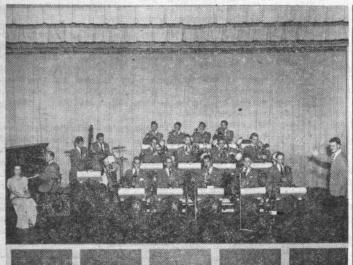


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# Knights' Music to Climax Gala Weekend



The Auburn Knights, one of the top college bands in the country, will be on hand to provide musical entertainment for the Homecoming dance Saturday night. Brought back by popular request, the band is fronted by Dilson Petrey, pianist, while Bob Ware and pretty Faith Gibson are featured on the vocal side.

## Swivet, Newest Campus Magazine, Coming Soon

By Cooper Morcock

The Swivet, Georgia Tech's newest student publication, is expected to make its debut during the week of November 7. The first issue will be a slick-paper magazine containing twenty pages devoted to a broad variety of stories and illustrations. The feature story is by Jimmy Jordan, who, in addition to being a member of the football team, is a member of the publishing board of the new magazine.

The initial issue of the Swivet will twenty-five cents and will go to those who sign up in advance for it. The charge is necessary in order to repay the loan granted by Student Council to help the new enter-prise get started. The magazine is expected to be self-supporting after

A compaign will be made next week throughout the campus, in all depart-ments, dormitories, and fraternities, to give students, employees, and faculty members a chance to sign up for the maiden issue. Under the present budget the number of copies will be very limited and will all be reserved for those who sign up in advance. Members of the staff will deliver the magazine to those who have campus addresses.

Chosen With Difficulty

The name of the publication was chosen with some difficulty. The members of the publishing board had considered so many suggestions that finally none of them could agree with any of the other members. At that point Prof. James B. Haman, the faculty adviser, remarked, "What a swivet!" meaning in effect, "What confusion, what disagreement!" The catchy word meaning "disagreement" evolved as the only name the board members could all agree upon and

as therefore accepted.

The Swivet fills a gap in the fields of writing presently covered by the older Tech publications. The Yellow Jacket is devoted primarily to humor, the Blue Print to student activities during the year, The Technique to news, and the Engineer to articles of a technical nature. The Swivet will carry many types of material which would not fit into the schemes of any of the other publications, such as fic-tion and non-fiction stories, poems, candid camera treatments of various campus activities, illustrations and sketches, and editorials on controver sial subjects and school problems.

No Formal Organization

The Swivet has no formal organization of editors and assistants editors at present. A publishing board of seven members, with Paul Lieberman as chairman, is directing activities connected with organizing the venture and launching the first issue. Members of the board are Business Manager Fred Wolf, Secretary Joe Ford, Pete Brown, Jimmy Jordan, Vann Collier, Ray Auger, and Paul Lieber-man, the chairman and organizer of

the new magazine.

Present plans call for publication of the Swivet once each quarter. That may be changed later, however. According to Lieberman, enough ma-

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## Co-op Succumbs

It is with regret that The Technique has learned of the death on Monday of William H. Dozier, Jr., of 1757 Lawton Avenue, Macon, Georgia. A sophomore co-op student majoring in Chemical Engineering, Dozier entered Tech in September, 1947, after attending Mercer 1947, after attending Mercer University for one quarter. He was employed by the Union Paper and Bag Company, of Savannah, Georgia, for four quarters, where his record was described as "very satisfactory." Scheduled to return to school this fall, he was advised not to this fall, he was advised not to do so by his physician because of a kidney condition, which was the cause of his death. Funeral services were held on Wednes-day at four o'clock in Macon.

## **ANAK Tapping Ceremonies** To Highlight Evening's Events In Shirt-tail Parade

Climaxing the varied events of the Homecoming week-end at Georgia Tech will be an informal dance held in the gymnasium tomorrow night from 8:00 until 12:00. The Auburn Knights, featuring vocalist Faith Gibson, will provide the music for the dance, which will be sponsored by the Bulldog

tainment will be the formal tapping ceremony of the ANAK society. Four new members will be tapped by president Estes Mann and greeted by vice-president Ewell Pope, secretary "BB" Brown, treasurer Roy Barnes, and Dave Crane.

Tapping Ceremony
The tapping ceremony, which will take place immediately before the in-termission, will be preceded by the awarding of two other honors—the trophy by the Homecoming Decora-tions Committee, and the Giboon, or gold-plated spitoon, by the Ramblin' Reck Club.

The judging for the best decora tions for homecoming will take place tonight from 7:30 until 9:00. The theme must be the Tech-Duke game or Homecoming, and no obscenity or profanity is allowed. The point system which will be used allots 30 points for the effectiveness of the theme, 30 points for the originality, 20 for mechanical ingenuity, and 20 for show manship.

Three Judges

The three judges for the decora-tions contest, each a prominent At-lanta businessman, are Mr. Ray Lang, Mr. Walter C. Hill, and Mr. Herbert Oliver. The three fraternities re ceiving the most points in the judging are given a corresponding num ber of points for the IFC trophy con-

The Ramblin' Reck parade, beginning at the Delta Tau Delta house at 11:00 on Saturday, will move to the new T.E. building and circle back. The judges will be Mr. Robert Snodgress (of alligator fame), Mr. Good-loe Yancey, and Mr. Herbert Bandur-

Second Trophy Sought

A second Giboon, the "floating" prize for the winner of the parade each year, is being sought desparatenone have been found to date (Continued on page 8)

## Tech Rifle Group Plans Formal Ball

Music by the Ramblers is to be featured at a gala ball to be held at the Crenshaw Field House next Fri-day evening. The affair is open to all and is being sponsored by Georgia Tech's Pershing Rifle Company.

