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Speech Festival Begins Thursday

The third annual speech festival was begun last Thursday afternoon with a debate held in Mrs. J. N. Armstrong's classroom. The festival will continue through the winter and part of the spring quarters.

The past speech festivals have been very encouraging in developing good speech Mrs. Armstrong states. Many different types of speech events will be offered and students interested are urged to select those events they would like to enter.

Registration should be made before the Christmas holidays so that the necessary scheduling of events can be made during the holidays. Registration may be made at anytime in Mrs. Armstrong's classroom.

This year a number of prizes will be given to winners in the various divisions. The two highest awards are the over all award and the Woodson Harding Armstrong Diction Award which were won respectively last year by Dennis Allen and Weldon Casey. This year several new awards are to be given. The Bison sponsors an oratorical contest in connection with the speech festival.

Entrance in the speech festival is restricted to those who have done speech work with Mrs. Armstrong or dramatic or debating work, with the exception of the Bison oratorical contest which is open to any student. Those wishing to enter are encouraged to enter now and not wait until the festival is nearly over.

The scheduled events will be posted on the bulletin boards and published in the Bison.

Benson Will Debate Jones

Pres. George S. Benson will debate Ralph B. Jones, state commissioner of education, over radio station KARK, 6:00 P. M. Saturday, January 8. The subject will be "Federal Aid to Education". He met Commissioner Jones in debate on this subject twice in the last few days. One of these debates was held before the Little Rock Kiwanis Club; the other one was held before the Little Rock Lions Club Wednesday. Pres. Benson opposes federal aid to education.

He spoke to two labor groups and one businessmen's group in Indianapolis, Ind., early this week.

Pres. Benson will conduct an eight days evangelistic meeting in Canton, Oklahoma during the Christmas holidays

Twilight Program and Supper Given

The annual twilight program was given in the auditorium December 19, at 4:30 p. m.

Highlights of the program were the candlelight procession, the musical selection from the chorus, and the special recognition given former Harding chorus members in the service followed by dedication of "White Christmas" to all Harding boys in the service.

Preceding the program Christmas carols were heard on the campus. This was made possible by use of the recording set in the music studio.

The traditional Christmas dinner at six o'clock followed the twilight concert. The program consisted of spontaneous singing of Christmas carols by the entire group. Special numbers were "Holy City" by Jeanne Chouteau, and "Sleep Well", a Swiss carol, by the sextette.

The menu was: grapefruit juice cocktail, roast turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, buttered English peas, cranberry sauce, celery, olives and pickles, glazed sweet potatoes, hot bread and butter, ice cream and cake, coffee and milk.

The dining hall was decorated with a large Christmas tree in the center and colored lights, holly, pine sprigs, and candles throughout the room. Mrs. Chandler, dietician of the college club was in charge of the Christmas dinner and the dining hall decorations.

'Round Here

By Sally Ammerman

Dorothy King and Reba Faye Nadeau decided to weigh on one of those scales which not only give your weight but also tell your fortune. After finding the answers to, "Have I met my future husband?" and "Am I in love?" they walked down the street to suddenly realize that they had become so engrossed in these all important questions that they had forgotten to look to see how much they weighed.

Some boys were studying for a biology exam.

"What's a neuron?" one asked.

"The wife of a moron," answered Edwin Stover.

Along this same line Stover says that a myth is the wife of a moth and a twip is a wide on a twain.

According to Dr. Summitt, a pedestrian is the father of a teen-age son or daughter.

On one of those real cold days we've been having, Betty Jane Carter and Harriet Lawrence walked across the campus and passed one of our courin' couples sitting in a swing.

"Well," said Betty Jane, "I've heard that love is blind, but I didn't know it



Two Christmases Contrasted

By Joyce Blackburn

Quiet, calmness and serenity reigned on that Judean night when the herald angels appeared to the shepherds who were keeping watch over their flocks.

