

Glee Club Plans Christmas Concert For December 19

The Clemson College Glee Club, under the direction of Hugh H. McGarity, will present its annual Christmas Concert on Monday, December 19, at 8:00 p. m. in the New Agricultural Center Food Processing Auditorium. This will mark the first musical program to be presented in the recently completed Agricultural Center.

The 60 singers, in presenting their program will include traditional Christmas selections familiar to everyone, and will offer music expressive of Christmas celebrations in other lands. Attention will be given to Christmas music of Colonial America.

The Clemson men, in keeping with recent modifications regarding student military life at the College, no longer appear in the traditional grey uniforms, rather they have chosen an attire similar to that worn by choral organizations at other institutions.

Each year finds the Clemson College Glee Club busy making appearances on the Clemson campus, and in other areas in South Carolina. Last March the singers journeyed to New Orleans where they represented Clemson College at the Music Educators National Conference Southern Division Convention by presenting the musical portion of the general session on Music in the Community.

The present school year brings further recognition to the Clemson College Glee Club in the form of an invitation to participate in the Festival of American College Glee Clubs at the 1956 Conference of the Intercollegiate Music Council at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, New York May of '56. Clemson, Dartmouth, Yale, and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute are the colleges whose glee clubs have been accorded this recognition.

Participating with the Clemson singers on the Christmas Concert will be the recently organized Women's Ensemble—made up of ten Clemson women students, under the direction of Mr. McGarity. Students from the fifth and sixth grades of the Calhoun-Clemson, directed by Mrs. Hugh McGarity, will perform selections as an attraction which will be of interest to many.

Staging and lighting is by George C. Means, Associate Professor of Architecture at Clemson. Members of the Mu Beta Psi, Clemson Honorary Music Fraternity, will usher.

The program is as follows: "Pat-a-pan"—Burgundian Carol; "Carol of the Bells" Ukrainian Carol; by the Glee Club; "As Joseph was A-Walking"—Old English Carol; "Sheep on the Hillside"—Polish Carol; by 5th and 6th grade students, Calhoun-Clemson School; "The Walts Carol" by James, "Shiloh" (Early American)—Billings-McGarity; The Glee Club; "Lullaby of the Christ Child"—Old French Carol—soloist, Hannah Holleman, Soprano; "Three Kings"—Hoggard.

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Student Assembly Open To Ideas On Fraternities

Jimmy Humphries, president of the student body, announced today that the student government is interested in the students' reaction to the question of fraternities at Clemson.

Humphries stated that the executive committee of the Student Government has made intensive study of the advantages and disadvantages of the fraternity system in a college.

They were aided in this preliminary survey by Student Government officers of many of the colleges and universities represented at the regional assembly of the Carolinas-Virginia region of the United States, National Student Association held last week in Lynchburg, Virginia.

Humphries urged that students begin to analyze the question thoroughly through reading, discussion, and thought, and make their views known to officers of the student government.

BSU Leaders Attend Banquet, Workshops Jan. 5

A banquet and workshop for leaders of the Baptist Student Union has been planned for Thursday evening, January 5 at 5:30 p. m. The banquet will take place in the club room of the Baptist Church on the Thursday after returning from Christmas holidays, and is designed for all union leaders of the B. S. U.

The announcement was made by Lawrence Starkey, President of the B. S. U., after the approval of the executive council. Following a brief singingspiration led by Bill Allgood, Music Chairman, the supper will be served by the social committee, headed by Mrs. L. D. Malphrus.

After supper, the officers will adjourn to brief workshops designed to further familiarize the union officer with the needs of his particular position, and to discuss common problems with other union officers holding the same posts.

There will be six workshops, each led by a member of the executive council. The President's workshop will be led by Lawrence Starkey. The Vice-Presidents' will be led by Jimmy Young, Enlistment Vice President of the B. S. U. Joe Watson and Jimmy Ligon will lead the workshop for the Secretaries, and Leroy Bryant, Training Union Director, will hold the one for the Group Captains of each Union. The Missions Chairmen and Bible Readers' Leader for each union will combine into one group, this being led by John Henry Turner and Heyward Ramsey. Jimmy Ballew and Frank Lundy will hold the Social Chairmen's workshop. Adjournment will be at 7:30.

The club is planning a Christmas dance to be held this year in the new Armory at Edgefield. The music will be provided by Charlie Richie and his orchestra, and tickets will cost \$2.00 per couple.

County Club Plans Dance

The Edgefield, Aiken, Augusta-Clemson Club elected officers for the 1955-56 school year at a meeting earlier in the semester. The new officers are, president, Bobby McKie, and Theo Williams, Melvin Lathan, and Len Yaun, vice-presidents from their respective counties.

The club is planning a Christmas dance to be held this year in the new Armory at Edgefield. The music will be provided by Charlie Richie and his orchestra, and tickets will cost \$2.00 per couple.

Students Can Be Released Early To Go To Work

The office of Student Affairs has announced that any student wishing to be released from school early because of Christmas employment can do so by presenting a letter from his employer stating the exact date the student is to be employed.

The student who is allowed to leave early at Christmas, however, will be using his allotted unexcused cuts, but will be given a chance to make up any quizzes, etc., that he misses. Therefore, students who don't have enough cuts to cover their absence will not be excused.

Tau Beta Pi Taps Eleven

Recently eleven men were initiated into Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honor fraternity.

The nine seniors and two juniors selected were Robert R. Smith, electrical engineering senior from Brevard, North Carolina; John R. Gause, electrical engineering senior from Myrtle Beach; and David E. B. Sanders, civil engineering senior from Spartanburg.

Also, Herbert L. Gibson, mechanical engineering senior from Clemson; Roy W. Gryder, mechanical engineering senior from Rock Hill; Donald A. Hill, mechanical engineering senior from Gaffney; William E. Moseley, mechanical engineering senior from North Charleston; Hal D. Stribling, mechanical engineering senior from Clemson.

Also, Henry L. Wilson, mechanical engineering senior from Kingstree; John H. Turner, electrical engineering junior from Marion; and Wistar G. Metz, electrical engineering junior from Clemson.

Beta Sigma Chi Dance Profits For Scholarship

Beta Sigma Chi, the Charleston County Club, will hold its annual Christmas Dance at the Island Club, Sullivan's Island on Thursday, December 22.

The semi-formal affair will start at 9:00 p. m. and last until 1:00 a. m. with admission being \$2.50 per couple.

Tommy Garrett and his orchestra will furnish the music. There are four hundred tickets available for the dance.

A one hundred dollar scholarship is given each year to a boy from the Charleston area with the proceeds earned from the dance. The club hopes to earn enough money over a period of years to increase this to a full scholarship for a deserving student desiring to attend Clemson.

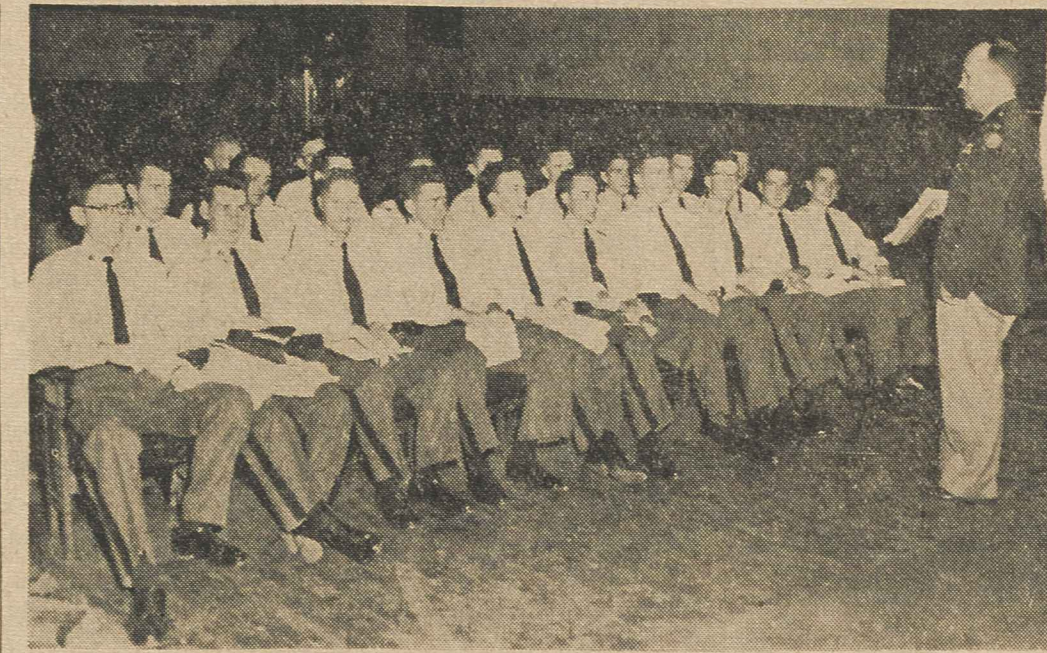
Sponsors for the dance are: Mrs. Norma Buck of Mount Pleasant for Ray Buck, president; Miss Ann Buckwalter of Walterboro for Lea Salter, vice-president; Miss Ann Ellis of Charleston for C. W. Mathewes, secretary; and Miss Faye Hughes of Charleston for Ronald Stramm, treasurer.