The ball is to be formal with Army, Navy and Air ROTC uniforms or tuxedos being the uniform of the day. Tickets for the dance, which starts at eight and lasts until midnight, may be procured from Pershing Riflemen, who will be circulating about the campus during the week. The cost for the evening's entertainment will be \$1.50 for students, with or without dates. It is requested that no flowers

be purchased for the occasion.

A Tech organization, The Ramblers have a reputation that is rapidly spreading through Atlanta. For those who like the latest jive, the orchestra is hard to beat, while their smooth selections rank first in that depar\*-

### Attention Seniors

Associate Dean J. J. Pershing has announced that the testing and vocational guidance services of the office of the Dean of Students are available to the seniors and graduate students in the classes of March 1950, June 1950, and September 1950.

It is to be understood by all the seniors and graduate students in the three classes of 1950 that these testing and guidance vices are not compulsory, but entirely voluntary on the part of the individual students. However, two advantages of the services are

- these:
  1. The students may secure valuable self-inventory of abilities and aptitudes.
- The test scores can be made available to the various visiting company representatives

Therefore, all seniors and graduate students in these three classes of 1950 who are interested in the testing and guidance services should see Mr. Dougherty in Room 103-A Knowles building to the necessary

Fred W. Ajax, Associate Dean of Students.

## Freshmen to March After Jacket Victory

Tech's freshmen will get a chance to display their athletic endurance Saturday if the Jackets beat the Duke eleven in the annual Homecoming classic. A full scale shirt-tail parade is definitely planned by the Ramblin' Reck Club if Tech comes out on top in the game, A shirt-tail parade was strongly suggested by the cheering section after the Auburn game, but this will be the first official parade this year.

As in all home games this year the frosh will form a pathway at the north end of Grant Field for the football team as it leaves the field, the parade will start from there if the occasion calls for a parade. The ten-tative route of the parade calls for the freshmen to go north on Tech-wood to 4th Street, east on 4th Street to Spring Street and then south on Spring Street downtown and to Five Points. Arrangements are being made to have a freshman band at Five Points. when the parade arrives, along with the cheerleaders. A short pep-rally will be held at Five Points.

The shirt-tail parade is a traditional Tech custom, and one of the high spots of the Fall quarter of each year, at least for upperclassmen. Severe penalties will be imposed on freshmen caught not participating in the parade. The only excuse for non-participation acceptable to the Rat Court is strong evidence of physical Court is strong evidence of physical

## Flash Card Section Will Assist In Collection of WSSF Funds

By Dick McClosky
The Flash Card Section and the Georgia Tech World Student Fund Committee will cooperate during the Homecoming game in a new fund raising operation, it was recently disclosed. According to the new plan, brochures stating the purpose of, and containing pertinent information concerning, the World Student Service Fund will be via the football programs. At halfdistributed throughout the stadium

time a speech will be given by Bill Tate, local radio announcer, explaining the need for the funds. The Flash Card Section will then spell out the letters GIVE WSSF, while 200 Tech students begin passing paper cups along every row of seats in the

The nucleus and directing body of these 200 students will be formed by the Tech World Student Fund Com mittee, composed of Dean George Griffin, Professors Clay Lewis and Mario Goglia, YMCA Director Robert C. Commander, Committee chairman Estes Mann, Mack Gregorie, Jimmy Biggs, Cuyler Gunn, Allen Crawford, Speer Ezzard, George Nalesnik, and Dewey Williams. This committee has as its primary func-tion the support and control of three funds: The Gene Turner Fund, the Georgia Tech World Student Fund, and the World Student Service Fund.

The Gene Turner Fund honors Gene Turner, Tech Alumnus, who left Georgia Tech in 1913 to go to China as a YMCA world service secretary, since which time his friends and supportors at Tech have contributed much of their time and effort to enable him to perform for some of distance who students in war-devastated and substandard areas of the world. This is their contribution to those who need our help in helping themselves, and deserves the wholehearted support of all Tech alumni, faculty, students in war-devastated and substandard areas of the world. This

China's millions of people a great work of goodwill and Christian vice. This year Gene Turner retired and has been succeeded by his son, Gene Turner, Jr.

The Georgia Tech World Student Fund has as its goal the establishment and continuance of goodwill scholarships with technical schools in foreign lands, notably our "brother university," Stuttgart Tech. With the noney so far received, and meals which are donated by the fraternities, Tech is sending through school a student from Finland, Johnny Waris, and one from Germany, Max Baecher. It is hoped that by providing the means whereby outstanding students from other nations may attend Tech as our guests, international friend-ships may be formed, and the cause of professional competence and world peace will be greatly aided.

Contributions to the WSSF are devoted to the alleviation of clothing, food, medical, and textbook shortages of students in war-devastated and

WELCOME ALUMNI!

## Fence Around Gym Lawn Is Available to Large Groups

Last year the Student Council purchased a temporary wire net fence that will almost completely surround the terrace and front lawn of the gym. This fence was used during the Jesse Duckworth "Spring Frolics" dance so that all the front doors of the gym could be left open. This in turn kept the gym much cooler and also allowed couples to pass freely out and in without having to get a stub dance is entitled to use the fence free

Since the "Spring Frolics," the fence has been stored by the Athletic Association and has not been used again. Any organization that reserves the gym for a function such as a

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## School to Unveil Monument Honoring Peters Park Donor

More than sixty years ago, Richard Peters donated four acres of land on which to construct the first buildings of the newly established Georgia Institute of Technology. Through the years his heirs have also contributed considerable land to the school, the most recent being the large tract just north of the gym-nasium and known as Peters Park.

On Saturday, October 29, as part of the homecoming ceremonies, school officials, alumni and members of the Peters' family will dedicate to Mr. Peters a large stone monument located in Peters Park, which today contains modern tennis and basketball courts installed by the Georgia Tech

Athletic Association.