That peaceful scene was typical of Him who was born that night in Bethlehem's manger. For he was born to be the Prince of Peace and to bestow on men the peace of God that passeth understanding. His gospel was given that it might spread peace and good will among men.

"He maketh wars to cease unto the ends of the earth. . ."

But twenty-five years ago what was alleged to have been a war to end wars came to a technical though not formal conclusion. Throughout the nation bells rang, guns were fired, people thronged and jammed the streets in cities and in country villages. The world war was over and Johnny would come marching home again.

But some of those Johnnies did not march home again. Nearly fifty thousand of them sleep "where poppies blow in Flanders Fields." Thousands more, years later, lie on beds of pain and mis-

ery in countless hospitals, their universe four walls, their principal concern the counting of the window panes. Their future holds only an eternity of waiting for the death that would have been kinder had it come on the field of battle.

For what did they die, those boys in khaki? For again Europe is again at its age-old game of war climaxing an uninterrupted series of armed clashes; and again, as the drums beat across the Atlantic, the flower of our youth are marching behind the colors, fighting on land, on sea and in the air or doing their duty in cantonments and training camps.

Dimly in the lighted sky we see the colors of our country's flag representing the noble ideals of our nation, symbolizing to all men that we are a peace-loving people with "malice toward none and charity for all."

May Christmas with its glad tidings of peace on earth renew in us a love for peace and the pursuits of peace and give to all men everywhere the joy of "peace on earth, good will toward men!"

HARTSHORN SPEAKS TO FIRST AID CLASS

Mr. Charles Hartshorn, Red Cross Water Safety Instructor from the St. Louis office, lectured to the first aid class at 2:15 Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Hartshorn stressed the need for first aid instruction due to the large number of accidents. He stated that many principles of the Red Cross First Aid were contributed by the American Medical Association. He said these methods of immediate temporary care of accident victims have proved to be very practical and are not hard to teach. He has even taught first aid to a group of people who couldn't read or write. Mr. Hartshorn also gave a brief history of the Red Cross and stated its purposes and aims.

After the lecture he gave some demonstrations for using the triangle bandages.

Mr. Hartshorn will be on the campus a week teaching water safety.

Mrs. Walter Larkins, school nurse, is teaching the first aid class.

was weatherproof.

Betty Castleberry said that her feet hurt. Margie Alexander said it was no wonder her feet hurt because she is from Arkansas.

"Why," continued Margie, "when Betty got her first pair of shoes, she walked around backwards all day just so she could see her tracks."

Weldon Casey said he'd hate to be the third verse of a four verse song. If you're gullible enough to ask him why, he'll tell you because he would always be left out.

Since everybody else seems to be quoting Shakespeare, here's another one contributed from her high school paper by Mary Hargraves.

All the world's a stage.
And men and women merely players;
They have their exits and their entrances.

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\$500 TO LOAN FUND

Pres. Benson announced in chapel recently that he had received by mail \$500 to be added to the student loan fund.

Boys' Room To Be Improved

Improvement of the boys' reception room in Godden Hall will be begun soon after Christmas vacation. Work will be done by the girls in the home economics classes and the boys in the dormitory with the school carpenter. The project has been approved by the building and grounds committee of the faculty.

According to present plans an archway will be cut in the wall adjoining the reception room at the base of the middle stairway. An outside door will be made into the music studio so as to make it unnecessary to pass through the reception room when entering the studio. The present monitors room at the middle north entrance to the dormitory will also be refinished and a ping pong table installed. New furniture will be purchased by the boys in the dormitory in addition to old furniture which will be refinished by home economics classes.

At present the reception room may be reached only by first leaving the building proper and then reentering from the fact, the boys undertook the campaign to have an improved reception room. Prof. Mattox called a boys' meeting Monday a week ago and plans were discussed.

The room was repaired last fall after the fire which began in an adjoining room and damaged the paper in both the reception room and the music studio. It will be only for the use of the boys except when in special cases mixed groups will be permitted under special permission with a receptionist present.