Speaker Named For Christmas Service Dec. 21

The speaker for the Christmas service on the morning of December 21 is Dr. Clyde Newman Faulconer. Dr. Faulconer is a B. A. graduate of Davis and Elkin College. He has a bachelor of theology degree from Union Theological Seminary in Virginia and was awarded the doctor of divinity degree by Davis and Elkin College.

He has held pastorates in Buchanan, Norfolk, and Waynesboro, Virginia and is at present minister of the First Presbyterian Church, Greenville, South Carolina.

Dr. Faulconer has done extensive travel and has some very interesting slides of places where he has been. He will be interesting as a speaker for this Christmas service when he speaks on the "Spirit of Christmas". This service is open to members of the Clemson community as well as to college students and will be held in the college chapel at 6:15 a. m., December 21.



The twenty-three seniors who will receive regular Army Commissions if they graduate as Distinguished Military Graduates listen to a talk by Colonel Douglass in the YMCA auditorium.

Dormitory Manager And Student Counselors Given Disciplinary Powers

The office of the Dean of Student Affairs has released a bulletin which will give the Dormitory Manager and assistant and Student Counselors authority to act in the name of the Dean of Student Affairs in giving disciplinary action for minor violations.

Authority has been given to assess penalties prescribed in paragraph 20 of Student Regulations in the following manner:

The Dormitory Manager and assistant are authorized to act for and in the name of The Dean of Student Affairs in prescribing penalties for violation of Student Regulations to include loss of privileges and restriction to the campus and/or dormitory during specified times for a period not to exceed two weeks.

Student Counselors are authorized to act for and in the name of the Dean of Student Affairs in prescribing penalties to include loss of privileges and restriction to campus and/or dormitory during specified times for a period not to exceed one week.

These new authorizations will give student counselors and the Dormitory Manager the right to punish misdemeanors. This will help to clear the docket of the Senior Council and allow them to spend more time on the cases of a more serious nature.

Loan Fund Established For Student's Personal Use Here

The Student Government Association has made available to all students of Clemson College a loan fund from money that has been used in previous years.

Students will be able to borrow up to \$10.00 under normal circumstances for a period of one month, without interest. Money will be loaned until the fund is depleted.

Fines will be charged for overdue payments. For a loan of \$5.00 or less, a twenty-five cent fine will be charged for each week or fraction of a week the repayment is overdue. Fifty cents will be charged for loans over \$5.00, on the same basis.

Loans may be arranged in the visitors' lounge immediately after supper Monday through Friday. Identification cards must be shown.

A student will be given a check to be presented at the Student Bank where he will receive his loan in cash. He will return his loan directly to the Student Bank.

Students are requested to repay loans as soon as possible, even before date due, in order to make the money available for loans to other students.

NOTICE!

Students who have not made their TAPS payments are asked to do so as soon as possible.

Student Leaders Attend NSU Convention In Virginia Recently

Seven delegates from the Student Government attended the Fall Regional Assembly of the Carolina-Virginia Region of the United States National Student Association held in Lynchburg, Virginia, December 8-11.

McClellan Is First Recipient Of Enka Award

William D. McClellan of Anderson has been chosen as the first recipient of an annual award established at Clemson College by the American Enka Corporation of Enka, North Carolina.

The recipient of the award, selected by the scholarship committee of the School of Textiles, must be a citizen of the United States and a textile major, and must stand in the upper half of his class. The award is made on the basis of need, ability and evidence of good character.

McClellan, a textile engineering major from Anderson, has been working in the Gerrish-Miliken Plant near Pendleton in addition to carrying a full load of studies at Clemson.

CDA Sponsors Piano Red In Jam Session

The Central Dance Association will sponsor an evening of musical entertainment tomorrow night, December 16 in the College Auditorium.

Feature attraction for the show will be Piano Red along with Kid Miller and his Band and Bertha Glover, Blues singer.

The show will start at six o'clock and run until eight. Admission will be fifty cents per person.

This will be the third consecutive year that Piano Red has appeared at Clemson. His previous appearances were thoroughly enjoyed by the student body and this year's show should be as good.

Some of Red's top records were "Right String", "Red's Boogie", and "Rockin' with Red".

4-H Entertained With Party By Dr. and Mrs. King

At its December meeting on the eighth of this month, the Clemson 4-H Club was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. W. A. King with a Christmas party at their home. Dr. King, of the Dairy Department, is the club advisor.

The next meeting of the 4-H Club is scheduled for January 12, 1956, at 6:30 p. m.

Holiday Spirit Invades Campus

Meger Speaks To A. I. Ch. E.

George H. Meager, of the Tennessee Valley Authority, spoke to a meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers on Tuesday night, December 13, in Olin Hall. The subject of the talk was "Chemical Plant Instrumentation."

Preceding the meeting of the A. I. Ch. E., a meeting of the Student Affiliate Chapter of the American Chemical Society was held, and chapter officers were elected. President Fred McNatt, chemistry senior from Clemson; vice-president is Charles Sanders, chemistry senior of Ninety Six; and secretary-treasurer is George Westendorff, Jr., chemistry graduate student, Charleston.

Iota Lambda Sigma Initiates 12; Trips Made

Iota Lambda Sigma, honorary Industrial Education Fraternity, elected new officers at their meeting on December 12.

James William Boiter, the new president of Duncan, will wield the traditional hammer, and rule, assisted by Carl D. Roberts, vice-president, of York; B. B. Harris, secretary-treasurer, of Blackville, and Robert D. Pettus, historian, of Inman. They will assume office at the beginning of the second semester.

Eight new members were initiated November 12. They were Hugh M. Berry, North Charleston; Lewis E. Black, Charlotte, N. C.; J. Roger Hammond, Newnan, Georgia; Robert D. Pettus, Inman; Richard Turner, Blacksburg; Sidney Thompson, Conway; Virgil Miller, Oakes, North Dakota; and David Rogers, Chesnee.

Eligibility for membership is based on grades of B or better on professional subjects and standards of the fraternity.

The initiation was followed by a banquet at Seigler's Steak House in Walhalla.

Twenty-three members of the fraternity made a trip to Duke Power Company's Lee Steam Plant at Williamston on October 19.

A lecture on steam and hydro-electric power was heard, and a tour of the plant made. A trip to Lockheed Aircraft near Atlanta is planned for December 16, along with members of Phi Kappa Phi.

Other topics discussed were "What can we do to bring the situation before the entire campus?", "How to Present the Problem," and "What Can the Entire Campus Do About the Situation?"

The Clemson delegation attended a session on the "What, Why, and How of U. S. N. A.," explaining the organization and purpose of N. S. A. and the advantages of membership.

N. S. A. represents students nationally and internationally. It provides for an exchange of ideas from other students and from scheduled programs. It sponsors an intercollegiate service program consisting of an information service, a national and international travel service, and a student discount service. It offers leadership training, and finally enables every member student government to take a part in the whole democratic program.

NOTICE!

There will not be another issue of the TIGER for three weeks due to the Christmas Holidays which begin at noon, Wednesday, December 21 and ends at 8:00 a. m. Wednesday, January 4. The next issue of the paper will be Thursday, January 12.

The Christmas spirit began to prevail on the campus today as various fraternities and organizations and other student groups began to decorate for the holiday season.

The three service fraternities on campus, Alpha Phi Omega, Blue Key, and Tiger Brotherhood, undertook various projects to help stimulate interest.

Alpha Phi Omega will take up a collection of fruit, candy, and nuts after the Christmas dinner Tuesday night in the dining hall. This food will be distributed to needy families throughout the Clemson area. APO collected enough food at Thanksgiving to aid 52 families.

This fraternity will also sponsor, along with Blue Key, carol singing after supper Monday and Tuesday night on the loggia. The Glee Club will be present to lead the carols.

Blue Key, in addition to co-sponsoring the carol sing, has secured a Christmas tree for the loggia and decorated it.

Tiger Brotherhood has been collecting toys from the student body and repairing them. The toys will be distributed to needy children in the Clemson area.

The Senior "Y" Council has placed speakers on the roof of the student center and "B" section and will play Christmas music before and after supper until the holidays begin.

The YMCA is going to put decorations on the hill and in front of the "Y".

Various sections in the dormitories are decorating the halls with crepe paper, Christmas trees and pine.

The Clemson House, both inside and outside, gives the appearance of the approach of the Yuletide season. Multi-colored lights decorate the columns in front. A large tree has also been decorated.

Tar Heels Plan Holiday Dance

Gamma Kappa Alpha, North Carolina-Clemson Club, will feature the music of Neil Griffin and his orchestra at its annual Christmas Ball at Fireman's Hall in Charlotte on December 22.

All members of the student body are invited to attend this affair, as are the alumni of Clemson who are in the area during the holiday season. All members of the local chapter have tickets to the dance, which will last from nine until one.

