE COME AND OF DAYS  
THAT HAVE GONE.



THIS VARIED CONGLOMERATION INVOLVES  
EVERYONE.



L IS FOR THE LIBRARY WHERE MANY HOURS  
ARE SPENT

BY THOSE WHO ARE SERIOUSLY ON AN  
EDUCATION BENT.

AND THE LYCEUM SERIES PROVOKES MUCH  
INTEREST

FOR THE GUEST ARTISTS CHOSEN ARE BY FAR  
THE VERY BEST.



M IS FOR MATHEMATICS, MODERN FOREIGN  
LANGUAGES TOO.

REAL CRANIUM EXERCISERS WHEN GIVEN THEIR  
JUST DUE.

M TOO IS FOR MUSIC AND FROM WHERE WE SIT  
STATE COULD NOT EXIST IF IT WERE NOT FOR  
IT.

m

N

N IS FOR NEWS AND THE MESSAGE THAT IT  
BRINGS  
OF OUR STUDENTS AND FACULTY AND ALL  
OTHER THINGS  
INVOLVING THE CAMPUS AND ITS WAY OF  
LIFE  
WHETHER A GIRL WINS A SCHOLARSHIP OR A  
FELLOW TAKES A WIFE.



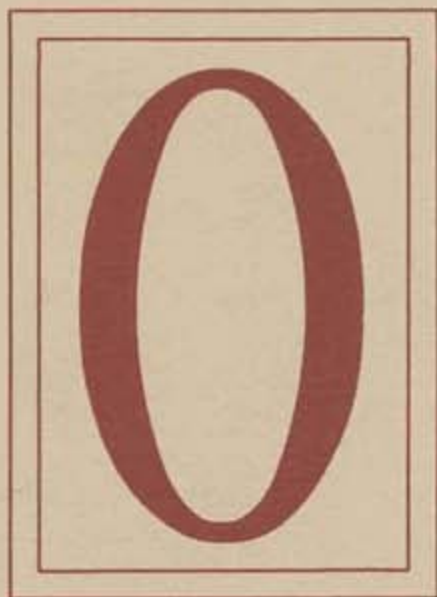
O IS FOR ORIENTATION AND OUR FIRST DAYS  
AT SCHOOL.

WHEN WE LEARN TO USE FACILITIES AND TO  
RESPECT EACH RULE

WHEN PALS ARE SOUGHT AND BOOKS ARE  
BOUGHT AND SOPHOMORES ARE DODGED

WHEN FEARS ARE LOST AND BAGS ARE TOSSED

'TIL WE ARE FIRMLY LODGED.



P IS FOR PSYCHOLOGY, A SCIENCE OF MENTAL

LORE

FOR POLITICAL SCIENCE AND PHYSICS AND

WHAT'S EVEN MORE

THE TEACHERS ARE ADEQUATE AND COURSES

ARE MANY

EXCUSES FOR FAULTS IN THEM WE HAVEN'T

ANY.

P

VOTE



Q IS FOR THE QUEUES, OR LINES IN WHICH

WE'VE STOOD

TO REGISTER, TO PAY AND TO EVEN GIVE OUR

BLOOD

WE'VE STOOD IN LINE TO VOTE AND FORMED

A QUEUE TO EAT

BUT ALL THE QUEUES ARE NOTED FOR THEIR

ROUGHNESS ON THE FEET.

Q



R IS FOR RELIGIOUS LIFE ON THE CAMPUS HERE  
INCLUDING QUIET HOURS AND ALL THE THINGS  
HELD DEAR

BY STUDENTS WHO'RE AWAY FROM HOME AND  
THOSE OUT IN THE CITY.

NOT TO HAVE THIS PHASE OF LIFE WOULD  
CERTAINLY BE A PITY.

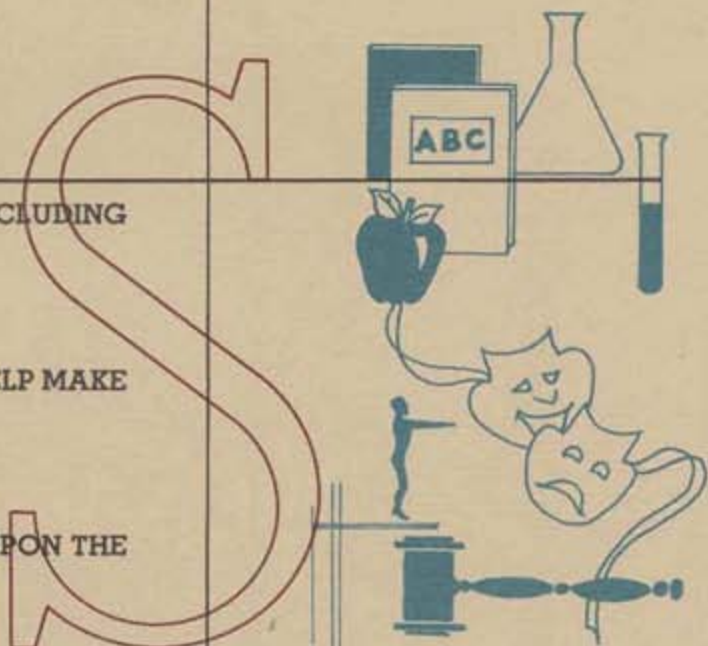
r

S IS FOR A LOT OF THINGS INCLUDING  
SOPHOMORE CLASS.

SPEECH, SWIMMING AND STUDENTS HELP MAKE  
UP THE MASS.

SOCIOLOGY AND SCIENCE ARE TWO UPON THE  
LIST.

THERE MAY BE OTHER ESSES THAT POSSIBLY  
WE'VE MISSED.



T NOW IS FOR TRACK, BOTH INDOOR AND OUT,  
AND FOR THE TENNIS TEAM, THE BEST THERE  
IS ABOUT.



THE OLYMPIC GAMES AND TOURNAMENTS OF  
WHICH WE LIKE TO BOAST  
MAKE TSU'S ACCOMPLISHMENTS KNOWN FROM  
COAST TO COAST.

U IS FOR UNIVERSITY WITH ITS FOUR BIG  
SCHOOLS

LIBERAL ARTS, EDUCATION ENGINEERING AND  
GRADUATE, EMBRACING THE TOOLS

THAT ARE SOUGHT BY THE STUDENTS WITHIN  
THESE WALLS

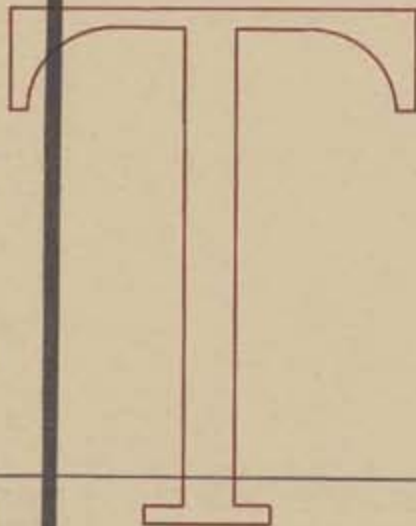
WHO MEANDER THE PATHS AND SAUNTER  
THROUGH THE HALLS

V IS FOR VARIETY OF DANCES WE'VE ATTENDED  
OF PICNICS THAT HAVE PASSED AND BANQUETS  
THAT HAVE ENDED.



THERE'VE BEEN A LOT OF GAY TIMES AND LOTS  
OF GOOD CLEAN FUN

AND LOTS OF THINGS TO TALK ABOUT WITH  
EVERY SETTING SUN.



# W



W IS FOR WHO'S WHO FOLK AMIABLE AND  
SMART.

EVEN AS FRESHMEN THEY KNEW WHERE TO  
START.

CHOSEN BY THE DEPARTMENT FROM WHICH  
THEY MAJOR  
THEY'LL BE WHO'S WHO IN LATER YEARS IS OUR  
HOPE AND WAGER.



# X

X IS FOR THE XMAS TIME AND ALL THE JOY IT  
BRINGS.

THE DAY THAT CHRIST HIMSELF WAS BORN;

THE DAY THAT WE GIVE THINGS;

THE SEASON WHEN ALL HOPE IS HIGH AND  
EVERYTHING SEEMS MELLOW

AND THOUGHTS ARE OF THE FOLKS AT HOME

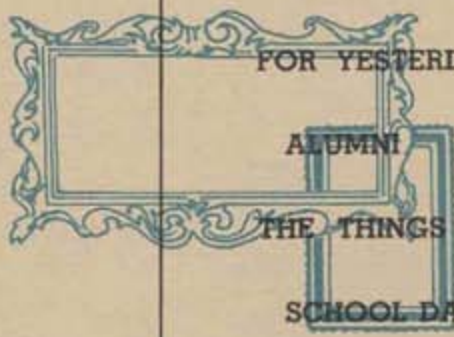
AND HELP FOR THE OTHER FELLOW.



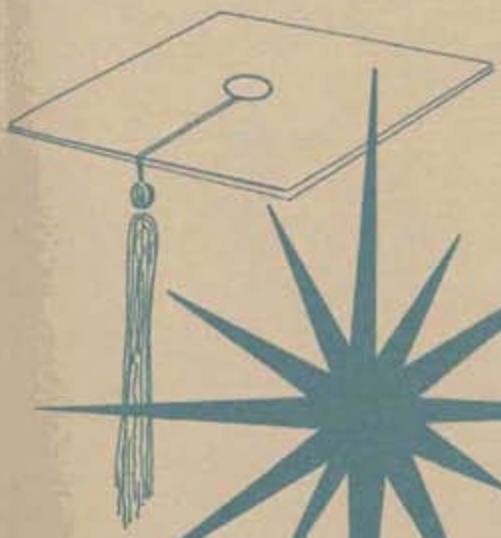
Y IS FOR YEARBOOK AND THE ONE'S WHO GOT  
 IT OUT  
 THE STUDENTS AND THE FACULTY WHO KNOW



WHAT IT'S ABOUT



FOR YESTERDAYS, THE ERA INVOLVING OUR  
 ALUMNI  
 THE THINGS THEY DID AND ACTED ON IN  
 SCHOOL DAYS NOW GONE BY.



Z IS FOR ZENITH WHICH IS THE VERY TOP  
 THE PINNACLE WE HOPE TO REACH BEFORE WE  
 EVER STOP.  
 IT'S TIME TO THINK OF WHAT WE'VE BEEN AND  
 WHAT WE'RE GOING TO BE  
 FUTURE THOUGHTS OF LIFE AT SCHOOL  
 AND DEAR OLD TENNESSEE.



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# d edication

For a number of years now, Miss Frances E. Thompson has both nourished and needled our tastes in art to a high pinnacle of esthetic delight. While so doing, she has provided us as well with a tool for practical use and comfort.

Practicality might well be the hallmark of her concept of art; for in a world where escapism seems to be the natural order, she has proven to be a worthy disciple for an art that is both useful and purposeful.

At almost every campus exhibition or display, one can find examples of her artistic talent and good taste as she somehow finds time to fill a multitude of requests for help in preparing posters and drawings. Her sympathetic good nature keeps her bending over her artist's easel long after other lights are dimmed and other offices closed because she believes art is a talent not only to be developed fully but to be shared freely.

To her classrooms too, Miss Thompson has brought wisdom, charm and a bit of hominess in a manner mindful of a past generation. Through its informality, her manner lends inspiration to student efforts.

To this lady, who is a native of Nashville, a product of its public schools, a graduate of Harvard University and an honorary Colonel in the A. & I. Air Force Detachment, respectfully and with a great deal of pleasure, we dedicate this book.



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# IS FOR . . .

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• ART





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The Honorable Frank G. Clement is young in years, but old in wisdom, experience and understanding of the problems of state government.

So ably has he manipulated the affairs of this state that we have come to enjoy a new high in prestige and respect in the eyes of our sister states. And under his guidance, we have come to know a new aura of prosperity and progress.

While moving the state of Tennessee to the foreground, Governor Clement has become a familiar figure in the ranks of our nation's statesmen. It is increasingly apparent that in future years, there will be added to that list which gives our state distinction, the name of Frank G. Clement. It has been our delight at Tennessee State University that Governor Clement has been an integral part of our development and well-being. The association has always been a pleasant one.

**HONORABLE FRANK G. CLEMENT**  
Governor of the State of Tennessee



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Under the elastic and dynamic leadership of Dr. W. S. Davis, our University motto — Think, Work, Serve — has transcended mere words. It has come alive in burning personification of the man who has made this slogan his life's ambition.

During his tenure as president, Tennessee A. & I. State University has rapidly been developed from a college to a university.

Through the breadth of his vision, the depth of his courage and his remarkable capacity and willingness for hard work, we have been brought to the realization of new horizons and have constantly reached newer, higher goals.

Students and faculty members alike have been inspired to emulate his example of deep-seated conviction, unswerving determination, refinement, leadership and accomplishment.

Top: As a Family Man  
Bottom: Welcoming Dr. Rome C. Gans, Professor of Education at Teachers College, Columbia University and G. W. Brooks, executive secretary, Tennessee Education Congress.



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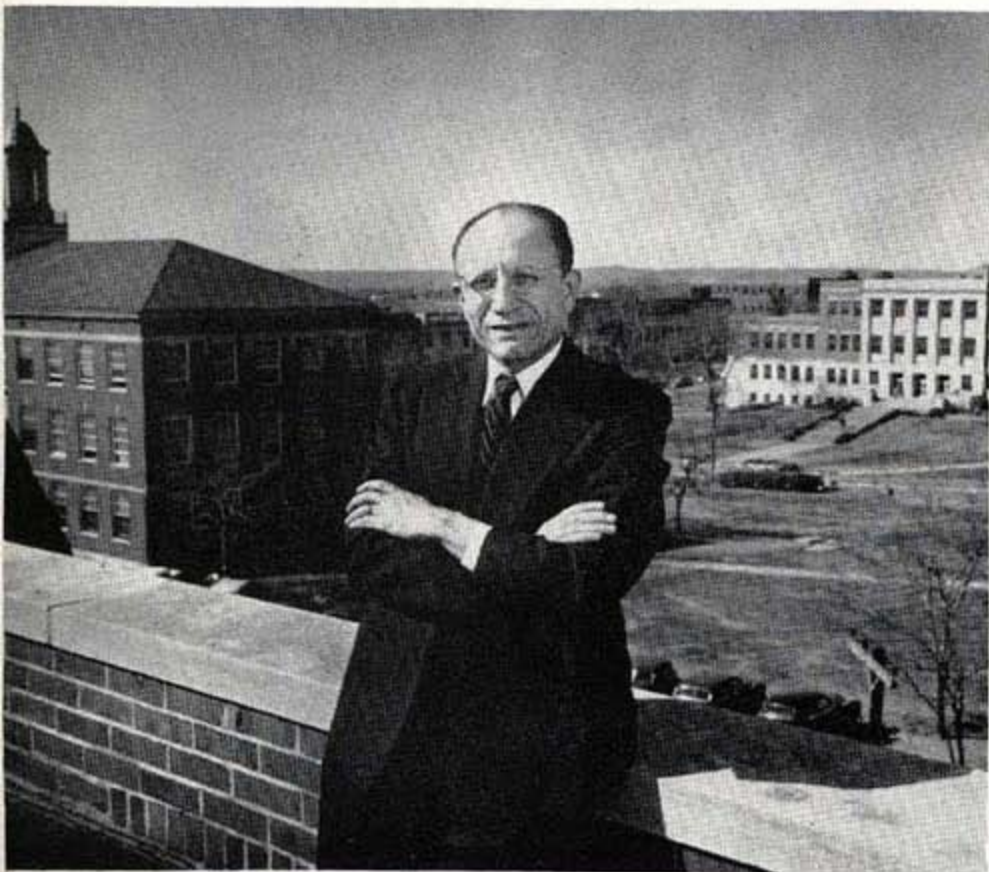
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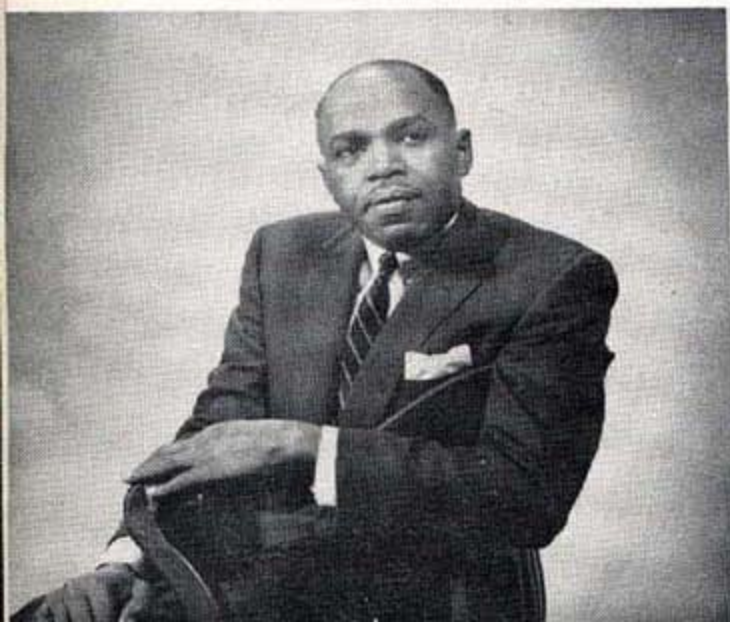
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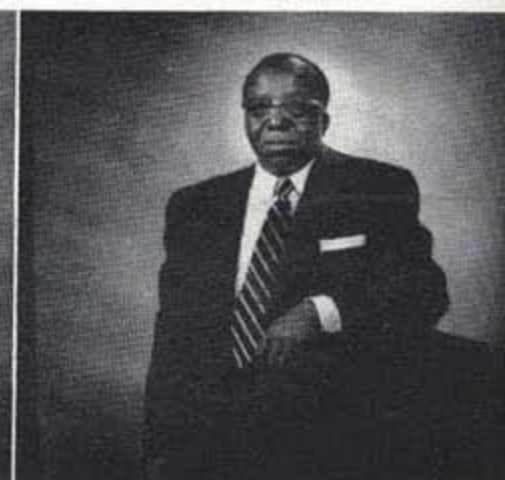
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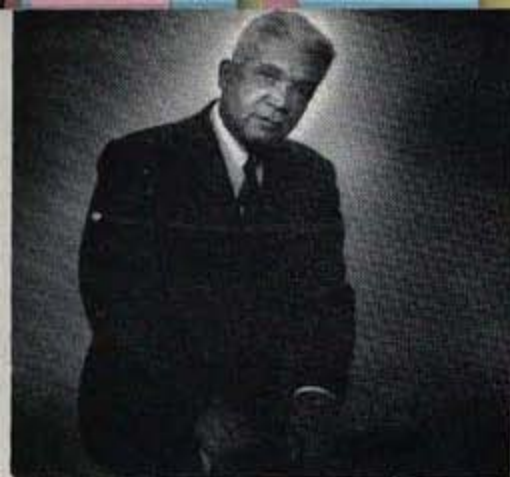
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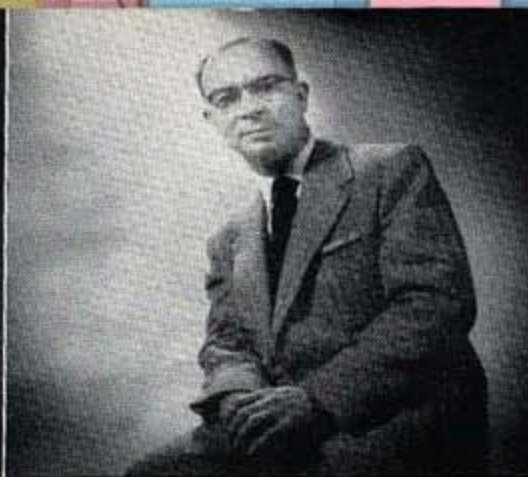


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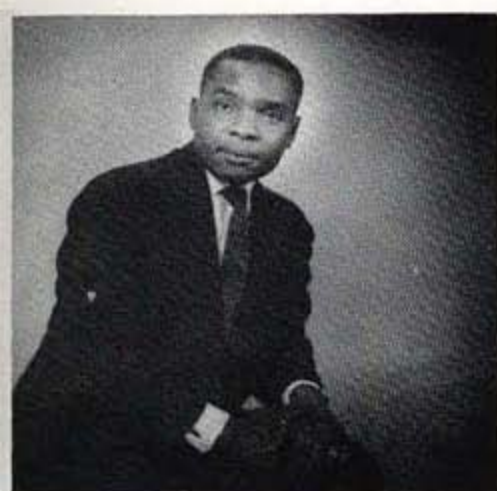
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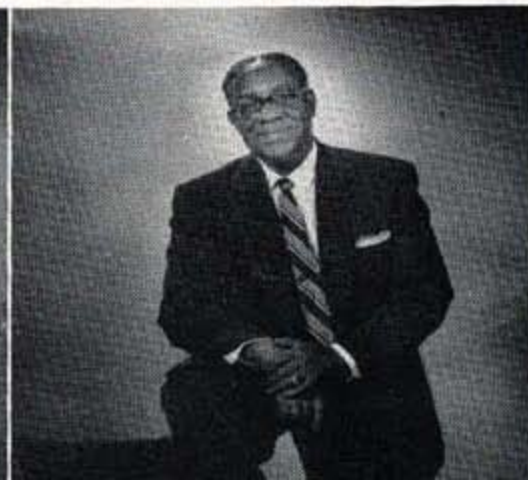
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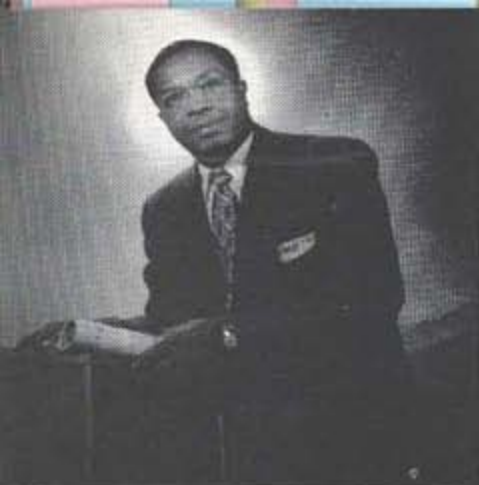


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## AREA OF AGRICULTURE

During these days and times, jokes about the fellow from the rural area are as out of date as the horse and buggy. The production of foodstuffs is vital to our urban way of life; and all phases of the study and pursuit of agriculture

as a career requires the utmost in training and ability. At Tennessee State, these students receive training in Vocational Agriculture, Extension Work, Poultry Raising, Animal Husbandry, Horticulture, Agronomy, and Farm Machinery.

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An official chapter of the student activities section of the American Society of Agronomy which had its origin, along with the other collegiate chapters throughout the United States, with the Parent Section of the Society.



## AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRONOMY

## AREA OF AGRICULTURE



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The New Farmers of America is a non-profit organization which has for its purpose the development of its members in their vocational, social, and recreational life through established local chapters where vocational agriculture is taught. The A. and I. chapter, as all other collegiate chapters, is designed primarily to assist prospective teachers of vocational agriculture in becoming good advisers of local NFA chapters.

## NEW FARMERS OF AMERICA

It CAN be done, you know





In a few months, class, this one will be laying eggs



The corn is as high as an elephant's eye . . .

The Department of Air Science faculty is composed of  
**FIRST ROW** (Left to Right): Major Dudley M. Watson,  
 director and Mrs. Vivian King, secretary. **SECOND ROW:**  
 Capt. Edward L. Schenck, Capt. Frank H. Thompson, Capt.  
 Otis C. Russell. **THIRD ROW:** M/Sgt. Charles H. Ashmon,  
 T/Sgt. Eugene E. Jiggetts, T/Sgt. Bobbie J. Lacy. **FOURTH**  
**ROW:** M/Sgt. James L. Bynum, S/Sgt. Frederick N. Smith,  
 Lt. Marcus Crowder.



## AFROTC RIFLE TEAM

They are looking sharp—all of 'em



## ARNOLD AIR SOCIETY

## DEPARTMENT OF AIR SCIENCE

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Composed of cadet officers in the AFROTC Detachment, the Arnold Air Society is known nationally for its furthering of traditions and concepts of the United States Air Force as a means of National Defense. In its promotion of American citizenship ideals, a closer and more efficient relationship among members of the cadet corps is created.

AFROTC Detachment 790 all present and accounted for, Sir!





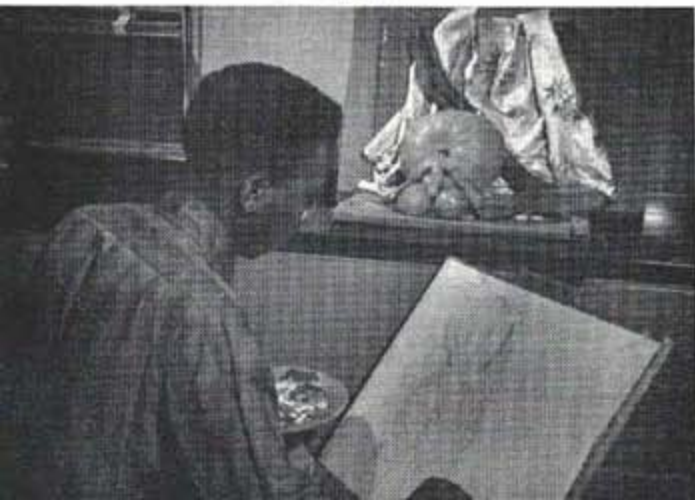
Members of the Art Department faculty shown, Left to Right, are Miss Frances Thompson, head, and H. C. Gordon. Elliott Caldwell is not shown.

## D E P A R T M E N T O F A R T

All hands are on hand when it's the Tri-State Fair in the offing. Art class students and faculty pitch in to put on the finishing touches to a tray of papier-mâché people.



Come my muse a Venus draw. On second thought, still life is safer to sketch—it won't jiggle.



She's a Home Economics major but she's not kneading dough. She's clay modeling a bowl in which to put dough though—maybe.



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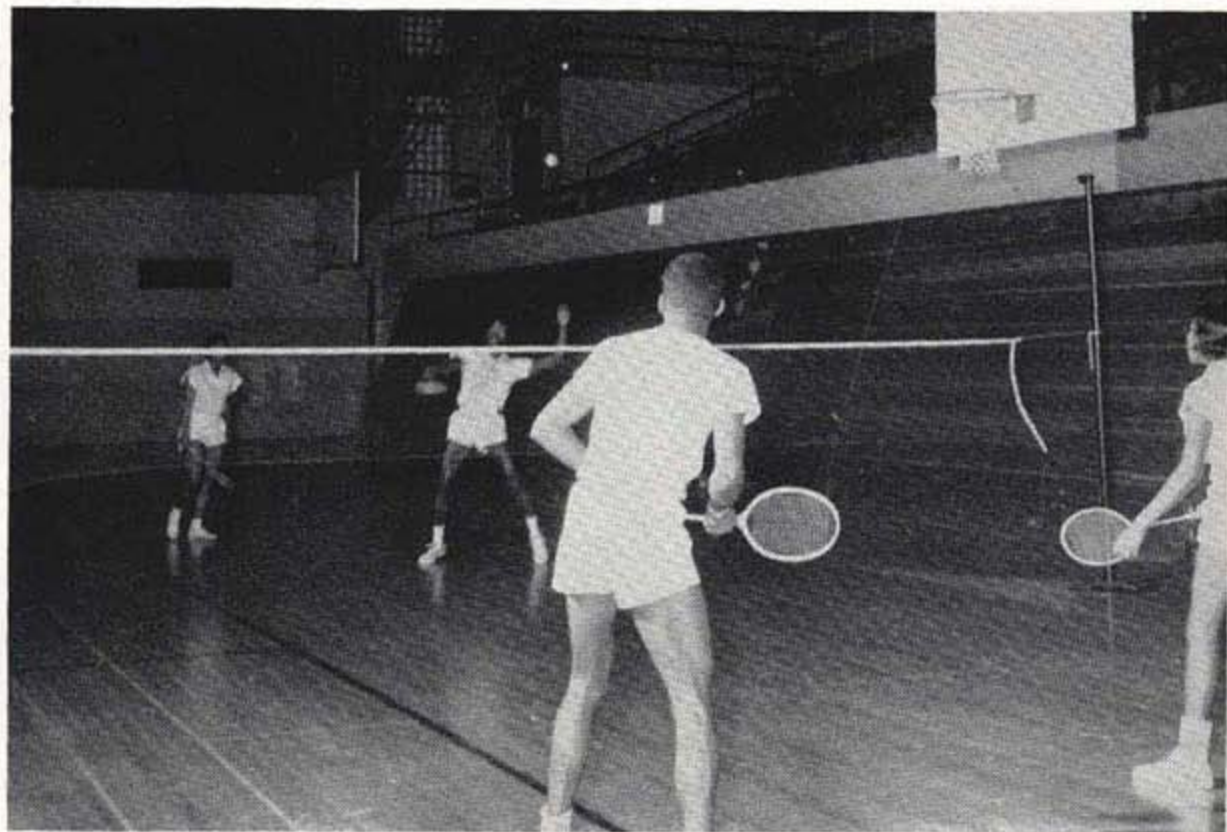




# B A D M I N T O N

Time to serve

Tense moment



# BANDS

Frank T. Greer directs these stalwart bunches of humanity, with the able assistance of Anceo M. Francisco, in the intricate steps they perform for an adoring public.



The highlight of the marching band's activities this school year was a trip to Chicago where the band performed before a nationally televised audience during the half-time ceremonies of the Chicago Bears-Los Angeles Rams professional football game.

During the winter and spring quarters, the band reorganizes to form a concert group which performs before local and state-wide audiences. Both the marching band and the concert band have received wide acclaim for their technical artistry and musicianship.

Dancing bass horn section—minus one



Cute as kittens these majorettes, in can-can formation, are just as much a part of the band as any instrumentalist in the aggregation.



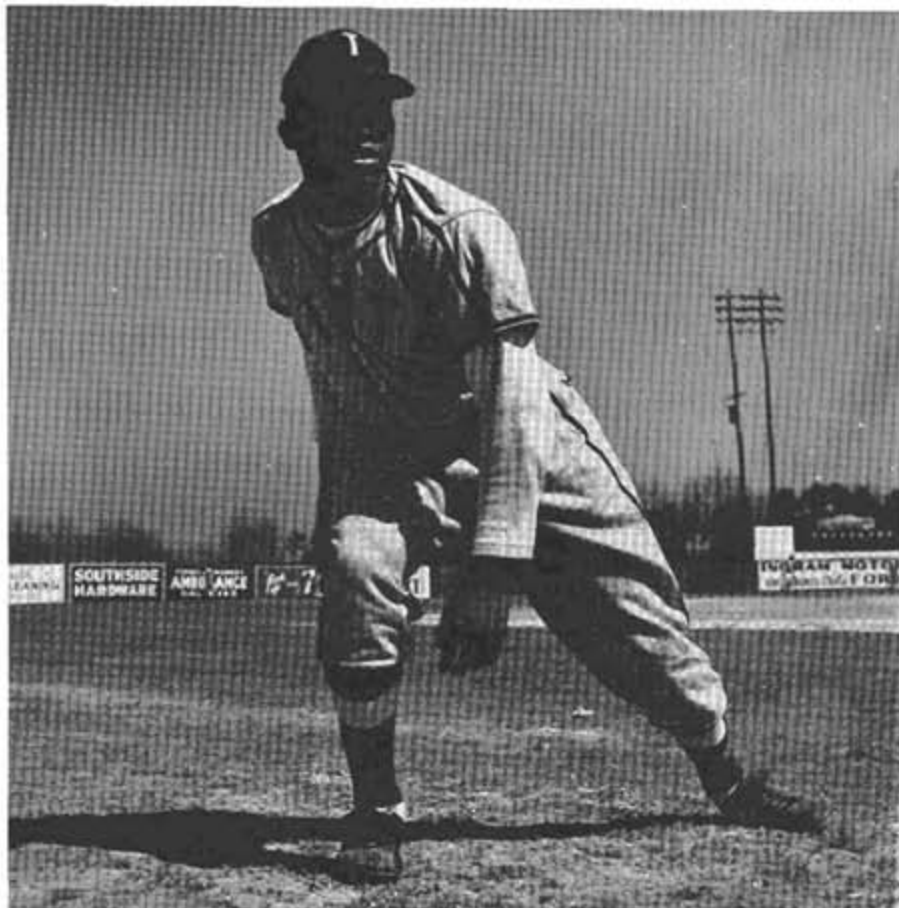
# B A S E B A L L



COACH RAYMOND WHITMON

It's really a strike as No. 44 swishes his bat futilely at the elusive ball as the Baseball Tigers keep up a steady stream of chatter directed toward the pitcher.