WHO'S WHO In Harding College

By Joyce Blackburn

In your opinion who is the best-looking, the most unselfish, the most honest—well, the best all-round boy on the campus?

No doubt your answers would be many and varied but this time I would like to introduce to you my twin brother, Royce, from Oklahoma City, Okla. Having been with him all of my life there are a lot of things I could tell in this short biography that might not interest my readers but they are little incidents that when all added together go to make up that personality that to me is so dear.

Not long after Bro. and Sister Armstrong opened the Harper Christian College at Harper, Kansas, my brother and I were born. Even though we moved from there when we were only four years of age to Gunter Christian College, Bro. Armstrong's preaching had made quite an impression on Royce. I will never forget the church services we would hold with two neighbor boys, Glen Burk and Ralph Noffsinger, when the boys would conduct the services with Royce imitating Bro. Armstrong as the preacher and I was the only audience. Since then it has always been his desire to someday be a great preacher like Bro. Armstrong.

In grade school and in high school Royce was a star basketball player, making the county championship team. At one time he played throughout an entire tournament with only one hand. Two days before the tournament he received a spider bite in his left hand but the coach merely wrapped it up good and he continued playing. (Their team was victorious).

Martin Addresses Students and Teachers

Irl C. Martin, president of the Woodward Governor Company of Rockford, Illinois, addressed an audience of students, faculty members, and guests Thursday night at 8:00 in the college auditorium. This was another in the series of lectures by prominent American business men which have come to Harding during the last few years.

"Hard work, or dust, sweat, and tears" said Mr. Martin, "is the key to real success." Mr. Martin's career is a good example of this. By hard work he has risen from a job of herding turkeys at 5c a week to president of an organization making 75 percent of America's governors and employing over 1,900 people. "I feel bad," said Mr. Martin, "for the young people of today that don't have to work. Their business sense isn't developed, and, after all, it is the young people that are either going to make or break this country."

Following the address Mr. Martin answered questions asked by the audience on such subjects as success in business, handling factory workers, women in industry, and post-war business.

Three musical numbers, "Ave Maria", "The Shepherd's Story", and "Hark Now Oh Shepherds," were presented by the chorus, preceding Mr. Martin's address.

New Courses Offered This Term

Two courses, Radio Speech and Spanish Bible are being offered this quarter for the first time.

Radio Speech, meeting Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:00 o'clock, is designed to give practice to young preachers in the preparation of religious manuscripts for broadcasting. Mrs. Armstrong is instructor.

Spanish Bible, taught by Professor Kirby, is an advanced course offering drill in the reading and translation of the Bible in Spanish. Bro. Kirby recommends this study as excellent preparation for mission work in Spanish speaking countries. The class meets on Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30.

A course in the works of Tennyson and Browning is being offered for the first time in five years by Dean Sears at 11:30 each day.

Dr. Basford's class in Botany is also being offered for the first time in several years. Meeting at 2:15 each day, the class will make a complete survey of the plant kingdom. Microscopic work with the simplest forms of plant life is currently being featured.

The United States, a five hour course, is a survey of colonial and national movements, and is open to freshmen and sophomores. Dr. Rhodes is the instructor.

Our first separation came when in the fall of 1940 he entered here at Harding and I enrolled in a state college in Oklahoma. While here he has been president of the Oklahoma state club for the past three years, a member of the Sub-T social club and active in intra-mural sports. His hobbies are hunting and hitch-hiking to preaching appointments; he likes crackers and brunettes and dislikes dirty socks. He says that his greatest achievement was when he beat me on spelling test one time.

In 1941 Royce entered upon his career by registering in the court clerk's office in Duncan, Oklahoma, his minister's credentials. Since then along with his school work he has held regular preaching appointments. He plans to devote his life to some phase of evangelistic work. This summer he intends to go to Reno, Nev. to help his former roommate, Jack Nadeau, in the church work there.

Knowing his virtues as well as his faults, I would say his outstanding characteristics are honesty, unselfishness and willingness to help others.