Tickets may also be purchased at the door for the price of two dollars—stag or drag.



The Christmas spirit began to invade the dormitories as different sections started to decorate their halls. Christmas trees, crepe paper, tinsel, and colored lights add to the holiday season on campus. (TIGER Photo by Bob Huey.)

WE SAY.....

TO Dr. Poole and the administration; Colonel Douglass and his staff; the Deans and Directors; the Faculty and members of the Board of Trustees.

To Coach Howard and the members of the Athletic Association; Dean of Student Affairs, Walter Cox; Bob Bradley and John Califf; the Alumni, and IPTAY members.

To the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Holtz, and the "Y" workers; the leadership organizations; the Senior Platoon; the Pershing Rifles, and the Band.

To the mess hall staff, library staff, and hospital staff.

To the Clemson House staff, post office workers.

To the football team, basketball team, baseball team, track team, rifle teams, swimming team, tennis team, and golf team.

To our publishers; our advertisers; and our faculty advisor, Mr. John Lane.

To everyone who is a part of Clemson and has helped make Clemson what it is today.

And to you, our readers—

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND BEST WISHES
FOR A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Praise Due Tie Committee

THE report of the committee appointed by the Council of Club Presidents to make a survey on wearing ties to classes and the general neatness on campus has been completed.

The statistics in this report indicate that a great majority of the students are not in favor of wearing ties. But due to several misunderstandings between the student body and the committee this report cannot be taken as completely accurate.

The original letter sent to our professors, students, and club presidents specified Wednesday as the day to wear a tie to class. This was definitely a mistake to name any one day and therefore a lot of the negative votes can be directly traced to this statement. The manner in which the balloting was conducted gave many students the opportunity to vote many times on the issue. Others did not receive any chances to express their opinions.

This committee did some good though by bringing the subject of neat dress before the student body. It has had some affect on the general rise in personal appearance and increased thought by many students of their dress.

This committee deserves some praise for the work they did. Although it made some mistakes, it definitely had the right idea and worked hard on the problem.

Plans Not Changed Daily

THIS is just a gentle reminder. The ways of man cannot be changed in a single day. Many students thought that it would be possible to have the Christmas Holidays moved up to this Saturday giving everyone an extra few days at home. It was thought that since the University of South Carolina was able to protest the dates of its holidays and succeeded in getting them changed, Clemson could do the same.

The dates of the holidays for this school year were known to many students at the first of the semester and were available to all students at this time. If anything was to have been done about getting the date changed, it should have been then. It would have been foolish to change the holidays now with the number of events that have been scheduled for the first of next week, which includes quizzes.

The Christmas holidays will start approximately the same time next year. On a Wednesday. Maybe the juniors had better start signing petitions for next year now. You can't always play follow the leader. Once in a while it pays to step up and speak your mind instead of letting someone else do it for you.



DON'T GET ME WRONG, BUT

What About Fraternities ?? Carol Singing To Be Held After Supper

By FRANK ANDERSON

—FRATERNITIES? HELL YES

There has been a considerable amount of talk going on around the campus concerning the advent of social fraternities at Clemson. In the past few weeks the quotation at the head of this column has been prevalent.

With the disbanding of the Corps of Cadets at Clemson all, or at least most organization among the student body has been lost. I'm not talking about clubs when I say this. Clemson still has more than its share of extracurricular activities to pacify the students. What I am thinking about mostly is organization among students in everyday activities. It has gotten to be a novelty if you know personally more than six or eight people rooming on your hall. I had heard that this was true at other universities but couldn't believe it until it actually happened at Clemson.

Fraternities would solve this problem at Clemson. Several closely knit groups would be formed with organization probably closer knit than that afforded by the cadet companies during the reign of the military at Clemson. The advent of these organizations would also form a healthy competitive spirit which has been sadly lacking in the Clemson Student Body for the past few years.

Contrary to the belief of many people fraternities are not predominantly wild party organizations. If handled correctly they perform great services to the school and general public as well as form a tight loyal brotherhood among the members.

I think it is up to the Clemson student

body as to whether we want fraternities or not. The student government is willing to handle the situation in the manner which the students see fit. The main thing now is to form a poll of the student opinion concerning this question and then put the results into the hands of the Student Government.

—CHRISTMAS SPIRIT PREVALENT

Probably the main thing most of us are thinking about right now are the forthcoming Christmas holidays. Always a part of the Christmas season is the spirit that accompanies it. If you read the article on the front page you will discover that the Blue Key has erected a Christmas tree on the loggia for the student body and that this organization along with the Alpha Phi Omega are going to sponsor carol sings immediately after supper Friday, Monday and Tuesday nights. It won't take any extra effort to climb the few steps leading to the loggia and join in singing a few carols after supper. Let's cooperate with these two organizations and really bring some spirit to the campus.

—ODDS AND ENDS

The Canteen is expecting a shipment any day now of rubber racks for the coffee cups. The scars on the top of the cups should be no problem after the arrival of these racks.

They must want us to get educated real good. We seem to be the only school anywhere around spending part of our rightful Christmas holidays meeting classes.

If the firecracker shooting becomes any more furious before Christmas the dormitories will probably disintegrate under their explosions.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Where Was Last Week's Column?? Modern Day "Old Favorites"??

By Charles Sanders

SO THERE YOU ARE

Some people have called to our attention the fact that the column entitled "Talk of the Town" was absent from the TIGER last week. Naturally there was a reason for the omission.

The column was written. The subject, rather unfortunately chosen it seems now, was segregation. Following an editorial decision, the article was removed from the paper before publication.

MERRY CRITICISM

Each year about this time the general public is afflicted with a series of cute little jingles that someone has mistakenly classified as Christmas songs. Some of these are foisted upon us as being old "seasonal favorites" (the one about a reindeer bearing a rather peculiar nasal coloration) and others are new ones invented or devised by song-writers with a grudge against people (for instance, the lament of the brat who is not destined to be the recipient of any playthings this year, due to his unfortunate actions against state, home and school).

Then, too, there is the re-appearance of the beloved songs of our childhood with new, syncopated rhythm and lyrics such as "bop, doodle-dee opp" which we cannot remember as having been present in the original. Some people have even claimed that they have heard versions of "Jingle Bells" sung to the beat of maracas and marimbas. Now this is not a bad idea, because there is nothing so Christmasy as Latin music.

But it is not Latin music with which this column is meant to deal. What we are bitterly and unswervingly opposed to is the ditties, sung by juveniles, that are supposed to express the child-like spirit of the season. We do not believe that the songs as presently sung really represent the true feelings of our juveniles. And for this reason we present the following lyrics. Set to the music of some of the songs that have been falling upon our ears these past weeks, they express what really goes on in the minds of those cunning infants one sees committing mayhem in our public schools daily.

The first epic to be presented is one entitled "It's Not What You Get for Christ-

mas, It's What You Do With It." (To be sung to the tune of "I'm Getting Nuttin' for Christmas".)

My Christmas gift was a little black **fice**,
The durn thing bit my knee.
I kicked the beast just once or twice,
Then hung it from a tree.

Mom and Dad were much upset,
The most I've ever seen them yet,
They seem to think when I killed my **pet**,
I did it sadistically.

Before that I've been just as cruel,
Cruel as cruel could be.
I threw my cat into the pool,
And drowned him merrily.

I ran my horse through a barbed **wire**
fence,
Fed my sister some poison quince.
(How I laughed to see her wince,
And die in front of me.)

You cannot prove that I've done wrong.
You can't pin nothing on me.
And sure as I do sing this song,
The judge will set me free.

Sure my Mom and Dad are dead.
Somebody cut off each one's head.
My guillotine was a toy they said.
But you can't prove that by me.

And now we take pride in presenting
"Randolph, the Red-nosed Drunkard",
to be sung to the tune of the song about that
reindeer mentioned earlier. This gay piece
expresses the thoughts of our older and
more observant delinquents.
Randolph, the village drunkard,
Has a red and shining nose.
It usually goes in front of Randolph,
Wherever Randolph goes.

Out of all of the village drinkers,
Randolph probably is the best.
As much as the other drinkers drink
Is daily spilled on Randolph's vest.

There is no tree in Randolph's house,
And there's no need to be.
For our friend Randolph, by himself,
Is lit up like a Christmas tree.

That's all, folks. Merry Christmas and
a Happy New Year!

DISC-O-PATION

By Mack McDaniel

With the comparatively recent flood of modern jazz on the record market, we seem to have lost sight of a great jazz form called Dixieland.

The Original Dixieland Band's engagement in 1917 at RIESSEN-WEBER'S Restaurant on Columbus Circle was New York's first big awakening to the then new medium. Its growth is quite a long and interesting story. Later on, new types of music slowly pushed it out of the picture and the big city turned a cold shoulder to Dixieland. Of course, one could always find a few scattered groups. Some were good and some were the other extreme. A few merely went under the name of dixieland. A recent example is the ridiculous CONRAD JANKIS.