The brief ceremonies will start at 1:15 p. m. with Oscar Davis, president of the Georgia Tech Alumni Association, introducing W. A. Alexander, athletic director of Georgia Tech, who will pay tribute to Mr. Peters and his family.

## **Tech Council President Attends** Conference of Southern Leaders

On October 15 and 16, Estes Mann, president of the Tech Student Council, attended a meeting of Student Council presidents of southern and southeastern schools at the University of Florida. During a series of meetings, Mann discussed many problems and systems of schools that approximate the size of Tech.

Florida exchanged ideas on school government. As well as attending meetings, the delegates were treated to visits to Jacksonville, Saint Augustine and Silver Springs as well as a tour of the Florida campus.

On Saturday night at half time during the Vanderbilt-Florida game each of the men was presented to the capacity audience in a very beautiful and impressive ceremony. The stadium was darkened and the Florida band members, with lights on their hats, formed a large star. When each man's name was an-

The council presidents of nineteen nounced over the loud speaker, he southern and southeastern schools went to the center of the star, and such as North Carolina, Virginia, Duke, Alabama, Tennessee and lowing the game the group was invited to a cocktail party at the Seminole Hotel.

> The actual meeting began on Friday morning, October 14, with a 7:30 breakfast followed by a business meeting at 8:30. During this session the presidents discussed honor systems, freshman orientation, and integration of class officers into student government.

> Saturday, at another business meet-ing, Tech was lauded for its lack of parties and machine politics. Tech's council was also found to be more active than most of the other schools in that it has many men on faculty committees. One of the prime advantages that the Tech council has is the money allotted to it from the student activity fee. This assessment amounts to about \$.35 per man.

## Student Council Minutes

October 25, 1949.

The meeting was called to order at 6:35 by President Estes Mann. Those absent were Judy Attaway, Fuzzy Field, Bill Jett, George Kirkpatrick, and Ashley Vincent.
George Nalesnik reported that progress was being made in the attempt to secure funds for the Radio Club.
Elam Anderson reported on the Publications Board Meeting. A committee was appointed to investigate the questions of salaries to be paid various members of the staffs of the student publications. The committee consisted of Lamar Jordan, chairman; Bob Lee, Elam Anderson, David McBrayer, Ken Brown, and John Tolan.

Members of the Student Western

md John Tolan.

Members of the Student Welfare Committee ave the following reports:

Bruce Sams stated that Mrs. Davis of the lavis Apartments had said that she was not oning to file any complaints to the school gainst students.

gainst students.

Herb Bradshaw reported that the garbage isposal situation in back of Brittain Dining Iall would be taken care of by Dining Hall mployees in the future.

Ken Brown reported that plans are being tade to move Sideways' grave and to protect suitably.

Lamar Jordan reported that Professor Groseclose of the LE. Department has studied the Post Office congestion problem and has recommended to the Administration that an extra door be put in the East side. Ken Farmer announced that the Loan Committee would meet this week to discuss plans to promote use of the \$50,000 in loan funds which Mr. Anthony has called to the council's attention.

Respectfully submitte Bruce Sams, Secreta

# Major Ed Wall, Harvard, 40 -Flying Executive, U.S. Air Force!



Born in Newark, N. J., he moved to Boston at an early age, graduated from the public Latin high school in 1936, entered Harvard the same year, where he majored in economics and government.



football, earned his letter on the boxing team. He worked part-time in a variety of jobs from bouncer to baby sitter, received his AB degree in 1940.



He enrolled in Harvard Law School, left at the beginning of the war to become an Aviation Cadet. In December, 1942, he won his pilot's wings, received a Reserve mission as Second Lieutenant.



Assigned to anti-sub patrol duty, he flew B-25's and B-17's before going overseas in 1944, where he flew 30 missions as a B-24 pilot. Shot down over Germany, he was a prisoner of war for 3 months.



Back in the States with his English wife, he returned to Harvard under the Air Force college training program, receiving his LLB degree in 1949.



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## Junior Class Plans Dance; **Ajax Speaks on Attitudes**

By Bruce Kidd

Thursday afternoon the junior class held its first meeting of the year. The major issue of business was a dance to be held Saturday night, November 19, in the gym. Dean Ajax gave a stirring and interesting talk on the student's attitudes when he leaves school and enters industry.

The class voted unanimously to cosponser a dance with the senior class for the night of the South Carolina-Tech game. It will be a Sadie Hawkins dance, and everyone planning to attend was urged to come in costume. However, costumes will not be required for admittance. It was emhasized that the junior and seniors class were just sponsoring the dance and that it would be open to all stu-

## Sadie Hawkins Race Planned

In keeping with the dance, a Sadie Hawkins footrace is planned for half-time of the game. No detailed plans have as yet been made since the class had to vote for the activities before further action could be taken.

The juniors thoroughly enjoyed an informative and thought provoking speech on student attitudes. One of the main points he made was for the student not to look for security in picking a job. He stated that a man must show enterprise in order to earn security. He said that the only things that are secure are being born and dying. He said a student must strive to maintain a flexible, liberal and tolerant outlook at all times.

Another point Dean Ajax stressed was that a man should not allow himself to get an attitude of selfish cynicism. You should look for apportunities. Put yourself in the company's position and ask yourself if you really do have the qualifications for the job. The world does not owe anyone a living.

## Must Show Enterprise

He also emphasized the fact that a new man on a job must show enterprise, that is a willingness to dig in an work. He stated that a college education merely gives you a foundation. A company still has the job of training you to fit into its organization. Tech, he stated, has a good reputation in that its graduates are not afraid to get their hands dirty, to work or to learn. He stated that Tech does not produce tuxedo engineers as several eastern schools are noted

The final point he brought up was courtesy. In any situation, don't be

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afraid to overdo courtesy. He gave an example of a senior who wanted a job with one definite company. The factory but he was not on the list. So he sat down and wrote a letter of thanks to the interviewer for the time he spent on him. The interviewer immediately wrote back, invited him to the factory, put him in charge of the group and eventually gave him the job. It was the first time in fifteen years of interviewing that he had received a letter of thanks.