This pitcher shows that he still has "the old eye" as he slips one in there for a strike

#### BASEBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1955-56

Date	Team	Place
April 3	Kentucky State College	Nashville
April 4	Kentucky State College	Nashville
April 9	Jackson College	Nashville
April 10	Jackson College	Nashville
April 16	Alabama A & M	Nashville
April 17	Alabama A & M	Nashville
April 23	Alabama A & M	Normal, Alabama
April 24	Alabama A & M	Normal, Alabama
April 27	Central State College	Nashville
April 28	Central State College	Nashville
April 30	Grambling College	Grambling, La.
May 1	Grambling College	Grambling, La.
May 2	Jackson College	Jackson, Miss.
May 3	Jackson College	Jackson, Miss.
May 7	Grambling College	Nashville
May 8	Grambling College	Nashville
May 11	Central State College	Xen'a, Ohio
May 12	Central State College	Xen'a, Ohio
May 14	Kentucky State College	Frankfort, Ky.
May 15	Kentucky State College	Frankfort, Ky.

Through graduation and other changes, Coach Raymond Whitmon, who took charge of the baseball team this year, will field a practically new team as the season for the "great American sport" opens. However some few veterans such as Nate Smith, catcher; Richard Majors and Dave Smith, pitchers, are expected to help the crew round into shape as a formidable aggregation.

If practice sessions can be considered an accurate yardstick, the one thing certain about our 1956 team is that if they are not a great club, they most certainly will be a hustling one.



## B A S K E T B A L L



Tennessee State 1955-56 basketballers are from the left: Ronald Hamilton, co-captain; James Lavaretta, Art Gowens, Dalton Hoard, Dick Barnett, Bill Matthews, James Cook, Ben Jackson, John Barnhill, James Satterwhite, Ralph Coleman, Samuel Moore, co-captain, Henry Carlton, Sam Montgomery, Tracy Lee, Robert Grider.

The 1955-56 basketball season at Tennessee A. & I. was amazing when one considers the raw material out of which Coach Johnny McLendon had to mold a team. As the season opened the Tigers could get odds on their chance of ending the season with better than a .500 record. At that point in the season, even the N.A.I.A. tournament officials at Kansas City, Mo., felt that our young team would be unable to cope with more mature teams, so they failed to invite us to compete in the annual tournament.

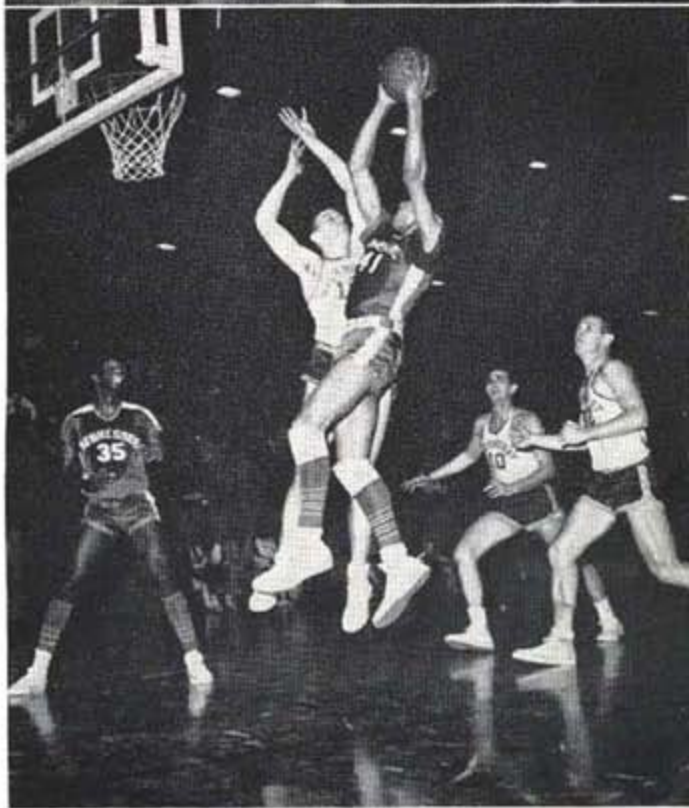
Sagaciously and tenaciously, Coach McLendon began to build up his team. As a nucleus, he used Ben Jackson, All Mid-Western Center, and Dick "Skull" Barnett, All Mid-Western forward. These boys along with Sam Moore, Bill Matthews, Ronald Hamilton, Art Gowens, Henry Carlton, Dalton Hoard, John Barnhill, James Satterwhite and James Lavaretta, represented the 1955-56 basketball Tigers. It was a hustling ball club.

With each game confidence grew and manifested itself in mid-season with

rewarding victories over Jackson and Grambling colleges. At the season's end, statistics showed a 19 won, 6 lost seasonal standing.

The Tigers went on to win the Mid-West conference and also the N.A.I.A. District 29 playoffs. They went into the N.A.I.A. tournament at Kansas City, Mo., determined to show they could play with the best teams in the country. This they did. They beat Indiana Central and Wisconsin State colleges and lost finally to McNeese College of Louisiana in the quarter finals of the tournament.

It was a terrific season for a green ball club. Next year we will do better.





BEN JACKSON



It's over; it's true; we've won the right to compete in the NAIA Tip-Off tournament in Kansas City.

## B A S K E T B A L L

All aboard—the plane is waiting; and so is Kansas City



This is the stage; we are the actors; though ours was not the starring role. We did play a memorable scene.





SAMMY MOORE



Hip Hip Hooray!  
Hip Hip Hooray!  
Hip Hip Hooray!

The Little Garden





Faculty members of the department of Biology shown standing (Left to Right) are Dr. Henderson K. Wood, Samuel Whitmon, Mrs. Dorothy Exum, Mrs. Joyce Bobo, Dr. Charles Goolsby, Clyde Leathers is seated. Department head Dr. Hubert B. Crouch and Mrs. Gladys Adams are not shown.

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The Biology Club was organized to give students in Biology the opportunity to broaden experiences and knowledge in biological concepts outside the classroom.



## D E P A R T M E N T O F B I O L O G Y

Generally, the department of biology aims to create in all students an awareness of biological phenomena and the relationship of these phenomena to human welfare. Specifically, the department aims to prepare those per-

sons who evince an interest in further training at schools of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, nursing, medical technology, and related professions.

It takes concentration, scrutinization, and bowed heads

Now this particular speck has some extra added attraction so it'll be placed in a cotton stoppered bottle.



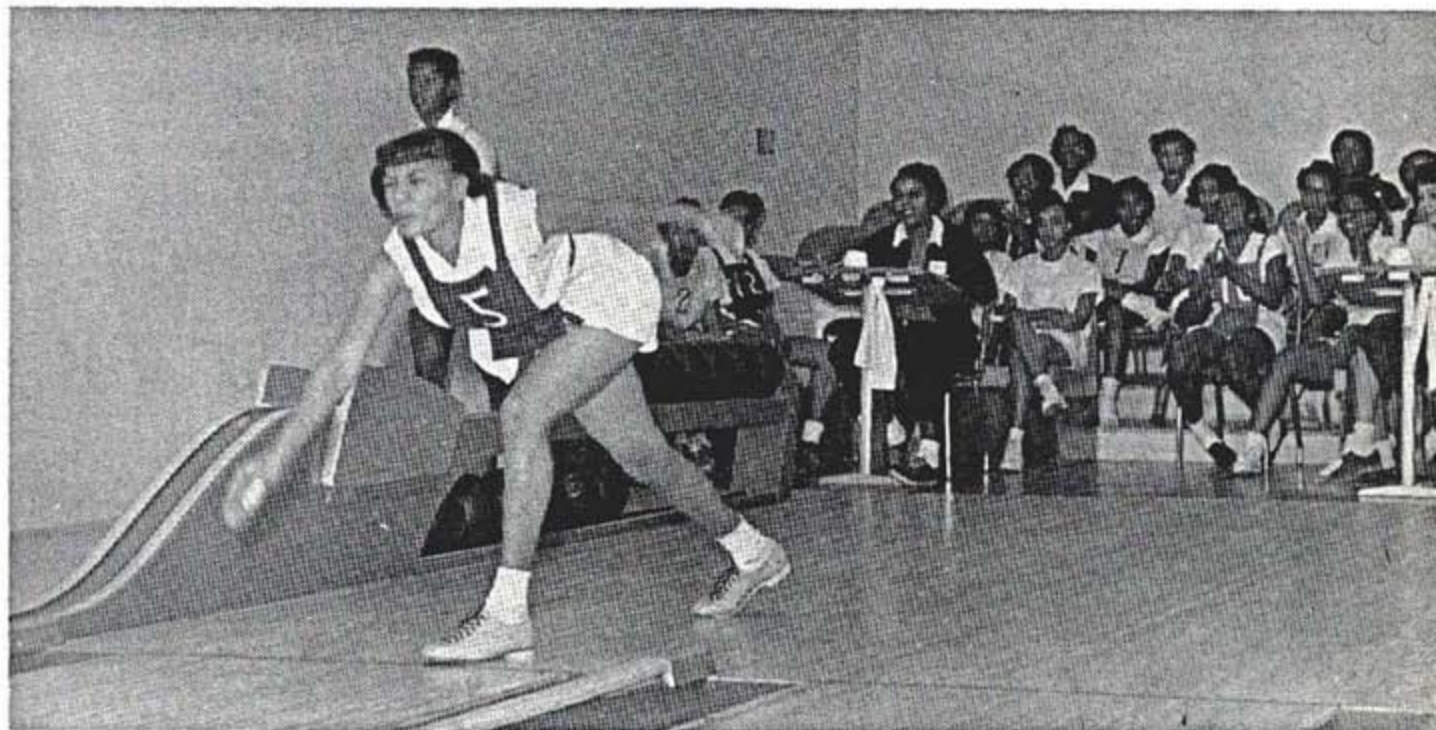


Just a few pointers on the art of bowling

## B O W L I N G

Because of its value as a social and recreational sport, bowling is amply provided for in our curricula. It is a friendly game which lends itself well to individual and team play in which both men and women can participate. Our classroom instruction in this area is designed to provide students a basic grounding in the fundamentals of the game and to interest them in a sport in which they can find relaxation and enjoyment long after their campus days are over.

Right down her alley and it's a strike

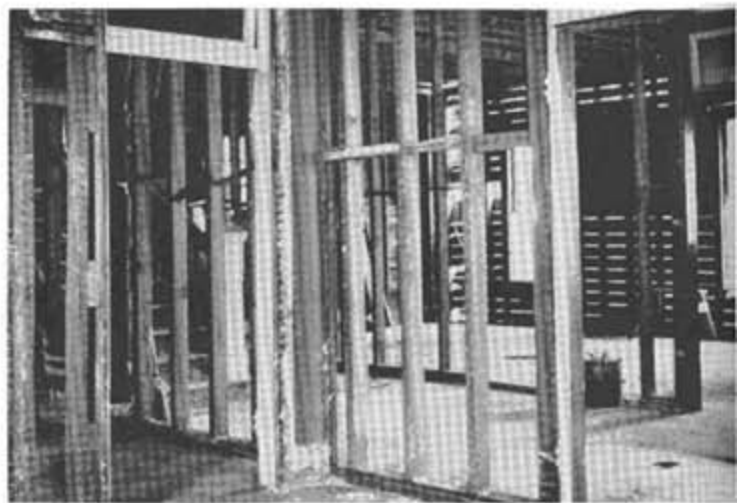




Before the builders took over

## BUILDING

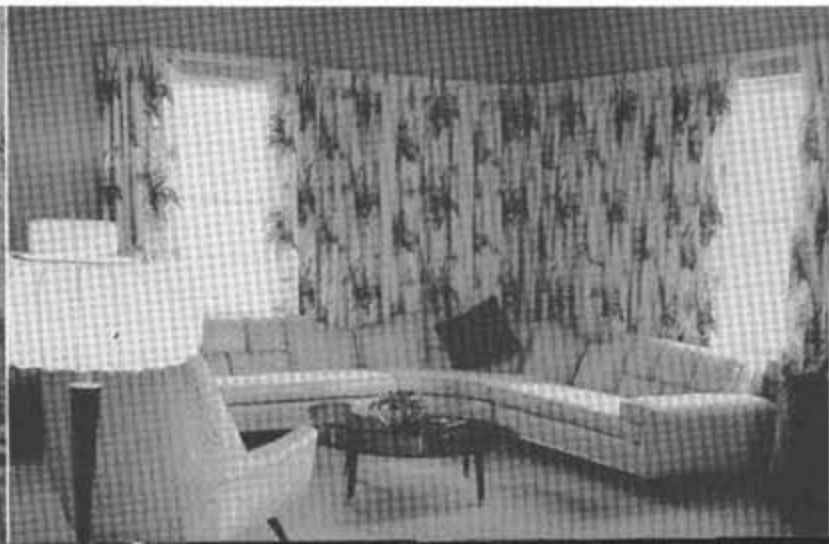
The inside too needs an overhauling



Do you recognize it now?



Even the inside has a new look





The faculty of the Department of Business Administration shown, Left to Right, are: Mark H. McCann, Mrs. Mildred Gaines, John C. Fullmore, Dr. William L. Crump. Department head Lewis Holland is seated.

As our economy becomes more complex, a knowledge of the implications of business to this economy becomes increasingly important to each of us. The Area of Business provides this background knowledge. Students also are encouraged to develop competencies in accounting, statistics, insurance, marketing, banking, economics, business teaching, and secretarial science.

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Those students in the field of Business Education who desire to prepare themselves above and beyond the calling of the classroom have formed the Flashwriters Transcription Club for intensive study in shorthand and typing.



## FLASHWRITERS TRANSCRIPTION CLUB

## AREA OF BUSINESS

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## FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS

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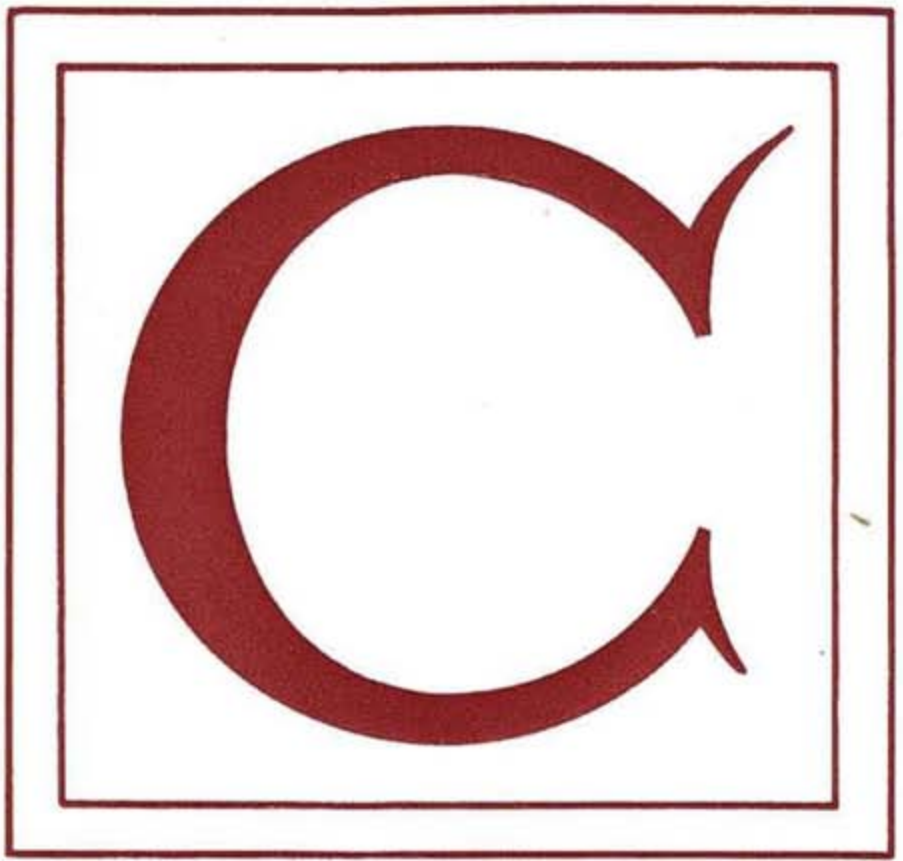


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Bottom: Serious business this—tabulations à la Merchant and Friden

Minding their "P's" and "Q's"—IBM style





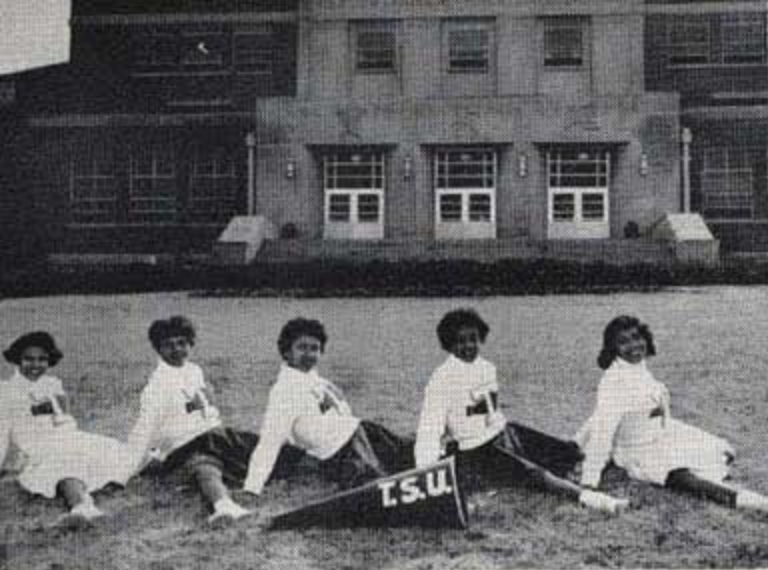
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Just posin' thank you



Beat 'em up, beat 'em up, mop mop mop



Hold that line

## CHEERLEADERS

On parade



They fly through the air with the greatest of ease





The University Choir—masters of song—comprised of the joint choral groups

If, as it is said, music hath charms to soothe the savage beast, our three groups—the University choir, the Meistersingers, and the A Cappella choir, provide an abundance of charm. Filling a dual role as entertainers and as a vehicle for musical expression and development, the choirs air their notes and melodies at concerts both on and off the campus.

## UNIVERSITY CHOIR

## MEISTERSINGERS

The Meistersingers—with a song in the air





The Chemistry faculty is composed of the following (Left to Right): Miss Ruby Prigmore, Lonnie Haynes, Mrs. Mary Hill, Dr. Archie Young, Dr. Carl Hill, David C. Gandy, Gilbert Senter. Heading the department is Dr. Myron B. Towns (seated).

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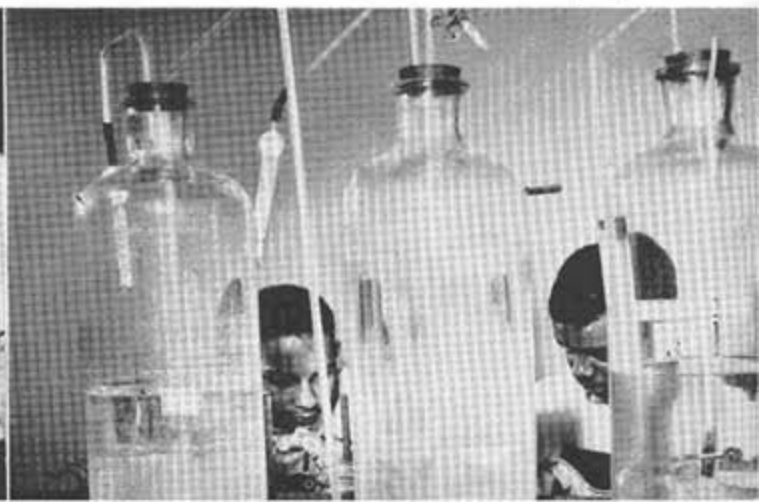


## DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Too hot to handle—unless you use tongs

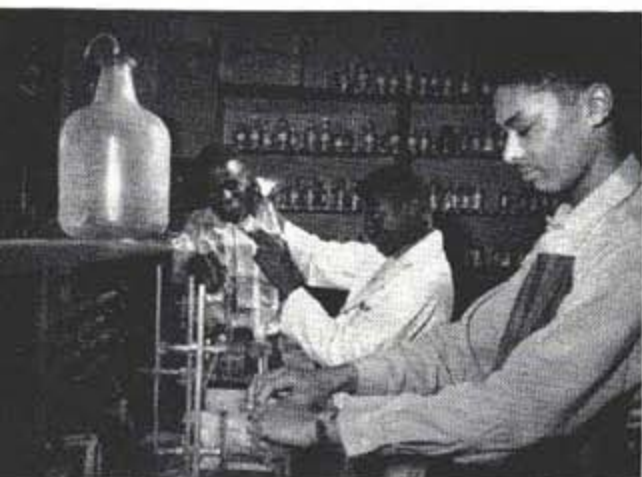


Don't let out too much. This titration has to be just right





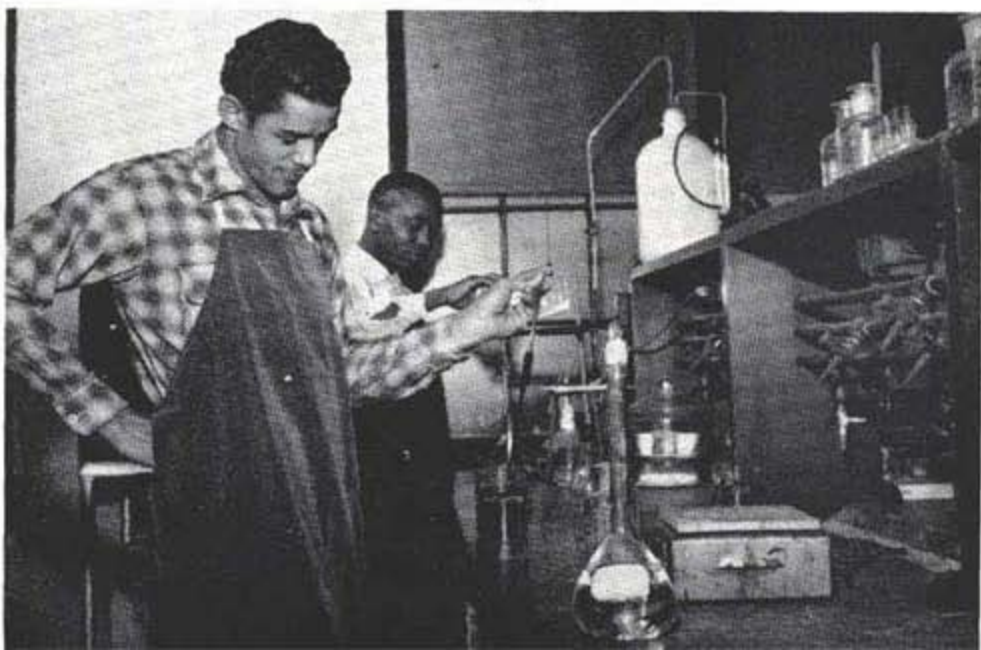
Life gets tejus



To each his own

Chemists—you'll find them in the laboratories on campus, peering through a microscope or pouring mysterious concoctions into glass containers or adjusting the heat of a Bunsen burner. They are students today. Tomorrow, they will be the giants who provide the scientific research vital to modern technological development.

It's so easy



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**IS FOR . . .**

**• DORMITORY LIFE**



# EAST DORMITORY CLUB



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ROBERT MURRELL . . . . . Advisor

The East Dormitory Club was organized to develop brotherhood, unity and peace in the residence hall; to develop gentlemen; to maintain clean buildings and grounds; to protect and guide residents; to provide for freedom of expression and personal development.



Nothing like a "brisk" game of chess  
(East Dormitory style) plus kibitzers.

# VETERAN'S DORMITORY CLUB



## OFFICERS

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FRED VALENTINE . . . . . Assistant Secretary

A Vets dormitory houses plenty of information conducive to a lively gab fest.



# WILSON HALL CLUB



## OFFICERS

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WILL ANN MAYS . . . . . Vice President  
SUSIE JEFFRIES . . . . . Secretary  
MRS. ROSE ROBINSON . . . . . Advisor

Wilson Hall Club was organized for the purpose of forming an executive council for students living in Wilson Hall. It strives to better any conditions that would make for more enjoyable living in any dormitory situation.



Letters from home are prized possessions

## HALE HALL CLUB



The Hale Hall Dormitory Club was organized for the purpose of creating a home-like atmosphere for the dormitory residents.

### OFFICERS

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All the fixin's necessary for getting all prettied up.



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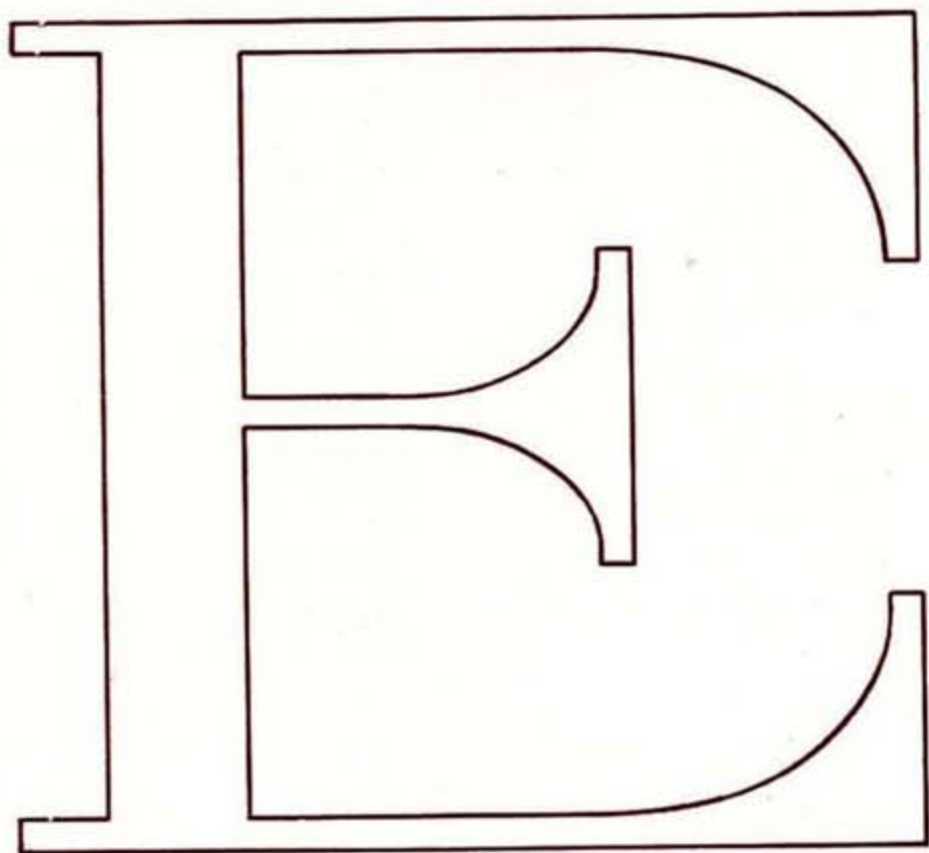
## COUNCIL MEMBERS

Nora Atlas	Rosa Lacefield
Arthur Gibson	John McMichael
Alice Grady	William Thompson

This council is set up to aid those students quartered in off-campus housing facilities. Various programs are aimed to guide students in such matters as better health habits, better study habits, ways to budget one's money, and ways to dress appropriately. Instruction is provided through monthly meetings at which faculty members are invited to lead discussions on student problems. Frequently these discussions are augmented with various types of training films.



A bit of homey atmosphere crops up in this off-campus dwelling.



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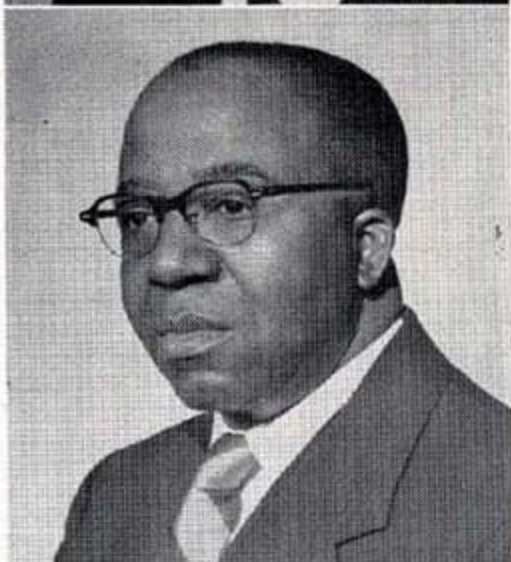
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Consultant





A PLEA TO THE MAN UPSTAIRS MIGHT HELP



STAUNCH BUT HUNGRY SUPPORTERS ALL



THIS CALLS FOR A CHANGE OF STRATEGY



NO AGREEMENT HERE



NOW FOR A SNEAK PREVIEW ON THE OPERATION OF

THIS GADGET

# Student Elections



BEFORE ONE IS CONSIDERED A REGISTERED VOTER, ONE  
MUST SIGN ON THE PROVERBIAL DOTTED LINE



IT'S ALL OVER BUT THE SHOUTING



WE'VE GOT A WINNER

EVERYBODY'S HAPPY ABOUT THE WHOLE THING



THE WINNERS AND NEW CHAMPIONS . . . THE PRES.

THE QUEEN, AND THE VEP.





Included in the Engineering faculty are: First Row (Left to Right): Eugene Scruggs, Dr. Fred W. Bright, Clinton Jones, Mrs. Yvonne Clark, John P. Hurley, Macon G. Hinton, Napoleon Johnson, George Turman, Cecil Ryan, Dr. James Parsons, Doakes Washington, Second Row (Left to Right): L. Quincy Jackson, Harry Lash, Dr. Clyde W. Hall, Thomas A. Jackson, W. V. Harper, Leon C. Farber, Frazier Buchanan, P. E. Stewart, Harding Jones, John G. Senders, Chairman of the School of Engineering is Benson L. Dutton (seated).

## SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Bridges spanning great bodies of water, tunnels running through the sides of mountains, massive buildings proudly stretching upwards, turbines belching out great puffs of steam—these are signs of the engineer.

Students may pursue courses of study leading to the Bachelor of Science degree in: Aviation Education, Building Construction, Civil Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Foundry and Metallurgical Engineering, Industrial Education, and Mechanical Engineering.

### DEPARTMENT OF AVIATION ENGINEERING

That's pretty good but will it fly?