In the fall of 1954, TURK MURPHY'S JAZZ BAND launched a transcontinental tour. They hit CHILD'S PARAMOUNT on Times Square in New York

where they broke every house record and "made Saturday nights look like New Year's Eve."

I've been told that when the original Dixieland Jazz Band played their 1917 engagement, no one danced until the management announced that "This music is for dancing." This time no such announcement was needed. When Murphy kicked off the first number, the crowd was ready. One girl showed up in a flapper dress with no waistline and hairdo to match. A Life Magazine editor stepped out on the floor and didn't leave for six sets, doing something described by various people as the bunny hug, turkey trot, and the gladioli glide. A lot of people shagged and jitterbugged and Charlestoned, and still more simply b o u n c e d around in a happy box-step fox-trot.

One of TURK'S recent records is a Columbia release called

Dancing Jazz and contains some of his greatest numbers. With Murphy's trombone are Helm on clarinet, Wally Rose on Piano, Bob Short blowing tuba, Al Lyons on banjo and Bob Thomson on washboard.

An interesting tune from this disk, *Coney Island Washboard*, of information mentions the well-known B. V. D.'s which brings forth a not-so-well-known bit of information that these letters stand for the initials of the gentlemen who manufactured this boon to mankind: Messrs. BRADLEY, VOORHIS, and DAY.

The GREAT tune from this album is *Hard Hearted Hanna*, the story of "the vamp of Savannah, the meanest gal in town, even icemen leave her alone. She likes to see men suffer. I saw her at the seashore with a great big pan, pouring water on a drown'din' man."

Veteran's Corner

Here are authoritative answers from the Veterans Administration to four questions of interest to former servicemen and their families:

Q. Two years ago, a friend of mine applied for disability compensation. VA asked him to report for a physical examination, but he failed to show up. He hasn't been in touch with VA since. Now his disability has started to bother him, and he wants to reopen his claim. How should he go about it?

A. Since more than a year has elapsed from the time VA asked him to report for an examination, he will have to file a new application. If VA approves his claim, payments will be effective as of the date of his new application, not his original one.

Q. As the widow of a World War I veteran, I am receiving a VA pension. I also am receiving Federal Old Age and Survivor's Insurance based on my husband's former employment. Are the latter payments considered income, for VA pension purposes?

A. Yes. The payment must be considered as income in computing your total yearly income for VA pension purposes.

Q. During my active service, premiums on my GI term in-

surance policy were under waiver. I recently was discharged, and I decided to reenlist within 120 days of my discharge date. Will my premium remain under waiver during my new period of military service?

A. Yes. So long as you returned to active duty within 120 days after discharge, VA will continue to waive your premiums during your new period of service.

Q. I am taking a four-year law course at night under the Korean GI Bill. It's at an accredited school. Will this be considered full-time or part-time training?

A. It will be measured as not more than three-quarters time training. It may not be considered as full-time training.

Here are authoritative answers from the Veterans Administration to four questions of interest to former servicemen and their families:

Q. I am taking flight training under the Korean GI Bill. Because of bad weather, I didn't receive any instruction at all last month. How much of a GI training allowance will I receive for the month?

A. You will not receive any al-

lowance. Under the law, allowances may not be paid for any month during which GI flight trainees receive no instruction.

Q. My husband died, leaving me a GI insurance policy. At the time of his death, he owed some bills, which I plan to pay as soon as possible. Do his creditors have any right to seize the GI insurance policy in order to get their money immediately?

A. No. Proceeds of a GI insurance policy are exempted by law from the claims of creditors. They may not be seized or attached to repay your husband's debts.

Q. I obtained a GI home loan when the maximum guaranty was \$4,000. Since then, it was raised to \$7,500. Would I therefore be entitled to another GI home loan to be guaranteed for the difference, or \$3,500?

A. Yes. You would be entitled to another home loan having a maximum guaranty of \$3,500.

Veterans living in this area who wish further information about their benefits should write the VA Regional Office, 1801 Assembly Street, Columbia, S. C., or see their County Service Officer.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS by Dick Bibler



"AFTER LOOKING OVER YOUR GRADES I'D SAY YOU BOTH HAD SEVERAL FACTORS WORKING AGAINST YOU—THE FACULTY."

The Tiger
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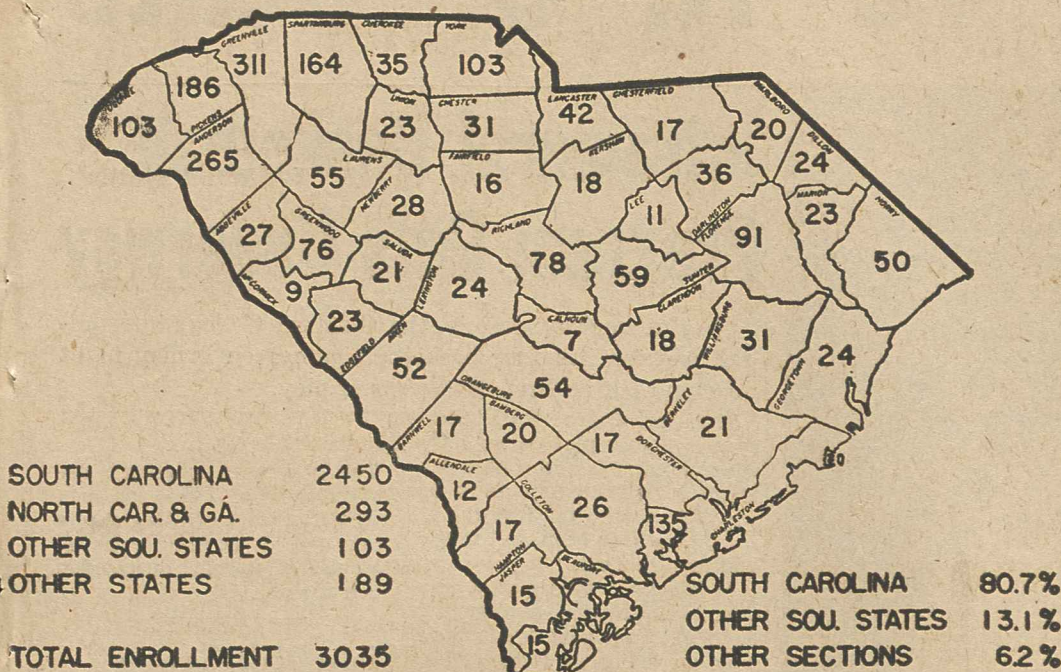
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WHERE THE CLEMSON STUDENTS COME FROM

FIRST SEMESTER 1955 - 1956



Report From Committee On Ties; Vote Is Not Conclusive

A committee appointed by the Council of Club Presidents recently completed a survey of the student body feeling on the question of wearing ties to class one day a week.

The survey is definitely limited in its scope and accuracy by the method employed in making it. Some students did not vote at all; others voted three or perhaps four times. The committee realizes the shortcomings of the system, but points out that at the time no other method seemed possible. A consideration of the system makes it apparent that only a sweeping majority one way or the other would show a definite trend in the feeling of the student body.

There are 245 statements sent out to professors and of those 78 were returned. Mr. Roy Cooper, of the Student Affairs Office remarked that the 32.2% returned was "very good." A grand total of 2951 votes were cast, of this number 923 were for the proposal, 2028 were opposed. This represents a majority vote of 1728 votes. Percentage wise the vote was 32.2% for and 68.8% opposed.

It is interesting to note that the upperclassman vote was 55.47% in favor of the proposal, 44.53% opposed. On the other hand the freshman vote as (obtained from the freshman chemistry classes) was 84.6% negative and only 15.4% affirmative. The feel-

ing of the freshmen is very clearly shown by these results.

Many professors recorded their students' and their own opinions on their ballots. Most of the students who were opposed stated their reasons as: 1. The change from military to civilian attire has resulted in large wardrobe expenditures and the wearing of ties would involve added expense both for clothing and laundry. 2. Students do not wish to change from their accustomed mode of dress, and 3. Classroom attire should be left up to the individual. (Most of the students opposed expressed their final reason as their main objection.)

The professors' opinions ranged from "Neater appearance I believe, has some effect on some students' attitudes towards their scholastic work. This, because some boys, when allowed to dress in any fashion, have a more lackluster attitude toward all their endeavors." "The wearing of ties should be left to the discretion of the individual. This is a feeling expressed by my classes and a feeling which I share with them. Clemson has always stressed equality of students in the manner of dress. Any change along this line must

23 Seniors Will Receive Regular Commissions

Outstanding seniors of the Army ROTC have been tended opportunities of accepting Regular Army Commissions upon graduating as Distinguished Military Graduates.

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GLEE CLUB

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Women's Ensemble; "Winter Wonderland"—Bernard, soloist, Ted Holt, Tenor; "Hallelujah, Amen" from Judas Macabaeus—Hamel; "O Holy Night"—Adam; "Softly at Nightfall the Moonlight Comes Stealing"—Kountz; "Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones"—German Melody.