## The Newly Expanded School of Chemistry Offers BS, MS, PhD

By Tom Jenkins Looking in the Tech catalog, the student sees that the School of Chemistry now offers courses of study leading to three degrees: B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. The research laboratory has been working to capacity. In order that the thirty-two graduate students now enrolled in the school might do research, part of the graduates prepare notes in the library. While these students are doing preparatory work in the library, the rest of the graduate students are doing the actual experiment.

Many Qualified Profs

Twenty full time professors and eighteen graduate assistants comprise the staff of the Schol of Chemistry. These men are well qualified to direct the studies and classes This is due to the viewpoint expressed by these instructors since they represent a cross section of the schools in the nation.

Of the twenty full time professors there are fourteen with Ph.D. degrees representing fourteen different schools -Johns Hopkins, Columbia, Wisconsin, Virginia, Texas, North Carolina, Tennessee, Rutgers, McGill, California, Stanford, California Institute of Technology, Illinois, and M.I.T.

New Staff Members

New staff members added to the School of Chemistry this year are Dr. R. F. Sessions, Ph.D., from Stanford; Dr. Lloyd Frashier, Ph.D. from California; Dr. Jack Hine, Ph.D. from Illinois.

The School of Chemistry is on the accredited list of the American Chemical Society, the world's largest body devoted to a single science. Students of chemistry may participate in a student affiliate chapter of A.C.S. an active chemistry club, and Alpha Chi Sigma, the School of Chemistry's honorary society.

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## For Band Parades At Away Fracases

Plans are now being complete by the Georgia Tech band to hold parades through the center of town in Knoxville, Tennessee, and Birmingham, Alabama, when the Jacket grid squad journeys to those places, it was disclosed recently by Ellis Pierson, band member. All students who are planning to attend these games are urged company took twelve men to visit the to participate. The parade will be similar in nature to the successful event held at Durham last year, in which, stated Pierson, about fifteen student cars took part. It is hoped that this year's events will be even bigger due to the relative nearness of Knoxville and Birmingham.

led off by the band, followed by the cheerleaders, then the band's three Simms, formally with Stan Kenton; In both cities the parade will be (Continued on page 8)

## Plans Are Complete Reorganized Auburn Knights Star Faith Gibson, Bob Ware By Bill Dean

One of the main events of the Homecoming week-end will be the Homecoming Dance sponsored by the Bulldog Club. Music for the dance will be coming Dance sponsored by the Bulldog Club. Music for the dance will be furnished again this year by The Auburn Knights Orchestra. According to advance information, the Knights have made a few improvements over to advance information, the Knights have made a few improvements over last year's band including a reorganization of the brass section. The present

band is composed of 18 pieces and features Faith Gibson and Bob Ware (Continued on page 5)

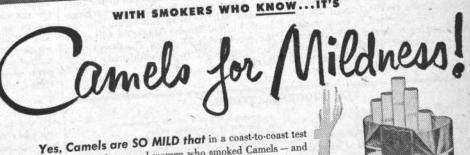
on the vocals. The Auburn Knights, who have been playing at all the large colleges and universities in the south, were organized in 1928 and have been playing every year since, except for a four year lay-off during the war. Down through the years the band has been somewhat of a proving ground for young musicians. Among those who have graduated from the Knights into name bands are: Irby CAMPUS GRILL

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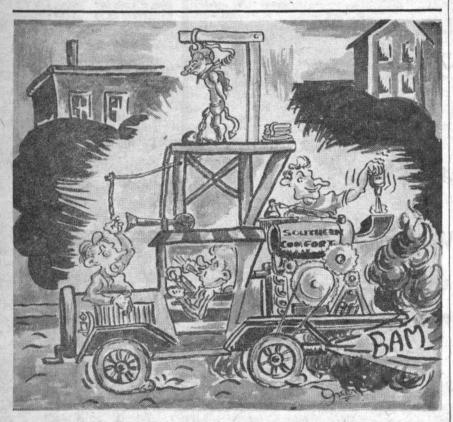


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## IT'S THE BIGGEST EVER

Welcome, alumni, to a really gigantic Homecoming weekend.

Welcome home, alumni, to the biggest Homecoming weekend Tech has ever had. The various activities for Homecoming

this year have been extremely well planned and should all prove well worth enjoying. The full schedule of activities during the weekend will be covered on other pages but here we'd like to touch briefly on a few of the biggest events.

Friday night will find twenty-six fra-ternity houses lit up and decked out for the Homecoming Decorations Contest with the decorations centered around the Saturday gridiron tussle between the Yellow Jackets and the Blue Devils of Duke. As usual the Bulldog Club is sponsoring the event with the fraternities vieing for the top three ratings. The winner will receive a handsome trophy and the second and third place fraternities will receive points to be applied toward the IFC Cup. Judges for the context are cutetrading business. for the contest are outstanding business-men—Mr. Ray Lang, president, Ray Lang, Inc.; Mr. Walter H. Hill, chairman Retail Credit Co., and Mr. Robert Oliver, district manager, Raymond Concrete Tile Co. Outstanding event on the Saturday morn-ing agenda is the Ramblin' Reck Parade, a function which is quite unique to this

institution. About twenty fraternities and organizations are expected to enter ancient vehicles depicting a theme again centered on the football game. Judges for the con-test will be Mr. Robert Snodgress, presi-dent of the Atlas Auto Finance Company;

Mr. Herbert Bondurant, vice president of the Southern Railway Company, and Mr. Goodloe Yancey, president of Yancey Brothers Company. The winner of the contest will receive The Gibboon, a glorified goldplated spittoon.