SOCIETY AND CLUBS

BONNIE BERGNER, Editor

Girls' Social Clubs Elect Officers For Winter Term

GATA
Mildred Chapman was elected president of the GATAS for the winter quarter at the last meeting of the fall quarter. Other officers elected are Joyce Blackburn, vice-president; Ella Lee Freed, secretary; Maxine O'Banion, treasurer; Sally Ammerman, reporter.

The election of officers was followed by a Christmas party. Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, fruit cake, candy, and nuts were served.

Hostesses were Ella Lee Freed, Eleanor Goodpasture, Florence Dorney, and Willene Hulette.

ALPHA THETA
The Alpha Thetas elected Julia Trantum president at the last regular club meeting. Irwauna Welch is the new vice president, Mary Carol, secretary-treasurer and Delilah Trantum club reporter.

Florence Kisner entertained the club in her apartment in Gray Gables. After the business she served refreshments consisting of punch, popcorn balls, cookies and candy.

JU GO JU
The Ju Go Ju's met Wednesday night to elect their winter term officers. They elected, Era Madge Ellis, president; Carmen Price, vice president; Wanda Jo Bland, secretary-treasurer; Eugenia Stover, reporter; and Bonnie Bergner, song leader.

They held their annual Christmas party Saturday night. Members exchanged gifts which had been attractively arranged under the Christmas tree.

Recreation consisted of carol singing and Christmas games.

Toasted cheese sandwiches, spiced tea, coconut cake, Christmas candy, mints, fudge and divinity were served as refreshments.

Hostesses of the Christmas party were Bonnie Sue Chandler and Carmen Price.

L. C.
In a regular club meeting the L.C.'s elected Fayetta Coleman president; Christine Edwards, vice-president; and Claudia Pruett, club reporter. Retiring officers are, Claudia Pruett, president; Lois Campbell, vice-president; and Fayetta Coleman, club reporter.

The club presented Elna Bryan a farewell gift. The girls drew names for a Christmas party to be held at Claudia Pruett's home.

Refreshments were served by Dorothy Smith, Marcella McGinnis and Elna Bryan.

Densmore-Hyatt Rites Solemnized
Vester Densmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Densmore of Manila and Corp. William W. Hyatt, formerly of Indiana and now stationed at the Blytheville air base were united in marriage on the evening of December 10 at 8:00. The ceremony took place in Mrs. Jewell's studio. The studio was decorated with red roses and candles, and white chrysanthemums formed a background.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Jewell played "The Rosary" and during the ceremony the quiet musical background was made up of the song "I Love You Truly."

Mr. F. W. Mattox performed the ceremony and the couple was attended by the brides' sister, Florence Densmore, who was attired in a suit of light beige with black accessories, and Leonard Kirk. The maid of honor's corsage consisted of red roses.

The bride chose a soldier blue suit dress with soldier blue and black accessories. Her corsage consisted of white roses and tube lilies.

The couple left immediately for Newport and are now at home in Blytheville. Vester was a junior and a member of the Ju Go Ju social club.

W.H.Cs. Entertain With Banquet

W. H. C. members entertained their guests Saturday night, December 11, with a formal banquet at the Mayfair Hotel.

The Christmas theme was carried out in the decorations, programs and menu.

The menu which was served in three courses consisted of "Christmas nectar, holly berries on spruce leaves, baked reindeer and dressing, mistletoe berries, snowdrift, brownie ghosts, St. Nick's wine and sleigh tracks in the snow."

C. W. Bradley gave the invocation, which was followed by a welcome address by Francis Watson, club president and a response by Monroe Hawley, who expressed the appreciation of the guests. Mr. W. F. Mattox was the toast master. Songs were sung.

After dinner the centerpieces were presented to the Armstrongs, Bensons, girls reception room, and another to Mrs. Mattox, club sponsor.