There will be no admission charge and the program will be approximately one hour in length in order that children may attend.

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that Bill (Void) Voight and Lance (Slouch) Williams were seen buying books of nursery rhymes and having them gift wrapped.

that Leonard (Hose Nose) Humphries had better shop in the same store since he'll need a present of the same type.

that from what he (Oscar) hears Lynn (The quiet man) Hendricks was the envy of every boy at Winthrop last week.

that he (Oscar) couldn't make it to the Lander dance and he (Oscar) didn't bring back any dirt.

that he (Oscar) wishes that Bill (Claw) Lawson would come down off his high horse.

that Buford (The Joke) Goff really looked a mess at drill as Bn. Commander.

that we have a few stripes in Clemson like Ray (Conceit) Buck who are up here while their wives are miles away. He (Oscar) thinks you boys ought to have your head examined.

that he (Oscar) wishes the basketball team would hurry up and get out of the hole.

that the orchids this week go to the CDA for getting Woody Herman for the Midwinters.

that Phil (B. D. M.) is trying to snow the co-eds now. Some people will never give up.

that he (Oscar) hopes all of you have a Merry Christmas and don't forget to do something naughty.

that he (Oscar) wishes somebody would do something about the fire crackers. You punks shooting them ought to be shot.

that it seems as if Marion (I have pretty eyes) Sams nicknamed a certain girl at Converse, Monitor. He's just mad because he has to make an appointment like the rest of us do.

that he (Oscar) hears that Eddie (Red Top) Andrews likes sophomores. In high school that is.

that it sure is too bad that Gene (King Farouk) Wilkes is going to stay longer. We thought

we'd get rid of this "fathead." Oh well, you can't get rid of all the Dave Moorehead followers.

that there's is rumor going around that Mac (Tick) Hendee is snowing a certain co-ed. Is that true, Mac?

that he (Oscar) hopes that Santa Claus is good to our two cute co-eds, Bobby (Bumpkin) Arnold and Billy (Handsomeness?) Alford.

OSCAR'S WORDS FOR THE WISE
Stock up on fifts of anti-freeze. It's going to be a long cold winter.

To The Seniors

By Johnny Blackmon

This will be the last issue of the Tiger before caps and gowns and invitations will be given out so this is a reminder to those seniors graduating in January to watch for notices on the date of distribution.

Etiquette decrees that invitations should be sent out two weeks before graduation exercise. In our case this means that they should be sent out at least by the 15 of January. We have requested that our caps, gowns, and invitations be sent so that they will arrive by the eighth of January and assuming that they arrive on time, distribution will be made on the eighth and ninth, if possible.

We hope that it will be possible to give out the caps and gowns along with the invitations so that only one trip will be necessary.

The freshman's father paid his son a surprise visit. Arriving at 1 a. m. he banged on the fraternity house door. A voice from the second floor yelled, "Whatdya want?"
The father answered, "Does Joe Jones live here?"
The voice answered, "Yeah, bring him in."
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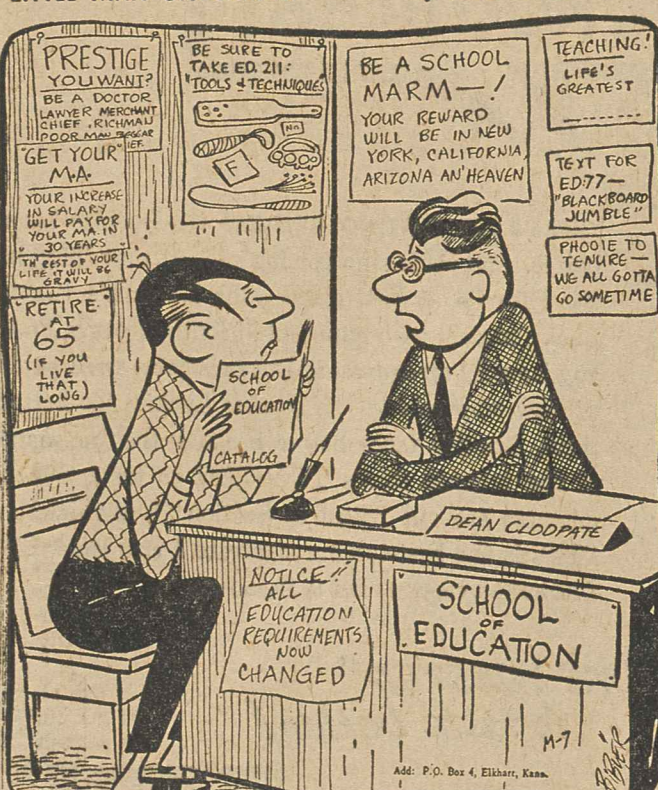
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by Dick Bibler



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Clemson Loses Home Opener To N. C. State



By LOUIS JORDAN

HARD GAME

The game last Tuesday night was a hard one for the basketballers mainly because the boys from N. C. State are about the best in the country. In my opinion the Wolfpack has a team that would give any in the nation a rough time. After all, they have been among the top ranking teams for the past few years.

So far this year, the boys have not had too good a season and most people probably think that all the build-up they got at the beginning of the year was just a lot of talk. This is not exactly so. These people don't take into consideration that four out of the first five are playing their first year on the varsity for Clemson. This means that there is very little college basketball experience behind the team as a whole.

As the season progresses there will surely be a great pick-up in the team that we now have. Practice makes perfect; but experience is the best teacher.

HARD LUCK

The swimming team that had such a good start against Eastern Carolina must have fallen down at Georgia last Saturday because they were unable to defeat the Southeastern Champions as they had hoped they would. Of course we aren't saying that the Tigers don't have a good swimming team this year, but everyone was behind them in hopes that they could get a few more points than the team from the University of Georgia.

Wes Millard was the only one who took his usual first place but the others did well in their categories, although not quite well enough. Hendee and Carter were both outclassed in their respective positions which goes to prove that the Bulldogs had a crackerjack swimming team.

REMINDER

This is just a reminder to those who insist on not showing up for their scheduled basketball games in the intramural program. Coach Norman will stick by his ruling that any team that forfeits two games in a series will automatically be dropped from the schedule and will not be included in further programs in basketball this season.

It is very hard to make out a complete program at least a week ahead of time for such a situation that stands. Coach Norman cannot count on any of the teams to fill the slots he makes for them and therefore can't be sure that the times are adequately used. The gymnasiums are open for the students and this intramural system for their pleasure and activities. At the same times that there is an intramural game, the basketball teams could be practicing.

If the students that want to play don't begin to show more interest by turning out for their games, then there is a possibility that the program will have to be discontinued.

Coach Norman wants to urge all hall counselors to have their teams ready at the times that they are scheduled to play and have enough men ready. If any student does not know which team he is on and he wants to play, then he should see his hall monitor and the monitor will show him the schedule and who is in charge of that hall's team.

A GOOD TRIP

During the Christmas holidays the Clemson basketball team will take a tour of Florida when they visit Jacksonville to play in the Gator Bowl Tournaments on the 28th and 29th of December. After these games they will go over to Mobile, Alabama to participate in the Senior Bowl tournaments for their first games in 1956 on the 4th and 5th of January.

These should be good trips for the teams and the Clemson fans will expect them to make a good showing in both places.

RECORDS

In the YMCA pool last Tuesday afternoon there was a treat for all the people that went down to see the Clemson team when they met the N. C. State team in a Conference match.

Dick Fadgen of N. C. State attempted to break three records. These were not state records nor were they just plain Conference records; they were National records in the 100 yard and 100 meter individual medley and also the 200 yard breast stroke events. All of this record-breaking attempts were held before and after the meet and were not in competition with the Clemson team, but they were official times which will be recorded as the record times.

Actually there was only one record broken by Fadgen and this was in the 200 yard breast stroke where he turned in a time of 2:23.9. This was a national record for the indoor and outdoor champion.

All those who missed this event have missed something that does not happen every day. Records such as these are history and for this reason there should be a good turnout to all sports events because one never knows when the books will be rewritten.

Even though there are few facilities for spectators and even for the swimmers themselves in the inadequate pool here at Clemson, there should be a larger crowd at the meets.

The boys who swim under the name of the Tigers don't get too much recognition as members of the team, but if a large crowd is on hand for their meets, their appreciation will be much more than if only a few Clemson fans were there.

WHAT!! A POOL???

After the meet last Tuesday with N. C. State, the remarks made by the visitors ran somewhat like the statement in the head of this section of the column.

Records Broken As Tigers Lose

The Clemson swimming team lost their second meet of the season when they met the N. C. State swimming team in the YMCA swimming pool here at Clemson last Tuesday afternoon. Although the Tigers' team as a whole turned in one of their best performances of the year against the Wolfpack, they still were unable to muster enough first places to overcome the early lead captured by the N. C. State team.

In this meet there were two pool records broken by the State team, both of them by the same man. McIntyre, of the State team and also the Atlantic Coast Conference freestyle champion, turned in the best times ever recorded in the Y pool. They were for the 60 yard dash and the 100 yard dash. For the 60 yard event his time was 0:29.2 seconds and in the 100 yard event he had a 0:53.7 seconds record.