Of course the big event of the entire

weekend is the mighty encounter on Grant Field between Coach Bobby Dodd's fly-weights and the Duke Blue Devils. We feel confident that alumni and students will leave the game feeling much better than did Florida's supporters at their Homecoming last weekend.

Climax of the weekend will be the Bulldog Club Dance that night with the Auburn Knights providing the music. Highlights of the evening will be the tapping of four men by ANAK, senior honorary, and the presidentation of awards to winners of the Decorations Contest and Ramblin' Reck

An informal committee of four students started work last spring to get Life Magazine to cover the weekend. We had high hopes for we feel that it is of sufficient uniqueness and interest to rate national cov-erage. However, Life could not fit the story into their program. Perhaps next year negotiations will be more successful. The Atlanta Journal Sunday Magazine will cover the weekend with Miss Carolyn Carter handling the affair. It should make a nice

-DWU.

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## **Upon the Broad Shoulders**

... of council's Welfare Committee rests a great responsibility.

Through the years the Student Welfare Committee of Student Council has had a tremendous job. Upon their shoulders rests the responsibility for investigating all forms of student grievances all the way from complaints which affect only one student to plaints which affect only one student to complaints concerning the entire student body. Gene Damon did a fine job last year as chairman of that committee. This year Bruce Sams has the task and we are confident that with the aid of the members of his committee, he too will turn in a top notch performance. notch performance.

That confidence was borne out in the first report of the committee Tuesday night which covered the investigation of six grievances. First in order of business was the complaint by residents of two dormitories of carelessness in the use of garbage cans and in the collection of garbage from the dining hall. The committee reported that a new man has been handling the task and that greater care would be taken in the proper disposal of garbage from now on.

In regard to an editorial in The Technique concerning the inconspicuous en-vironment surrounding the grave of Side-

## Yella Jerket?

#### We welcome a brand new YJ.

Tomorrow morning the newly rejuve-nated Yella Jerket will make its appearance. Under the leadership of editor Wayne Col-oney, the staff has been laboring tediously since school opened endeavoring to bring a high caliber humor magazine to the students. The staff has undergone an extensive program of reorganization and no stone has been left unturned to assure success

Perhaps in the very near future, this latest effort of the Jerket staff will force us to revise our esteemed spelling of the publica-tion name. We hope so, anyhow, as we ex-press our most earnest desire that the Jerket will prove entertaining and enjoyable to both students and faculty. both students and faculty.

ways, it was reported that the grave will be moved to the small island between the Old Shop building and the Administration building. This is necessitated by the building of a wider sidewalk by the post office which will be completed soon. Four iron posts with connecting chains will be used to safeguard her final resting place.

The committee also reported that considerable investigation is continuing in an effort to gain greater parking space for the residents of Burge Apartments. Negotia-tions with the Police Department have re-opened McAlfe Street for parking. Investigation was also made into reasons behind the scheduling of military drill in the after-noon. It seems that scholastic records indicate that grades of students in early afternoon classes are considerably lower than the grades of those in morning classes. In an effort to aid students scholastically, the drill was scheduled in the afternoon to allow more time for scheduling morning classes. The administration has decided that it's more profitable for students to drowse as they drill than to drowse in lecture periods.

In regard to an editorial concerning the crowded post office conditions, the commit-tee reported that Professor Frank F. Groseclose has made a survey of the building and has recommended that a third door be added at the north-east entrance. Two of the doors will be exits and the third will be an entrance. It was also recommended that students aid in alleviating the condition by securing their mail as expeditiously as possible and move on. Students are also urged not to stand around the writing desks but to secure their copies of The Technique from the desks and then leave the

In connection with this committee, we'd like to urge all students who have complaints to submit them to their Student Council representative for reference to the committee. Students may rest assured that all complaints will be investigated.

-DWU.

## The New Grading System

. . . was designed to help the students in a two-fold manner.

All over the campus the past few weeks, to the high and mighty seniors have been debating the question of the new grading system which went into effect September 15. "also-rans", we've heard many such comments as "I need a 2.0 average to graduate now", "They're going to erase all the F's from my record", and "My double-A's won't count any more" (heard very seldom!).

Having considered all the confusion that has resulted from the new system and being quite perplexed over the whole thing ourselves, we of the "South's Liveliest College Weekly" decided to investigate and find out just what the new changes were

First of all, we feel it only fair to make a most vital statement-those troublesome letters that rest between E and G in the alphabet, known in the best circles as F's, are not going anywhere, anywhere, that is, are not going anywhere, anywhere, that is, except on our permanent record cards!! Yes, it's all true, the new system is merely for the purpose of determining our graduating average, and our regular normal point averages will still remain in effect. point averages will still Here is the whole story.

The new system was arrived upon by a ommittee appointed by the facuty to revise our present system. After considerable study of contemporary grade structures, the new plan was adopted to bring Tech closer in line with other engineering schools. At present, a 1.8 average is required for grad-uation and point averages are figured on the basis of total hours scheduled. Under the new system, the requirements for grad-uation will be based on the total credit hours passed. A student must have earned twice as many quality points as hours passed which for graduation purposes is a theoretical 2.0 average but which does not necessarily affect your regular point average.

Throughout a student's college career, his point average will be computed from

the total hours scheduled, just as it has been in the past. All those F's and FF's will be right there on his record when selections are made for Tau Beta Pi, ODK, Phi Kappa Phi, the Dean's List, and the Phi Kappa Phi, the Dean's List, and the many other honorary groups which are awards to those who have demonstrated their ability and diligence through high grades. When the time for graduation rolls around, however, the "credit hours earned" and "quality points earned" columns on the record cards will be examined and if a student has at least twice as many quality points as hours earned his recruite as the contract of the cont points as hours earned, his worries are over, and he is all set to graduate. As for AA's, they won't be given in the future, but no one is going to erase those made in the past. They still count on the records.