W. H. C. and their guests who attended were: Rosemary Pledger, Robert Webb; Betty Simpson, Monroe Hawley; Doris Johnson, Edwin Stover; Betty Jane Carter, Bill Harris; Sara Stubblefield, Lloyd Collier; Eva Floyd, Ray Miller; Jessie May Mardis, Joe Wooten; Myrtle Marlowe, C. W. Bradley; Polly Box, Neal Watson; Geneva Clemm, Wendal Watson; Allene Covey, Laverne Houtz; Virginia Lee, A. G. Johnson; Margaret Shannon, Clovis Crawford; Margie Brown, Kenneth Callicut; Betty May, Jimmy Ganus; Gerldine Young, Everette Maxwell; Jimmy Hedrick, Buddy Vaughn; Ida Ruth Smith, Pete Adkins; Francis Watson, Harold Holland; Shirley Vaughn, Arthur Peddle; Harriett Lawrence, Dale Jorgenson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mattox.

M.E.As. and Dates Have Breakfast
At 7:00 Saturday morning, December 11, the M. E. A.'s and their dates left the campus for an early morning breakfast held in the downtown church annex. Upon arriving a roaring fire in the fireplace and a delightful aroma of country sausages greeted them.

The group played games while the delicious breakfast of pancakes, syrup, butter, sausage and hot chocolate was being prepared.

The party was brought to a climax by selecting and crowning the king of biggest feet and queen of longest noses. Monroe Hawley and Mary Lee Dendy won the honors.

Just before leaving for the campus, cokes, cookies and apples were served, and each guest was given a Christmas sack filled with candy kisses.

The members of the club attending and their dates were; Mary Bess Love, Wesley Coburn; Jeanne Chouteau, Buddy Vaughn; Mabel Ford, Kenneth Callicut; Vonna Jean Woods, Keith Swim; Nelda Justiss, Leon Huddleston; Betty Castleberry, Bob Totheroh; Mary Lee Dendy, Arthur Peddle; Pattie Sue Clifton, Jack Pruett; Doris Epperson, George Tipps; Catherine Franks, Bill Hatcher; Frances Fry, Harold Holland; Nelda Chesshir, Monroe Hawley; Ann Scarborough, Pete Atkins; Minona Shaw, C. W. Bradley; Emma Lou Russell and Irene Walker.

Guests were Reba Faye Nadeau and Eddie Shewmaker. Mrs. Jewell sponsored the group.

Personals
The week-end of December 11 and 12 the following left the campus for short visits.

Maxine Lambert and Helen Summitt went to their homes in Cardwell, Missouri.

Estelle and Pauline Jackson went the last two week-ends to Newport, their home.

Audrey and Mary Hurt went to Little Rock.

Clinton Rutherford spent the week end in Pine Bluff.

Miona Shaw, Thelda Healy, and Mary Belle Garner were in Little Rock for the week-end and stayed for the Messiah Sunday night.

Bonnie Bergner spent the week-end in Pine Bluff with her sister and brother-in-law.

Eugenia Stover and Mereda Jackson spent Saturday in Little Rock.

This past week-end the following left for home not to return until after the Christmas holidays:

Mickey Whistle of Sikeston, Missouri; Marianne Matthews from Little Rock, Dorothy and Elizabeth King of Athens, Alabama; Margaret Ridley, Nashville, Tenn.; Sally Ammerman, Nashville, Tenn.; Elizabeth Earnest, Del Rio, Tex.; and Ruth Blansett from Hoxie, Arkansas.

Era Madge Ellis, Elma Cluck, Vonna Jean Woods and Keith Swim spent Saturday in Little Rock.

Dan Yake went to Little Rock to see about his naturalization papers.

Duran Hagler went on a business trip to Little Rock, Saturday.

Johnny Greenway visited on the campus a few minutes Friday.

Clifton Ganus was here Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Healy, Doris Healy, and Ida Mae Smethers visited on the campus this past week-end.

Dorothy Ford spent the week-end with Hilda Browning at Hilda's home in Enola.

Martha Simpkins went to her home in Shirley.