At the beginning of the meet one of the N. C. State boys tried for a National record in the 200 yard breast-stroke and turned in the best official time ever recorded in the division. This was not in competition with the rest of the team but only held because of Clemson's pool being the only small pool on the N. C. State schedule. Dick Fadgen was the lad who turned in this fast time as he prepares to enter into the Pan-American games. His time was 2:23.9 which topped the old record of 2:27.6 by .027 seconds.

Also a feature event of the afternoon came as a finale when this same boy attempted to break an old record in the individual medley event in both the 100 yards and the 100 meters class. He missed the mark by about .015 seconds.

For the Tigers all the members did well against the stiff competition. Mallard and Ackerman had good times as well as Hendee and Carter.

The summary

200 yard medley relay.—1) N. C. 2) Clemson — Ackerman, Dowdle, and Millard. 3:08.1
220 yard freestyle.—1) N. C. 2) Clemson—Carter 3) Bumgardner 2:16.3
60 yard dash.—1) N. C.—McIntyre 2) C—Hendee 3) Porcher 0:29.2 (record).

160 yard individual medley.—1) Georgia 2) C — Ackerman 3) Mallard 1:54.6
Diving.—1) Clemson—Porcher (N. C. State forfeited).

100 yard dash.—1) N. C. S.—McIntyre 2) C—Hendee 3) N. C. S. 4) C—Bumgardner :53.7 (pool record).

200 yard backstroke.—1) N. C. S. 2) C—Carter 3) Dowdle 2:22.5
440 yard freestyle.—1) N. C. S. 2) C—Mallard 3) N. C. S. 4) New 4:55.8

200 yard breast stroke.—1) N. C. S. 2) N. C. S. 3) C—Langston 4) Van Ravenstein 2:43.1

400 yard relay.—1) N. C. S. 2) C—Ackerman, Hendee, Wilson, Carter. 3:53.4.

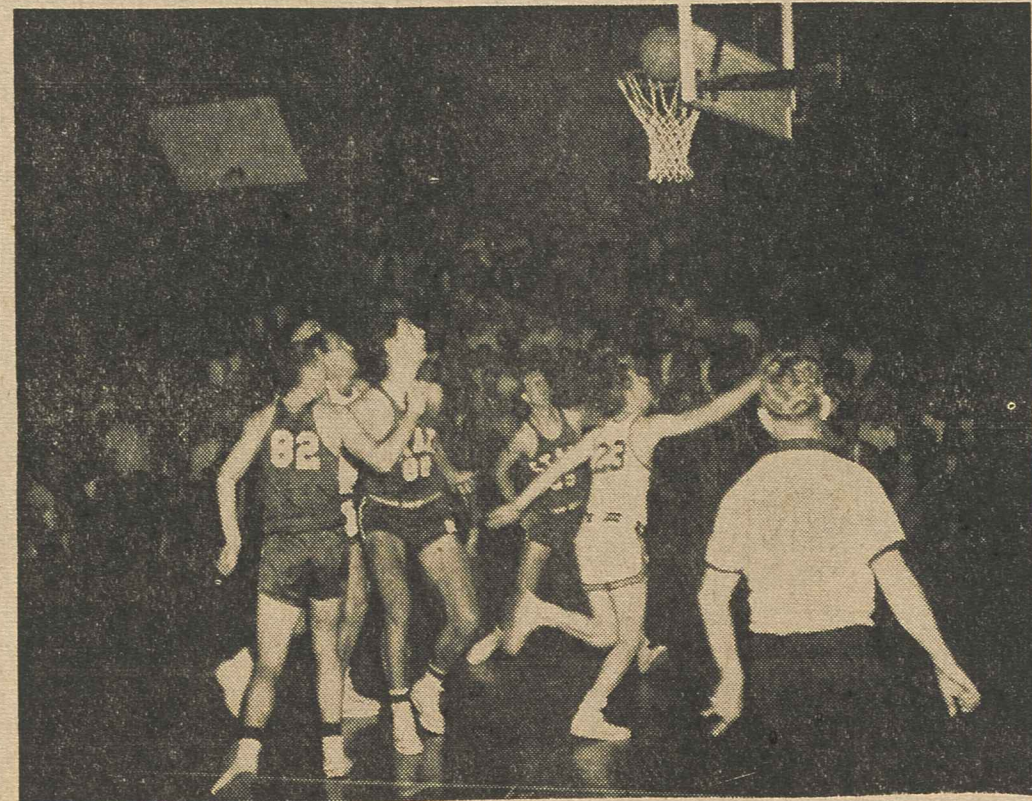
3:53.4.

The present pool in the basement of the YMCA building is one of the smallest in the country, if not the smallest. Of course we all realize that Clemson has been expanding for the past four or five years, but why hasn't someone come through with the idea of giving such a beautiful campus as Clemson's a more up to date swimming pool?

All colleges of any size have at least got one that they can truthfully call their own. Clemson has no other place for her 3000 students to swim than the over-size bath tub which is about twenty yards long and about half as wide. This is a disgrace to Clemson and to all of her students.

The present pool was built when Clemson was young and at that time it could accommodate the students, now it could not possibly.

LET'S HAVE A NEW POOL!!!



Bill Yarborough (23) drives under the basket to make two points for Clemson in their game with N. C. State. (TIGER photo by Bob Huey)

Tigers Look Sharp In Loss To Powerful Team

The North Carolina State Wolfpack basketball team continued in its quest for a number one spot in the nation last Tuesday night when they downed the Clemson Tigers in their fifth win of the season. The number two team in the nation at the time had a hard time with the Tigers as the Clemsonites refused to believe that the boys from North Carolina were all that they were cracked up to be.

Coach Everett Case never saw his team behind during the ball game but as late as the fourth quarter the stubborn Tigers lacked only ten points of being up with the Wolfpack.

The Tigers showed well in their third loss of the season as Coach Banks McFadden had drilled for the North Carolina State College team for some time. The entire Clemson team hit the basket well from both

CLEMSON	G	F	P	T
Brinkley	2	0-2	4	4
Yockel	8	0-0	4	16
Seay	2	4-4	3	8
Cameron	5	4-6	4	14
Yarborough	10	8-10	1	28
Smith	5	3-4	5	16
Riser	0	0-1	3	0
Yearly	0	0-0	0	0

TOTAL	G	F	P	T
N. C. STATE	5	8-10	2	18
Dinardo	6	1-2	0	13
Hafer	6	7-10	3	23
Shavlik	8	9-10	2	24
Molodet	3	2-4	3	8
Maglio	4	1-2	2	9
Seitz	3	0-0	3	6
Pond	0	0-0	0	0
Kessler	1	0-1	2	2

inside and out which was a great improvement over their first two games against Duke and the University of North Carolina in Durham and Chapel Hill.

North Carolina State jumped to an early lead over the Tigers and were able to hold this lead throughout the ball game although the Clemson boys were

Vince Yockel, Tom Smith and Bill Yarborough all were high in their individual scoring. Yarborough was the high man for both teams with 28 points while Yockel and Smith were behind him for the Clemson team with 16 to their credit. Cameron was lowest of the four with 14.

As a result of the frequent fouling Clemson was able to capture 19 points on foul shots alone. In the foul shot category, Cameron had the best average and also the highest number of free throws for the Tigers. He hit four at the line out of five attempts.

For the N. C. State team Molodet was the high scorer with 24 points while Shavlik was close behind him with 23. Dinardo held his average high as he hit the basket for 18 points. As was with the Tigers, four players accounted for the majority of the points. The fourth high scorer

pushing them for the entire game.

There were a good many fouls for both Clemson and N. C. State but the play never got past the usual roughness of a basketball game.

The play was pretty well even for the first half as both teams scored on even terms after the first few minutes of the game. North Carolina lead the Tigers at the end of the first half by a score of 49-32 as a result of a scoring spree in the last minutes of the half.

For the Tigers, Tom Carmeron,

Intramural Basketball Program Gets Underway

Well underway already, the Clemson College intramural program has four basketball games on Friday night to round out its first two weeks of play.

Thus far, Coach "Rock" Norman is highly pleased with the entire program. Although a few teams have failed to show up for their games, the majority of the games have been well fought and high spirited.

In the first week's play, section one defeated section two 36 to 26. Four beat five, and six won on a forfeit from section seven. Hill scored 24 points for section eight as they downed nine 58 to 20.

Section 13 trounced section twelve 58 to 30 with Bush racking 22 points and Kelly got nine for section 12. Section 15 racked 14 48 to 21 with Burgess hitting for 14 points and Seel for eight.

The score was 31 to 12 in favor of section 17 when they played 16. Erwin and Bagwell both had four points for 16, while Horne had 15 for 17.

Fisher hit for 16 points as section 18 beat 19 38-29. Moore had 12 for 19. 27 forfeited to section 28 in their game, while section 24 beat section 25, 53-31.

