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# Society News

CORINNE RUSSELL  
SOCIETY EDITOR



## Miss Maxine O'Banion To Marry Howard Cox

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. O'Banion of Swifton announce the engagement of their daughter, Maxine, to Mr. Howard Cox, son of Mrs. O. T. Cox of Searcy. Miss O'Banion is a graduate of Harding and is secretary to Dr. L. C. Sears, Dean of Harding College. Mr. Cox is also a graduate of Harding and is teaching at Car-

terville, Missouri. The wedding will take place in the late spring.

## CENTRAL BARBER SHOP

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## Tri-Sigma-Deltas Have Banquet

The Tri-Sigma-Delta banquet, held at the Rendezvous March 8, had as its theme "The Knights of the Round Table". The opening event of the evening was the coronation ceremony. T-Roy Sunkle served as Town Crier. Conway Sexson, the Archbishop of Canterbury, crowned Dr. and Mrs. Boucher King Sigma II and Queen Lois I, respectively. Serving as master of ceremonies was James Hickman, Court Jester. On the menu was: appetizers, southern fried chicken, baked potatoes with cheese, tossed salad, fresh peas, hot rolls, coffee, and cherry pie a la mode. Dr. Leonard was guest speaker. His subject concerned the economic affairs of "Boltavia". The entertainment was in the form of a radio program, "A Programme from K. A. R. T.". First on the program was a quiz with contestants coming from the audience. Bill Summitt presented two selections on his violin, accompanied by Mrs. R. A. Ward. Bob Morris sang two numbers, also accompanied by Mrs. Ward. Eileen Snure presented a dramatic reading and sang two humorous numbers. Following this was the presentation of each couple to the king and queen. Those attending were: Conway Sexson, Barbara Lawson; James Childs, Oleta Garner; Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Layne; Bill Summitt, Eileen Snure; Dale Todd, Elizabeth Herndon; T-Roy Sunkle, Peggy Ham; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kitchens; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Billingsley; Stanley Beaman, Bonnie McAdams; Bill Howe, Mary Nell Hogg; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fowler; James Hickman, Daphna Manning; Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Green; Elvin Wakham, Janie Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris; Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Leonard; Mrs. Knox Summitt; Mrs. R. A. Ward; Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Boucher.

## PERSONALS

Joyce Fuller and Norma Lou Hamilton spent the week-end visiting in Norma's home in Pine Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Sanderson visited their daughter, Loydene, and son, Leon, last week-end.

Jane Brummit and Mary Etta Grady spent the week-end in Beedeville, visiting in Mary Etta's home.

Carrol Davis spent the week-end at his home in Texarkana.

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## Melba Pillow Engaged To Robert Alan Abney

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pillow of Paragould announce the engagement of their daughter, Melba, to Robert Alan Abney, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Abney, also of Paragould.

Miss Pillow is a graduate of the Methodist Hospital of Nursing, in Memphis. She is now a junior at Harding and is majoring in social science. She is president of the "H" club and a member of the small chorus.

Mr. Abney is a senior and is majoring in Bible. He is a member of the Sigma Tau Sigma social club. The wedding will be an event of September.

## Dot Tulloss To Head Ju Go Ju Social Club

Miss Dot Tulloss was elected president of the Ju Go Ju social club for spring term. Miss Tulloss will also be in charge of the May Fete. Other officers chosen to assist her were: Barbara Cooper, vice-president; Jeanette Black, secretary and treasurer; and Judy Day, song leader.

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# Berryhill To Face J. C. Roe In Major Loop Battle Today

Rain twice postponed the drawing card battle of the baseball week these past few days, but weather permitting the Bobby Camp captained Cardinals will tangle with the Max Vaughan Braves this afternoon at Benson Field.

Both teams and both captains are ready to open fire in what experts agree will be the most important baseball game of the early season. Fans too are awaiting the blue-ribboned brawl with more than passive interest.

The Cards, with J. C. Roe on the mound, and the Braves, behind crafty "Pinky" Berryhill, have been rated one-two in the Major League race.

Camp told a Bison reporter that he felt confident that Roe could "handle anything around here," but if he did slip, Lehman Hall would step up to the firing line.