Geraleen Roth spent both this week-end and the following one at her home in Judsonia.

Amy Williams spent the week-end with her parents in Pine Bluff.

Boarding Students Have Formal Meal
The boarding students enjoyed a formal dinner in the dining hall Thursday night. The program consisted of the musical selections "O What A Beautiful Morning," and "People Will Say We're In Love," sung by a quartet composed of Mrs. Jewell, Carmen Price, Mr. Kirk and Buddy Vaughn. The girls' sextet sang "Winter Wonder Land" and "Deck Hall," after which Lavern Houtz read letters to Santa Claus from teachers and students. The menu consisted of barbecued pork, glazed sweet potatoes, English peas, pickled peaches, hot rolls, butter, coffee, olives, pickles, celery and lime jello and whipped cream.

Mr. Irl C. Martin, guest speaker of the night was also present at the dinner.

T.N.Ts. HAVE NEW MEMBERS
T.N.T.'s welcomed into their club three new members: Frank Curtis, Dewitt Garrett, and James Willett. Frank Curtis, who is a sophomore, comes from Lead Hill, Ark. Dewitt Garrett, a freshman, lives in Searcy. James Willett is from Coffeetown, Kansas and is also a freshman.

Jim Lacey, a former T.N.T., attended the last meeting of the club. Jim attended Harding 40-41, 41-42 and left to enroll in the University of Arkansas. After the meeting Jim entertained the members by playing the piano.

GROUPS ENTERTAIN WITH CHRISTMAS PARTIES
Various groups not mentioned elsewhere in this week's society had Christmas parties during the past week.

Florence Dorney, Eleanor Goodpasture, Bonnie Huller and Ella Lee Freed were hostess to the Gata Club.

Miss Burnice Curtis, honorary member of the Alpha Theta Club, entertained

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her club sisters in the Training School where she teaches. Preceding the party the entire club went to the poor farm and sang Christmas carols and carried fruit baskets.

Mrs. Billy Mattox, sponsor of the W.H.C. club entertained the club in her apartment in Godden Hall.

Frances Fry and Maxine Lambert entertained the M. E. A.'s with a gift exchange and surprise birthday party for Nelda Cheshire.

Anna Mae Johnson entertained the Tofebts in her home.

The girls in East wing of Godden Hall gave a party for some small children in the neighborhood.

Bonnie Simms entertained the K.A.T. club in her home.

The College Club met at 4:30 Saturday around the Christmas tree in the cafeteria.

IN MY OPINION
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little things that sometimes creep in and mar the beauty that we can have every day. No we can't get much out of chapel when we don't put something into it. It takes some thinking and planning. We cannot just suddenly enter in to a prayer. We cannot just sing music and get singing and making melody in our hearts to God. It is natural for everyone to desire to worship. Let us open our hearts each morning in praise and worship to God. In future years we can look back with greatest pleasure to our days at Harding if we will just turn ourselves loose in the chapel programs and really enter into them. They will be one of the high spots in our memory.

Harding means a lot to me. It does to each person here. Let us open our eyes and see the beauty of Jesus.

C. W. Bradley

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Looking 'em Over

By Everette Maxwell

Taking a backward glance of our first terms intramural activities, we find we have covered quite a variety of sports.

First of all came softball. It is necessary to play the outdoor games first. Due to the war, there were fewer boys out for softball. However about thirty signed up and they divided into three teams. The teams were named after some very destructive winds. Whether the softball teams lived up to their name was entirely up to them. The Tornados, after losing their first game, revamped their line-up and won their remaining five games to finish the season in number one position. After the regular season an all-star softball team was selected. Then a second all-star team was selected. The second team almost upset the first team in the all-star game, but in the last inning the first team conquered.

Softball was followed by touch football. We were also able to put only three teams in that sport this year. They stole some of the Navy's show by naming their teams for certain types of Navy vessels. The teams finished as follows: Destroyers, first; Battleships, second; and the Cruisers, third. A fourth team was also represented. That team was the Academy boats. They failed to win any games but did some good playing. First and second all-star teams were selected, and the first team won the all-star game by two points.