Both section 20 and 23 forfeited their games. Section 22 beat section 28 46 to 35. 33 won over 34 by the score of 37 to 14 with Cassidy hitting for 12 for 33, and both Printup and Cunningham hit for six for 34.

Both Kinard and Compton hit for 10 as section 36 downed 35 by the score of 34-29. Padgett had 10 for the losers. Tyler hit for 5 in a losing cause, as section 30 beat 29, 30-15, while Hucht hit for eight for section 30.

Section 31 downed 32, 46-30 with Nugles getting 12 for the winners. The town and day students lost to section 37 28 to 52 with King getting 16 for the losers. Calcutt and Ivey got 12 for the winners.

Beginning the new round of play, section six was downed by eight 25-40. Erwin had six for the losers, while Browne racked 14 for section 8. Section two lost to four in the second game by a score of 45 to 34. Both Holcombe and Hendricks got 16 for the winners.

Fourteen won over section 12 58 to 20. Burgess got 16 for the winners, while Burris equalled

him for the losers.

The intramural program is developed mainly to help the men at Clemson work off their excess steam and to get some exercise. Go out and support your section when it plays.

State Rifle Teams Will Be On Campus For Annual Meeting

It has been announced that all of the college rifle teams in South Carolina will converge on the Clemson College campus around the 18th of February of 1956. They will be on the campus to participate in the South Carolina rifle match which is an annual event in college competition in the state of South Carolina.

The Clemson team has had a perfect record so far this year. They have met all of the teams which will come here for the state matches. Thus far this season the Tigers have a 6-0 record and will be trying to keep their average high as time for the state meet rolls around.

Clemson will play host to five teams at which time the different teams will fire in competition for honors. The matches will be held in the basement of the sixth barracks on the old quadrangle.

Master Sergeant Gilland has been complimented on his job with the rifle team which has done so well this year.

The Tiger firing squad had, at the beginning of the season, set up a tentative schedule of sixteen matches. So far they have played only six of the sixteen

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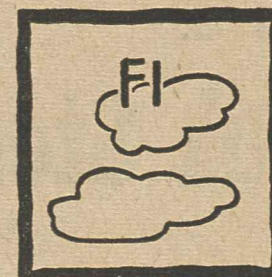
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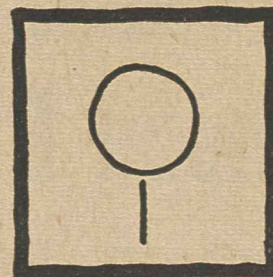
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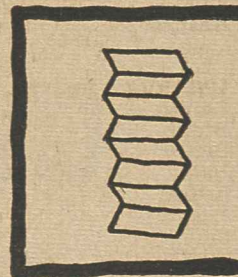
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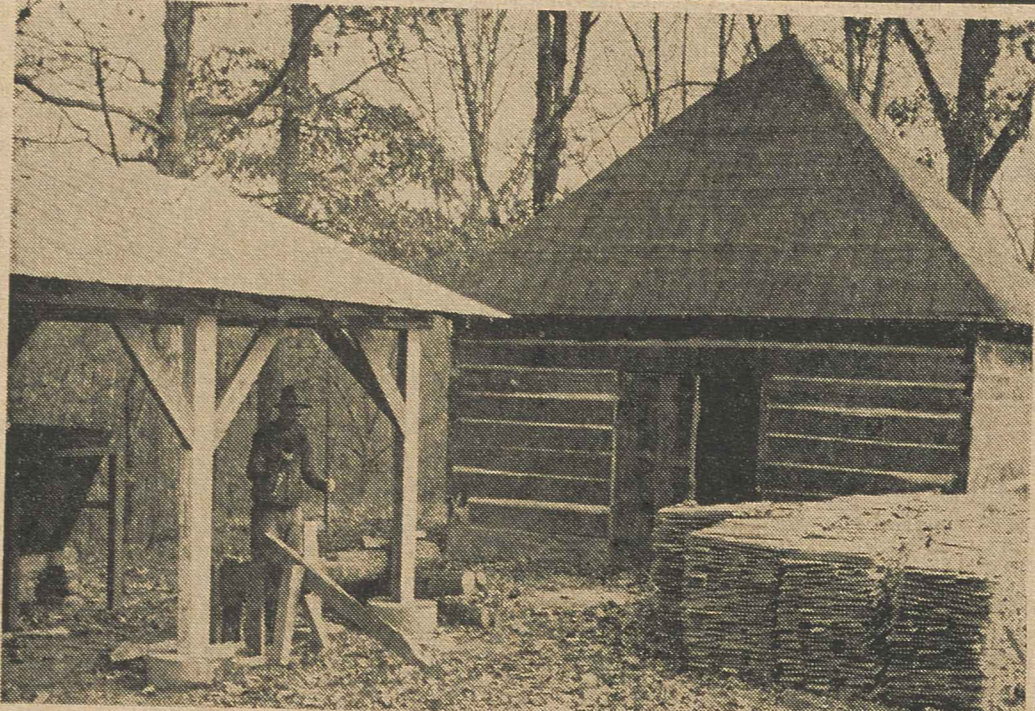
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A stack of hand-made shingles stands beside the partially completed smoke house that is being reconstructed on the campus. Mr. Johnson is working on more shingles, splitting them by hand. (TIGER Photo by Bob Huey.)

Hanover House; Others Restored On Campus

By Ruby Lee Mays

As a rule one would think a student would know quite a bit about his or her college campus . . . but just recently I learned something which I'd never even considered . . . nor will I ever forget.

I was given the assignment of getting all the information I could about the old buildings which are being constructed on the campus.

I walked into Mr. David Watson's office Monday afternoon and began asking questions concerning what was being done, how, why, where and so forth. He, being the director of said project, knew all the answers . . . but suggested that I go with him and see for myself. So off we went! And I was completely astounded at what I learned.

Professor R. E. Lee of the Architectural Department at Clemson made a layout of a proposed Restoration Area for Clemson College, which is located in the southeastern section of the campus around the old sheep barn. The purpose is to preserve a way of life of the past by bringing original buildings and homes to the campus . . . portraying old Southern life in South Carolina. These spots of interest are open to all visitors and students on campus.

The Class of 1915, realizing that the young people of today need to know more of the habits and customs of our forefathers, desired to have a part in this worthy project. They wished thereby, at a time when the tendency is to discard the old for the new, and to minimize the importance of our historical and cultural background, to encourage the students at their Alma Mater in an appreciation of the past.

We explored the Hanover House, which was the first restoration on Colonial Circle. Built in 1716 by Paul de St. Julien, a French Huguenot, it was originally located in Berkeley County and lay in the basin of the Santee-Cooper power project. An authority on the American Buildings went as far as to say, "Hanover is the only house in proposed region of inundation, the loss of which can be considered of national importance." Since Clemson has the only architectural department in the state and was willing to spend necessary money for its reconstruction it was possible for the offer to be accepted and subsequently located on the Clemson campus.

Perhaps the most interesting part about the Hanover House is the basement which was built in such a manner that sunlight could easily enter and also provided protection for those fighting the Indians. Another point of interest is one of the chimneys which St. Julien inscribed, "Peu a peu," taken from the proverb, "Little by little the bird builds his nest," suggests the pride and patience with which the builder constructed his home, even to the hand-some bricks used in its foundation and the fine, large chimneys.

It was in a bad state of repair at the time of the removal which was done, after preliminary consultations and research concerning the building material and practices of that period, by the careful labeling of every mortised beam and every board and the painstaking removal of each hand-made brick. Hanover—a "big little" house—over 200 years old—besides being a thing of beauty on the campus is a bond with the past and a tangible and pleasing connection between the low and up country of South Carolina.

Next, we went to the Hunt House, which is a typical log cabin removed from the area above Seneca. It was restored

ed by the Class of 1915 and completed in 1955. This very active class also built the Amphitheatre at Clemson. They have raised money and reconstructed both the log house and a smoke house, which was reserved by Joseph S. Britt, Mr. Watson's grand father. It has no particular historic significance but is a very typical house built of hand-hewn heart pine logs.

Beside the smoke house is an ash hopper and kettle shed. The large cast iron kettle under the shed between the hog house and the smoke house came from the former site of "Red House" and was probably used by General Andrew Pickens. All of the early plantation houses had a large kettle or pot usually in which they heated water to scald hogs when they were being butchered. They boiled cane juice for making syrup and usually made the lye soap in this kettle. The lye soap was generally stirred with a sassafras stick. This kettle was presented to Clemson College by Mr. Arthur Brown.

I don't think any of us could appreciate this restoration unless we could meet and talk with one of the workers . . . perhaps the most important . . . who split or rived the boards. His name is Luther Johnson. A typical mountaineer who hails from Highlands, N. C., Mr. Johnson knew his business and accepted the job offered him by Mr. Watson. He left his home in Highlands to go out splitting boards.

When asked if there were any comments he would like to make concerning the technique of riving boards or the job here at Clemson, he just smiled and replied, "You just have to have a strong back and a weak mind." The art of riving is an old one which is done by using a forked limb, mallet and froe.