This change in the system was designed and instituted to serve a two-fold purpose. It will benefit those students with poor high school backgrounds that cause them to get off to a slow start, and it will aid those veterans who were in school prior to their service entry and who just gave up on everything when they knew they were to be drafted. Under the new method, they are not penalized for their poor grades in their early scholastic days when their grad-uation time rolls around. In addition, the new system has allowed Tech to require a C average for graduation in the true sense of the term. Previously, it was said that a C average was necessary, but actually only a 1.8 was sufficient which, of course, is not a C.

We hope that these facts will tend to clear up the grading problem and that everyone will now be able to understand the system. All students now have their choice of graduating under this system or the old one, except the freshmen who entered in the fall. Under these rules, everyone benefits by the graduation average and no one loses ground since the old point averages still stand on the books.

-LSF.

## 1949 Blue Print Awarded **NSPA First Class Rating**

The 1949 Blue Print received the National Scholastic Press Ass ting of First Class. This rating is determined by comparing the Blue Print with other books on its own classification according to the type and enrollment of the school and the method of publication.

with attempting to remedy the three

main faults pointed out in rating last year's Blue Print. These main faults

were lack of page numbers; lack of coverage on organizations and publi-

cations which would enable the reader to understand their activities; and

Faults Observed

A few lesser faults were found such as sub-divisions not being in

harmony in a particular section; faces in some of faculty pictures were

not clearly visible; copy was not al-

not clearly visible; copy was not al-ways written in an interesting style or in satisfactory length; layouts were not always in sufficient variety and interest along with some of them having cramped margins and not being in harmony with the rest of

the book; blank spaces resulting be

cause of insufficient copy to fit the

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lack of uniform type and leading.

The rating which a year book re-ceives from the NSPA cannot be compared to a previous year's rating be-cause there are no specified standards from year to year. The rating a year book receives is determined by comparing it with other yearbooks in its classification for that particular year. The critics consider the technical side only as it effects the final result—the appearance and desirability of the finished book. The yearbook is broken down into sections which are rated by a point system and the total points determine the final rating. The 1949 Blue Print missed the highest rating, All-American, by only sixty-five points which was the difference between 3200 points and the 3135 which it received.

#### Receives Excellent Rate

The 1949 Blue Print, as a whole, received excellent ratings on its choice of design, pattern, and theme along with excellent organization, readibility, purpose, material and techni-cal quality. Many particular excellent points were pointed out in the rating of the sections of the book. The faculty caricatures brought very high praise along with the candid sketches of some members of the senior class. Color employed on several pages also received very favorable comment. The title page, introduction, and views of the school received high ratings as did the division pages.

Faculty Section Rated

Faculty Section Rated
The faculty section identifications and captions, pictures, layouts, and coverage rated excellent. The senior class section and the under class received excellent ratings on almost all points such as pictures, display, and coverage. The orginizations and activities sections for the most part were rated excellent especially on pic-tures, technical quality, headings, identifications and captions, and coverage. The athletic section was also rated excellent on most points such as individual pictures, action shots, records, headings, and especially on coverage. School life coverage rated excellent for the most part with the fraternity life coverage receiving ecial mention.

The 1950 Blue Print editor, Hank McCamish, stated that the many good would be maintained along

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(Continued from page 2) fence and permission to use it must be granted by him.

Last year Bryan Brown, chairman of the Student Council Social Com-mittee, as well as President Blake R. Van Leer, Dean George C. Griffin, and Professor James H. Gailey of the School of Architecture investigated the possibility of erecting a perma-nent cyclone fence in front of the gym. This plan was vetoed by Pro-fessor Gailey because it would appear unsightly. With the limited amount of money the council had to spend, a temporary fence seemed more feasible.

The fence that was finally devised consists of angle iron posts and chicken wire. The cost of this style fence amounted to about \$190. It was

Alpha Pi Mu, National Indus trial Engineering Honorary Fratrait Engineering Honorary Fra-ternity, will sponsor a smoker on Tuesday, November 1 at 7:00 p. m. in the lounge of the A. French building. All Industrial Engineering seniors with a 2.50 oint average and juniors with a 2.68 point average are invited to

## Blue Print Space

All organizations which want pace in the 1950 Blue Print and have not been contacted, please either contact Charlie Bobo, Box 828 or send an authorized man by the Blue Print office to sign the contract by October 31. The Blue Print office is in the basement of the YMCA.

also brought out that this style of fence should prove to be satisfactory because any organization large enough to require the gym for a dance could get enough men to put it up without taking too much time.

## Auburn Knights-

(Continued from Poge 3)

Lawrence, Dean Hudson, and Johnny Brown and Glenn Miller. Elliott Long, amoung others, have stated that they considered the Auburn Knights the top college band in the country. The band is fronted by Dilson Petrey, the planist, and Jimmy Taylor who have also helped make up the band library of special arrangements to fit their instrumenta-

The price of admission to the dance, which is informal, is \$1.50 date or

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Geechie Club vs. Brown
Theta Chi vs. Delta Tau
Delta
ATO vs. Beta Theta Pi

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31
5:30 P. M.
Alpha Tau Omega vs. Phi
Delta Theta
Kappa Alpha vs. Delta Tau
Delta

FOOTBALL FOOTBALL
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30
2:15 P. M.
Chi Phi vs. Kappa Alpha
Pi Kappa Phi vs. Phi Kappa
Sigma
Phi Gamma Delta vs. Phi
Epsilon Pi
Wesley vs. Newman