Following football came the cross country run. It was a two mile run across cotton fields, ditches, and cow pastures. Two men beat the record that had been set two years ago, but the race was not so interesting this year because of the few men participating.

GIRLS HORSESHOES NEAR COMPLETION

The girls intramural horseshoes doubles are almost completed. Much interest has been displayed in the tournament. The defending champions, Ruby Jean Wesson and Carmen Price, were defeated by two novices, Elma Cluck and Bonnie Chandler.

Doris Johnson and Mildred Lanier defeated Fanajo Douthitt and Mary Bess Love 11-5, 11-6. Ann Richmond and Mona Belle Campbell defeated Jerry Young 11-0, 10-12, 12-10. Jerry's partner was unable to play and Jerry played both of them.

Mabel Ford defeated Butch Barker and Carlene Smith 11-3, 11-6. Mable's partner was unable to play and she played them both.

Bonnie Chandler and Elma Cluck defeated Ruby Jean Wesson and Carmen Price 16-21, 12-15, 21-15. Johnson and Lanier defeated Richmond and Campbell 12-10, 4-11, 11-1. Ford forfeited to Chandler and Cluck. Johnson and Lanier and Chandler and Cluck will play the finals off this week.

The basketball free throw has been a point of interest all week. The freshman girls dominated the event. Estelle Ruby placed first with 34 out of a possible 50 shots. Jackie Hyde placed second with 31, Ann Richmond and Juanita Thompson tied for third with 29 each.

Next came hole-in-one. This game gave the boys a chance to show their skill in golf. Out of the competition of twenty-two, Charles Shaffer, freshman took first, with a drive that placed the ball within 11 feet of the hole.

After hole-in-one came horseshoes. This was another interesting event, and some of the boys proved very easily that they not only could play football and softball, but also could ring the "ole stake" when the time came. Dean Lawyer and Charles Shaffer proved to be the most skilled in this event.

The last event of last term was the free throw. The boys each had fifty shots at the basket. Bill Smith proved his skill in this by dropping the ball in the basket 37 out of fifty tries to win the event.

In many respects the competition has been keen. In most events there was no one team or individual who ran off and left the rest. For instance in both softball and football the race was close, particularly in the all-star games of these two sports. The keen competition is no doubt a good sign. It indicates that ability is somewhat uniform and that everyone is trying. Furthermore where competition is close interest is good.

From the viewpoint of individual points being chalked up there is good competition. No one is running off with the show. Often in previous years there has been some star who outpointed others by a big majority.

It's safe to guess that this keen competition will continue—which means much to the success of our sports program. The winter term should have some real thrillers—but further conjecture now is perhaps better unsaid.

WARD PRESENTS STUDENTS IN PROGRAM

Mrs. R. A. Ward, instructor in violin and piano, presented some of her students in chapel last Tuesday. Ann Richmond played Brahms "Hungarian Rhapsody" on the piano. "Celebrated Air on G String," by Bach and "Gypsy Legend" by Bronson were violin selections by Edwin Stover, accompanied by Mrs. Ward. Christine Neal gave a piano solo, "Waltz in G Flat," by Chopin. Mereda Jackson and Eugenia rendered "La Cucaracha," a piano duo arranged by Morton Gould.

ita Thompson tied for third with 29 each.

Intramural basketball is the next event. This is played by classes and a schedule is posted on the bulletin board. The games will be started immediately following the Christmas holidays.

If your team hasn't met and elected a captain be sure and do so this week.

STERLING'S
5 and 10 STORE

Next Lyceum Is "The Family Protrait"

The Campus Players have chosen "Family Protrait" as their second lyceum. February 2, has been selected as a tentative date for the production.