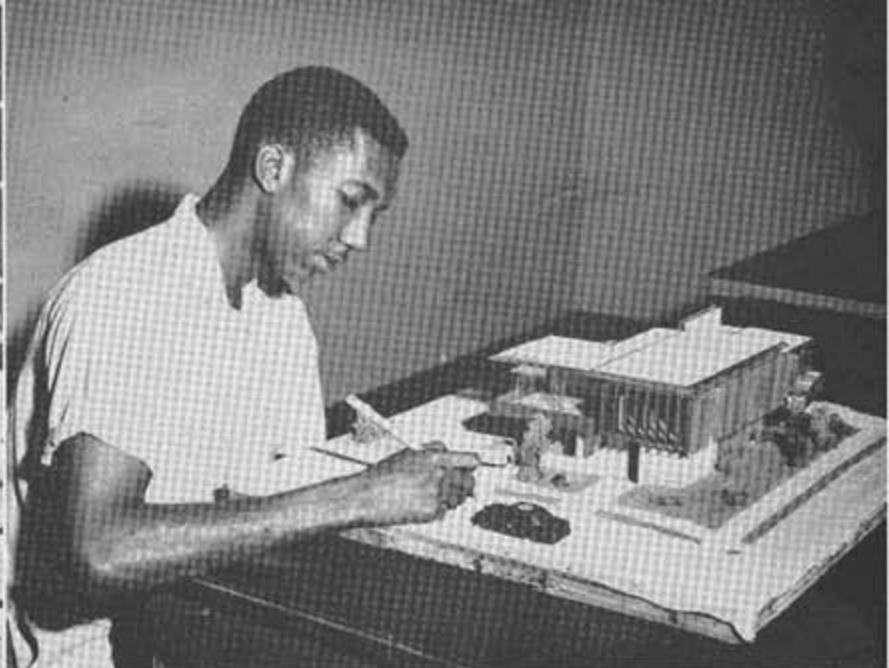


Get it down right boys—the prof is in on this one





The first thing to do is pick out a model to model



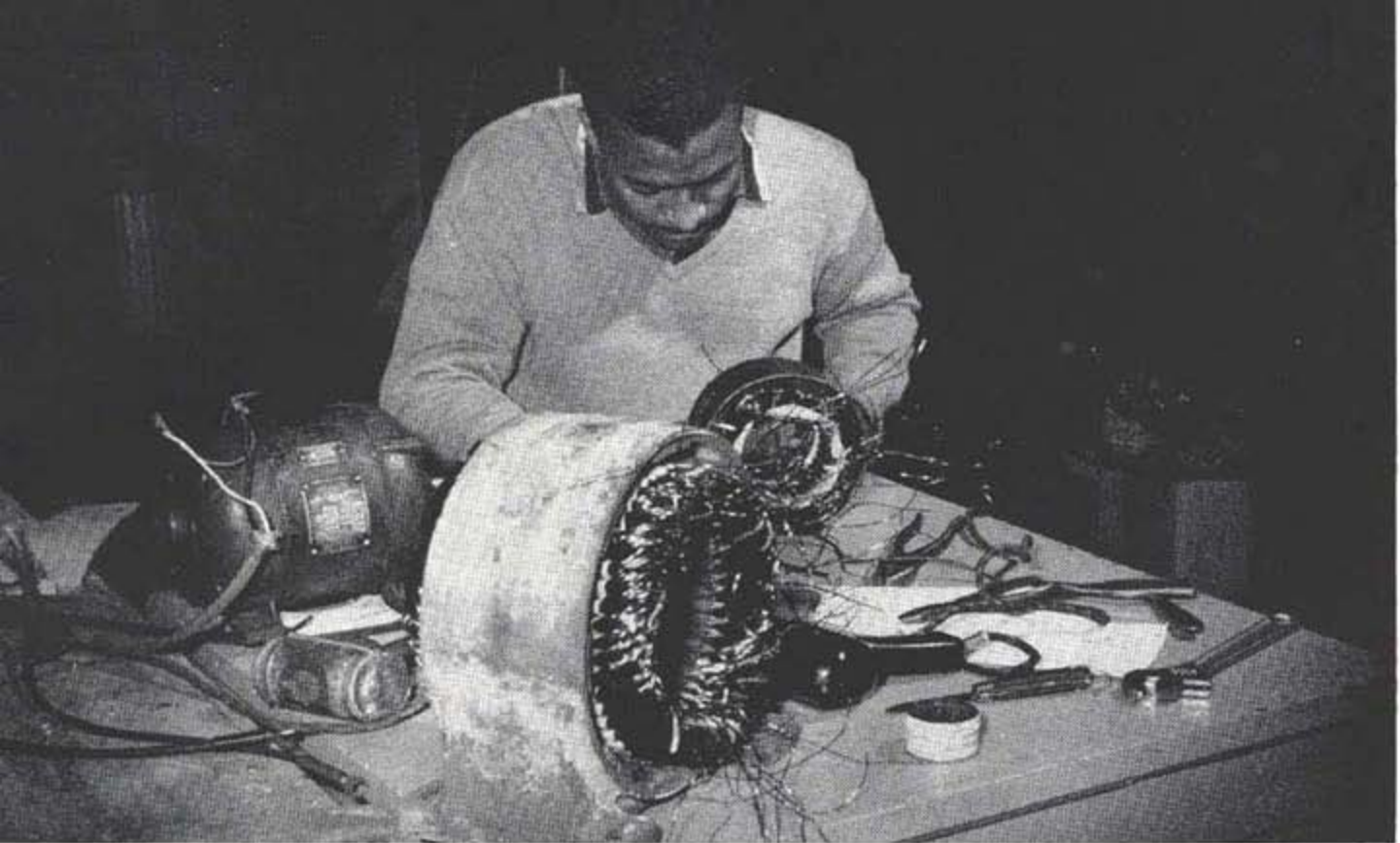
A modern modelist with the model moderne

## DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING

## DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

The building constructor breathes life into the model





Let's see now . . . this wire goes here . . .

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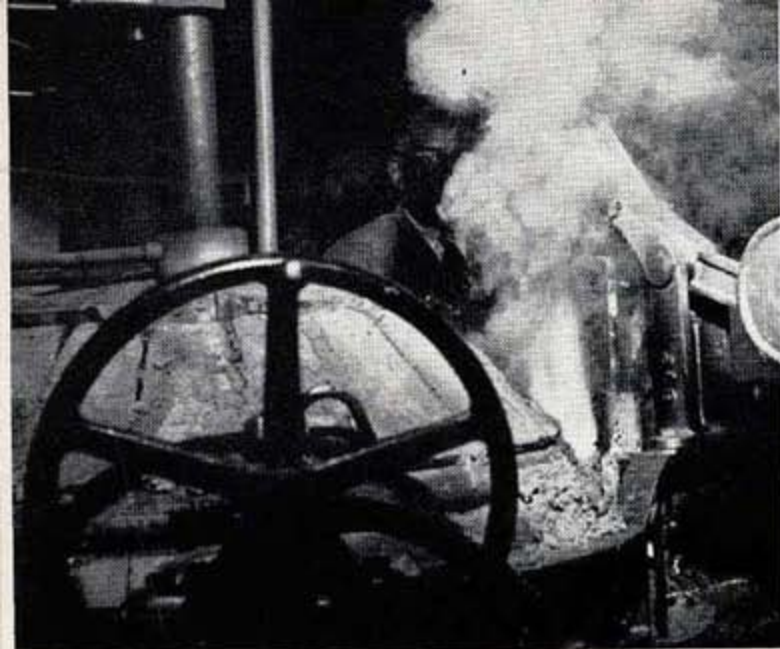
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Just a little bit to the right now—that's right

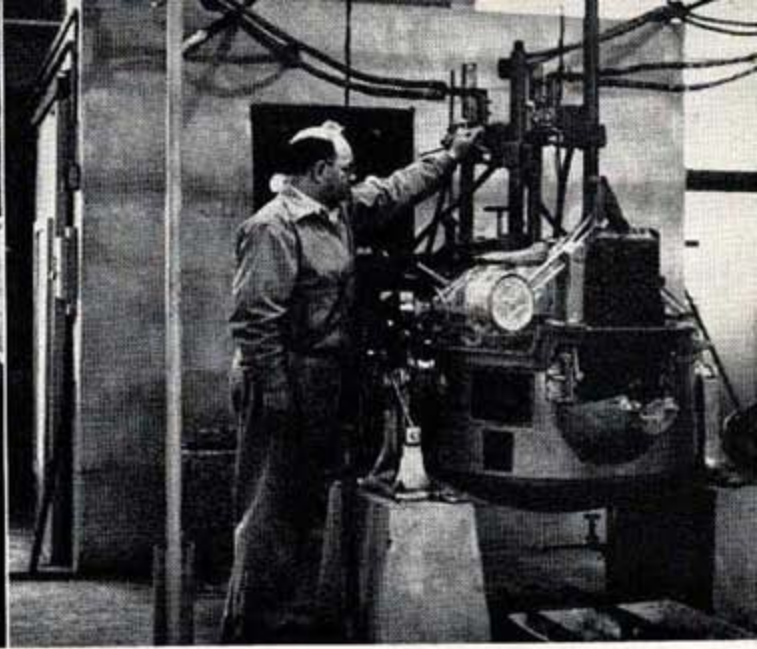


Now, what are you looking at?





Where there's smoke . . .

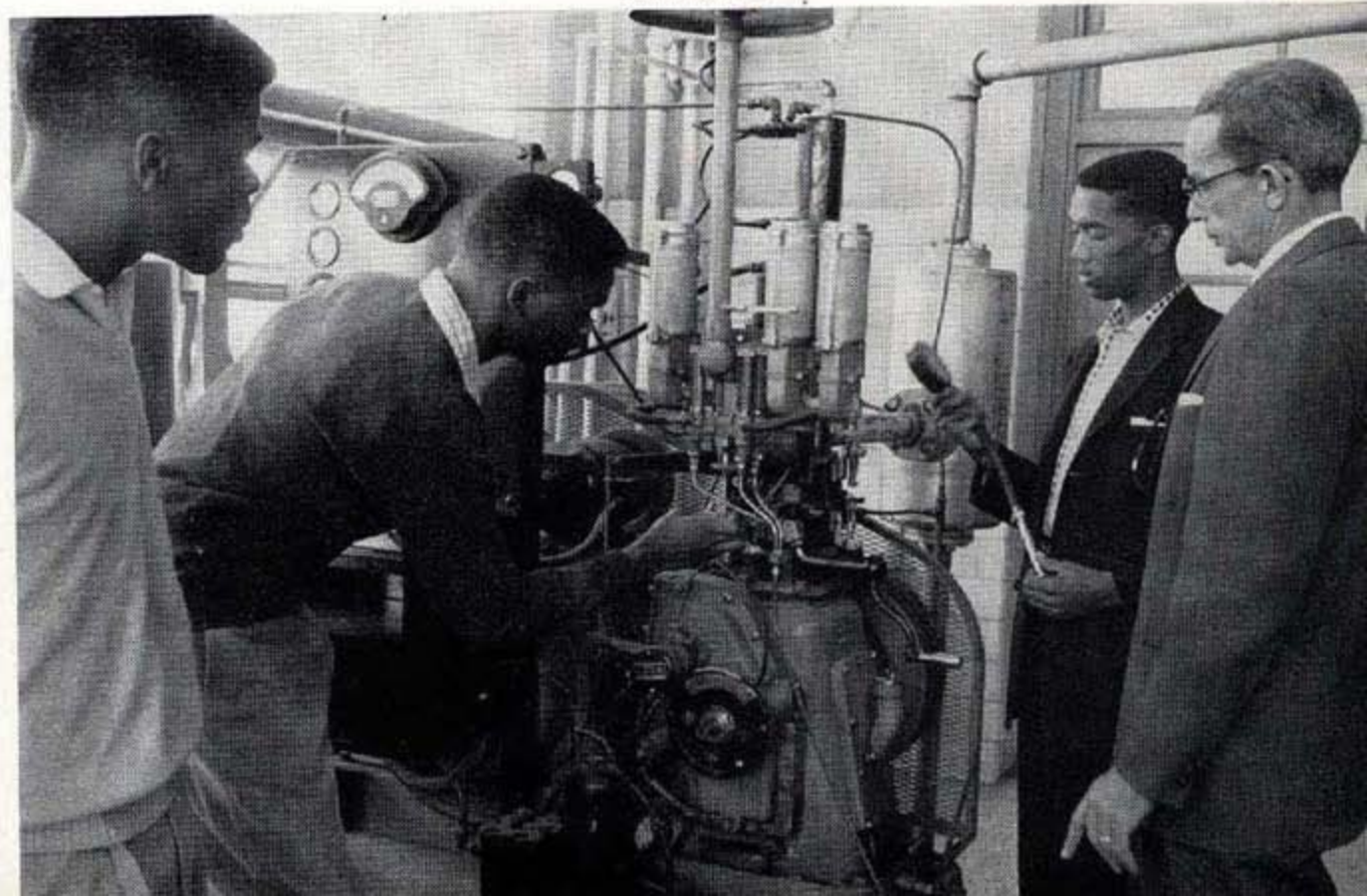


The melting pot

## DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

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I think I can fix it





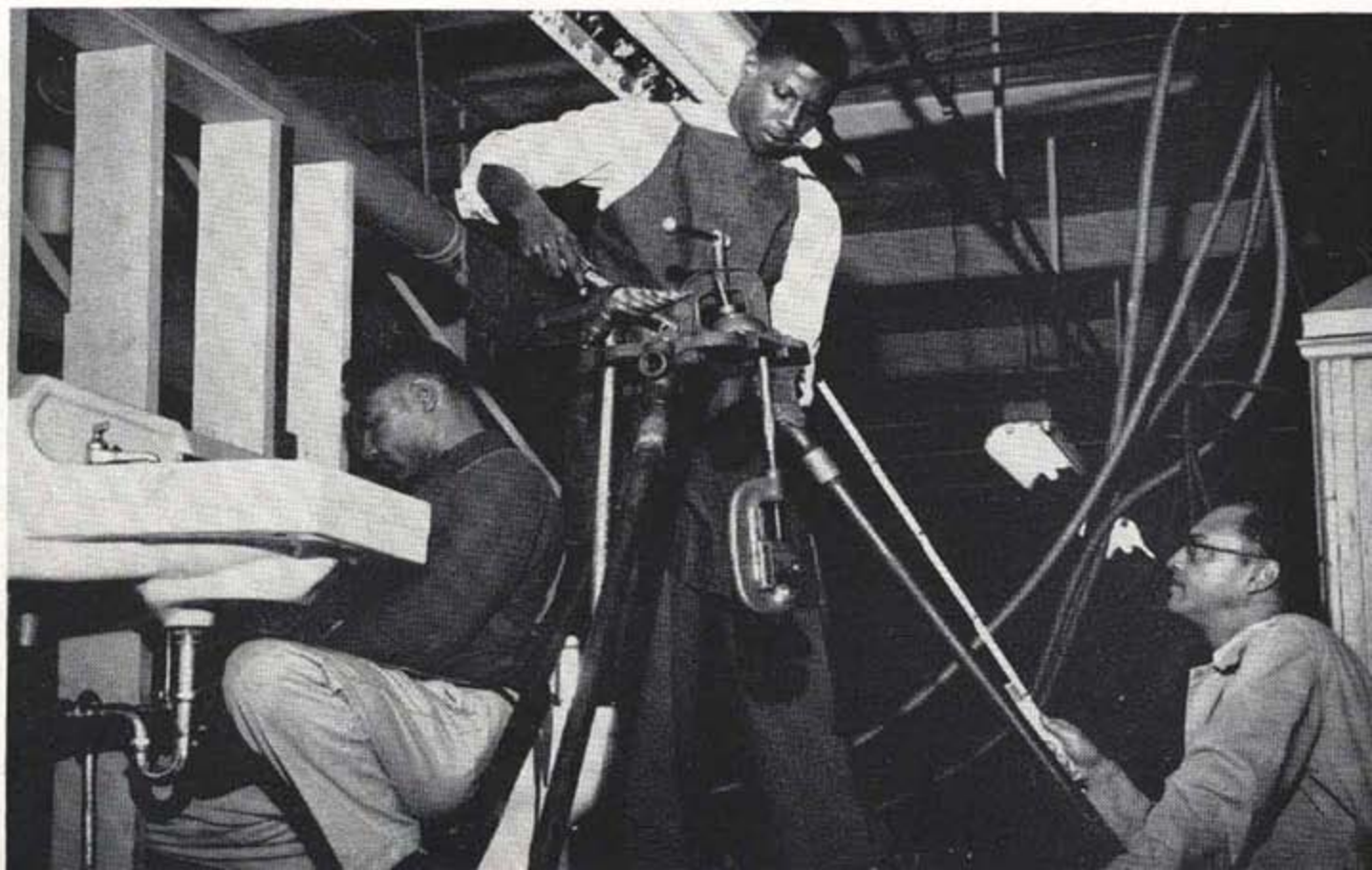
Now, that's how refrigerators refrigerate



Forming the tools that make for progress

# I N D U S T R I A L   E D U C A T I O N

Where would we be without plumbers?



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A Ford Greene school sixth grader "sounds off" for his classmates and a practice teacher from Ayeni.



A practice teacher sometimes has to supervise experiments in chemistry



# DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

English is the language of kings and commoners. The disparity in usage between the two is evidenced by corridor conversations, street corner debates, and classroom exercises.

The English department endeavors to acquaint us with "the King's English" in such a way as to serve the needs of all students and to intensively train those who would become specialists in the use of the language.



The English faculty consists of standing (Left to Right): James A. Saunders, Mrs. Mary F. Carter, Hinton Jones, Dr. C. B. Lindsay (Department head), Cecil Lewis, Mrs. Helen Cotton, Miss Juanita Horner, Robert Hudson. Seated (from left) Dr. Hazel Williams and Miss Laura Averitte.



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IS FOR . . .

- FAVORITES
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She's a dance band favorite

## MISS TENNESSEE STATE

*Archilene Juliet Turner*



She's a gridiron favorite

She's a favorite with parade crowds





He's vote getter

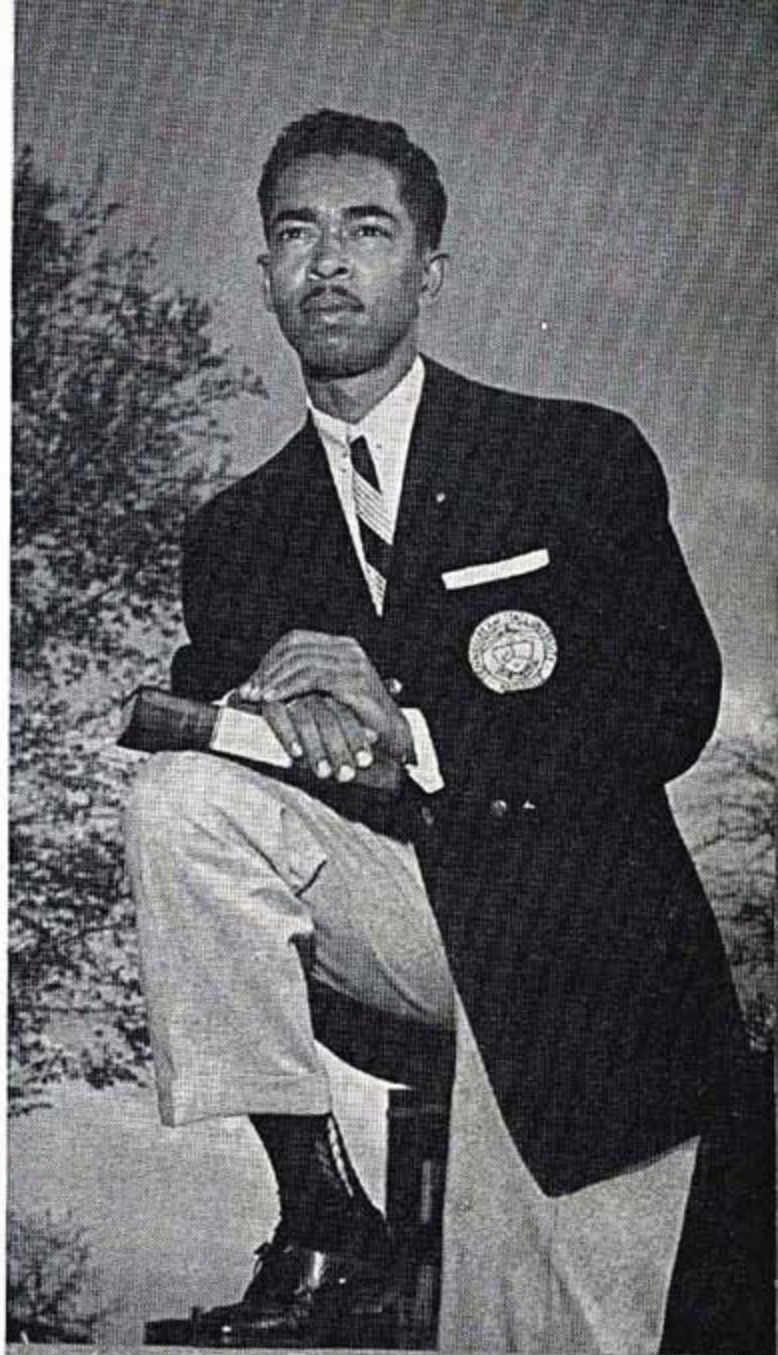
## PRESIDENT OF THE STUDENT COUNCIL

*Edward Melvin Porter*



He's a voter

He's a football fan





She's all alone

## M I S S C H A R M

*Miss Jacquelyn Davies*



She's with the runners up

She's with "Mr. Esquire" and Sam Donahue of the Billy May Band





He's a vote getter outer

## M R . E S Q U I R E

*Wilbert R. Davis*



He's a tennis champ

He's a club member





She's a calculator

## M I S S   B R A I N S

*Gwendolyn Elliott*



She looks calculating

She's a tutor too





He's studying

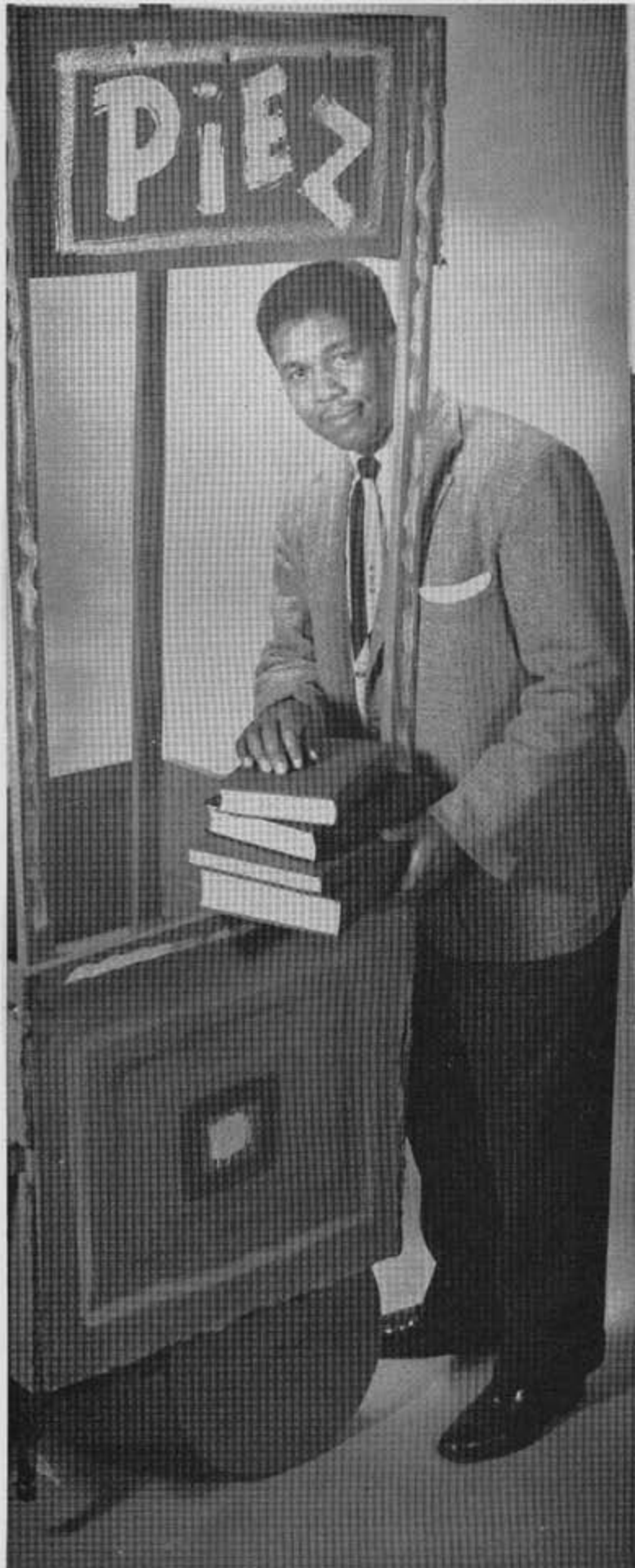
# M R . B R A I N S

*Emmett McWoods*



He's thinking

He's listening





She dances

**M I S S A F - R O T C**  
*Gladys Anderson*



She is saluted by her subjects

She reigns over her court





He receives an award

**M R . A F - R O T C**  
*James Mann*



He's in "Who's Who"

He meets World War II hero, "Chappie" James





Eartha Kitt, whose lucky number is seven, thought all the fellows "nice."

Left: Frant Lawrence, chosen by Eartha Kitt as her number one escort for an evening on the town.

**ERTHA'S ESCORT**

For six more fabulous evenings on the town La Eartha chose these as escorts, left to right: Wilbert Davis, Walter Caldwell, Bobby Logan, Robert Crawford, Clifton Jeffers, George Hillman.





Harry (Himself) Belafonte of show biz fame. He was bombarded with pictures of Ayeni beauties and asked to choose six.

Left: Joyce McAnulty, chosen by Belafonte as a beauty to behold . . . a Belafonte Beauty.

**BELAFONTE'S BEAUTY**

These are the remainder of the sextet picked by Belafonte, himself, as his beauties. The picking was not easy. Harry had submitted to him ten pictures of Ayeni's lovelies from which to choose. Left to Right: Jacqueline Coke, Jacquelyne Davis, Betty Isom, Yvonne White, Archilene Turner.





## FOOTBALL SEASON



LEE DERRICK  
Captain, 1955 Football Tigers

As the season opened the Tigers were sitting on a string of victories unmarred by a single defeat in 1954 during conference play. Five of the players who had helped lead the Tigers to a national football crown during that season had played their last game, but regulars such as Leon Jamison, Fay Mitchell, Lee Derrick and Fred Valentine were on hand with their new untried team mates to try for another sweep of conference games.

There were other changes too. The long and successful career of Henry A. Kean as chief mentor of Tiger football teams was superseded by a new staff known as the Interim Coaching Committee under the chairmanship of Howard C. Gentry. This new coaching staff worked long and hard to weld the 1955 team into a tight football unit by the time of the opening game.

Howard C. Gentry, Chairman Interim Coaching Committee.

Tennessee State 7, Lincoln of Missouri 0—at the Annual Bluff City Classic in Memphis where we hit the victory trail.

Running the Tigers this season was an Interim Coaching Committee composed of from the left: J. C. Coffee, Forest Strange, Raymond Whitmon, Shannon Little. Seated is Howard Gentry, chairman.



## FOOTBALL SCHEDULE—1955

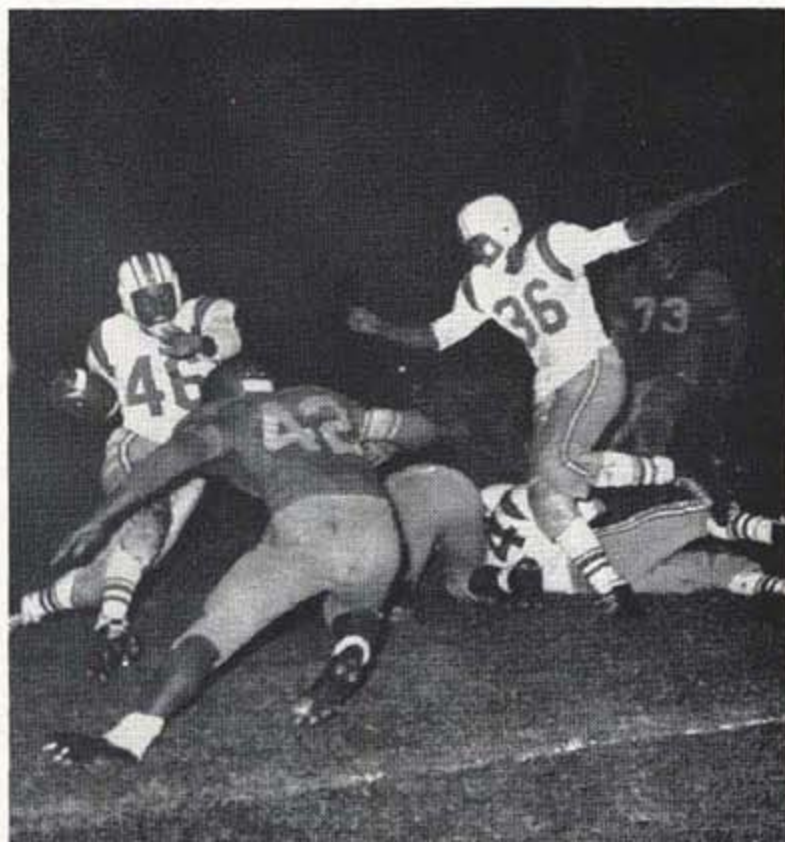
Mid-Western Conference Member

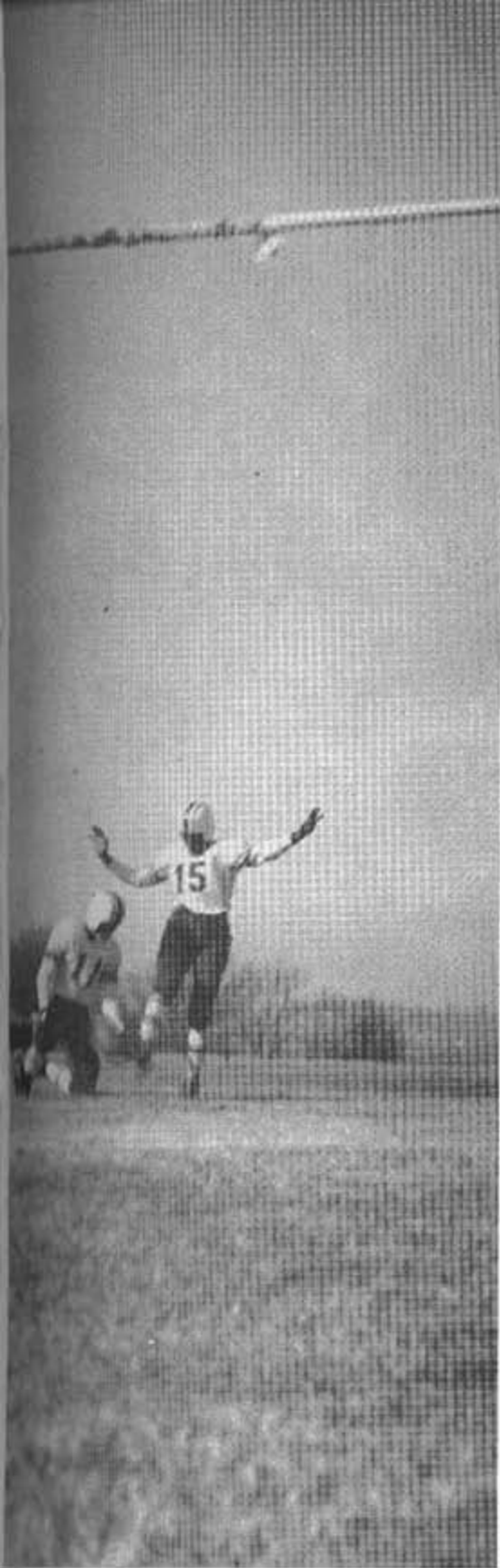
Won 7—Lost 2

*September 17	Lincoln University (Mo.)	Memphis, Tennessee
	<b>Bluff City Classic</b>	
	Tennessee State 7, Lincoln 0	
*September 24	Virginia State College	Nashville, Tennessee
	<b>The Trojans—Terrors of the CIAA</b>	
	Tennessee State 12, Virginia State 7	
October 1	Langston University	Langston, Oklahoma
	<b>Zip Gayle's Lions hard to stop at home</b>	
	Tennessee State 0, Langston 3	
October 8	Grambling College	Grambling, Louisiana
	<b>Renewal of old football rivalry</b>	
	Tennessee State 0, Grambling 12	
*October 15	Paul Quinn College	Nashville, Tennessee
	<b>Not quite an upset</b>	
	Tennessee State 85, Paul Quinn 0	
*October 22	Central State College	Nashville, Tennessee
	<b>Red Marauders gunning for new fields</b>	
	Tennessee State 56, Central State 7	
November 5	Texas Southern University	Nashville, Tennessee
	<b>Out to avenge last year's 18-15 loss</b>	
	Tennessee State 38, Texas Southern 14	
November 12	Alcorn College	Alcorn, Mississippi
	<b>Tradition of solid football</b>	
	Tennessee State 26, Alcorn 18	
November 24	Kentucky State College	Nashville, Tennessee
	<b>HOMECOMING</b>	
	<b>(Little Brown Jug Classic)</b>	
	Tennessee State 25, Kentucky State 18	

## OUR PLAYERS FOUGHT

These Virginia Trojans were really terrors but we managed to stop them in a close, hard-fought game.





Although this game with Central State was boomed as a tough one, our Tigers rolled over them 56 to 7.

Left: Rehearsing the Conversion—that extra point may win a game.

## WELL ON THE FIELD

The Tigers continued their winning ways through the first two games of the season only to fall victim in the next two, to Zip Gayles' Langston Lions and to the rambling team from Grambling College.

The Tennessee State Tigers clawed their way through all further opposition to close the season with 7 wins and 2 losses. The games provided us with plenty of thrills and excitement, and the wins merited us a second-place position in the Mid-Western Division.

Picked as outstanding grid star for the 1955 All-American lineup was the Tigers' Charles Patton, stellar guard. Winning berths on the All Mid-Western 1955 lineup were, Patton, Clarence Howard, center, and Fay Mitchell, halfback. Other standout performers were Jesse Wilburn and Percy Hines, halfbacks; James Buford, guard, and also Robert Crawford who filled in magnificently at halfback for Fred Valentine who had been injured in the early part of the season. Also on the injured list during most of the season was Leon Jamison. All in all, it was a successful season.