VOLLYBALL VOLLYBALL
TUESDAY NOVEMBER 1
4:30 P. M.
Theta Chi vs. Lamba Chi
Alpha
Sigma Phi Epsilon vs. Phi
Gamma Delta SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30
3:30 P. M.
Phi Delta Theta vs. Sigma
Chi
Sigma Nu vs.
Tau Epsilon
Phi
AEPi vs. Kappa Tau
Smith Dorm vs. Callaway

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2
4:30 P. M.
Smith Dorm vs. Glenn Dorm
\*Wesley Foundation vs.
Geechie Club

## New York TD Club Honors Dean Hill

The New York Touchdown Club. the first in the nation, will honor one of its founders and charter members. when it presents to Georgia Tech at homecoming ceremonies on Saturday, October 29, a plaque in honor of Dean Hill, captain of the 1911 Georgia Tech football team.

The presentation is to be made in Peters Park, just north of the gymnasium, at one o'clock, R. J. Thiesen, secretary of the Georgia Tech Alumni
Association, will introduce the president of the New York Touchdown
Club, H. E. Surdam, Brooklyn, N. Y.,
who will make the presentation. The
plaque will be accepted on behalf of
Georgia Tech by Dr. Phil B. Narmore, secretary of the Georgia Tech Alumni Georgia Tech by Dr. Phil B. Narmore,

planned for the future.

## **Duke's Long Distance Runners** Meet Tech Harriers Saturday

Tech's undefeated cross country and Roy Cooper. The first seven places quad, led by veteran distance man were copped by Techmen. squad, led by veteran distance man
Red Smith, will meet the Duke Blue
Devils Saturday at 10 o'clock on the
improved Water Works Course. Tech
has lost to Duke by a narrow margin
day. Lagassee of Florida, and Cooper for the past two years: 26-30 in '47, and 26-29 in '48. Standouts for the Blue Devils are Griffin and Spach, old record of 24:20.6.

In the opening meet of the season, Eventually, the plaque will be placed in a new field house which is Smith finished first in this contest, on North Side Drive, has been ahead of teammates Johnny Stowers changed slightly.

The Tech squad, coached by Dean George Griffin, is composed mostly of members of the track squad. Johnny Stowers, quarter mile ace and Roy Cooper, two miler, have run well in meets this year as has half miler Bob Renshaw.

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## Welcome to Your "Alma Mammy"

WELCOME ALUMNI, "Ramblin' Recks", Tech versus Duke football. All this adds up to one thing, Homecoming. Therefore, I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of The Technique Sports Staff and myself, to welcome all the old grads back to their "Ole Alma Mammy". We hope that you enjoy your visit and plan to return again in the near future. We also hope that our gallant Yellow Jackets will put up the type of fight that is typical of all Tech teams and trounce the Blue Devils as the crowning point of a most enjoyable weekend.

Just in case some of our Alumni and students haven't been keeping too close a tab on our Engineers during their present grid season, it may be of interest to know that the past two weeks, the player of the week for the S.E.C. has been a Techman. Last week Bobby North was the coaches choice for his outstanding play against Auburn. This week, Coach Bobby Dodd's protege, Jimmy Southard, was the outstanding man in the Conference. Jimmy won this honor for his superb signal calling against the Gators last Saturday in Gainesville.

#### Flash-Card Section Now Active

Another interesting point for our esteemed alumni to observe is the newly formed flash-card section. This is the second year for the section. Of course it is not up to the standards of the University of Southern California, but it is definitely on the way up. Fred Wolf, president of the White and Gold Club, which sponsors the section, has received many words of congratulations, one of which was a letter from Tech President Colonel Blake R. Van Leer. Fred asked that these congratulations be passed on to the members of the section, as they are the ones who deserve the credit.

The greatest criticism of the flash-card section is that the men are not lining themselves up on the man in front of them. If this were done, there would be very little desired of the section. From there on it would simply be improvement on the present system. The following are the tricks to be executed at the game tomorrow: At the end of the first quarter, HI GRADS; during the second quarter, YEA COACH DODD; at the beginning of the half, GIVE WSSF; during the half, in conjunction with the band, a red feather will be formed. During the third quarter, BLUE DEVIL; at the end of the third quarter, RECK'EM TEK; and during the fourth quarter, either PORE DOOK or BEET DOOK.

#### Auburn Over Vanderbilt

As is the case every week, I get laughed at. I'm beginning to get used to it now, so I will make no excuses for last week, which left me with an overall average of 65.00000%. I'll just take right off by picking our Yellow Jackets to put the finishing touches on a perfect homecoming weekend by topping the Blue Devils of Duke. In the Southeastern Conference contests, I'm picking the Crimson Tide of Alabama to spoil Georgia's homecoming by taking the Bulldogs into camp. Louisiana State should win over Old Miss's Rebels, Tulane over Mississippi State, and I'm going to pick the Auburn Tigers over the Vandy Black Knights.

Around the South, Miami over Detroit, Kentucky over Cincinnati, Charlie Justice and North Carolina over Tennessee, Florida over Furman, Maryland over South Carolina, and Wake Forest over Clemson. In the Southwest, Kansas over Kansas State, Arkansas over Texas A & M, Rice over Texas Tech, and S.M.U. over Texas. In the East and Midwest I like Dartmouth over Yale, Harvard (with no wins) over Holy Cross (also with no wins), Penn State over Syracuse, Michigan State over Temple, Minnesota over Purdue, North Dakota over Nebraska, Northwestern over Ohio State, Mighty Michigan over Illinois, Wisconsin over Indiana, and Iowa over Oregon.