Those in the cast are as follows: Margaret Ridley who plays the leading role of Mary, Joe Mattox, Everette Maxwell, Miona Shaw, Coy Porter, Dorothy O'Neal, Amy Williams, Warren Whiteley, Weldon Casey, C. W. Bradley, Fayette Coleman, Keith Swim, Duran Hagler, Wyatt Sawyer, Margaret Jane Sherrill, Kermit Ary, Ruth Benson, Juanita Thompson, Martha Welburn, Tommy Love, Willie Chapman, Harriet Lawrence, Dale Larsen, and Kenneth Callicut.

"Family Protrait" was first produced in New York with Judith Anderson in the leading role. Taking for its theme the Master's own words, "A prophet is not without honor, save in his own country."

Most of the story encompasses the last three years of Christ's life. It begins in Nazareth, just after Christ has begun his ministry; his brothers understand only that in the height of the building season He has left them and depleted the working force. It continues in Capernaum where tavern keepers and promoters have capitalized on His popularity. It returns to Nazareth and the disillusioning experience among his neighbors. Then, swiftly it journeys to Jerusalem, when the fickle crowd has turned from its cries of "Hosannah" to shouts of hatred, and then to the upper chamber, where after the Last Supper, Mary awaits His return from Gethsemane. The final scene is laid eight years later in Nazareth.

Both Mr. Halbert and Mr. Mattox have talked with the Campus Players urging them to produce it because of the simplicity and sincerity in the presentation of a story depicting things as they might have been in the family of our Lord.

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One man in his time plays many parts, His acts being seven ages. But what of the woman?
She too, in her time plays many parts, First the safety pin. . . this noble instrument is Followed closely by a hairpin. Then comes the fraternity pin. This in turn gives Way to a pin of diamond. Clothespin Unglamorous, follows, pursued By rolling pin. SHAKESPEARE. (Roll over bud, I'm dead—Shakespeare's Note.) (Me, too, I proofread this column—Editors note?)

"How to Be Popular (for boys only)"
"Chew gum on your date but don't offer her any. She may not like gum, but she would hate to hurt your feelings by refusing.

Expect her to keep the conversation going, after all what's she for anyhow? Talk about dates with other girls. She will enjoy that.

Call her on the telephone about five minutes before you want to take her out and then get mad if she isn't ready." The Arka-Tech

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Dean Sears told his Shakespeare class that the men used to outdress the women by curling their long hair and beards. He said that if they didn't have hair they bought long wigs.
Harold Holland chirped up, "Well what if they didn't have a beard?"
Dean Sears replied, "They just weren't men then."
"Poor Harold," said someone.
Harold replied, "Well I can dream, can't I?"

This week's medal of honor (a second hand overall button) will be presented to T. Coy Porter for exhibiting extreme bravery and courage in the face of great danger.

It was like this: a poor little innocent kitten wandered into Kirk's studio during chorus practice, looked around a bit, and joined in the singing with a few feeble meows. Realizing the kitten's jeopardy with KKK standing before the chorus, T. Coy leaped across the room, grabbed the kitten, and thrust it outside the door of safety. The choristers breathed a sigh of relief.

These history students! Recently a discussion of the medieval church, the College of Cardinals was mentioned; at

once a history wit asked, "Wonder if that's a christian school." As the discussion about cardinals continued the same student spoke up in a very informing manner and said "I saw one in a tree the other day". Then the talk centered around the date in history up to when priests could marry. The statement was made that "the priests could marry up to 1059. Then another student exclaimed, "That's a lot of wives"! Those history scholars must be studying to become crackpots, screwballs or maybe morons.

If it's hillbilly singing you want to hear listen to C. W. Bradley and Bob Hawkins and a few others who know how to do it in Roy Acuff style. Or maybe its opera you want to hear, then go to Bob Helsten who can certainly make you laugh with his style of Gilbert and Sullivan opera songs. When the mood strikes this boy he sings just about anything in a burlesque opera style. But if your affections are with beautiful poetry Bob will quote you some; the following is one of his best:

"Cows are cattle
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