These tools were as much a part of farm living as an axe or plow is today. By the way, Mr. Johnson is also considered an expert judge on moonshine. He will complete his job here soon and will head for new territory or else return home. It was a pleasure meeting and talking with him . . . and I enjoyed it thoroughly.

Our tour was concluded with a few final questions concerning some of the people who have taken an interest in such a project and how soon the proposed blacksmith's shop, a covered bridge, a corn mill, corn crib, a plantation office, and perhaps other early plantation structures such as an herb garden will be restored. Mr. Watson answered, "We don't know. We are hoping to restore these as soon as possible, but having to work in our spare time presents a handicap, as well as the money situation. We are hoping other classes will put up money for some of them but we don't know how much we can count on it."

Professor J. B. Monroe, Class of 1915, and Dr. Poole have taken an active part, and Mr. J. C. Cannon of Cannon Antiques of Greenville has given numerous implements and furniture toward furnishing the log house.

If any of you have some time which you would like to put to very good use, do so in visiting the Colonial Circle. It will certainly be worth your while. Someday, I feel sure, this Restoration Area will be known throughout the state and even in other states. And it will long remain a happy memory to the graduates of Clemson College.

Opportunities Offered For Foreign Study

Opportunities to study or teach in France during 1956-57 are available to American graduate students, it was announced recently by Kenneth Holland, President of the Institute of International Education, 1 East 67th Street, New York City.

The French Government is offering approximately thirty university fellowships through the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and forty teaching assistantships through the Ministry of Education. The fellowship awards are for students with definite academic projects or study plans. The assistantships afford language teaching experience and an opportunity to become better acquainted with France.

Nominations of candidates for fellowships and assistantships will be made by a joint committee of French and American educators working in cooperation with the French Cultural Services and the Institute of International Education. Closing date for application is February 1, 1956.

The French Government awards are open to men and women preferably under 30 years of age. Applicants must be U. S. citizens. Other eligibility requirements are a bachelor's degree from an American college or university by the time of departure; good academic record; good knowledge of French; correct usage of English; good moral character, personality and adaptability; and good health.

Recipients of French teaching assistantships will teach conversational English in secondary schools and teacher training institutions in France. These posts are intended for future teachers of French. A few applicants with special training in American literature and some experience in college teaching may be selected for postes de lecteurs, teaching assignments in French universities. Stipends cover maintenance.

Graduate fellowships are open to students in all fields of study. In the field of medicine, candidates must have the M. D. degree. Fellows study in French universities and other state institutions. These awards provide tuition and a modest maintenance.

Since the number of supplementary travel grants is limited, applicants should be prepared to pay their own travel. Applicants for the French Government awards should apply to the United States Student Department of the Institute of International Education.

It seems a traveling salesman was journeying along a country road in the midst of a howling storm when he came to a washed-out bridge. He could not remain in the car so he got out and went to the nearest farmhouse. An old, wrinkled man answered the door.

"I'm looking for a place to spend the night," said the salesman.

"Well, you can stay here," said the farmer, "but you'll have to sleep with my three sons."

"With your three sons?"

"That's right."

"Excuse me," said the salesman, "I must be in the wrong joke."



Primitive tools were used to make shingles in the days when the buildings were constructed that are being reconstructed on the Clemson Campus. (TIGER Photo by Bob Huey.)

Kinsley Is Medical Guest Speaker For Delta Sigma Nu

Delta Sigma Nu, the local Pre-Medical Fraternity, was host Tuesday to Dr. and Mrs. Melvin H. Kinsley of Charleston. Dr. Kinsley is Head of the Anatomy Department at the Medical College of South Carolina.

In the afternoon, Dr. H. L. Hunter, Dean of the School of Arts and Sciences, took Dr. Kinsley on a tour of the campus and acquainted him with some of the research that is being conducted in the chemical, agricultural, and biological fields.

Afterwards, the club gave a drop-in at the Gold Room of the Clemson House at which the members of Delta Sigma Nu had a chance to meet Dr. Kinsley and discuss with him entrance requirements to the Medical College and questions concerning medical education.

Approximately 100 persons were present in the Chemistry Auditorium Tuesday night to hear Dr. Kinsley lecture on "Intravascular Agglutination of the Blood in Disease." Using films and slides, Dr. Kinsley showed how the blood clumps together when an animal or person has an abnormal condition of the body.

One experiment which he described to the audience was his work with a severely burned dog in which the red blood cells agglutinated and the vascular system tended to disintegrate. He also showed pictures of vessels in a human eye, which were illuminated by his own quartz rod method to show the condition of the blood during Weil's disease.

In his preliminary remarks, Dr. Kinsley commented on the medical center at Charleston. He said that the floor space of the Medical School had been increased by eight times within the past eight years.

He added that there are five principal functions of our medical center: (1) care for the sick, which is accomplished by the medical students, interns, resident doctors, and college faculty members; (2) teaching young physicians; (3) preparing teachers and professors; (4) conducting

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Little Theatre Production "Bobino" Opened Wednesday

"Bobino", a musical fantasy being presented this week by the Clemson Little Theatre, is something that every student should see as one of his Christmas holidays' extras. It has already been presented once (at 3:00 p. m.), and two more performances are scheduled—one at 8:00 tonight and one tomorrow night at the same time.

Stanley Kauffman is the writer of this highly entertaining piece of Christmas entertainment. The great attraction lies in the colorful, costumes, the amusing representations and dances, and the all round wholesome entertainment.

Mrs. Charles Lee Morgan is directing "Bobino" in its presentation this week at Daniel High School auditorium, with night performances at 8:00 p. m. Producer and Associate Producer are Mr. George C. Means, Jr., of the Clemson Department of Architecture and Mr. Anthony Ellner, respectively.

The title role of Bobino is played by Miss Anita Thurston. Other persons in the cast are Mr. Robert Nowack, Professor of Mechanics and Hydraulics at Clemson; Mr. John Hunter of the Clemson Engineering Department; Rev. Robert Oliveros; and D. D. Rennerfeld and John Higby, both Clemson students.

Also in the cast are Beverly Jackson, a Clemson co-ed; Mrs. F. E. Berkhan, wife of a Clemson freshman; Johnny Lane, of Clemson; Bradley McGarity, also of Clemson; Louise Williamson; and Richard Brown.

This is the type of performance that can be enjoyed by all ages, and no one should regret taking the time to see this play.

"Big Brother" System Adopted By Council

At a meeting held last Wednesday night, December 7, the Council of Club Presidents heard a report from the committee set up to work out a "Big Brother" system for the school.

The idea, proposed by Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity, was adopted by the council.

Under the present plan, each section of freshmen students will be assigned to two or more active clubs. These clubs will be responsible for seeing that their members visit the freshmen and give them any help or aid that

labs, research labs, and portions of the Emory University Hospital.

Films Shown On Sunday In Chemistry Auditorium

The birth of the modern automobile will be shown next Sunday in a colorful treatment of a technical subject made easy in a film produced by the Ford Motor Company and presented by the Clemson Unitarian Fellowship at the Chemistry Auditorium of Clemson College at 3 p. m.

Another film to be shown, released by the Navy, is historical in nature, as it deals with the naval war with France and Tripoli, 1798-1805.

This picture, also in color, shows how the United States, without much of a fleet, but with plenty of gall and several brave leaders, provided the winning combination to destroy a pirate empire on the shores of Tripoli.

This is the third in a series of programs showing travel and documentary films presented

they need.

Many clubs and organizations on the campus are already carrying out a "Big Brother" system amongst freshmen of their own interests. This added addition was adopted to give the freshmen several different outlooks on campus life and activities.

All club presidents are asked to see Lawrence Starkey if their club has not yet signed up for a section.

Clemson Garden Club Is Guest In The Home Of Mrs. Poole

The December meeting of the Clemson Garden Club met Monday at 4:00 at the home of Mrs. R. F. Poole. Assisting Mrs. Poole were the following hostesses: Mrs. G. G. Henry, Mrs. H. H. McGarity and Mrs. Marvin Lindsay. The president, Mrs. James F. Miles, presided over the meeting.

A quartet of Clemson students under the direction of Mr. Randy Burnside, delighted the group with their favorite Christmas and novelty songs.

Mrs. E. H. Hodges then introduced Mrs. Ralph Hunter of Pendleton who spoke on "Merry Christmas in the Home." She illustrated her interesting talk with various Christmas arrangements and decorations placed throughout the home.

Mrs. Susie Huff was introduced as a special guest. At the conclusion of the program, the hostesses served ice cream snow balls with little lighted candles and attractive Christmas cookies. The January meeting will be with Mrs. A. J. Brown.

Mother: "I'm ashamed of you, I never told lies when I was a little girl."

Daughter: "When did you begin, mother?"

They tell of the two ambitious little fleas who worked hard and saved their money and finally went out and bought their own dog.

weekly during the school year by the Clemson group as a community service. Sessions will be discontinued during the holidays to be resumed January 8.

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