JOSEPH [KY. PLOWBOY] McPHERSON  
Center



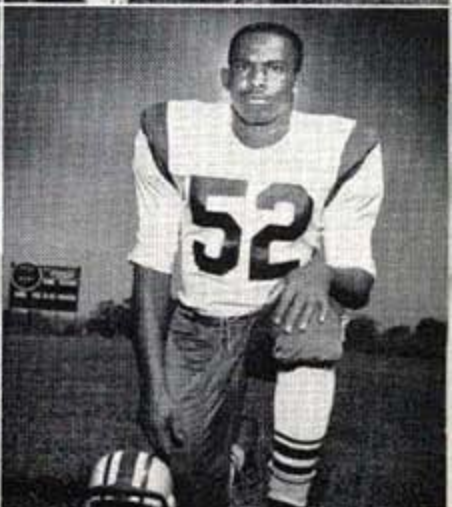
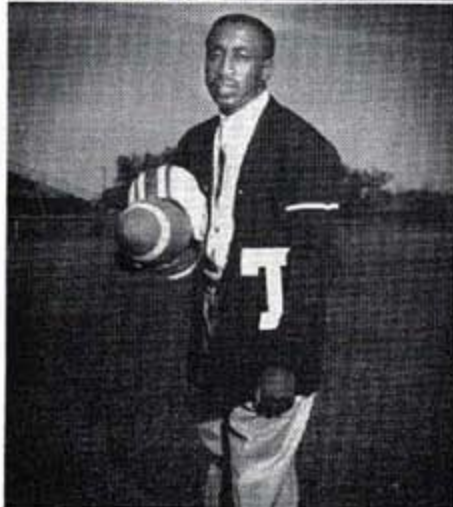
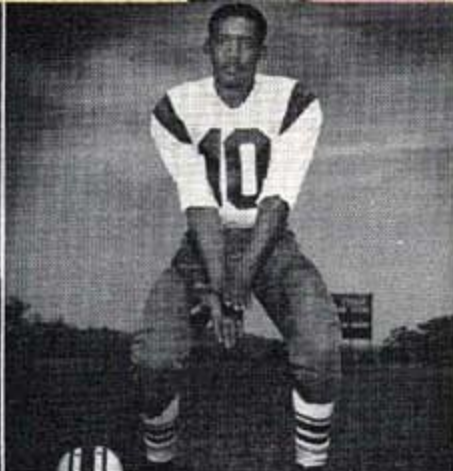
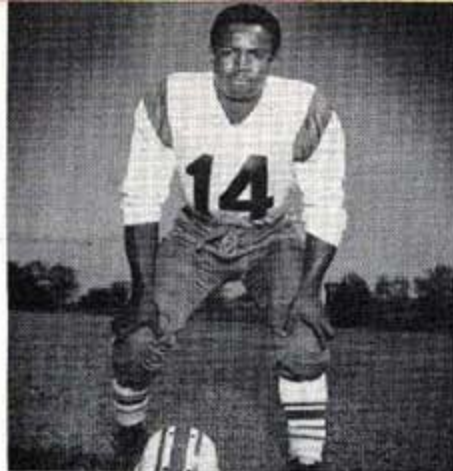
VAL (RED BALL) JOHNSON  
Tackle



JAMES (BOP TING) RELEFORD  
Guard

## THE FOOTBALL TEAM, 1955





JAMES (DEAR) PLAYER  
Halfback

DORSEY (MR. COOL) SIMS  
Quarterback

CHARLES (SAMPSON) PATTON  
Guard  
All-American

OTIS (PREXY) BRANTLEY  
Trainer

LYNDELL (SNOZZLE) MASSENGALE  
Center

CLARENCE (FUN BOX) HOWARD  
Center



# FRESHMAN CLASS



The Freshman class of 1955-56

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The \$2,400 Freshman is William Sidney McCain. The sum, first installment of which is being handed to him by Dr. James A. Parsons, represents a Dayton, Ohio Malleable Foundation grant for study in metallurgy.

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The City Freshman club is designed to bring together those freshmen students who live off the campus and to give them a closer relationship with the University proper.



Judith E. Allen  
 Robert G. Allen  
 Elizabeth Anderson  
 Helen Anderson



Jewell Baldwin  
 Lucy Baskerville  
 Arthur Benjamin, Jr.  
 Thelma L. Bias



Johnson H. Biggers  
 Mary K. Bigsby  
 Philles Marie Black  
 Donald L. Blair



Mattie Lee Bond  
 Loretta Lee Booker  
 William H. Borders  
 Jewell I. Bowers



Elmer Brabson  
 Erlene M. Bradley  
 John C. Brent, Jr.  
 Vezelia Brewster



William Briggs  
 Addie Brookins  
 Pershing Broome  
 Jeanette Brown



# THE FRESHMAN CLASS OF NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX



FIRST ROW:

Pauline Buckner  
Jewell Burnette

Benjamin Butler, Jr.  
Mary Frances Butler

Joseph Campbell  
Lauree H. Campbell

SECOND ROW:

Beverly J. Chiles  
Katherine Chrisman

Randall Christmas  
Marie Cole

Edna Virginia Collins  
Peter Collins

THIRD ROW:

Walter Collins  
Carolyn Craig

Jacqueline Crowder  
Henrietta Marie Crump

Daisy Currin  
Alberta Daniels

FOURTH ROW:

Eloise Dantzleu  
Lemuel H. Darrell

Grace J. Davis  
Hazel Opal Davis

Richard E. Davis  
Roger Davis



Josephine Davison  
Beatrice L. Dawkins  
Velma Dennis  
Ellor Louis Dickerson



Robbie Divens  
Annie Ruth Driver  
Everlene Dupree  
Susie Edmondson



Evelyn R. Elliott  
Susie Elston  
Polly Ann Eslick  
Harold Deigo Exon



Myra Jean Farmer  
Samuel Ferguson  
Gilbert M. Fisher, III  
Lizzie Ali Flack



Clenastine Fletcher  
Marilyn Forbes  
Bette Ford  
Cora Jane Garner



Dorothy Goodrich  
Emma L. Goodwin  
Arthur L. Gowens  
Alice P. Grady



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Sylvia V. Grant  
Vivian L. Graves

Henry De Grayson  
Jessie L. Greene

Melodie P. Greene  
Alonzo J. Greer

**SECOND ROW:**

William Floyd Greer  
Albert B. Grimes

Montanez Guest  
Tillie M. Hall

Albert L. Hammond  
Sylvester R. Harris

**THIRD ROW:**

Floyd Harrison, Jr.  
Culous McCoy Hayes

William O. Hayes  
Doris J. Haynes

Clattye Headon  
Henry Hearn

**FOURTH ROW:**

Curtis Henry  
Sally Jean Hill

George Hillman  
Bobbie Jean Holder

E. Beatrice Holmes  
Earl Holt



Dorothy Hudson  
Marshall Hurst  
Ore Lee Ingram  
Shirley Jean Jacobs



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William H. Jackson  
Gloria J. James  
Herschel M. Jarrett



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Robert Johnson, Jr.



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Rosezella B. Jones  
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Byron J. McClure

Rufus McCollum, Jr.  
Joe K. McElrath

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Shirley B. McKinnie

Mary Lee Mack  
Yvonne Macon

Jo Ann Madden  
Gloria L. Mathis

THIRD ROW:

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Dorothy M. Moore

Ernest J. Moore  
Harrel C. Moore

Bobbie J. Morris  
James E. Morton, Jr.

FOURTH ROW:

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Jo Ann S. Noon  
Charles R. Owens



Gloria J. Page

Christino Payne

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Alma Person



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Nell Glen Pierce

Kizzie Pirtle



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Belva Robinson

Georgia A. Robinson



Donald Round

Thomas G. Rucker

Gwendolyn Sales

Edward L. Sampson



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Betty Scott  
Susie Mae Seay

Clark D. Sharpe  
Percy L. Shipp, Jr.

SECOND ROW:

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Theresa Simmons

Beatrice D. Singleton  
Charles S. Smith

Ernest C. Smith  
Jane Leigh Smith

THIRD ROW:

Joe Louis Smith  
Iva J. Smotherman

Alice R. Stewart  
Roy G. Stinson

Willie J. Story  
Mary M. Stovall

FOURTH ROW:

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Jacquelyn Sweetner

Canary F. Taylor  
Henry Taylor

Jesse L. Taylor  
Bettye L. Terry



Clara M. Terry  
John B. Thomas  
Lillie B. Thomas  
Gloria F. Thompson



Robert E. Thompson  
Mary E. Townsend  
Henry F. Tucker  
Dixie Valentine



Louis A. Wakefield  
Barbara Jean Ward  
James Bowmont Watkins  
Minnie M. Wheeler



Allen A. White, Jr.  
Alvin T. White  
Artila Mae Wilkerson  
Cle Ester Williams



Hollis R. Williams  
Ruby R. Williams  
Samuel Williams  
M. Dolores Williamson



Mary Willis  
Myrtle Willis  
Fletchie O. Woodall  
Ernest L. Woods



Mattie Woods  
Onie Wooten  
Ethel Younge



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- GREEKS



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Psychology

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EMORY HOLMES . . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
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Business Education

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JACKIE M. THOMAS . . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
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Second Row:

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Science

RUBY WATSON . . . . . Halls, Tenn.  
Health and Physical Education

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Sociology

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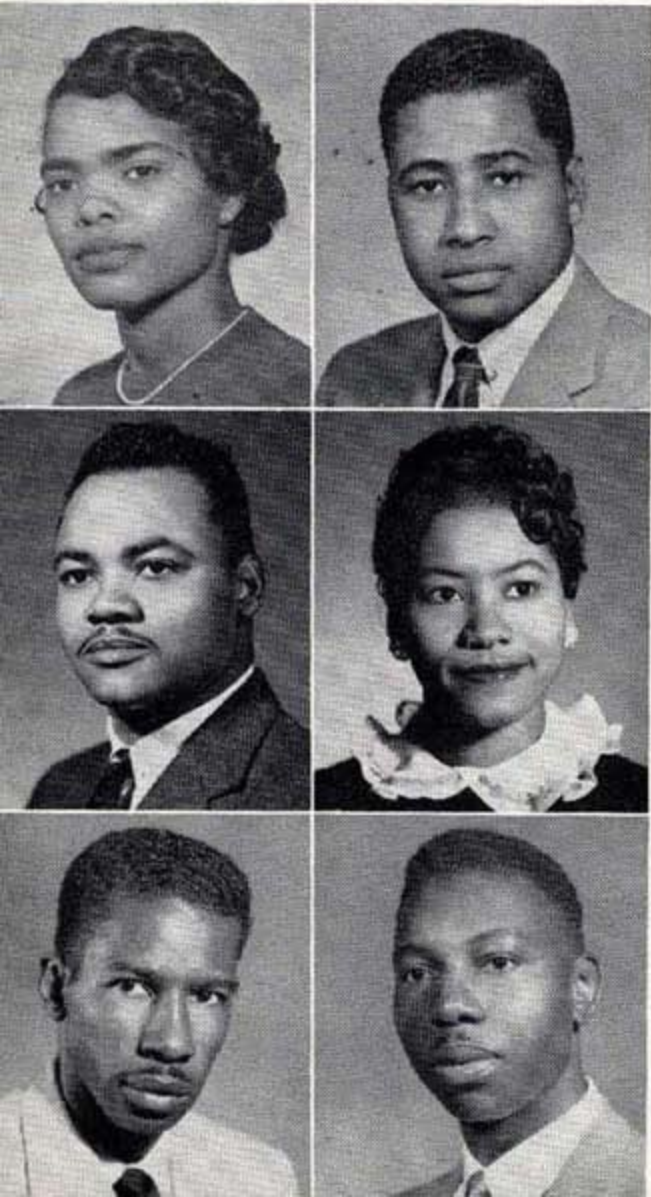
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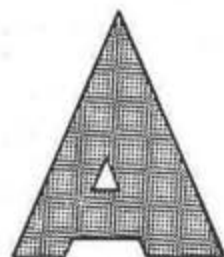
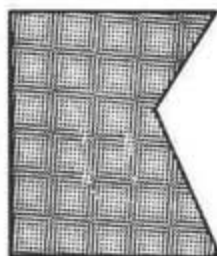
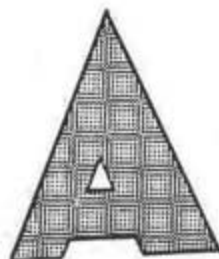
REVOYDA FULLER . . . . . Assistant Secretary

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# ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY



Founded upon the ideals of high moral and scholastic standards, the Alpha Psi Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority had its beginning in 1932. Through the years it has continued to uphold those tenets upon which it was established.

With a belief that leadership is developed through participation, the members of Alpha Psi engage in every phase of campus endeavor and activity. The "Station Project" sponsored by this organization, welcomes and offers assistance at the train station to all incoming students. The annual rush party is a highlight of the early weeks of school. This year's theme "Celebrities on Parade" was most hilarious. Quiet Hour and Sunday School programs are annually scheduled activities of the chapter. Another worthwhile contribution to the campus and community is its "Help Week," a service project during probation week. Aid has been given to Hubbard Hospital previously. This year, service was rendered the women's dormitories on the campus.

Alpha Psi lists as its outstanding achievement of the year, the acquisition of a trophy for being the most outstanding undergraduate chapter of the southeastern region.

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**A L P H A P S I C H A P T E R**



At this stage of the game it ain't nothing but a rat race



Everybody's gotta eat



The Turbans

ALPHA KAPPA  
ALPHA ACTIVITY

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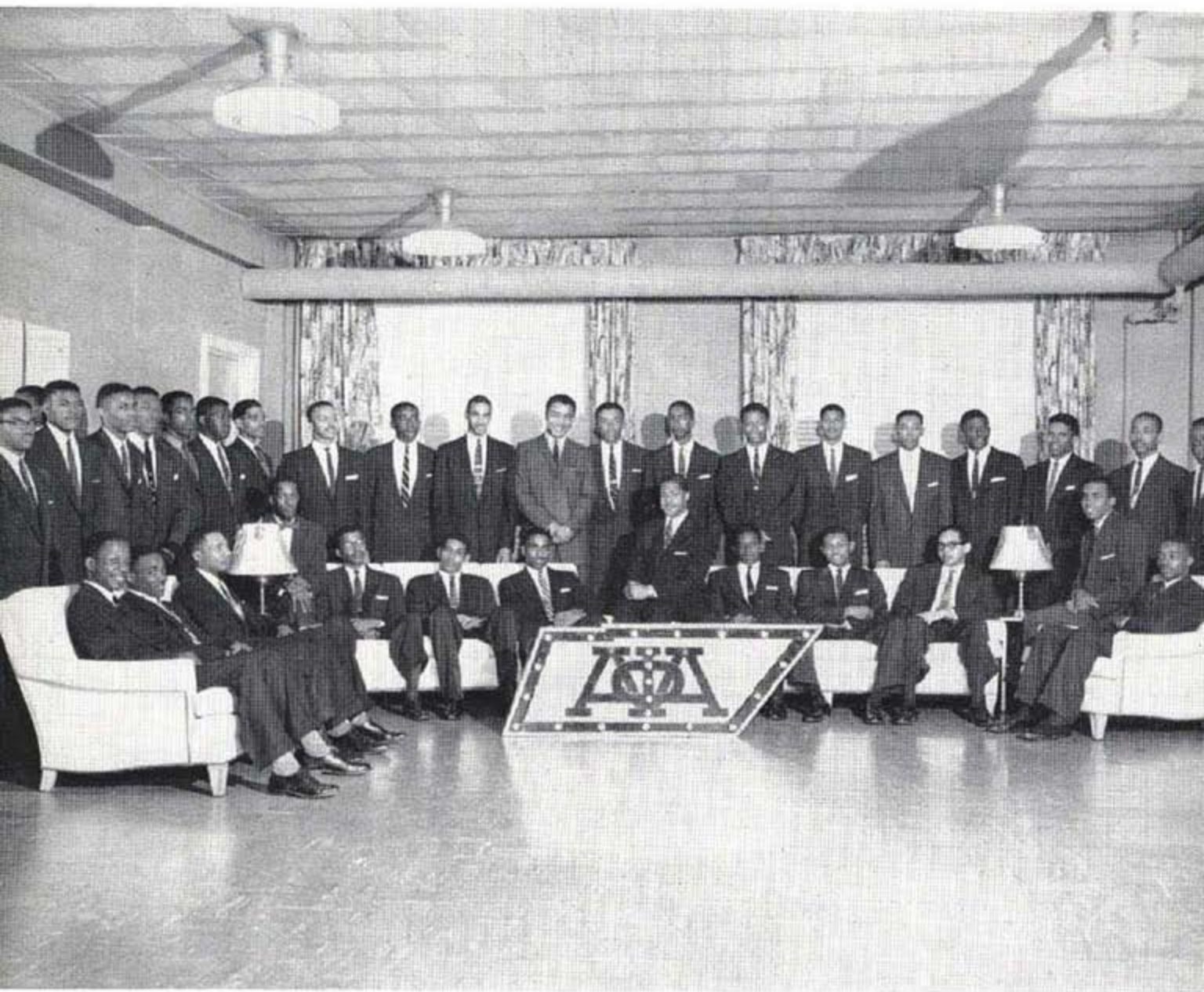
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**B E T A   O M I C R O N   C H A P T E R**

# ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY

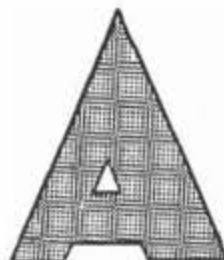
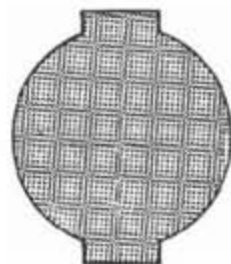
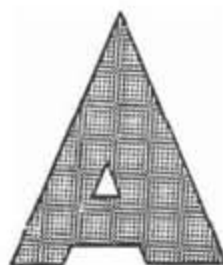
With paramount principles in mind, seven nobles gave rise to what is now known as Beta Omicron. Thus Beta Omicron was founded on ethical values, linguistic discipline, and potent standards for the eternal truths of manly deeds, scholarship, and love for all mankind. As a result of these principles, Beta Omicron has encouraged and enabled men to rise high, stand tall, and to never relinquish those attributes that contributed to its birth.

We salute Henry A. Callis, George B. Kelley, Nathaniel A. Murray, Charles H. Chapman, Robert H. Ogle, Vertner W. Tandy, and Eugene K. Jones. All of Alpha Phi Alpha are proud of the seven great warriors who possessed a zeal and fervency thereto-fore unconsummated and who through their herculean efforts and sense of honorable obligation founded Alpha Phi Alpha in 1905-1906.

Distrusting the assumption that education should be all academic and non-social, it has been our aim to emphasize "the man, whole and entire," having no phase of his personality neglected or thwarted morally, intellectually, or socially.

It is true that Beta Omicron is only a link in the chain of Alpha, but in a city and state where Alpha chapters are gifted for singular accomplishments, it has become a chapter of distinction and it has shone as a star in the night with the brilliance and luminous of a crucifix. Those words are made a living reality in that Beta Omicron was named as the most outstanding undergraduate chapter in Alpha for the year of 1956-57. Another honor was added to us when one of our brothers was elected a member of the regional governing body.

With the help of God, it is our aim to continue to rise, and to lift others into that atmosphere, that horizon of pure sunshine where it is our utmost ambition to serve man, our brother.

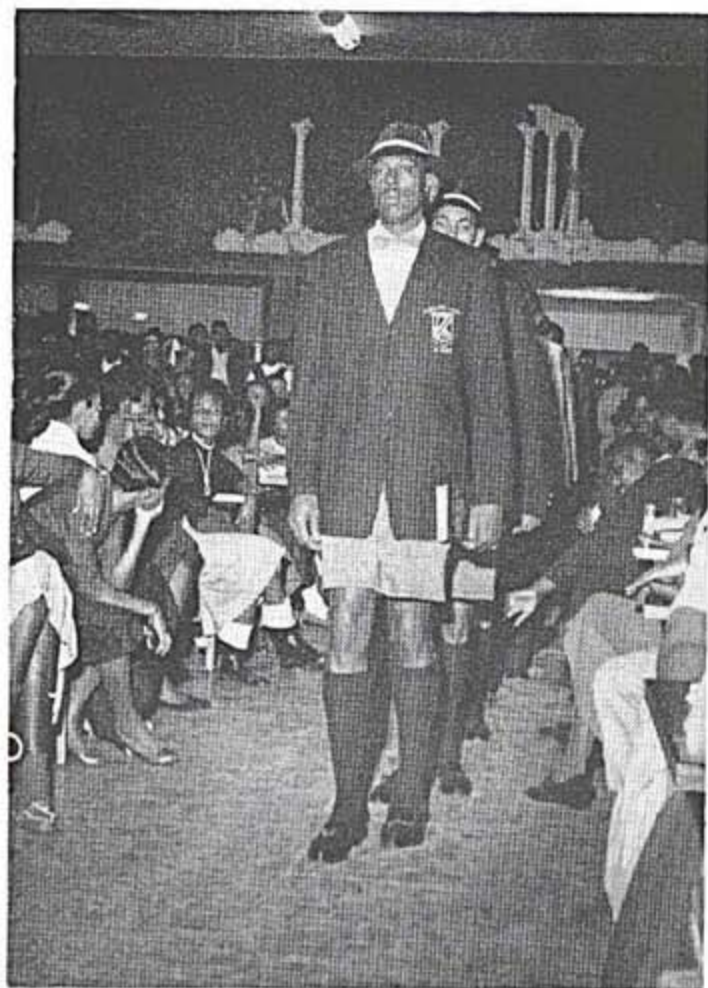


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Beta Omicron chapter planning committee members. Seated, Left to Right: James Hull, Reuben Davis, Robert Howse, Booker Poe, Robert Williams. Standing, Left to Right: Clarence Branch, Donald Perry, John Tyus in the process of mapping plans for the fraternity's Fiftieth Anniversary Celebration.



Current etiquette editions allow that gentlemen may wear hats indoors if big brothers say they must.

Alphas Clarence Branch and Reuben Davis fondly admire trophy won by Beta Omicron chapter as most outstanding undergraduate chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha for the year 1955.



## ALPHA PHI ALPHA ACTIVITIES

# SPHINX CLUB

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**A L P H A   C H I   C H A P T E R**

# DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority was founded at Howard University, Washington, D.C., in 1913. The purpose of the sorority is to encourage high cultural and scholastic standards and to lift the ideal of finer womanhood.

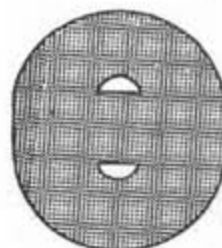
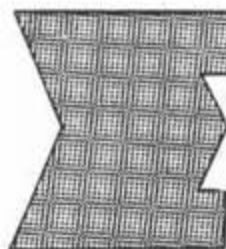
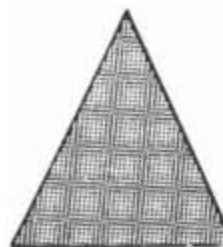
Many philanthropic projects are conducted by Delta Sigma Theta annually. These projects include the giving of scholarships and job opportunities.

Alpha Chi chapter, founded on the campus of Tennessee Agricultural and Industrial State University in 1936, has since grown tremendously. Alpha Chi lives up to the ideals of Delta by participating in all phases of campus activities. In keeping with the ideals of high scholastic standards Delta has received the Alpha Kappa Mu Scholarship Trophy for three consecutive years, thereby gaining possession of it permanently.

Among the chapter's activities throughout the year are the annual Rush Party given for the freshmen and new students, Quiet Hour, and Sunday School Programs. The "Delta Kiddie Party" is an annual affair where all sorors and guests present a toy on admittance. All toys are given to the Community Center to be distributed to the needy children.

Alpha Chi Chapter, with sorors from Alpha Beta of Fisk, Gamma Omega of Meharry, and Pi Sigma, Graduate chapter, celebrated Founders Day in their usual inspiring manner.

As an annual project of Alpha Chi, we anticipate giving the scholarship award again this year on Awards Day to some worthy student.



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JEAN BATEY	Reporter
GLADYS ANDERSON	Custodian
JEANETTE McKINNEY	Parliamentarian



Let's have a party—a kiddie party



Shuffling off to Buffalo via the cafeteria

Sing you singers



DELTA SIGMA  
THETA ACTIVITY

# PYRAMID CLUB

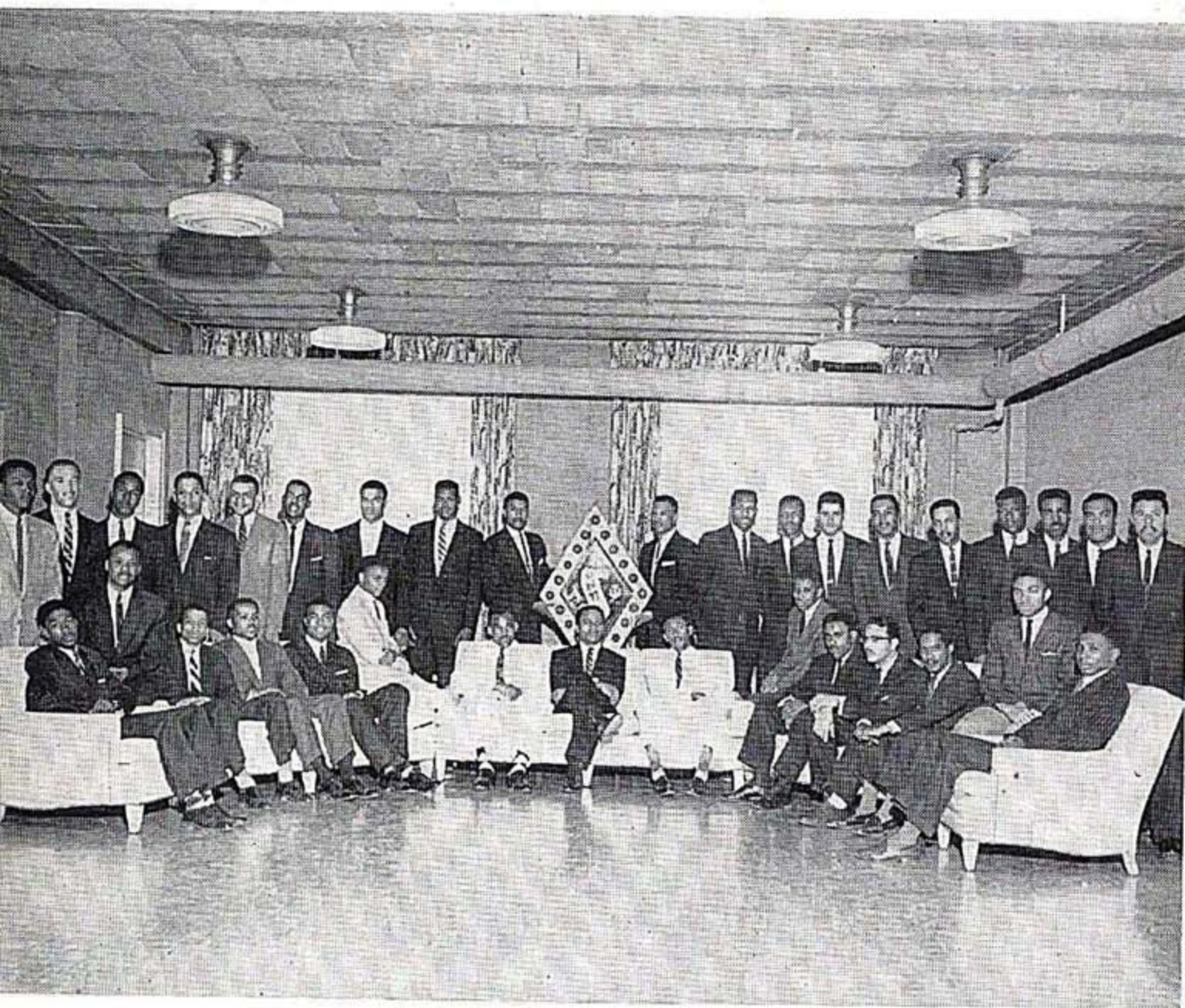
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**A L P H A   T H E T A   C H A P T E R**

# KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY

Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity was founded by Elder W. Diggs, along with nine other men on the 5th of January, 1911, at the University of Indiana, and was incorporated April 15, 1915, as the first Negro fraternity in the state.

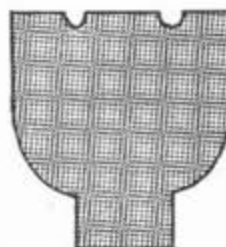
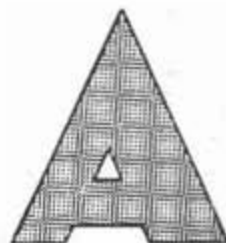
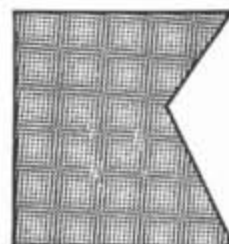
Alpha Theta Chapter was founded May 23, 1931, by Leroy Boyd.

The purpose of Kappa Alpha Psi is achievement. It strives to inspire its members to do noble deeds and gain positions of usefulness to mankind.

In taking its part in the university and community life, Alpha Theta has sponsored many worthy projects such as the Kappa Kountry Carnival and the Guide Right Movement. They also take an active part in other University activities; they give a Sweetheart Breakfast on Valentine Day in honor of their sweethearts and the chapter sweetheart.

Somewhat different from other fraternities on Tennessee State's campus, Alpha Theta elects as their sweetheart a member of the University faculty and she remains as such as long as she is connected with the university. There have only been two sweethearts in the history of the chapter.

Many brothers are campus leaders and honor students. Annually Alpha Theta men are outstanding in basketball, football, and swimming.



## OFFICERS

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HORACE JACKSON	Exchequer
LEE A. DERRICK	Strategus
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ELLIOT SEARD	Corresponding Secretary
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OTIS B. BRANTLEY	Asst. Dean of Pledges
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LFSLIE SPANN	Director of Music
NORMAN K. SPENCER	Chaplain



The Kappas are big hearted guys who donate canned goods collected at the Kappa Kountry Karnival to St. Luke's Day Nursery.



Looks like they really need that one and a couple more to boot

Photographer's nightmare: Everybody tries to get into the act at the Kappa Kountry Karnival.



P S I   A C T I V I T Y

# SCROLLER CLUB

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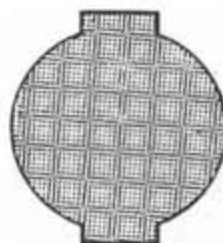
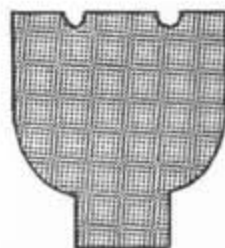
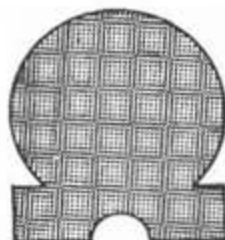
R H O P S I C H A P T E R

# OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY

Dwelling upon the belief that a well developed man must possess four major principles: manhood, scholarship, perseverance, and uplift, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity was founded on November 17, 1911, at Howard University in Washington, D.C. The Fraternity founded by Edgar A. Love, Oscar J. Cooper, Frank Coleman and Earnest Just, shall live on and on as a glowing symbol for men who pledge themselves to such principles.

The founders of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity dreamed and trusted that one day it would become a national organization, and it is with much pride and joy that the Omegas make it known that the dreams of these great men were not in vain. Today, there are more than twenty-five thousand men who believe and stress the ideals of Omega as brothers and are living up to the Four Cardinal Principles.

As members of the Rho Psi Chapter, we are yet walking in the shadows of our founders, proudly facing the future as we have faced the past. For 1955 and 1956, we have cast our aims toward, "Desegregation, A Way-station: Integration, Our Destination." Contending that "Friendship is essential to the Soul," and is the only basis for eternal freedom, the Omegas salute the future, stressing brotherhood of college and race, and the eternal brotherhood of man.



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Gruesome twosome



Odd man out



Omega choral group

OMEGA PSI  
PHI ACTIVITY

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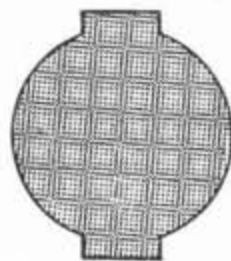


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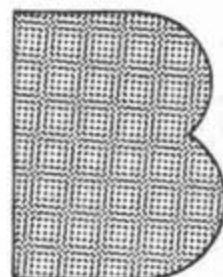
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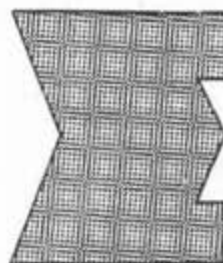
# PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY



On October 8, 1913, A. Langston Taylor presented to Lenard F. Morse the proposition of establishing a new fraternity at Howard University, Washington, D.C. Charles I. Brown, another student at Howard University was invited to assist in this movement. Conferences leading to the actual organization were subsequently held and on January 9, 1914, the permanent organization of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., was founded. The Board of Deans at Howard University recognized the new fraternity on April 15, 1914. The chapter was Alpha Chapter at Howard University.