All undefeated teams should manage to get through this week without any scars. The nation's number one team, Notre Dame should have no trouble with Navy, but don't sell the Middies short as the Irish will know they played football. Number two team, Army, will have a nice practice against V.M.I., while the third rated Oklahoma Sooners take Iowa State in hand. Baylor should handle T.C.U., Cornell over Columbia, Pennsylvania over Pittsburgh, Santa Clara over Stanford, and Rose Bowl bound Califonia over U.C.L.A. In another West Coast meeting, Southern Cal is my choice over Washington.

## Wade Brings Potent Duke Squad To Flats for Homecoming Game

## Billy Cox Leads Dukemen; **Doddmen Ready for Fray**

After turning in their best performance of the season last week in vanquishing the Florida Gators, 43-14, the White and Gold gridders of Georgia Tech this Saturday set their sights on the Blue Devils of Duke in the Yellow Jackets annual homecoming contest. Having topped Wallace Wade's

Engineers will be trying for number four this week-end.

Picked by most pre-season experts as second to only the Tarheels of North Carolina in the Southern Conference, Duke has won four victories and dropped one this season, amassing one hundred seventy-one points to their opponents forty-eight. In their initial tilt, the Blue Devils rolled roughshod over Richmond, 67-0. Following this opening conquest came a 21-0 victory over a powerful Tenessee eleven, a 14-28 loss to the Middies of Navy, a bare 14-13 decision over North Carolina State, and, last week, a resounding 55-7 slaughter of Virginia Tech.

The Yellow Jackets have scored one hundred twenty-six points so far this season against sixty for their adversaries, tramping over Vanderbilt, Washington and Lee, Auburn, and Florida, while dropping a single tilt to Tulane for a 4-1 record.

Billy Cox Leads Devils

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charges for three straight years, the Cox. Cox ran and passed for 134 yards last week in the Blue Devils 55-7 massacre of VPI, scoring twice on runs of thirty and forty-four yards. Another explosive threat in the Duke backfield is wingback Jack Friedlund, who also talied two TD's against Virginia Tech on sprints of

nine and forty yards.

Bobby Dodd's Engineers are in their best physical condition since the opener against Vandy. Back at the helm directing the Jackets' attack will be Quarterback Jimmy Southard, chosen "player of the week" last week for his near perfect signal calling performance against the Gators. Barring injuries in this weeks practice sessions, the Yellow Jackets will enter the Duke fray with every man ready to go.

In the way of variety, Wallace

ent offensive units. Besides his singlewing team, Coach Wade also works one squad from the "T", with signal-calling done by George Skipworth of Columbus, Georgia. This variety of offenses should prove very interesting to players, coaches, and spectators



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## Basketball Schedule Homecoming

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The first three-time winner keeps the prize permanently.

The athletic event of the week-end the freshman cake race—will begin at 12:00 on Saturday at Rose Bowl Field. Cakes will be awarded to the first forty finishers, and a spot roll call of the freshmen will be made to check on attendance. Ad Little and Guy Jackson, freshman members of the cross country squad, will pace the freshmen around the course. Varisity members, who usually do this, have a meet with Duke at 10:00 Saturday morning.

The kick-off time for the football game with the Blue Devils from Durham will be 2:30. If Tech is victorious, all freshman are expected to participate in a shirttail parade after

## Mat Finals Tonight

Coach Roy Mundorff has asked that an invitation be extended to all alumni and students to bring dates to the intramural wrestling finals. The final mat encounters will take place in the gym tonight, beginning promptly at eight o'clock. There will be no admission charged.

## Parades—

reserved busses, which, according to plan, will be decorated extensively. In connection with this, Pierson expressed hopes that students who plan-ned bringing their cars to the games would take streamers and paint with them to embellish their cars. Automobiles will follow the busses, after which students on foot will march. It is being planned tentatively to hold pep meetings in both cities, in which case the parades will lead directly to the meetings.

Alumni clubs in each city have been asked to participate in the parade, and have been requesting to furnish a Ramblin' Reck if possible. The parades will become annual affairs if the turnout is great, as expected; everyone is cordially invited to come and bring

his friends to the parades.

In Knoxville, the parade will form in front of the dining hall on the university campus from 10:30 to 11:00 on the day of the game. The parade will be routed through Gay Street, the main thoroughfare. In Birmingham, the parade will form at 10:30 at the corner of 7th Avenue North and Twenty-first Street North. Police escorts will be provided for each parade. Pierson cautioned that the parades will be representative of Georgia Tech in the two cities, and that any violence or disorderly conduct would be definitely out of place.

## Swivet-

terial, in the form of stories and editorials, was submitted to have made possible two or three more issues this quarter, had funds and policy permitted.

Layout of the magazine will differ from the other Tech publications. For example, the advertising in the first issue is limited to the inside of the front cover and to both sides of the back cover; there is none on the inside pages. A photographic study was made of a DramaTech rehearsal, and is said to contain some very interesting pictures. The magazine is not a "high-brow literary deal," as some students expected. Rather, it is a publication featuring modern type poems, stories, and layouts, which offer the students at Tech an oppor-tunity to express themselves.

#### Original Organizer

Paul Lieberman, a Architecture student, was the original organizer of the new magazine. He comes to Tech from Sao Paulo, Brazil, and has had considerable experience with student publications. At the British high school he attended in Sao Paulo he edited the Paulean, which under him grew from an eight-page pamphlet to a well-rounded magazine containing sixty-four pages.

Upon coming to Tech, Lieberman wanted to write, but could find no outlet for stories of the type he had in mind. He checked the possibilities of issuing a supplement to some of the other publications, but they could not help him even though interested, due to limited budgets. The final result was the decision to promote an entirely new publication at Georgia Tech, which he has done successfully through the assistance of Student Council, his publishing board, and an enthusiastic staff which numbers some forty-five contributors at the present

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