In carrying out the motto, "Culture for Service and Service to Humanity," Zeta Alpha Chapter has recently launched a program to give an award to the freshman young man with the highest accumulative average.



Zeta Alpha Chapter takes an integral part in the University and community life, in sponsoring Quiet Hour, Sunday School, and other campus activities. Its members are outstanding in participation among various academic, scholastic, and religious organizations here at the University.



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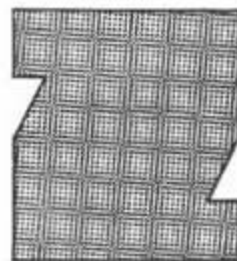


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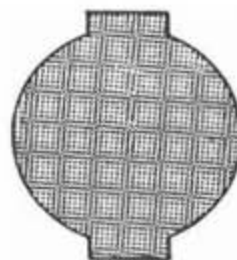
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**E P S I L O N   A L P H A   C H A P T E R**

# ZETA PHI BETA SORORITY



Zeta Phi Beta Sorority was founded in 1920 on the campus of Howard University. The sorority was given a formal introduction at the Whitelaw Hotel by two Phi Beta Sigma brothers. In 1923 Zeta Phi Beta Sorority was incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia. The first Boule was held jointly with Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity in Washington, D.C., in 1920. The first Regional Meeting was held in Washington, D.C., in 1927.



In keeping with the ideals upon which the sorority was founded, the idea of "Finer Womanhood Week" was adopted. The objective of Finer Womanhood, Program of Sisterly Love and Scholarship has brought together women from all parts of the United States and some parts of Africa, who have similar tastes and aspirations for high attainment. Since Finer Womanhood can be obtained and maintained only by helping others, Zeta Phi Beta has sponsored several projects.

From one chapter of five girls, Zeta has grown to approximately two hundred chapters, and as the years go by many pages will be added to her history.



Epsilon Alpha Chapter of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority was organized on Tennessee State University's campus on April 15, 1933, with six charter members. The sorority is proud of its growth and achievements. In the past year the sorority was awarded the Alpha Kappa Mu Scholarship Trophy. Zeta Phi Beta Sorority stresses scholarship, zeal, sisterly love, and finer womanhood.

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AUDREY MITCHELL	Dean of Pledges
EARNFSTINE CRAWFORD	Assistant Dean of Pledges





Zeta Phi Beta probates look sleepy but happy as they dine in the University cafeteria and wonder what's to happen next.



## ARCHONIAN CLUB

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LILLIE BELL JOHNSON

VEONNIE McKINNEY

GLORIA RANSOME



# S I G M A G A M M A R H O

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MOZELLE REED	.....	Anti-Basileus
AUDRA ROBINSON	.....	Grannoteus
MARY BRADLEY	.....	Tomiachus

## MEMBERS

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MATTIE GARNEY	AUDRA ROBINSON

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority was organized November 12, 1922 by Soror Mary Lou Gardner and six other school teachers in Indianapolis, Indiana.

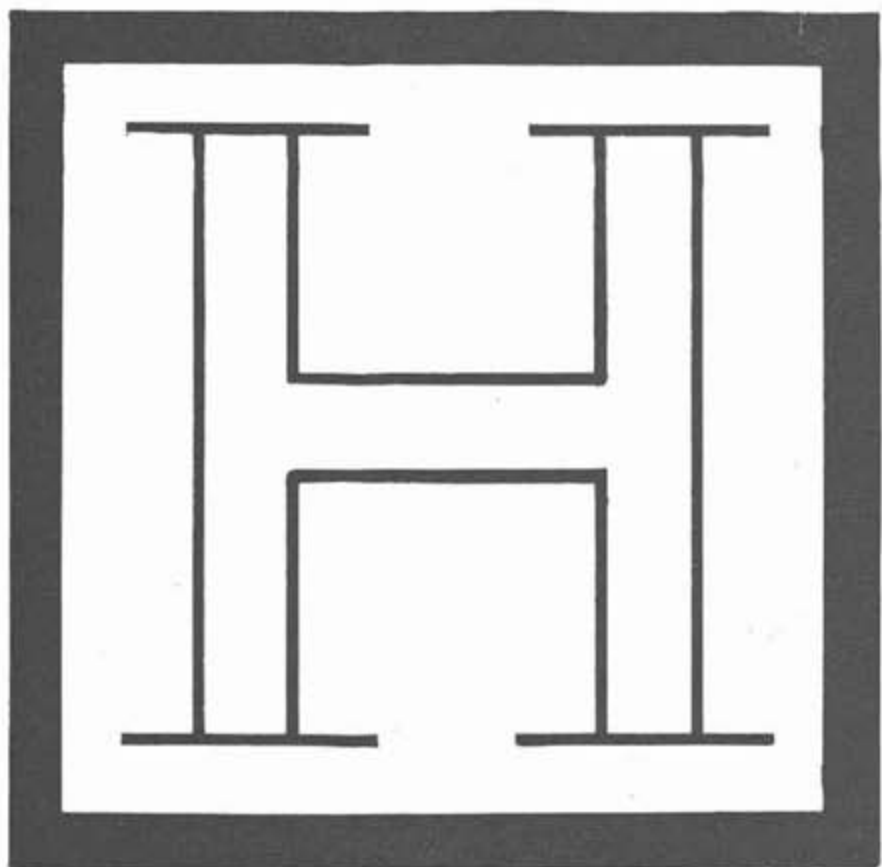
The sorority became an incorporated National Colle-

giate Sorority on December 30, 1929. A charter was granted at Butler University.

The steady growth necessitated the establishment of regions, which are five.

Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority holds membership in the National Pan-Hellenic Council; the Congress of American Women; the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (life); the National Council of Negro Women; the Association for the Study of Negro History (life); and contributions have been made to the United College Fund.

The Sorority's National Project, "The Sigma Teen-Town," was created to aid Negro Youth and to aid in the prevention of delinquency.



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## HOME ECONOMICS

- HONOR SOCIETIES





Members of the Health, Physical Education and Recreation faculty shown, left to right, are: Mrs. Evadne P. Abrams, Shannon Little, Howard C. Gentry, Mrs. Audrey Lewis, J. C. Coffee, Dr. Robert S. Cobb, Mrs. Inez Crutchfield, Miss Will Anne Davenport, Dr. Lua S. Bartley, Thomas A. Hughes, Miss Peggy Williams, Richard Mack, Raymond Kemp (seated) is coordinator of the area. Mrs. Carrie Gentry and Johnny McLendon are not shown.

# H E P E R M O T S

## OFFICERS

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ALFRED WATSON	.....	Treasurer
DR. LUA BARTLEY	.....	Advisor
DR. ROBERT S. COBB	.....	Advisor

An organization made up of the majors and minors of the department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, the letters H E P E R M O T S stands for Health education, physical education and recreation majors of Tennessee State. The club meets recreationally and plans regular activities outside the classroom which are designed for the wholesome entertainment of its members.

# T H E W . A . A .

## OFFICERS

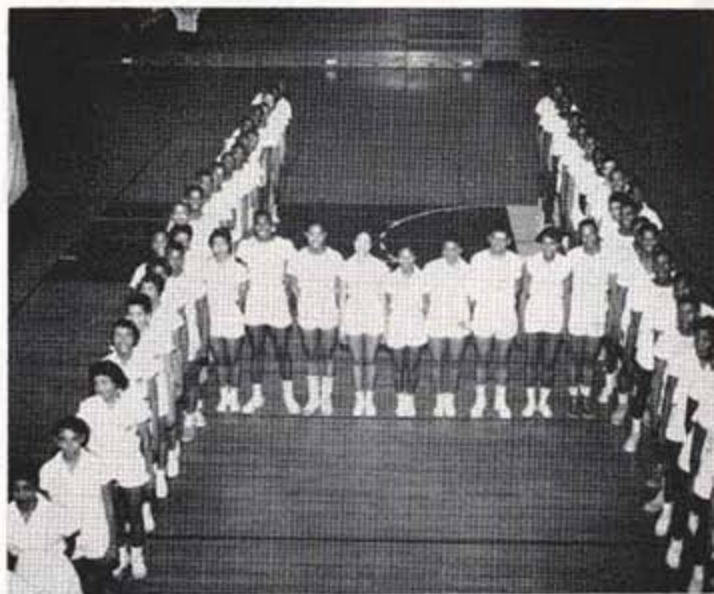
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MISS PEGGY WILLIAMS	.....	Advisor

# T H E W . I . B .

## OFFICERS

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BERNICE JONES	.....	Secretary
RAMONA CASSELLE	.....	Assistant Secretary

The Women's Intramural Board is the student administrative organization which decides the policies and regulations governing all intramural activities for women. Included among these are basketball, volleyball, shuffleboard, swimming, bowling and softball. Advisor to the Women's Intramural Board is Miss Peggy M. Williams.



# HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION



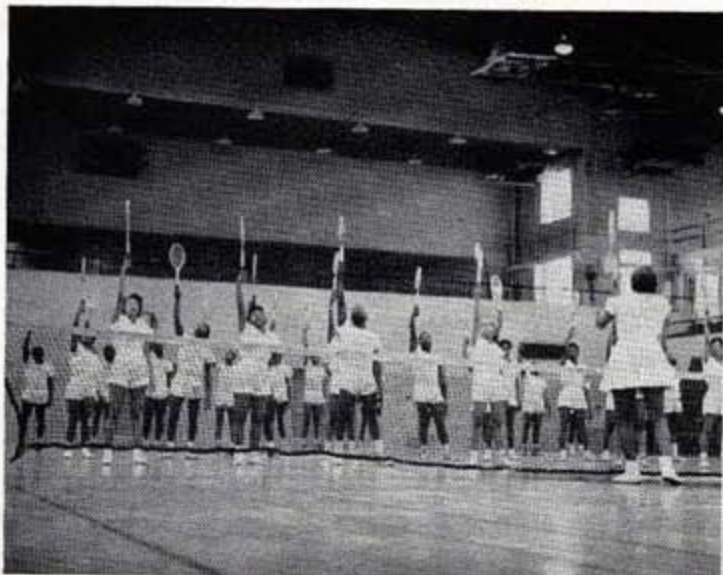
## T H E " T " C L U B

### OFFICERS

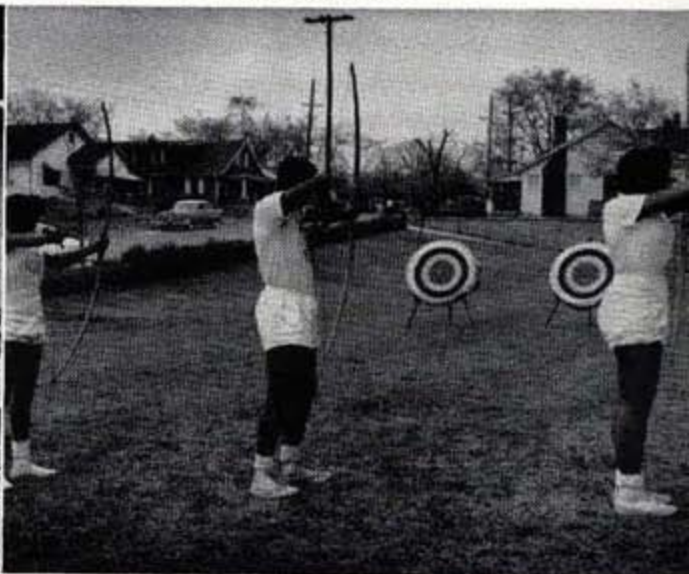
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FRED VALENTINE	.....	Vice-President
JAMES BUFORD	.....	Secretary
JOSEPH McPHERSON	.....	Assistant Secretary
OTIS BRANTLEY	.....	Treasurer
CHARLES PATTON	.....	Chaplain

The purpose of the T-Club is to reemphasize better sportsmanship among the athletes on the University campus. Membership in this organization is open to varsity athletes who have earned the "T" through participation in sports.

Well you wouldn't call them racketeers—they're students in Dr. Bartley's tennis class being coached in the fine art of serving.



A class in the sport of Robin Hood





## DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY

History and Geography Department faculty members (left to right) are: Mingo Scott, Miss Lois McDougald, Jimmie Colton, Miss Princess Bowen, John Drain, Horace Savage, Mrs. Louise Watson, Dr. Raleigh Wilson, Miss Paula Peppers, William F. Butler. Seated is Dr. Merl R. Epps, department head. Dr. Elsie Lewis (Mrs. Makel) and Miss Mazie O. Tyson are not shown.

## HISTORY STUDY CLUB

### OFFICERS

HILLARY PARKS	President
EZEKIEL BELL	Vice-President
FANNIE BURTON	Secretary
HUGH ELLA WALKER	Assistant Secretary
WILLIAM THOMPSON	Treasurer

Organized in 1931, the History Study Club membership is open to all students on the campus with the idea of providing for them an opportunity for united expression and action. The club's founder and advisor is Dr. Merl Epps.



Now if this were the latest map you would see the area we're speaking of—right here. . . .



History is made every day. . . . consequently a history bulletin board needs constant changing.





## AREA

The Home Economics Faculty is composed of the following: (Standing, Left to Right); Miss Ruth McDowell, Mrs. Catherine McKinney, Mrs. Augustine Darts, Mrs. Miriam Towns, Mrs. Geraldine B. Fort, Mrs. Mary Greer, Mrs. Marylouise Ritter and Miss Leola Washington. Mrs. Mattye Flowers (seated) heads the area.

# AREA OF HOME ECONOMICS

## OFFICERS

MARIE KIRK  
President

MARIE BRADEN  
Vice President

THELMA HAYES  
Secretary

INA TAYLOR  
Assistant Secretary

LOIS NEELY  
Treasurer

Affiliated with the American Home Economics Association the Home Economics Club membership is open to majors in the area. Its major purpose is to improve education for the profession of home economics, Mrs. Mary Greer is advisor to the club.



# H O M E E C O N O M I C S C L U B

Students in Home Furnishings learn the art of making a home beautiful.



## HOMEMAKING INSTITUTE

Amidst a bee-hive of nursery school activity, a home economics major observes and takes notes.



## AREA OF HOME ECONOMICS

Students of foods and nutrition learn the vitamin content of foods while they are learning the art of its preparation with the goals of eye appeal and palatability in mind.



Students of clothing and textiles, through excellent guidance, become adept at making garments that have that "professional" look.



# ALPHA KAPPA MU

P H I B E T A T A U



## OFFICERS

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MRS. RACHEL PATTILLO	Faculty Advisor

Phi Beta Tau is the Tennessee State University chapter of Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society. The society promotes high scholarship, encourages sincere and zealous endeavor in all fields of knowledge and service, cultivates a high order of personal living and develops an appreciation for scholarly work in others.

Beta Kappa Chi Scientific Honor Society was organized in 1923. It has as its purpose "the encouragement and advancement of scientific education through original investigation, the dissemination of scientific knowledge, and the stimulation of high scholarship in pure and applied science." The membership of this society consists of qualified undergraduates, qualified teachers of science, professionals and scholars.

OFFICERS

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 DR. M. B. TOWNS . . . . . Advisor



# GAMMA THETA UPSILON



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Gamma Theta Upsilon National Geographic Professional Fraternity furthers professional interest in geography by affording a common organization for those interested in this field; strengthens student and professional training through academic experiences other than those of classroom and laboratory and by affording opportunities for the development of social amenities. It also advances the professional status of geography as a cultural and practical subject for study and investigation.

Epsilon chapter located at Tennessee State is the only chapter of Theta Alpha Phi located on a Negro University campus. This fraternal group makes its appeal to those persons who excel in dramatic and allied arts. It is open to faculty members as well as students.

OFFICERS

- |                       |       |                |
|-----------------------|-------|----------------|
| JOE WILLIE STEELE     | ..... | President      |
| W. D. COX             | ..... | Vice-President |
| MRS. MADELYN HOUSTON  | ..... | Secretary      |
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| MRS. HELEYNE WILHOITE | ..... | Historian      |
| ROSARY HARPER         | ..... | Reporter       |
| DR. THOMAS E. POAG    | ..... | Advisor        |



# KAPPA DELTA PI



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DR. T. A. LOVE	Treasurer
ELEANOR JONES	Reporter
MRS. GERALDINE B. FORT	Advisor

Kappa Delta Pi, Honor Society in Education, proposes to promote a high professional and intellectual standard among its members. Thorough scholarship as a basic preparation for a teaching career is one of the tenets of the campus chapter.

A National Honorary Business Teachers Fraternity, Pi Omega Pi is composed of teachers and potential teachers of business education. Beta Psi Chapter, on Tennessee State campus, exists to foster among its members a high ethical and professional standard based on the ideal of service.

OFFICERS

- ELEANOR McCRARY ..... President  
 JEWEL EWING ..... Vice-President  
 BEULAH WALDEN ..... Secretary  
 NANCY WILLIAMS ..... Treasurer  
 BETTY GREER ..... Historian  
 MISS C. R. ROBINSON ..... Advisor



# SIGMA DELTA PI

G A M M A   E T A   C H A P T E R ■



## OFFICERS

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DR. A. T. WATKINS	Advisor

Sigma Delta Pi, National Honor Society for students outstanding in Spanish, exists to promote a "Good Neighbor" policy and a cultural interest in Spanish speaking people.

At Gamma Eta chapter, which is the only active chapter on a Negro campus, members are selected on the basis of scholarship.

Tennessee State University's Gamma Chapter of Sigma Rho Sigma Honor Society has as its chief aims the encouragement of study and research in the field of social science; the recognition of achievement in the field and the promotion of cooperation among students in the field of human relations.

OFFICERS

- HELENE W. WEST . . . . . President  
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 CORDELL SLOAN . . . . . Treasurer  
 HORACE SAVAGE . . . . . Advisor



# PI DELTA PHI

B E T A   O M I C R O N   C H A P T E R

Members of Beta Omicron chapter of Pi Delta Phi national French honor society were selected for membership in the organization on the basis of their general excellence in scholarship, specifically in French and French literature. The newly installed chapter was ushered into existence by Dr. James O. Swain, University of Tennessee romance languages and literature head with the assistance of Dr. James S. Patty, also of the University of Tennessee.

## OFFICERS

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DR. ALMA T. WATKINS . . . . . Advisor



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• INSTITUTES



# I N S T I T U T E S



The Honorable Frank G. Clement, Governor of the State of Tennessee was keynote speaker for the Annual Marketing Clinic.



The National Association of Market Developers meets on our campus each year in connection with the Marketing Clinic.

Top: James A. Farley received the key to the City of Nashville from Mayor Ben West upon his arrival here to speak at the Career Conference.

Bottom: The Middle Tennessee Business Institute meet is a considerable asset to the list of Institutes and Workshops which meet on our campus.



The Homemaking Institute brings to the campus experts in the field of homemaking from other lands.



The Cosmetology Institute attracts local beauticians as well as those ladies interested in the latest hair styles and make-up at the hands of well-known cosmetologists.



The National Insurance Association held its first Institute on the campus during the summer of 1955.

Top: Boys Staters at their annual meeting on A. and I. campus get a big kick out of shaking hands with the Governor.  
 Bottom: The Garden Club Workshop is a special project of horticulturist Neil McAlpin.



The Coaching Clinic, with Shannon Little as its director, has had two meetings on the A. and I. campus.



President Davis congratulates the New Homemakers of America at their tenth anniversary celebration on the campus.



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IS FOR . . .

• JUNIOR CLASS



# JUNIOR OFFICERS

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Birdie L. Alexander

Willie Andress

Hazel Askins



Florence Bailey

Clarence Branch, Jr.

Florence C. Briggs



Walter Caldwell

Edna Casenave

Howard Chubbs



Mildred Clyde

Earlene Corder

Izella Covington



Mildred Dotson

Charles E. Dowell

Albert Duff



# THE JUNIOR CLASS OF NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX



## FIRST ROW:

Roosevelt Evans

Rufus W. Flagg

Sarah J. Frazier

Geneva Frieson

Calvin B. Glover

## SECOND ROW:

Susie M. Hamler

Samuel G. Hart

Minnie Hendricks

Elton R. House

Thelma Jackson



Vertie Jarrett

Lois A. Jenkins

Myrtle J. Johnson



Dorothy M. Jones

Richmond E. Kinnard

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Jeannette Lofties

Vera Lyle

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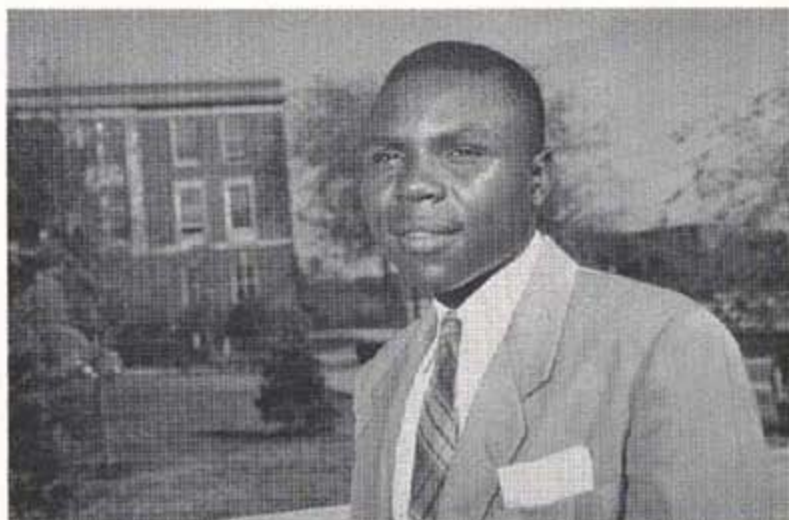
Shirley C. Murray

Donna Myers

Flem B. Otey



# THE JUNIOR CLASS OF NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX



## FIRST ROW:

Ida C. Partridge

Claudette Pradd

John L. Rucker

Gloria D. Penn

Charles Raine

## SECOND ROW:

George Ruffin

Albert D. Smart

Priscilla J. Smith

Eugene Slaughter

Mildred J. Smith



Leatha B. Sparks

Norma Stubblefield

Jacques R. Thames



Catherine Thomas

Samella Thomas

Ronald Threalkill



Thomas E. Torian

Harriett G. Walker

Ruby Young White



Hershey Winrow

Faye Williams

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Mae E. Williams

Ralph Williams

Pearline Wright

Henry William Young



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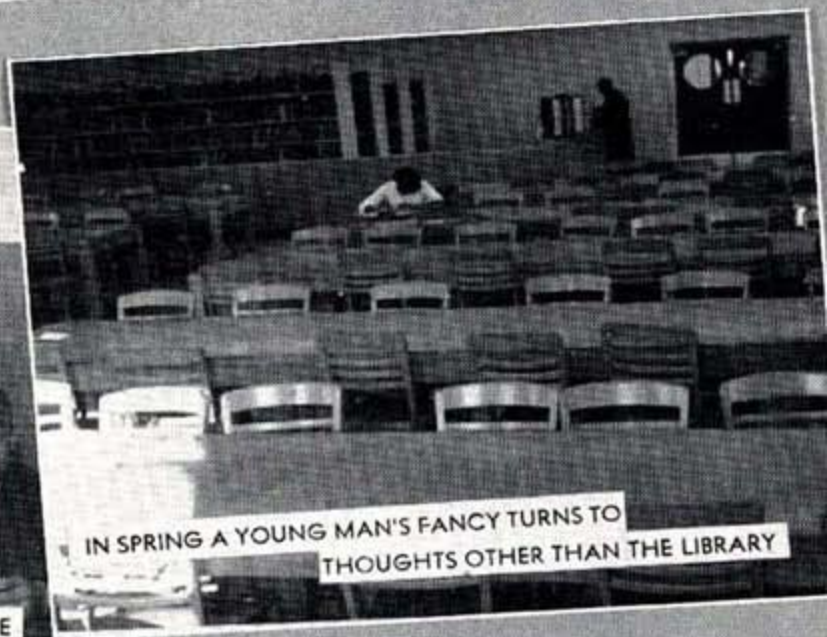




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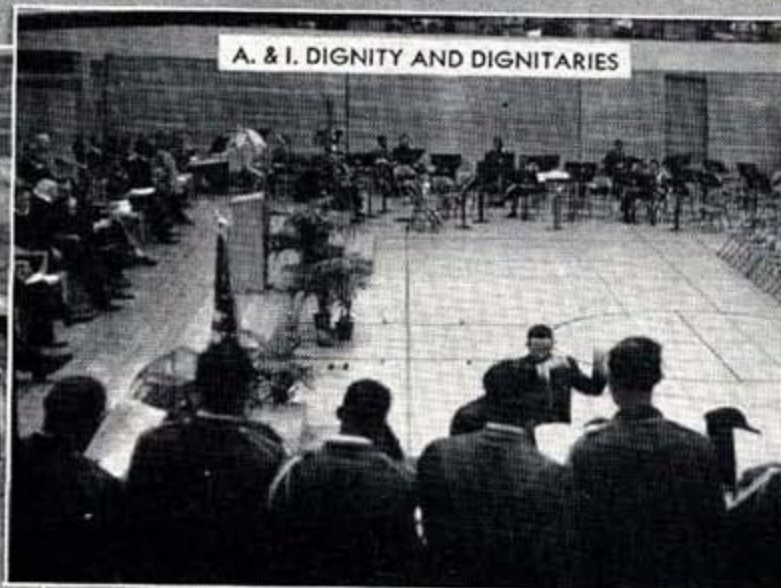
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RUSSIAN ROULETTE DISCUSSION



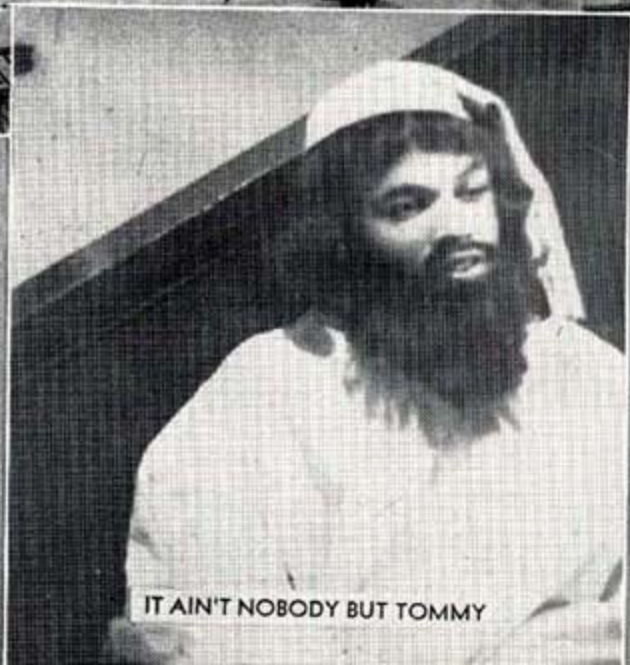
DR. CRUMP ISN'T IN. MAY I TAKE A MESSAGE?



... IT FALLS ON UMBRELLAS HERE AND ON THE SHIPS AT SEA



BUT ... BUT ... BUT ... LOOTENANT



IT AIN'T NOBODY BUT TOMMY



The three C's, Campbell, Cuff, and chess



Stockinged-foot girl with cheeks of tan in her Bermuda pantaloons.



Top: All Ayeni students know and love the Snack Bar personnel. This concession, located in the Recreation Hall, is under the able direction of congenial George Hughes.



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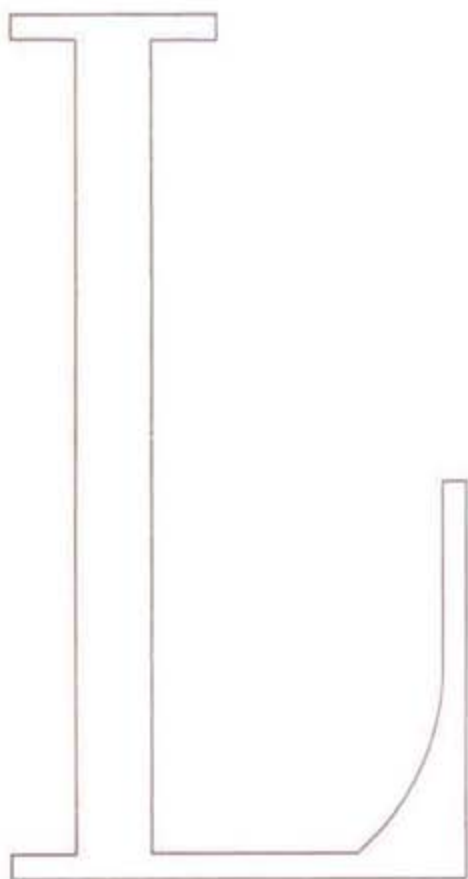
Bottom: The Campus Beauty Shop, located in the basement of Hale Hall, is operated, with student help, by Mrs. Lillie Caldwell.



Montgomery, Sandra, and Smitty appraise one of the programs just off the press before continuing with the job. The work of these students is supervised by Mrs. Mary Jackson and Mrs. Loretta Perry.

Smitty, Doris, and Montgomery are engaged in the operation of one of the presses located in the Duplicating Department.





IS FOR . . .

- LIBRARY
- LYCEUM





Members of the Library Service Faculty are (Left to Right): Mrs. Bessie F. Kean, Miss Lois Daniel, who heads the department, and Miss Collye L. Riley.

## LIBRARY SERVICE FACULTY

Students study in modernistic surroundings in the Reference-Periodicals Room of the library.



## DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY SCIENCE

The Library Staff consists of First Row (Standing, Left to Right): Mrs. Portia Paytes, Mrs. Blanche Parsons, Miss Collye Riley, Mrs. Lillian Barbour, Mrs. Margaret Campbell, Miss Modestine Young, and Mrs. Bessie F. Kean, Second Row: Miss Vallie Powell and Miss Beatrice Gilbert. Head librarian is Miss Lois Daniel (seated).



Local city school children visit an exhibit of paintings by French children in the library foyer.

## LIBRARY STAFF



William Warfield, baritone, as the first lyceum attraction of the season, thrilled a capacity crowd in the University gymnasium with his classical and spiritual renditions.

The Houston Symphony Orchestra appearance in the University gymnasium featured the masterful technique of a guest conductor, Milton Katims of the Seattle Symphony Orchestra.



Theodore Ullmann, pianist, appeared in the University Auditorium as the third attraction on the lyceum artists series.



## LYCEUM PROGRAMS



At a special attraction the University presented [in April] the fashion extravaganza "Flight Into Spring," featuring the famous model Dorothea Towles.

The Houston Symphony Orchestra appeared as the second attraction in the lyceum series at Tennessee State University.



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IS FOR . . .

- MATHEMATICS
- MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES
- MUSIC



# DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Included in the Mathematics Department faculty are, Left to Right: Dr. A. V. Boswell, Mrs. Annie G. H. Sasser, Lee Howard Pennington, Mrs. Roberta Dabney, Clinton E. Jones, and Miss Joyce Venable. Dr. Theodore A. Love, department head, is seated.



## MATHEMATICS CLUB

### OFFICERS

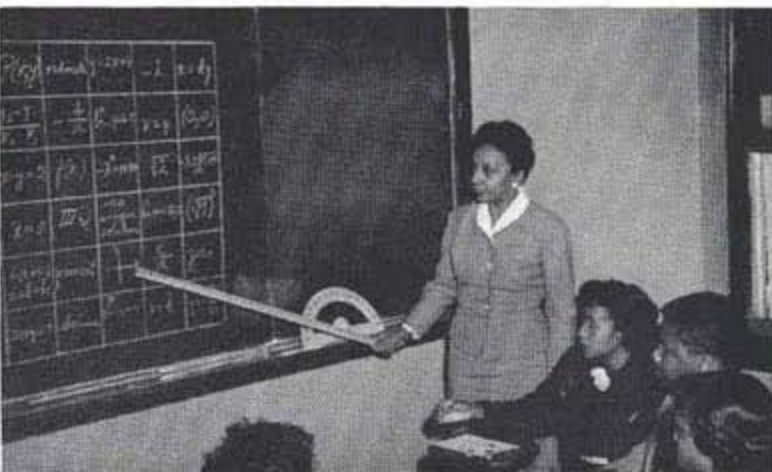
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MARGARET MARTIN	.....	Secretary
BENNIE CONNERS	.....	Treasurer
MISS SADIE GASSAWAY	.....	Advisor
DR. THEODORE A. LOVE	.....	Advisor

The importance of mathematics in other fields of study is stressed by the Mathematics Club. Its members discuss mathematical books and other literature as well as present-day developments in the field. These activities help the mathematics student to enjoy mathematics more fully and affords the opportunity for counsel along academic and non-academic lines.

Some know the sum, some don't



The game of mathematics under the tutelage of Mrs. Sasser



## DEPARTMENT OF MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Members of the faculty of the Modern Foreign Languages Department are shown (Left to Right): Dr. D. Ella V. Toms (Mrs. Ellis), Dr. Virginia Nyabongo, Miss Lurelia Freeman, Department head Dr. Alma T. Watkins, and Mrs. M. E. Johnson.



## LES AMIS DE LA FRANCE

### OFFICERS

MEHARRY LEWIS	.....	President
F. M. THOMAS	.....	Vice-President
WILL ANN MAYS	.....	Secretary
W. W. THOMAS	.....	Treasurer
MRS. MARY E. JOHNSON	.....	Advisor

Les Amis de la France, an organization composed of students enrolled in French classes, develops an appreciation for the language, literature, and culture of the French people and acquaints the student with the contributions that France has made to society.

## LOS BUENOS VECINOS, SPANISH CLUB

### OFFICERS

SHERMAN E. DIX	.....	President
WILBERT DAVIS	.....	Vice-President
MARGARET LESTER	.....	Secretary
WENDELL COLLINS	.....	Treasurer
DR. ALMA T. WATKINS	.....	Advisor

Los Buenos Vecinos is the University Spanish Club open to all students of the University who have an interest in Spanish civilization and culture.



Pictured members of the Music Department faculty are:  
 First Row (Standing, Left to Right): Miss Lois Towles, Mrs. Maurine S. Francisco, Miss Gladys Black, Miss Ida Marie Williams, Mrs. Marie Brooks Strange, Mrs. Wilhelmine Taylor. Second Row: Frank T. Greer, Samuel Jackson, Brenton Banks, John Sharpe, Eddie Goins and Anceco M. Francisco. Dr. Edward Lewis, Music Department head, is seated. Miss Esther Cook is not shown.



## DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

### MUSIC EDUCATORS NATIONAL CONFERENCE

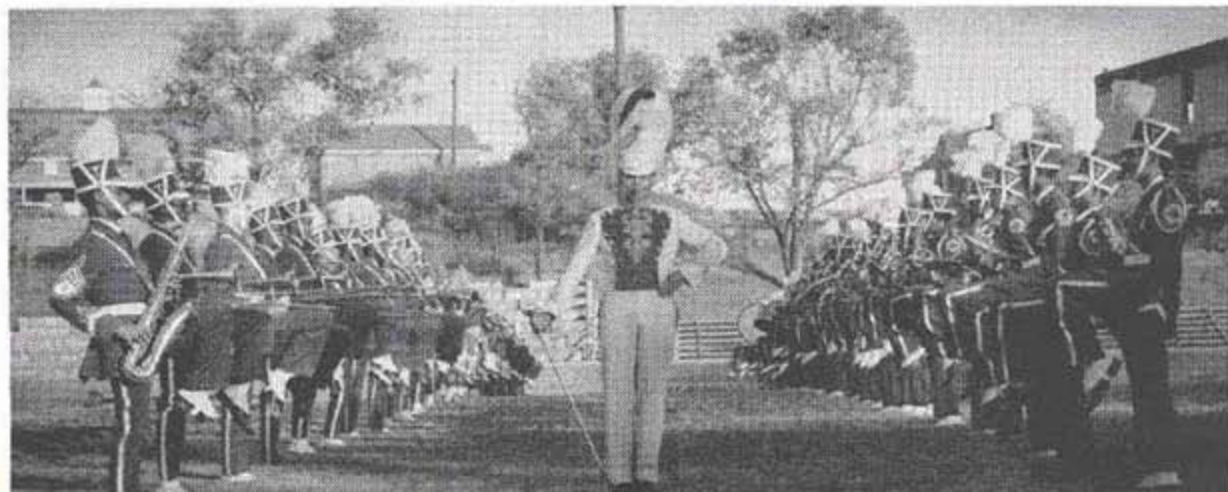
#### OFFICERS

DANIEL WARD	President
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AVIS LIPSHAW	Secretary
PAUL E. MEACHAM	Treasurer
DOLPHUS SPENCE	Reporter

The purpose of the Music Educators' National Conference is to stimulate professional growth in the field and to provide a creative outlet for talent and skill. This organization is open to all music majors who have a 2.0 average and above.



One facet of activity in the Department of Music that cannot be denied is that of the University Marching Band



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• NEWS





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## THE METER



"MARIAN ANDERSON OF THE MET" - She sang to an overflowed audience at the BPER building January 11. Internationally famous as a concert singer Marian Anderson is likely received tremendous acclaim when she performed as a member of the Metropolitan Opera cast which recently performed in Verdi's "Macbeth." Miss Anderson is the first Negro to sing with the Metropolitan in its 10-year history.

### Track Team Enters AAU Meet and Pan-Am Trials

The AAU meet and Pan-Am trials are being held in Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13-17. The Tennessee State University track team will be competing in the AAU meet and Pan-Am trials. The team is led by Coach J. H. ...

### A&I To Present 'Messiah' Today

The A&I choir will present a performance of 'Messiah' today at the ...

### A&I Queen On Who's Who List

The A&I Queen of Beauty has been named to the Who's Who list for the year ...

### 5 Memphians Among Tenn. State's 30 Listed In College 'Who's Who'

Tennessie State University has named 30 students to the Who's Who list for the year. Five of these students are from Memphis ...

### Critics Praise Tennessee State Student Presentation of 'Othello'

The Tennessee State University student production of 'Othello' has received high praise from critics ...

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### Income Tax Aid

Information regarding income tax aid for students is available at the ...

### Alpha Fraternity Schedules Annual Session At A&ISU

The Alpha Fraternity is scheduling its annual session at A&ISU ...

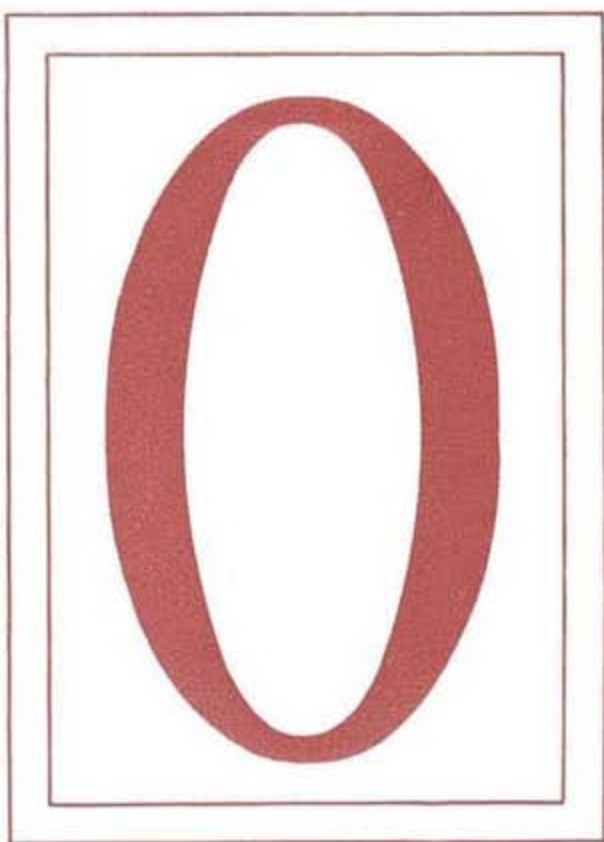
### Tigersharks Lose First Swim Meet

The Tigersharks swim team lost their first meet ...

### N. C. Murder Suspect Held

A suspect in a murder case in North Carolina has been held ...

Dr. John Paul Jones Juntas Fleet



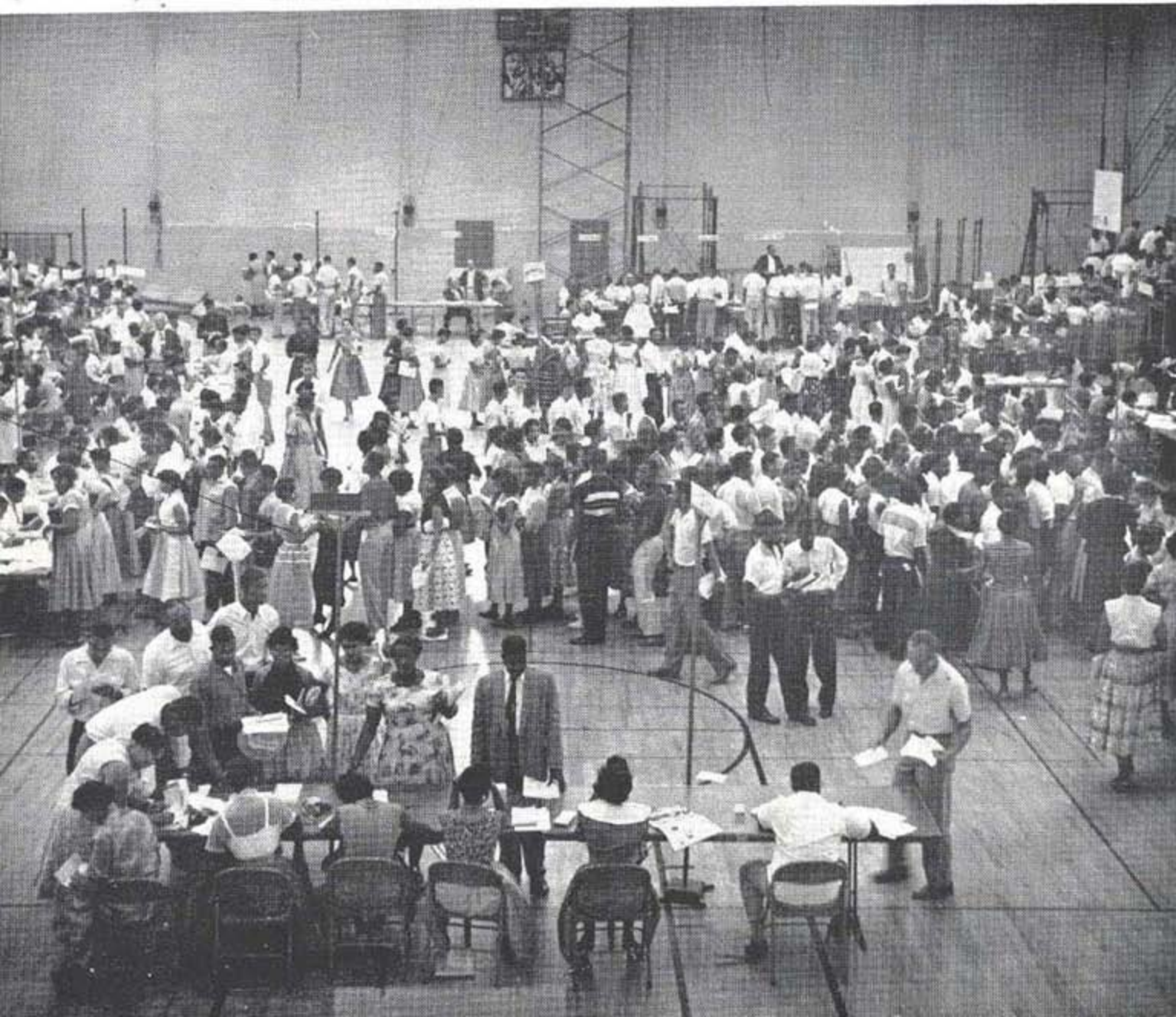
**I S F O R . . .**

• O R I E N T A T I O N



# O R I E N T A T I O N

Registration is a process which upperclassmen take in stride while freshmen sometimes find it very confusing.





## UNIVERSITY COUNSELLORS

### OFFICERS

JAMES ARMSTRONG	.....	President
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DOLores McIVER	.....	Secretary
GENSIE SULLIVAN	.....	Treasurer
DR. VIRGINIA NYABONGO	.....	Advisor

The University Counsellors is an organization composed of students of sophomore rank or above. Members are selected on the basis of personality, scholarship and outstanding qualities of leadership. Their chief aim is to aid new students in making good adjustment to University life.

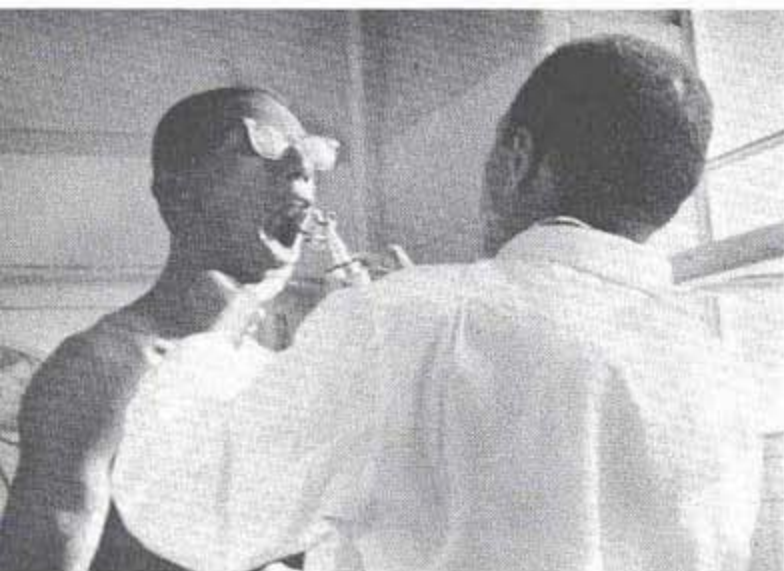
Valedictorians and Salutatorians from various high schools in the State and Nation who had one thing in common for sure—the idea of matriculating at Tennessee State University. They are all members of the freshman class of 1955-56.



Student Health Service Personnel.  
(Left to Right): Alberta Watkins,  
R.N.; Queen Washington, R.N.;  
H. H. Walker, M.D.; Student  
Health Service Director, John  
Thomas, M.D.; S. P. Harris, D.D.S.;  
Miss Anna Roberts, secretary;  
Clara Burrey, R.N., Miss Ernestine  
Martin and Miss Rosa Mimms are  
not shown.



A thorough physical examination is a regular part of the  
freshman orientation program.



Library usage is taught the freshmen during their first week  
of college by a helpful and sympathetic library staff.

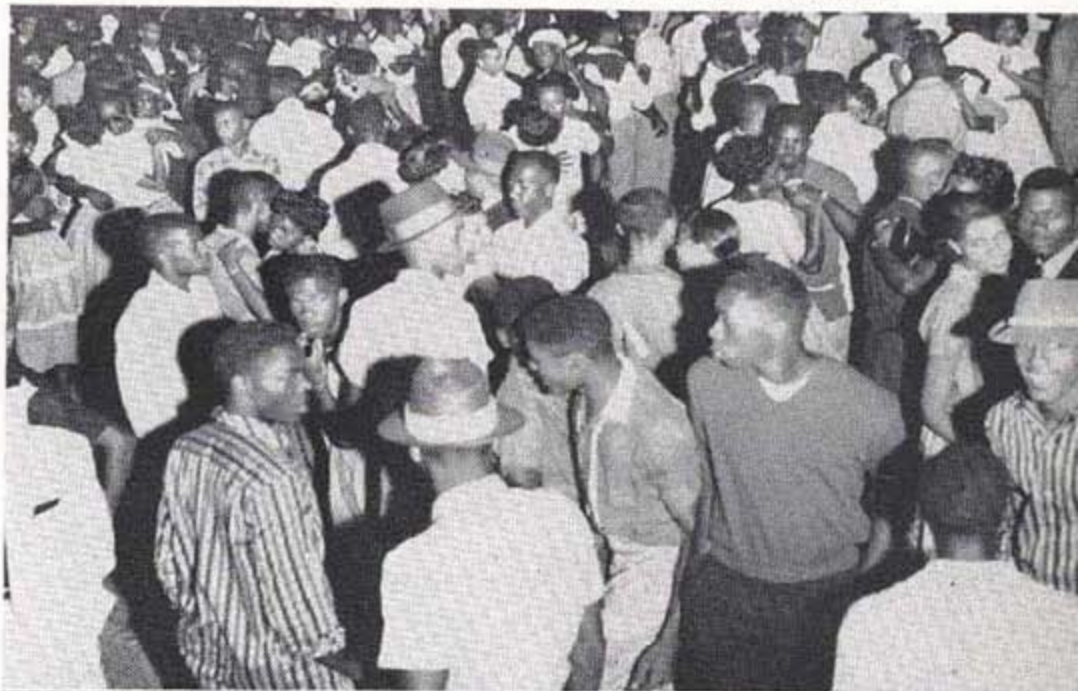




## O R I E N T A T I O N

Top: The annual freshman mixer sometimes favors a seething teeming mass of arms and legs—but everyone has a good time.

Bottom: Freshman Week provides a festing program which is devised for the purpose of placement.



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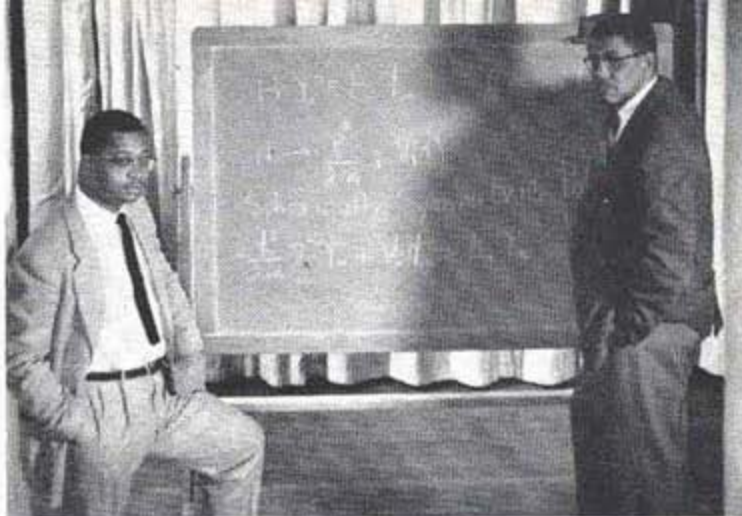


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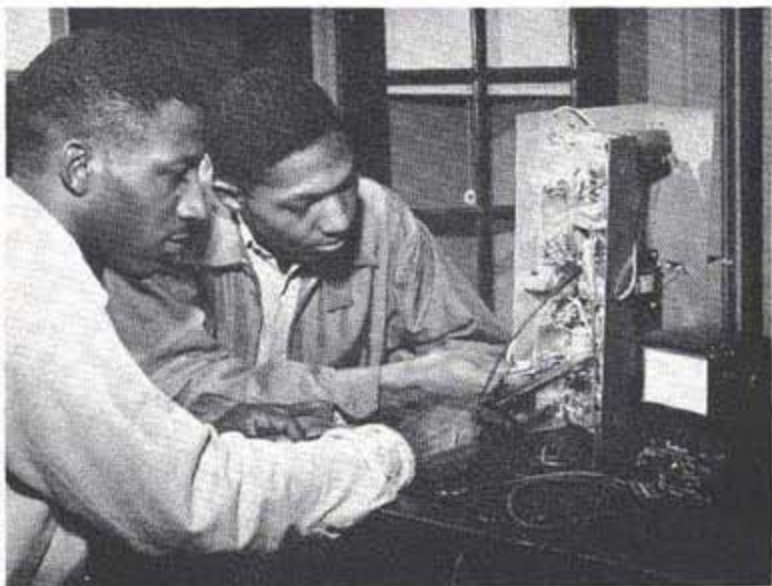
- PHYSICS
- POLITICAL SCIENCE
- PSYCHOLOGY



# DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

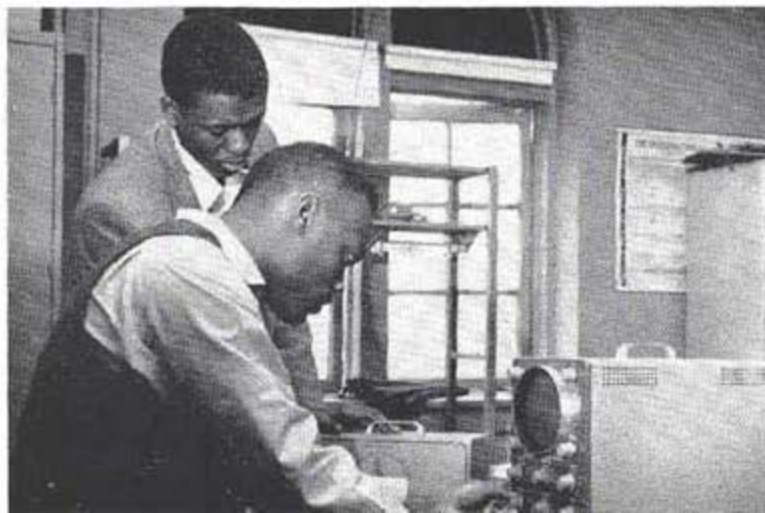


The faculty of the Physics Department consists of, Left to Right: Dr. Robert Ellis and Dr. James A. Lawson, head of the department.



Electronically speaking . . .

It's some kind of graph



Now you press the middle valve down . . .





The Political Science Faculty includes, left to right: Bernard Chadwick, Dr. Susie O. Bryant (department head) and Cornelius Jones.

## DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

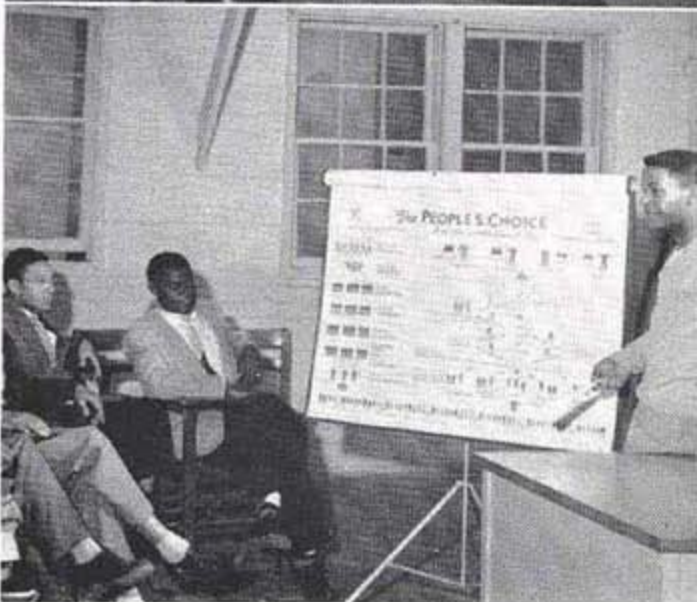
### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

#### OFFICERS

EZRA E. BILL	President
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WENDY COLLINS	Treasurer
MISS LOIS McDUGALD	Advisor

The International Relations Club is a national organization whose members are chiefly interested in international relations with a view to better understanding of the peoples of all nations.

Top: A typical class in political science in the informality of classroom discussion. Bottom: Political Science classes are often conducted by students.



# DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Members of the Psychology Department faculty shown standing. Left to Right: Mrs. Gloria Massie, Eugene Runyon, Dr. F. J. D. McKinney, Calvin Atchinson, Mrs. Elise Hope, Miss Edna Whittaker. Dr. M. I. Claiborne, department head, is seated.



## PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

### OFFICERS

JAMES T. MITCHELL	President
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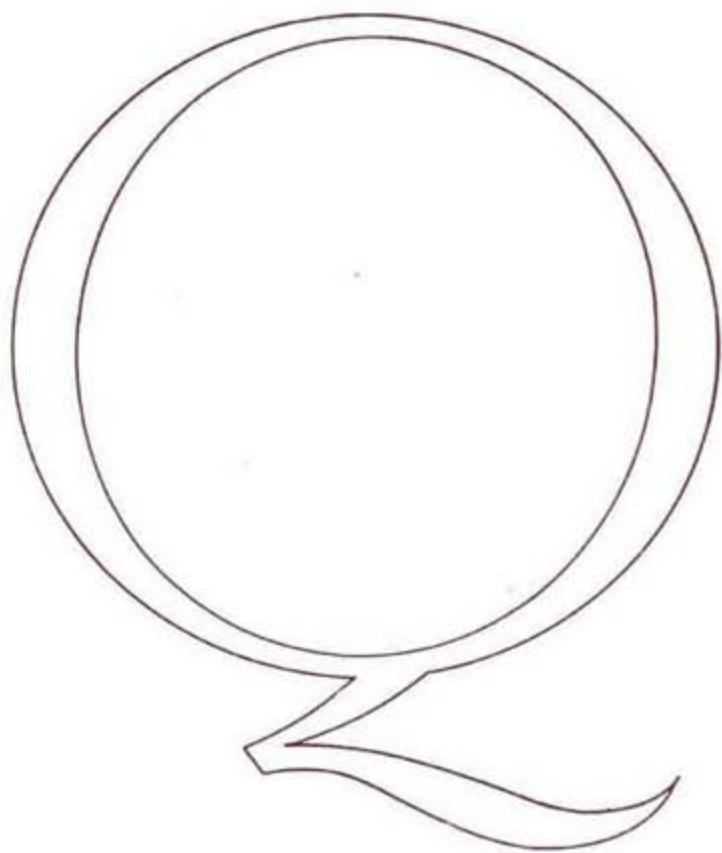
The Psychology Club membership is open to majors and minors of the department as well as to all members of the University family interested in the exchange of views of mutual interest in the field of psychology.

An eye reaction test is given, submitted to, and observed keenly by students in psychology.



Students in psychology learn, first hand, one of the modern forms of testing.





**IS FOR . . .**

• **QUEUES**





The queue ends on the other side of the door



A queue in the road and a queue in the fence

# Q U E U E S

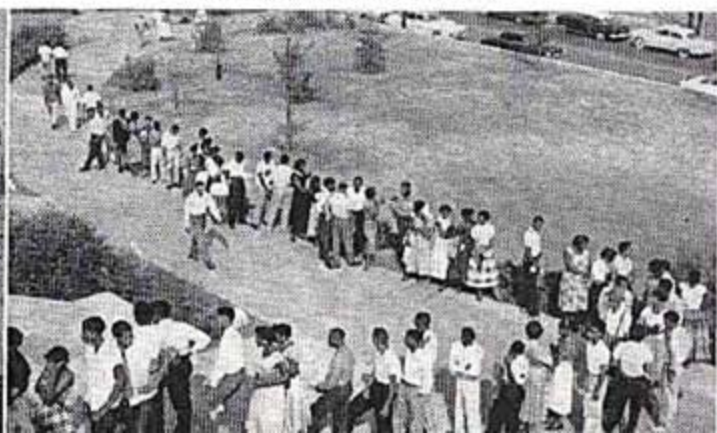


A queue at the end (Commencement)

## Queuetes



## A queue to begin with (Registration)



# R



IS FOR . . .

- RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS
- RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

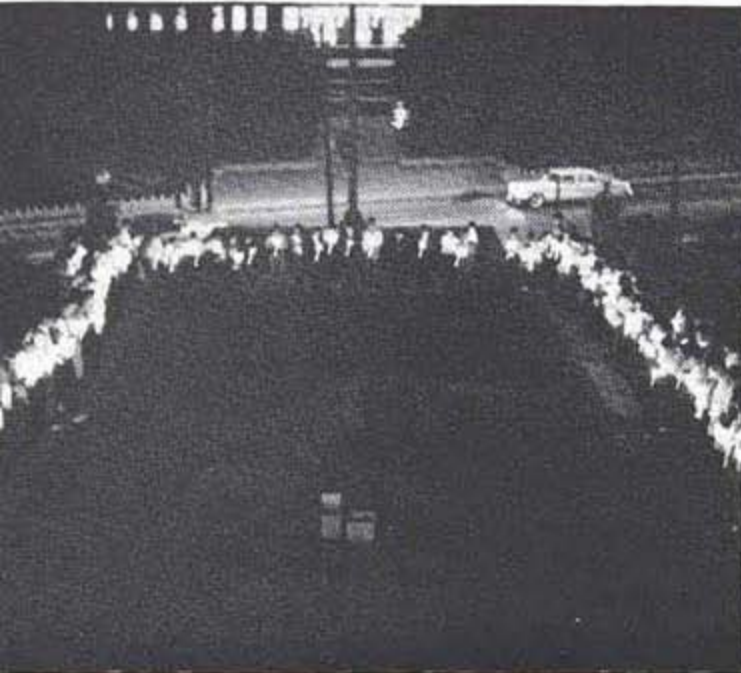


# RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK



The Rev. Martin Luther King of Montgomery, Alabama, was this year's Religious Emphasis Week speaker. He is surrounded by the presidents of the YMCA, Student Council and YWCA.

A Quiet Hour program on the lawn of the Administration Building at night creates a permeating atmosphere for solemn worship.



A Religious Emphasis Week candle lighting service with songs and prayer is enjoyed by students of all faiths on the campus.



## STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION



### OFFICERS

SHERMAN E. DIX	.....	President
CLARISSA E. ALLEN	.....	Vice-President
CHARLES E. DOWELL	.....	Secretary
ALBERT D. SMART	.....	Treasurer
MRS. L. B. WATSON	.....	Advisor
DR. A. A. THOMPSON	.....	Advisor

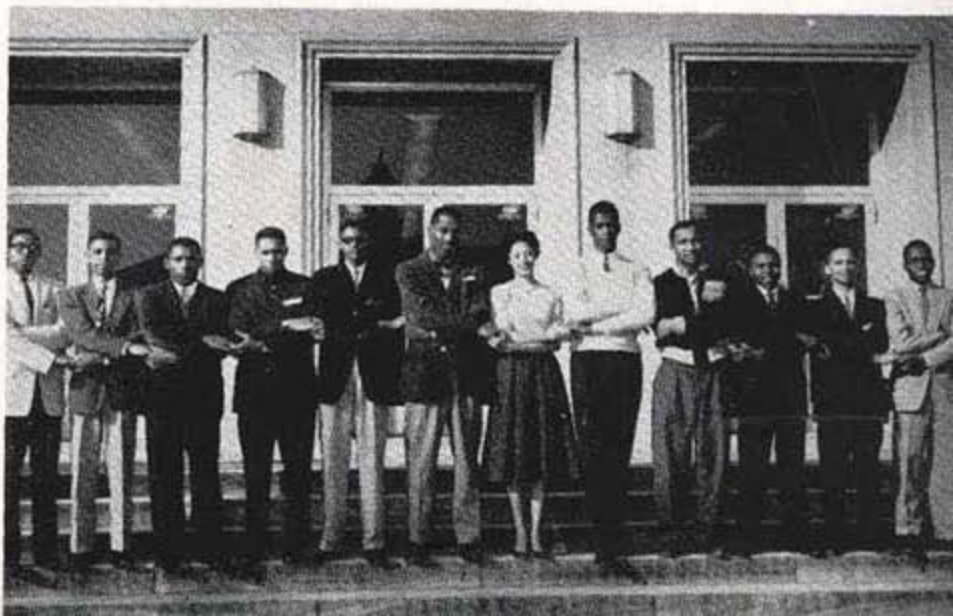
The Student Christian Association combines the Young Women's Christian Association and the Young Men's Christian Association in a fellowship of men and women working together to re-establish a spiritual basis for hope and courage, that through united efforts a saner comradeship may be developed.

### OFFICERS

ERNEST McNEIL	.....	President
WILLIAM SANDERS	.....	Vice-President
CLARISSA ALLEN	.....	Secretary
JAMES MANN	.....	Treasurer

The Inter-Faith Council is composed of representatives from each religious faith organization on the campus. This gives each religion a voice in campus religious affairs.

## INTERFAITH COUNCIL



## OFFICERS

EZEKIEL BELL	Superintendent
RUTH E. HARDING	Secretary
EARLINE BROWN	Assistant Secretary
ALBERT SMART	Assistant Superintendent
CHRISTINE LEWIS	Treasurer

## TEACHERS

BERNICE JONES	Senior Class
SAMUEL ROBINSON	Junior Class
HUGH ELLA WALKER	Sophomore Class
DR. A. V. BOSWELL	Advisor

The Sunday School is composed primarily of college students, faculty members and their families who are interested in Christ's fellowship and Sunday School work. College students volunteer their services as teachers.

## OFFICERS

MARVIN COUSIN	President
SYLVESTER COLLINS	Vice-President
BETTY MILLER	Secretary
HILLARY PARKS	Treasurer
BENSON L. DUTTON	Advisor

The Canterbury Club provides an opportunity for students to receive the teachings and life of Christ through the faith and practice of the Episcopal Church. It is a religious organization sponsored by the Protestant Episcopal Church for students of the Episcopal faith. Students of other denominations, however, are welcome to join.



## SUNDAY SCHOOL



## CANTERBURY CLUB

# BAPTIST STUDENT UNION



## OFFICERS

HILLARY PARKS, JR.	President
MARY WEAKLEY	Vice-President
EDNA WILLIAMS	Secretary
ALBERT SMART	Treasurer
MRS. M. S. DAVIDSON	Advisor
S. E. GRINSTEAD	Advisor

Sponsored by the Baptist Student Center at 2023 Jefferson Street the Baptist Student Union has as its aim the providing of a retreat for prayer and meditation to the student body in order that thanks may be offered for all blessings received. The organization's membership is open to all students of the Baptist faith.

## OFFICERS

WILLIAM SANDERS	President
HILLARY PARKS	Vice-President
RLTH HARDING	Secretary
GEORGIA BROWN	Assistant Secretary
ROBERT WILLIAMS	Treasurer
MRS. KATHLEEN FOAG	Advisor
MISS CATHERINE MARYLAND	Advisor

The Methodist Student Movement is an international organization of Methodist students on college and university campuses. It has for its overall purpose: "To develop a working fellowship among the students in the various institutions of higher learning." The Tennessee State University chapter is in its third year.

# METHODIST STUDENT UNION MOVEMENT



# S



**IS FOR . . .**

- SCIENCE EDUCATION
- SECONDARY EDUCATION
- SOCIOLOGY
- SOPHOMORE CLASS
- SPEECH AND DRAMA
- SWIMMING
- STUDENT COUNCIL





## DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE EDUCATION

Left to right are the members of the faculty of the Department of Science Education. They are: Miss Catherine Maryland, Dr. W. N. Jackson who heads the Department, and Alfred Tyler.

Featuring the carbon arc light with its hypnotic powers at work



Ready for action as soon as the pouring is over



## DEPARTMENT OF SECONDARY EDUCATION



The Secondary Education Department faculty is composed of (standing, left to right): Dr. Malcolm Williams, Mrs. Grace C. Jones, Dr. William J. Simmons, Ira A. Gentry, Mrs. Ruth Powell. Seated is Dr. H. A. Bowen, Chairman of the School of Education, Department head Mrs. Cecille Crump, Mrs. Rose Robinson, and Mrs. Roberta Peddy Wright are not shown.

### OFFICERS

FZEKIEL BELL	President
WILLIAM GARDNER	Vice-President
JUANITA DAVIS	Secretary
SAMUEL ROBINSON	Treasurer
MRS. ROBERTA P. WRIGHT	Advisor

The organization of the Future Teachers of America furnishes for the teacher, a workshop in which to make plans and devise methods of implementing their responsibilities to improve the educational services to the child and to adults. It also gives future teachers an organization in which to study their own problems and provides means by which all members of the profession in the community may help their school systems.

## FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

A practice teacher in physical education shows young Pearl High student how to bat like Willie Mays, while the other young hopeful captures that Campanella Crouch.



Practice teacher in Biology lectures Pearl High students on the fine points of dissecting a frog.





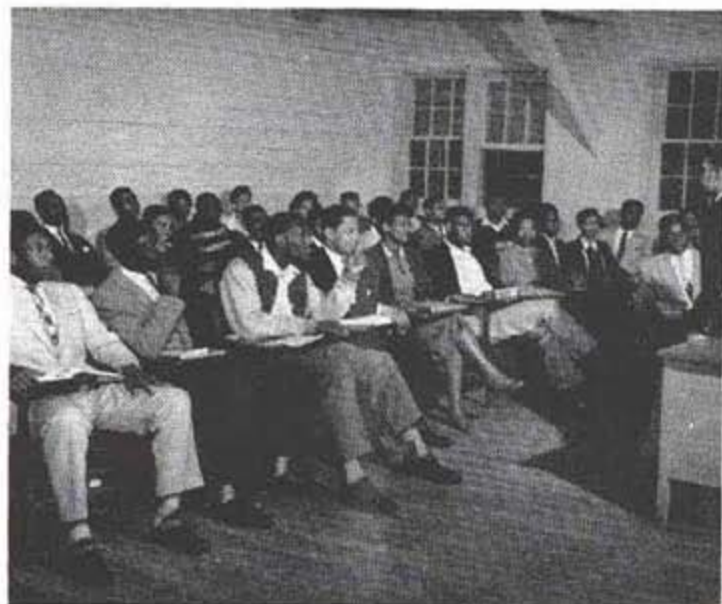
## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL ADMINISTRATION

Members of the faculty of the Sociology Department shown standing (left to right) are Edward S. Temple, Mrs. Mabel Leathers, Miss Nora L. Roy, and Mrs. Gladys Butler. Dr. A. A. Thompson, who heads the department, is seated. Mrs. Kathleen Poag is not shown.

### OFFICERS

CORDELL SLOAN	President
DORIS BARNETT	Vice President
SYLVIA EVERETTE	Secretary
JANICE PITTS	Assistant Secretary
ERNEST RHODES	Treasurer
HENRY McDOWELL	Reporter

The Social Science Club is composed of students majoring in Sociology, Social Administration and Political Science. The objectives of the organization are: (1) to serve as common ground for guiding students and promote closer relationship between students and faculty in the department; (2) to promote intellectual growth; and (3) to foster social and recreational development.



## SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB

Acquiring the know-how through the aid of geographic and demographic maps



# SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

## OFFICERS

FANNIE CARUTHERS	President
DONALD PERRY	Vice-President
BARBARA WARE	Secretary
WILLIAM GARDNER	Treasurer
GLORIA GLENN	Assistant Secretary
BENSON L. DUTTON	Advisor
DR. S. O. BRYANT	Advisor
MRS. MABEL LEATHERS	Advisor

Shown from left are Gloria Glenn, Mr. Dutton, William Gardner, Donald Perry, and Fanny Caruthers.



Margaret Ann Allen  
 Nora Louise Atlas  
 Betty Bass  
 Sam Bone, Jr.



Jacquelyn A. Bush  
 Dorothy Butler  
 Evelyn E. Calhoun  
 Carolyn R. Caruthers



Fannie I. Caruthers  
 Rubye Chandler  
 Jacqueline Coke  
 Alfred E. Coleman



Wendell Collins  
 Jane F. Cotten  
 Rubin Cooper, Jr.  
 Velma L. Cotten



Katherine Cravens  
 Alyce B. Cunningham  
 Angelyn Dalton  
 Coneva M. Davis



Virginia L. Dean  
 Bernice B. Delancy  
 Donald Doss  
 Edelweiss Downs



# THE SOPHOMORE CLASS OF NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX



FIRST ROW:

Mary E. Fason

Bettye Gadson

Thelma Gordon

Edith P. Fitts

William E. Gardner

Lester Mae Hamilton

SECOND ROW:

Andrew Harris

Jacqueline Hood

Juanita Jenkins

Jewel E. Hatfield

Juline Irving

Allen Johnson

THIRD ROW:

Henry Johnson

L. Edward Jones

Alcide de Jean King

Vassie J. Johnson

Jeffie L. Keith, Jr.

Rose Lacefield



Nora M. Lake  
Eleanor LaPrade  
Dymus N. Lawrence  
Elige W. Lawrence, Jr.



La Bora Y. Lee  
Margaret Lester  
Edwin C. Lewis  
Annie F. Lincoln



Willie W. McCain  
Rosa M. McClain  
James A. McCrimmon  
Ann D. Martin



Lois E. Mason  
Inez Mitchell  
Hasker G. Mitchum  
Bena M. Murphy



Lillie A. Nall  
Barbara Nealy  
Nepton O. Newell  
Madolyn Owens



Julius B. Palmer  
Yvonne Perryman  
Aaron Powell  
Ransom S. Ritter, Jr.



Grace A. Robertson  
Alberta Robinson  
Ann Augusta Scales  
Bettye A. Seay



# THE SOPHOMORE CLASS OF NINETEEN FIFTY-SIX



FIRST ROW:

Paul L. Sharpe  
Evelyn S. Shumaker  
Annie N. Simpson

Annie L. Smith  
Cora B. Smith

J. Edward Smith, II  
Leon E. Smith

SECOND ROW:

Mattie Lou Smith  
Asalean Springfield  
Wallace F. Swann

Doris Tolbert  
Robert W. Taylor, II

Jo Ann Thomas  
Laura Townsend

THIRD ROW:

Beatrice Triplett  
Joe L. Tucker  
Constance L. Turner

A. Doris Wakefield  
Hugh Ella Walker  
Pearlie M. Walter

Ruby Watkins  
Willie Mae Williams





The Speech and Drama faculty includes (standing), left to right: Elbert Hardeman, Robert J. R. Largent, W. Dury Cox, II, and Mrs. Madelyn B. Houston. Dr. Thomas E. Poag (seated) is the department head.

## DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH AND DRAMA

### T. S. U. PLAYERS GUILD

#### OFFICERS

HYBURNIA WILLIAMS	President
MORRIS GODDIARD	Vice-President
BARBARA FORD	Secretary
JOE WILLIE STEELE	Treasurer
DR. THOMAS E. POAG	Advisor

The Tennessee State Players Guild is a laboratory in the Department of Speech and Drama for majors and minors as well as other students of the University who have an interest in dramatic art. The group presents four major productions each year from the Greek plays to modern drama.



## VARSITY DEBATERS

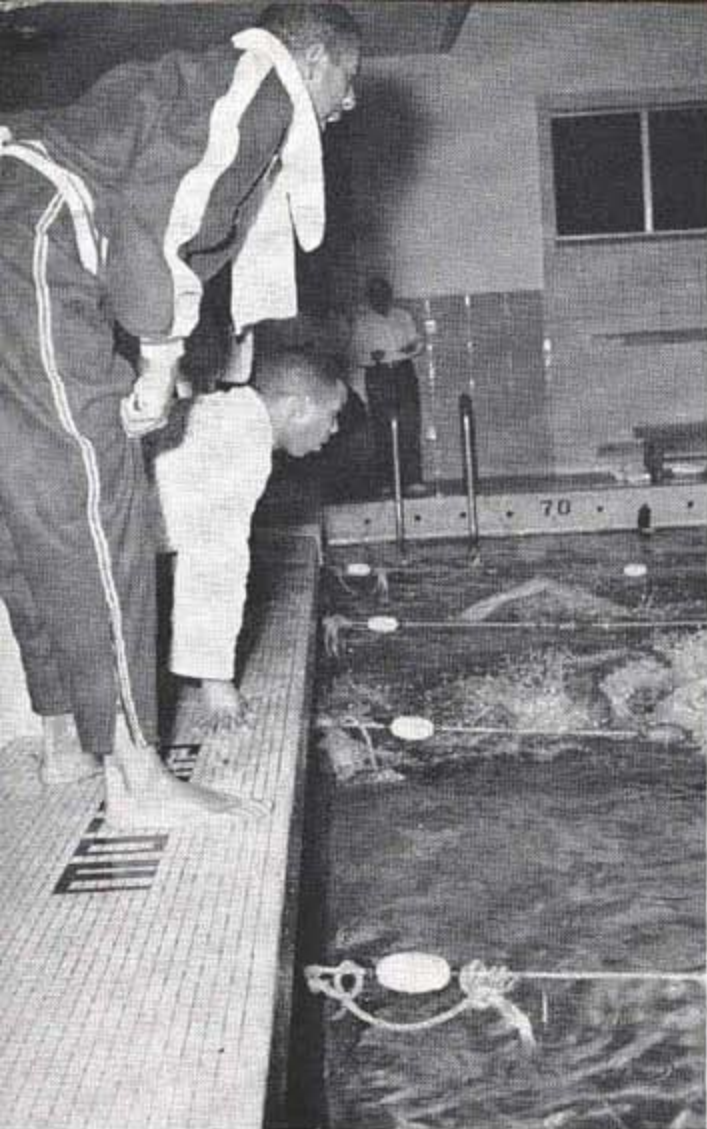
#### OFFICERS

WILLIAM THOMPSON	President
WILBERT DAVIS	Vice-President
DATIE CARLITHERS	Secretary
FANNIE CARLITHERS	Treasurer
ROBERT J. R. LARGEN	Advisor

The University Debaters participate freely in intramural and intercollegiate debating assignments. They were organized with the primary aim of stimulating students in the art of public oratory.

Members of the Tennessee State Players Guild in a dramatic scene from Shakespeare's Othello. The Guild has been acclaimed locally and nationally for its brilliant interpretations in the drama field.





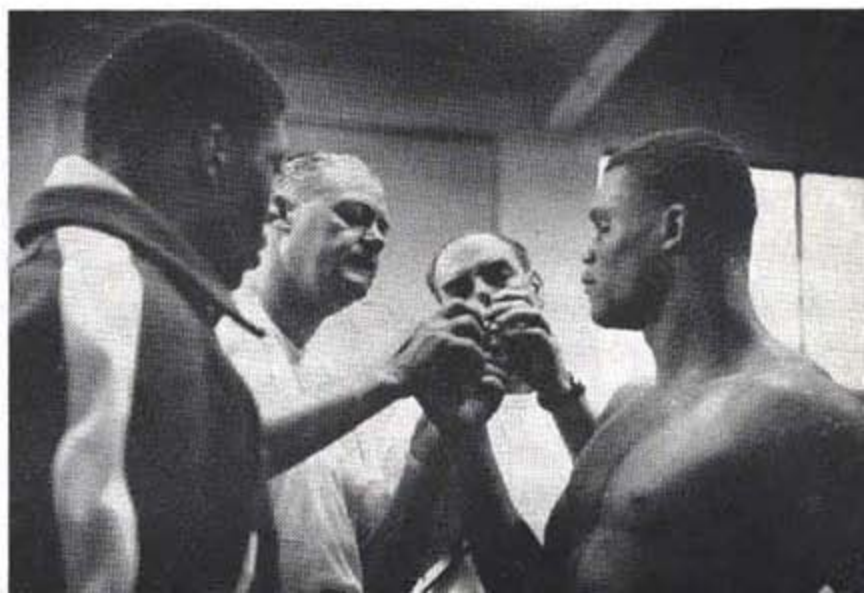
As the season opened the Tigersharks faced six tough meets in their quest for their seventh national collegiate Tank Crown. With Coach Tom Hughes, entering his tenth year as coach of the swimming team, was a crew of 15 men led by Captain Leroy Jones. Five of the men were new additions to the team. Among the newcomers to the swimming squad was Lee Derrick, senior and three-letter football halfback, who won a breast stroke position with the team.

The Tigersharks streak of 32 consecutive victories was broken at the opening meet of the season when DePauw and Ball State of Indiana topped them in a tri-angular session at Muncie, Ind. They went on to absorb another defeat at the hands of Southern Illinois University before closing the season with four victories and two losses. Victories were over Central State twice, West Virginia, and Berea College at Berea, Ky. Outstanding for the Tigersharks this season was Captain Leroy Jones who broke nine records and set new pool records at Tennessee State of :23.4 in the 60- and :54.5 in the 100-yard free style races.

Ahead by a crawl—on to the next lap.

## S W I M M I N G

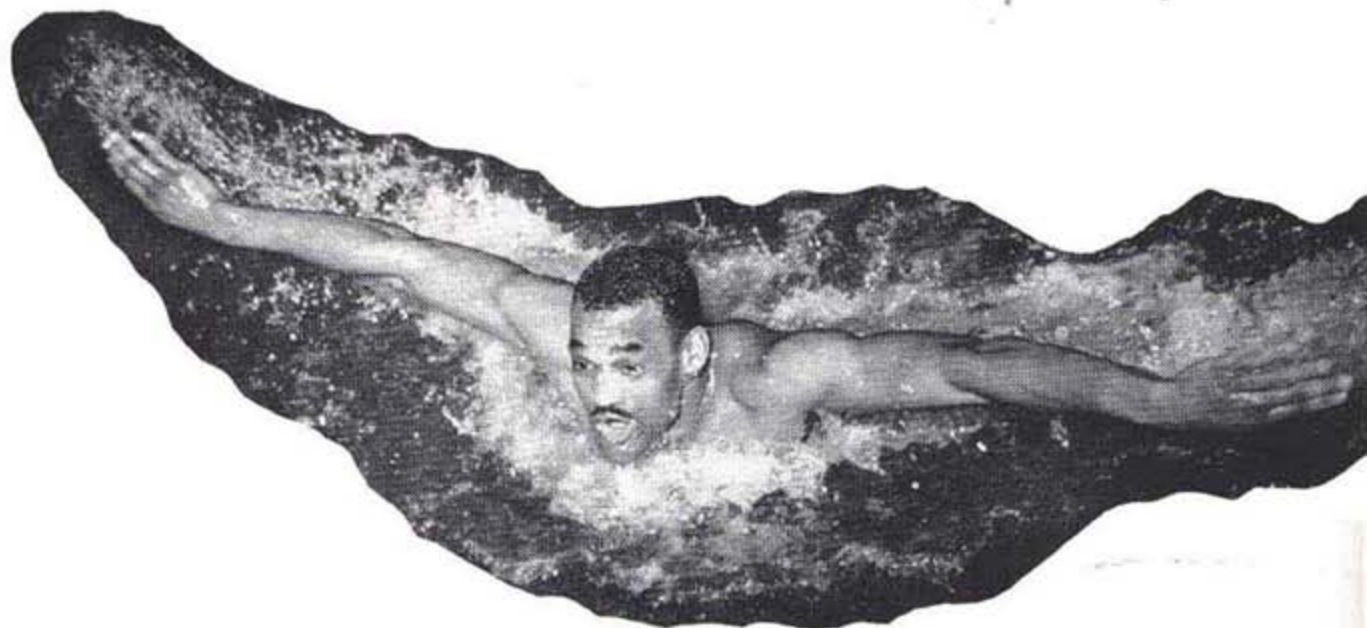
Pulling straws to see who gets the first dive





Just an optical illusion, folks. He's not really walking on the ceiling.

# S W I M M I N G



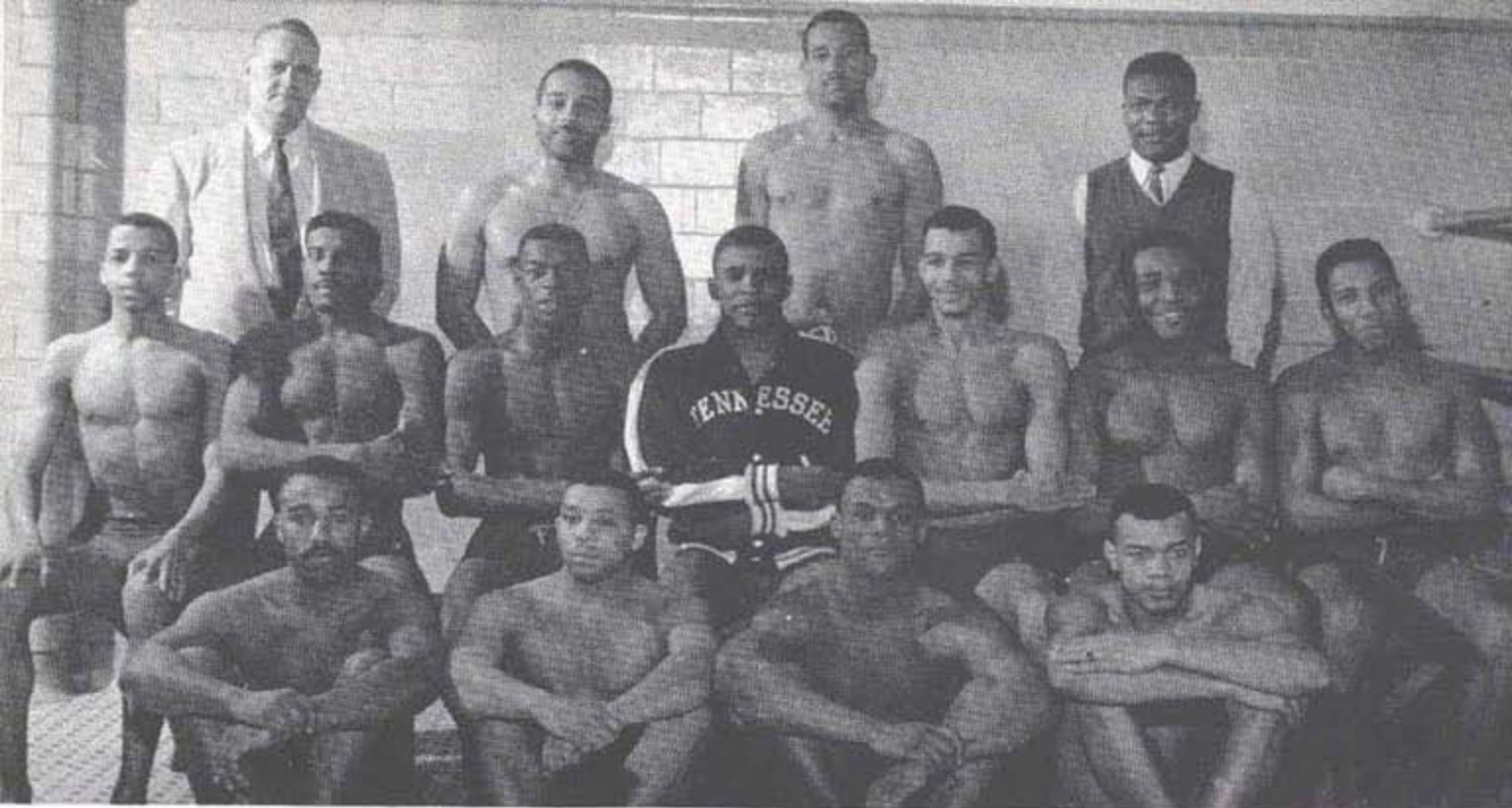


Photo Ident: Front Row, Left to Right: James West, Charles Rigby, William Dunlap, Charles Dobson. Second Row: Herbert Brown, John McIntosh, James Allan, Leroy Jones, Leroy Brown, Hubert Crouch, Shelton Walker. Back Row: Coach Tom Hughes, Gilbert Tyler, Art Griffe, Joe King, Manager.

### SWIMMING SCHEDULE, 1956

#### Jan. 13 at Muncie, Ind.

Delpauw University	. . . . . 67
Bal State College	. . . . . 52
Tennessee State	. . . . . 30

#### Jan. 14 at Wilberforce, Ohio

Tennessee State	. . . . . 61
Central State	. . . . . 23

#### Feb. 4 at Nashville

Tennessee State	. . . . . 72
West Virginia State	. . . . . 12

#### Feb. 10 at Carbondale, Ill.

Tennessee State	. . . . . 35
Southern Illinois University	. . . 49

#### Feb. 11 at Nashville

Tennessee State	. . . . . 72
Central State	. . . . . 12

#### Feb. 18 at Berea, Ky.

Tennessee State	. . . . . 61
Berea College	. . . . . 23

Nice going, fella—the best man won



HUBERT CROUCH, JR.  
Middle Distance



LEROY JONES  
Sprints



GILBERT TYLER  
Breast Stroke



# STUDENT COUNCIL



## OFFICERS

EDWARD M. PORTER	President	HOKE GLOVER	Treasurer
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MRS. ANNIE G. H. SASSER			

## MEMBERS

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ROBERT HOWSE

PATRICIA SMITH  
CLIFTON JEFFERS

HOLLIS PORTER  
LEROY JOHNSON

WILLIAM F. GREER

The purpose of the Student Council is to promote the general welfare of the University; to protect the general welfare of the University; to provide active participation in student affairs, and

to create an intermediary between faculty and students in matters of general welfare concerning the University.

## OFFICERS

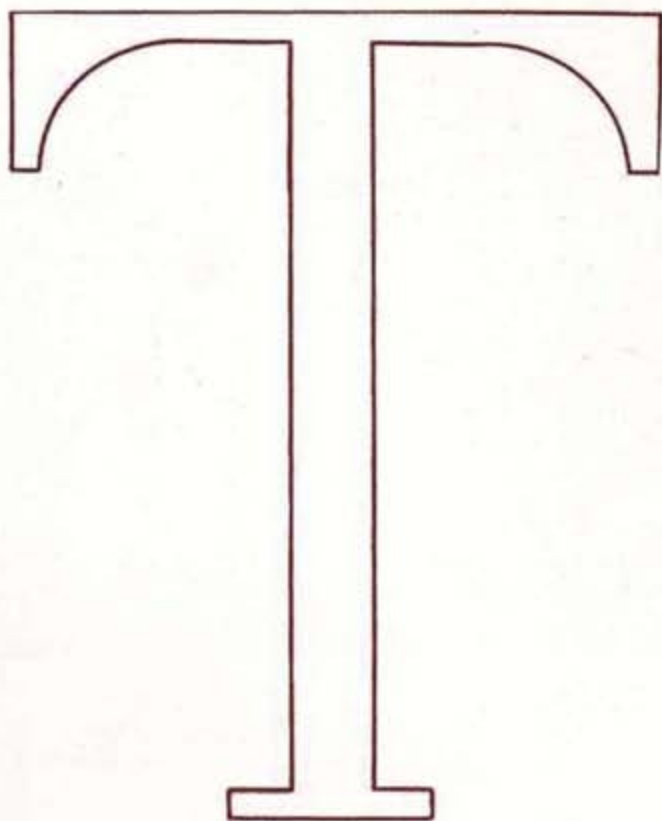
JAMES E. ARMSTRONG	President	ALBERT BAXTER	Treasurer
ERNEST BROWN	Vice-President	DR. F. J. D. McKINNEY	Advisor
DOROTHA JOHNSON	Secretary	DR. V. S. NYABONGO	Advisor
MRS. A. G. SASSER			

The Inter-Fraternity Council is an organization which has as its primary aim that of sponsoring a more congenial relationship be-

tween the fraternal organizations on the campus of Tennessee State University.

# INTER-FRATERNITY COUNCIL





**IS FOR . . .**

- TENNIS
- TRACK





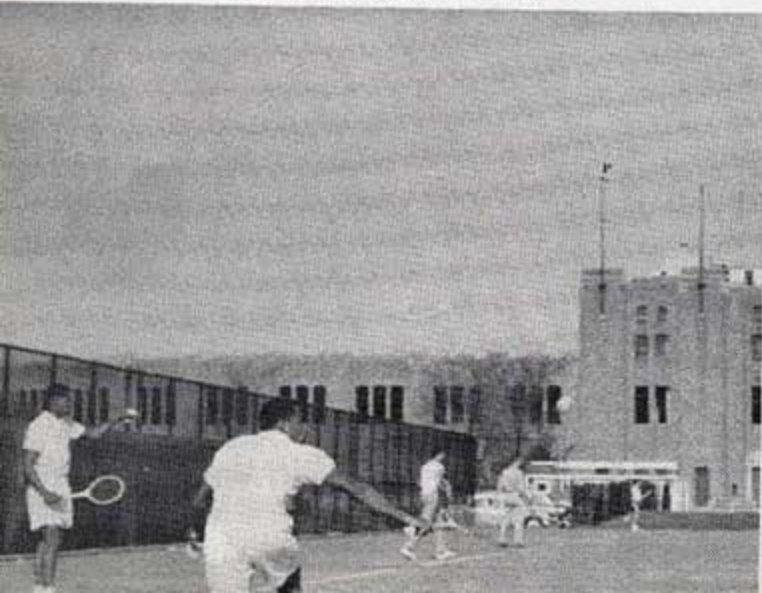
Members of the tennis squad shown with members of the Notre Dame squad are, left to right: Melvin Watson, Notre Dame's Wally Clarke, Theodore Grizzle, player-coach Robert Ryland, Harry Smith and Bill Reale of Notre Dame, and Wilbert Davis, Tennessee State players not shown in the picture are Vernon Morgan, Eulah Mae Brown, Ivy C. Ramsey.

# T E N N I S

## SCHEDULE

Prairie View College	March 7 and 8
Kalamazoo State Teachers College	March 28
Ball State College	April 26
Notre Dame	April 27
Kalamazoo State Teachers College	April 28
Mid-West Conference Tournament	May 17
N.A.I.A., San Diego	June

Wilbert drops a soft lob into the corner



The referee keeps a sharp eye on the court activity





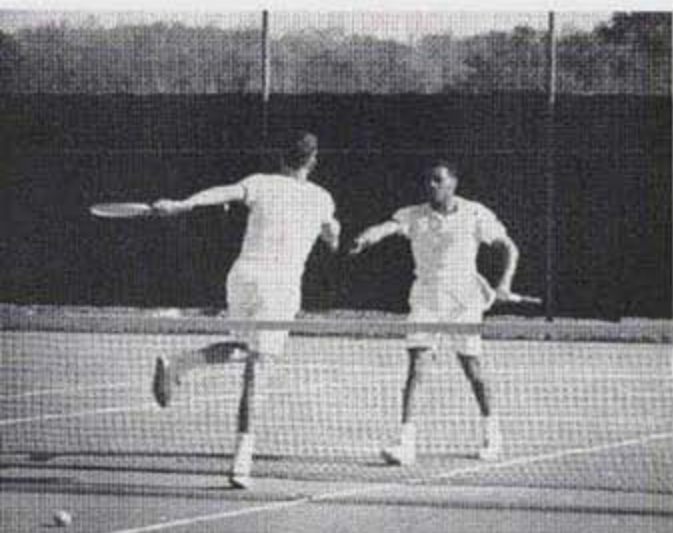
The net caught that one



Oof—poor vertebrae



Time out for a breather

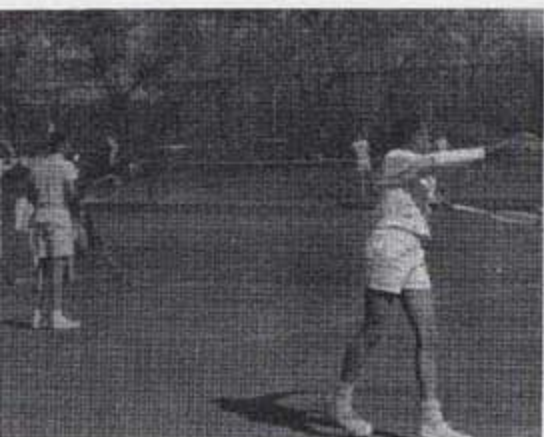


Well done, Old Boy, well done

The tennis team faces the season with several national ranking players which places them in a strong position for honors this year. Player-coach Robert Ryland heads the list; he is the 1955 National American Tennis Association champion and the Southeastern champion. Also on the team is Wilbert Davis who ranks fourth nationally in the A.T.A. ratings; Vernon Morgan who ranks fifth, and Theodore Grizzle, a newcomer to the team.

Two recent members of the team are Ivy Cover Ramsey and Eulah Mae Brown. Miss Ramsey formerly ranked second in the A.T.A. ratings for women, and Miss Brown is last year's winner of the National Junior girl's double championship.

Double fault—our point and our serve



Here it comes . . .



Try a shovel for size



As the current Thinclad season opened, twelve men answered the call for Coach Mack. Five of these were returning lettermen, the others—recruits. In the very first meet of the year, the track squad defeated Kentucky State 84 to 45 at Frankfort, Ky. Coach Mack is hopeful that the opening meet is indicative of the performance of the team. We are hopeful too.

Outstanding with the team is Willie Stevens who has been acknowledged as the fifth best hurdler in the country in the 120-yard high hurdles. He holds the Midwest Conference record with 14.2 in this event.

Other contenders expected to boost our stock are Richard Caffey and Phil Petrie, Caffey who is a junior won fifth place in the national N.A.I.A. tournament last year in the 220-yard low hurdles. He broke the Mid-West Conference record in this event with a 23.6 timing. Phil Petrie is a distance man who has shown great promise.

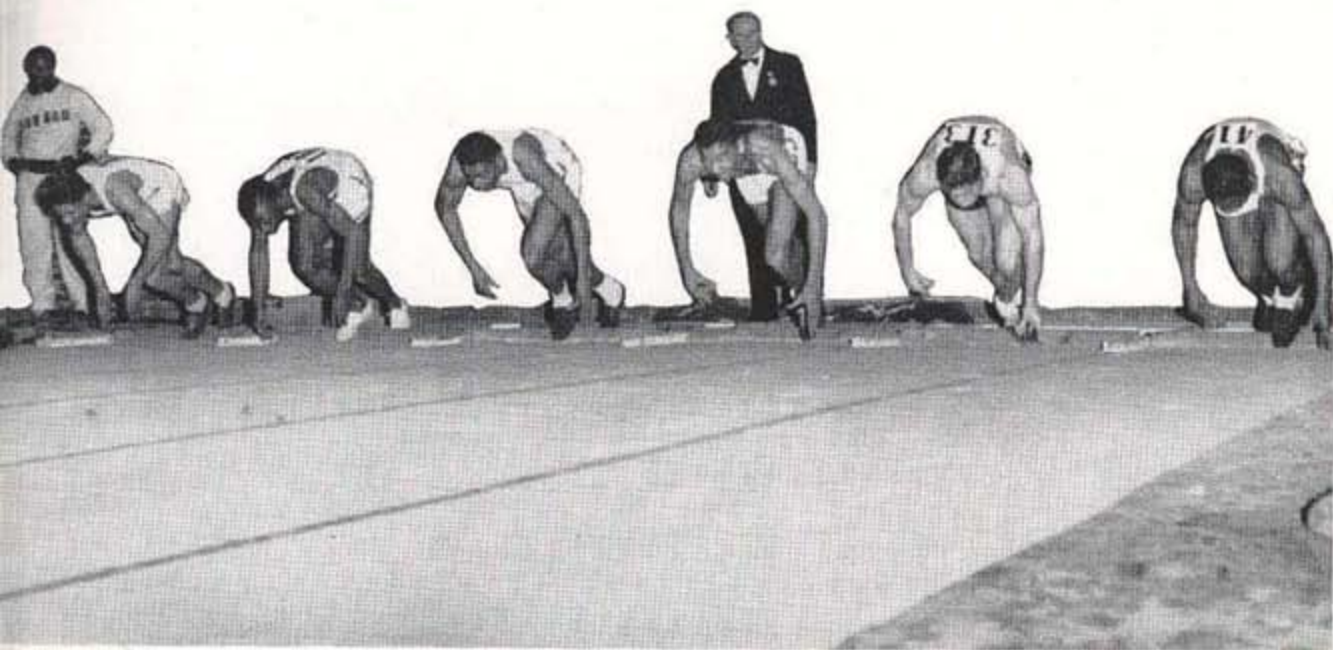


Coach Richard Mack and Willie Stevens measuring high hurdle for size

Kneeling from left: T. C. Shane, Samuel Carnes, Roosevelt Evans, Curtis Henry, Charles Cole, Phil Petrie, Samuel McGee. Standing from left: Hezekiah Foreman, Willie Stevens, Melvin Lampkins, McNairy Waters, James Buford, Richard Caffey, Kelly Fuller.



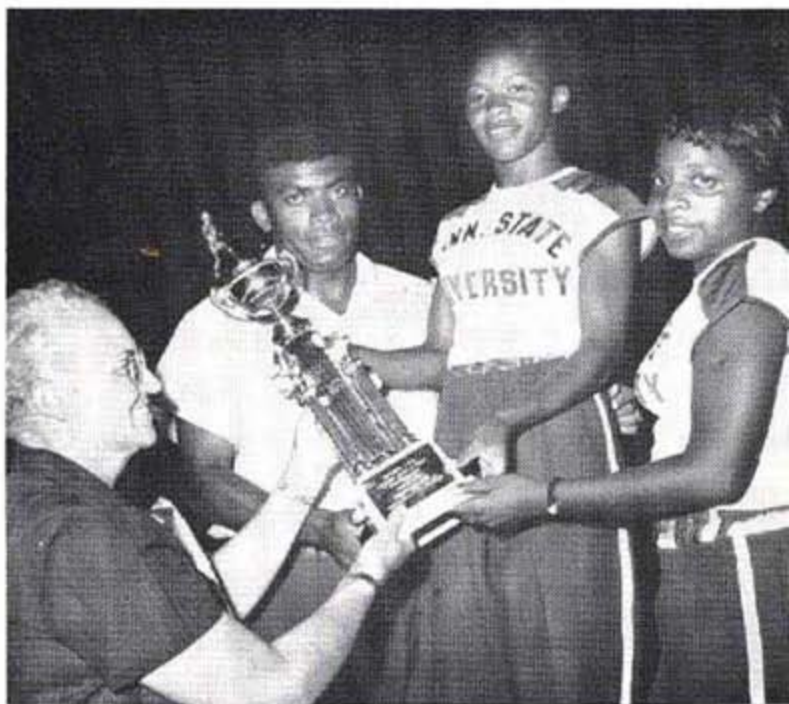
## MEN'S TRACK, 1956



Contestants breaking away at the start of the gun in the Washington Star Games 100-yard dash event.

Grit, grunt and muscle are all evinced as this high jump artist rolls over the bar in the high-jump event.





Coach Edward S. Temple with Mrs. Jesse Ponds who is presenting the championship trophy to Mae Faggs and Patricia Monsanto.



## TRACK



As usual the Tigerbelles faced the year with the prospects of a very successful season. Outstanding on a team of outstanding contenders was graceful long-limbed Isabelle Daniels and the remarkable Mae Faggs.

Mae is serving the last of four brilliant years as a Tigerbelle. During her track career she has managed to corral American and AAU records in the 220-yard dash as well as to serve on two Olympic teams.

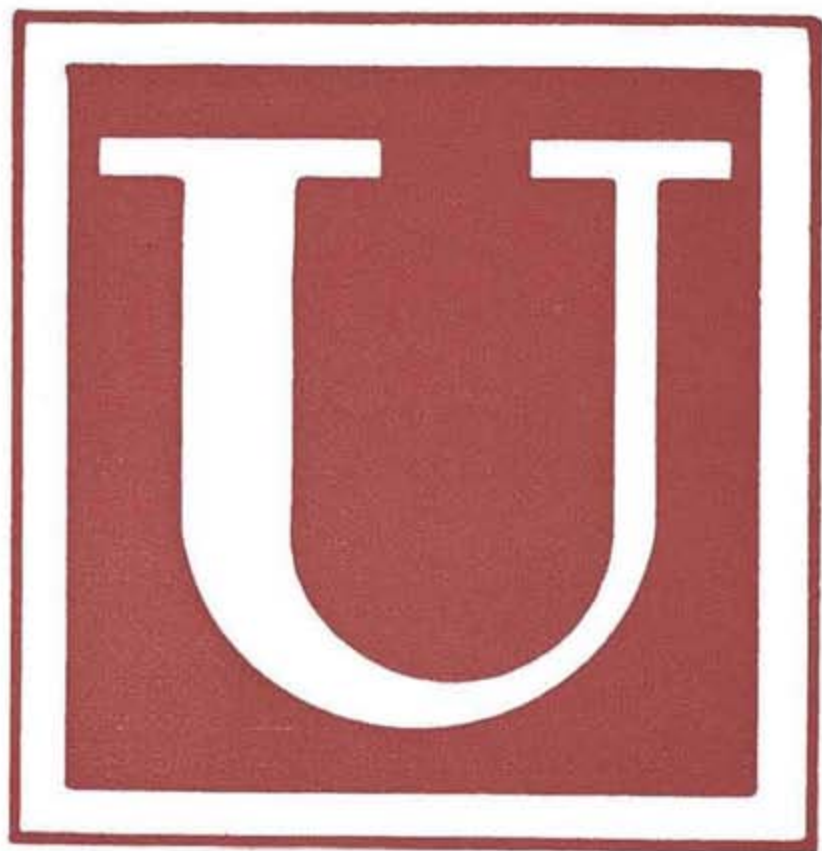
Isabelle was the sensation this year of the Women's National AAU indoor track championships run in conjunction with the Washington Star Games on Jan. 21 at the Armory. Isabelle broke one world indoor record and tied another. She won the 50- and 100-yard dash events, tying the National AAU and world indoor record of 11.1 seconds for the 100 after earlier setting the 50-yard record at 5.8 seconds in the semi-finals. The 100-yard record which Miss Daniels tied was set by a former Tigerbelle, Jean Patton in 1951, and tied in 1952 by Mae Faggs.

During the current season, the Tigerbelles won their first national championship meet when they copped the Indoor Nationals at Washington, D.C. The Tigerbelles won all three places in the 50-yard dash; a first and second in the 100-yard dash; a first place in the 220-yard dash, and a first place in the 440-yard relay race. They were off to an auspicious start.

## WOMEN'S TRACK 1956

Standing, Left to Right: Lorene Holmes, Yvonne Mecon, Isabelle Daniels, Charleetta Reddick. Seated: Margaret Matthews, Lucinda Williams, Mae Faggs, Ella Rea Turner, Coach Edward S. Temple.





IS FOR . . .

• UNIVERSITY



# UNIVERSITY



HPER. Building—From a new angle



Wilson and Hale Halls, dormitories for the girls



Memorial Library—a haven for the book hungry



Home of the campus engineers

The Administration Building, the pipe line of  
University activity

University Farm Buildings



V



IS FOR...

• VARIETY





The Home Economics mass feeding project made room for a good ole fashioned picnic



Not a conga line—it's the Bunny Hop.

## V A R I E T Y



Everybody came to this one

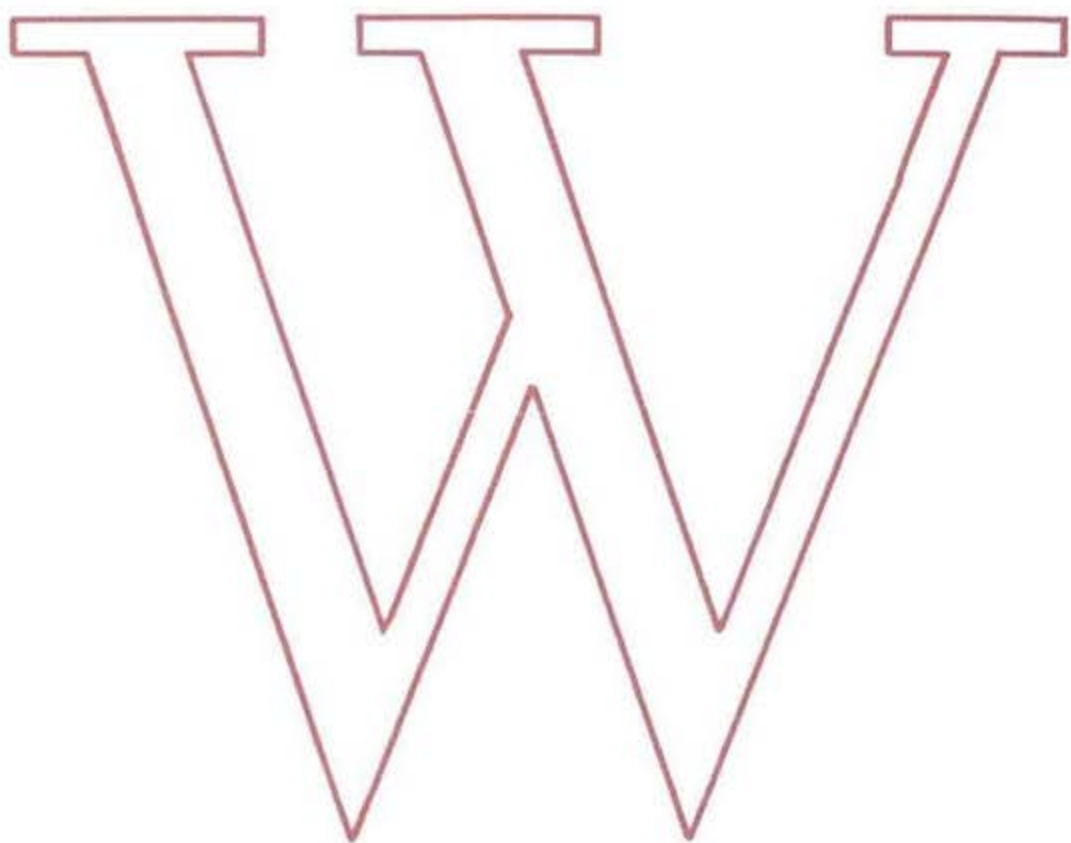
The Freshman Banquet was well attended this year



Blow man blow—that's Ralph Merterie, able master of the baton and trumpet at the Homecoming Dance.

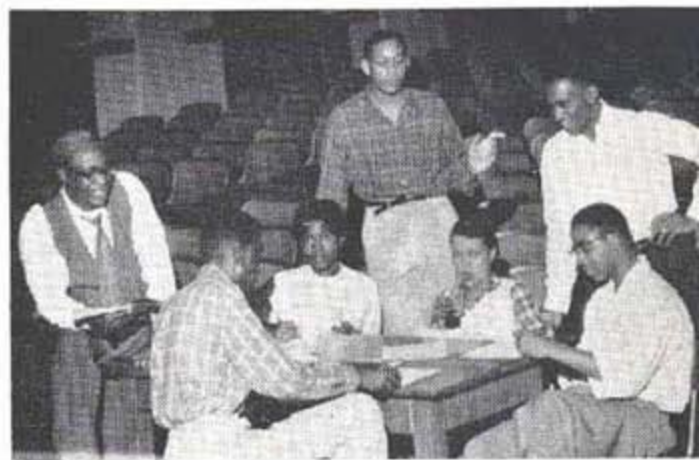
The Billy May Band—under the cool baton of Sam Donahue made "sounds" for the "Miss Charm," "Mr. Esquire" Ball





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• WHO'S WHO



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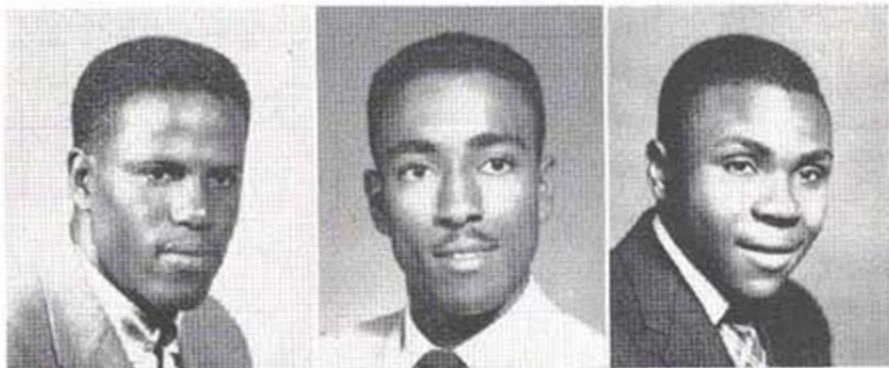
## IN AMERICAN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

### First Row:

GEORGE L. ALTMAN . . . . . Goldsboro, N.C.  
Health and Physical Education

CLARENCE BASS . . . . . Nashville, Tenn.  
Business Administration

EZEKIEL BELL . . . . . Memphis, Tenn.  
History and Geography



### Second Row:

EARLINE R. BROWN . . . . . Rockwood, Tenn.  
Business Administration

BARBARA BUSH . . . . . Ft. Pierce, Fla.  
Elementary Education

WALTER CALDWELL . . . . . Pulaski, Tenn.  
Health and Physical Education



### Third Row:

REUBEN R. DAVIS . . . . . Memphis, Tenn.  
Physics

WILBERT DAVIS . . . . . New York, N.Y.  
Political Science

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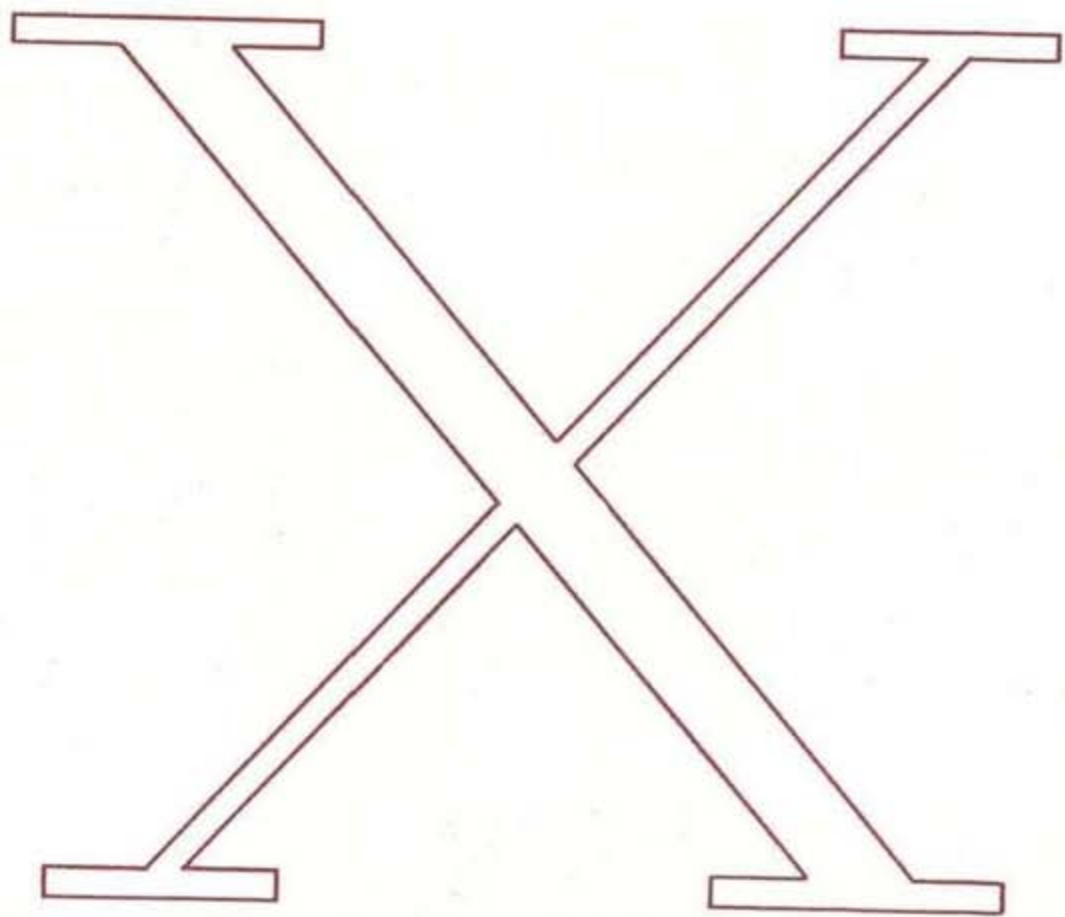
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• XMAS



# X M A S



What's Christmas without a doll? The order of the day is the walking kind



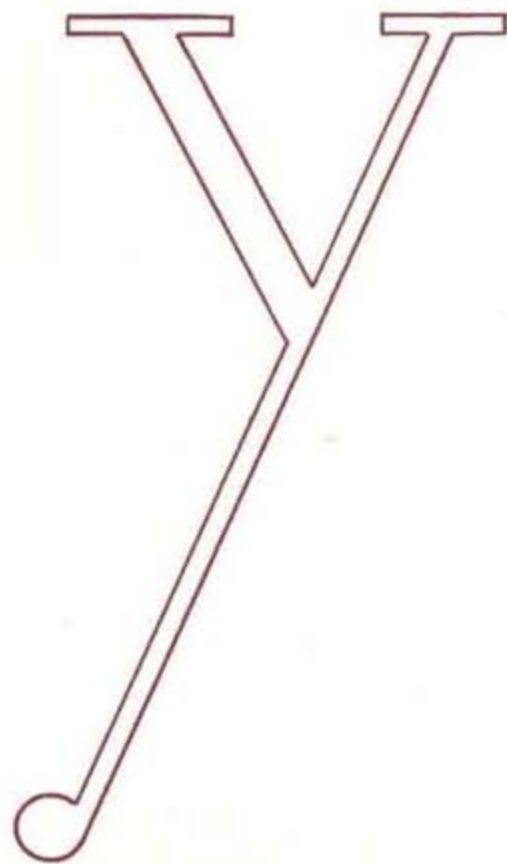
The symbol of the day—a regular granddaddy of a tree (that should have come down days ago) stands ghostly and neglected. The students have all gone home.

Prax's annual Xmas party for the kiddies has become an institution at Tennessee State. Santa Baby enjoys it too.



Something to dream of—a White Christmas





# IS FOR...

• YEARBOOK

• YESTERDAYS





In the early stages of Yearbook production Editor Ewing and Photographer Lillard compare notes.

## T H E 1 9 5 6 T E N N E S S E A N

Jewel Ewing, Editor of the 1956 TENNESSEAN

Mornings, afternoons, and evenings devoted to planning sessions is how it all got started. Schedule after schedule was prepared as we set up shop early in September and began shooting individual class pictures.

Saturday afternoon was settled upon as a regular weekly meeting date. Our gatherings were given over to a discussion of the how and why of picture layouts, picture planning and selection, copy writing and editing. We rolled along at a leisurely pace getting something done each week, but not worrying too much as to the amount, because we were ahead of our schedule.

As December came, passed, and January and February followed in like fashion, we began to step up our tempo. Page after page of copy was checked off and passed on.

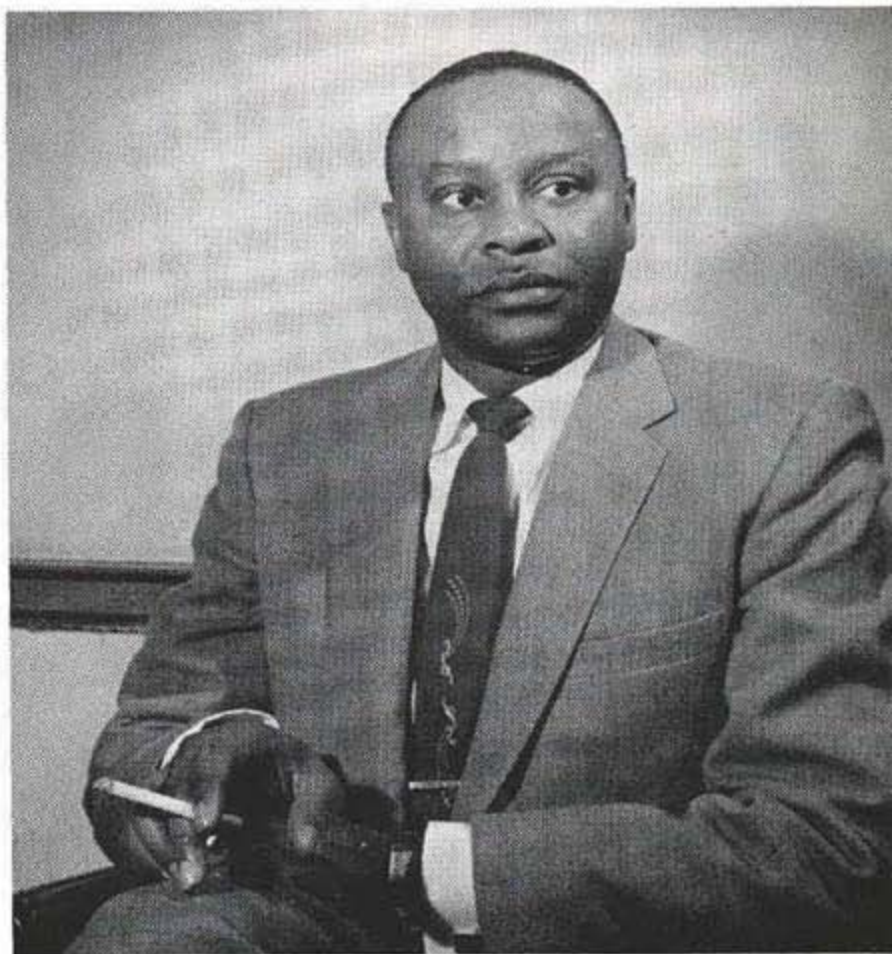
March came. We began to work at a frenzied pace as our publisher, hungry for pictures and copy, breathed down our necks. We all became editors, copy writers, and photographers as we struggled to meet our final deadline. Coffee and cokes flowed like water as some of us labored nightly over the last pages. And here it is. It's all over now, but the shouting. That, we'll leave to you.





Yearbook staffers, sometimes knee deep in glossies, contact proofs and copy, are seated (left to right): Fannie Mitchell, Mary Muse, Irma Thomas, Susie Jeffries. Standing: William Mitchell, Gail Walker, Alfred Watson.

Dr. William L. Crump, Adviser to the Yearbook staff



Alas! Yearbooks have to be unpacked





Co-Advisor to the Yearbook staff, James A. Saunders, consults with PR staffer Mrs. Ann W. Bell on picture scheduling and YB copy.



Earl S. Clanton, III, Photo-Journalist and advisor on Yearbook photography.

**GARFIELD LILLARD, JR.**  
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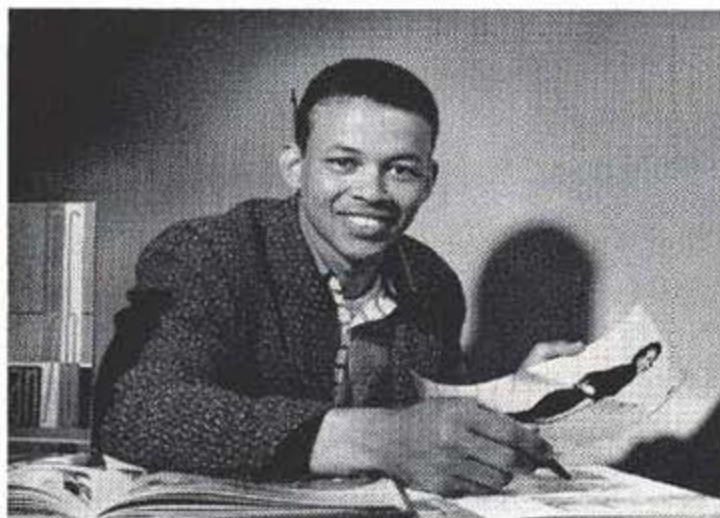
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Cynthia Thompson, former track queen of the campus has had her cites set on a medical career. Now a student at Meharry she is surrounded by some of those persons who had a hand in helping her dream to become a reality. They are Fay Young, Dr. W. S. Davis, and Meharry president Dr. H. D. West.

Henry Arthur Kean, Jr., of Tennessee State basketball fame is serving with the armed forces.



Shot-put artist of a year back Pat Monsanto of Bay Side, New York.





Betty Miller and Charles Thurman, popular students during their stay at Tennessee State. He's a law student at DePauw University.



Faye Sutton and Reggie Brown, now Mr. and Mrs., once held the titles of "Miss Charm" and "Yearbook" Editor.



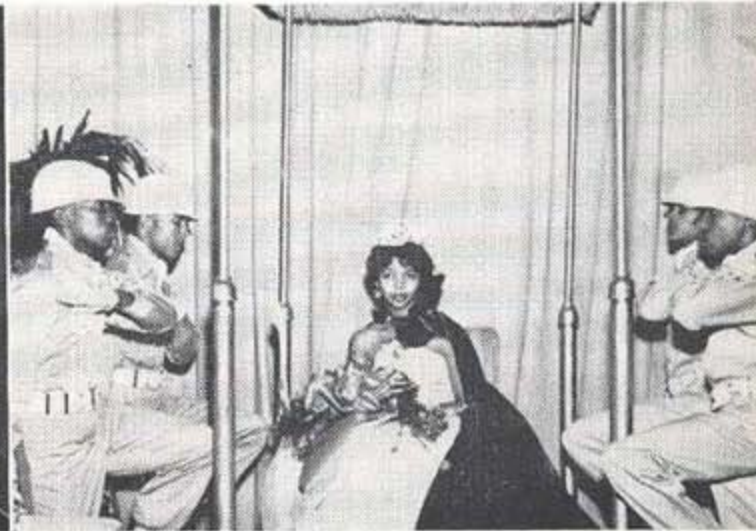
Clarence Brownley, TSU Tiger guard of yesteryear. He was also football captain of 1954 football season.

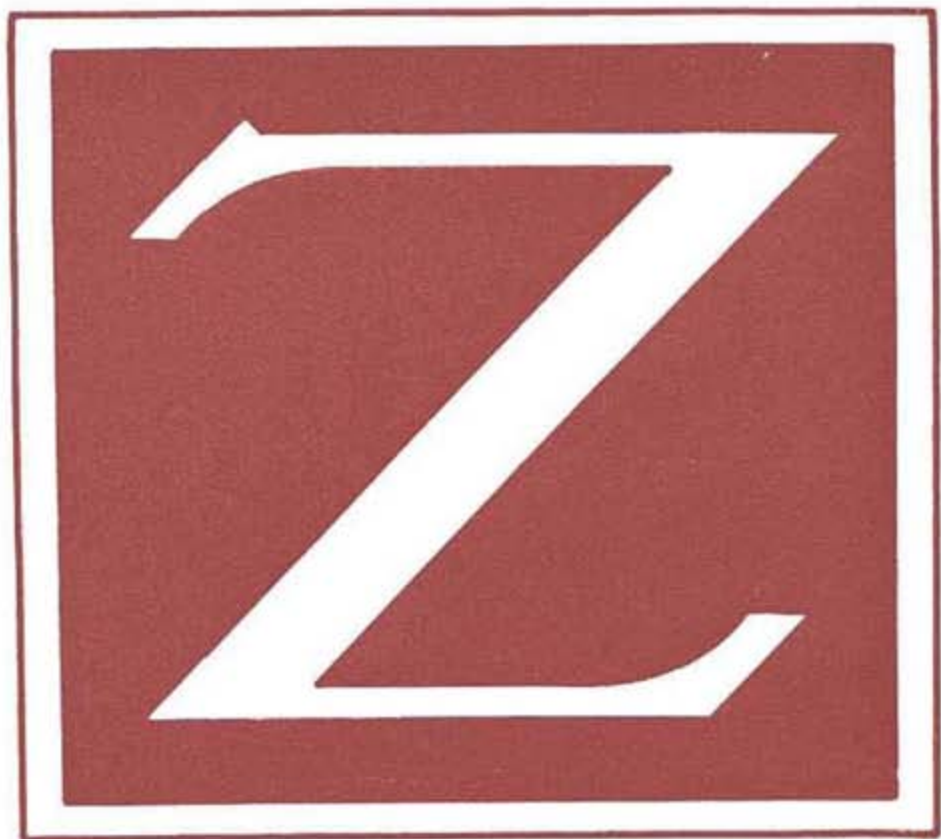
## YESTERDAYS

Famous Harlem Globetrotters Josh Grider and Clarence Wilton were presented with citations for outstanding service during their recent trip to the campus.



A very glamorous "Miss Tennessee State" during her reign of 1953-54, Lela Gracey is now a Nashville city school teacher.





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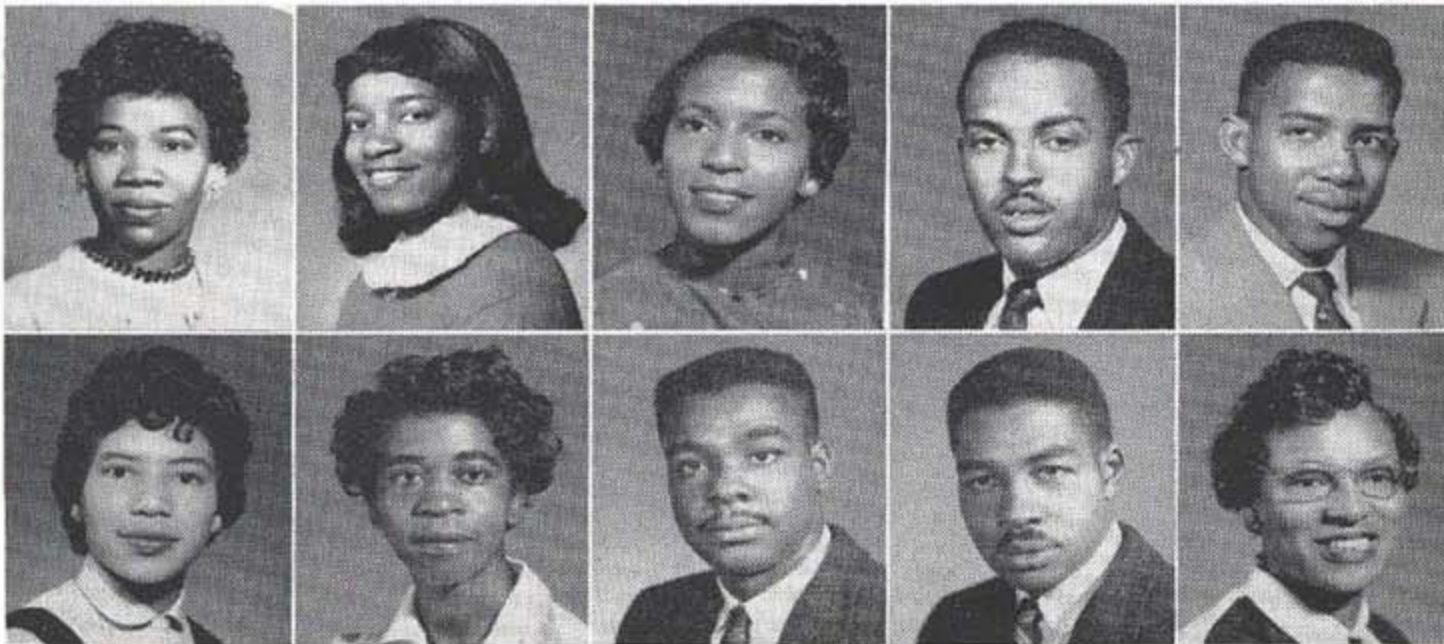


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