When asked about his pitching, Vaughan commented, "That's our big question mark. You know it takes warm weather to get 'Pinky's' arm ready."

Vaughan added that the Cards were also handicapped in that after Roe the Red Birds didn't have a pitcher at all.

Both captains are optimistic about their hitting.

Vaughan said that pitchers will have a "rough time facing our batters." Camp summed up the Cardinal set-up with, "we're a little weak on defense, but we're strong on offense."

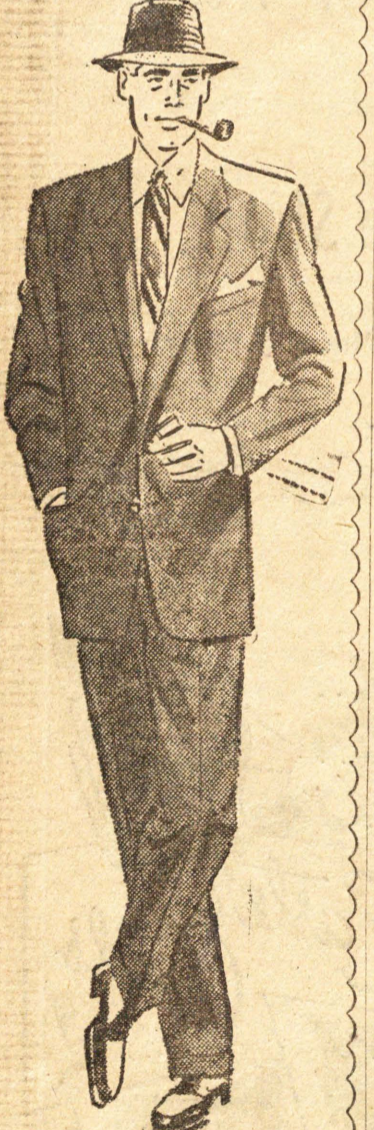
Camp was worried though about his infield. He said that it was his big question mark right now.

Vaughan reluctantly gave the Cards the nod on the final outcome. "Pitching is going to play an important part in the game," he noted.

Probable starting line-ups:

Cards	Pos.	Braves
Jim Blansett	3b	Richard Coxsey
Lehman Hall	2b	Bob Nossaman
Phil Perkins	1b	Cliff Ganus
Bob Camp	ss	Pinky Berryhill
Walter Nelms	rf	Harv Starling
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## One Man's Opinion

BY HARVEY STARLING

### BETTER IN SPORTS OR HUMANITIES?

Many people try their hand at Humanities, whether it be a decision of their own or not, and some have come out on top. I've had my round with it and the results could have been better so in order to make good in at least one phase of my work I've turned to this job. Now quickly glance over what is below. Don't tell me I should have stayed with humanities for this couldn't be worse than an "F," or could it?

**RAIN SHOWS HAND**

With less than a week gone rain has already shoved a scheduled tilt back down the slate. Tuesday's big Card-Brave clash was postponed until Thursday but Benson Field was dry enough for Wednesday's Traveler-Chick game giving the minor loop a 3-1 edge already in games played. Some insisted on playing Tuesday in spite of the wet grounds, but Jim Blansett's six-horse Wizard wasn't around so there was no transportation across the lake at first base.

**NOT A STALEMATE**

Friday's Chick-Vol tussle, second minor loop game, ended in a 11-8 victory for the Cardinals' farm club after the minor league opener went to a 9-9 stalemate. The win gave the Chicks, who are destined for second place, the takeoff in the standings.

Emil Menes surprised us as he picked up the win and whiffed 12 batters but the 14 base on balls issued says wildness will ruin him unless he can iron out those rough spots and gain some control.

Little Bob Brown looked good for four frames and went into the fifth with a 6-4 lead but couldn't hold out and the Chicks big guns hit and drew free-passes for seven tallies.

First smacker Jim McAuley and hot corner man Gerald Long were bright spots in the Chicks batting but Cardinal experts hardly noticed the standout performances and still looked for someone to fill a weak gap or so in the Cardinal lineup.

**WATCH THE FARM SYSTEM**

The "farm system" just introduced to Harding's intramurals can and is going to make a difference in the final standings.

The Cards are needing an outfielder and if the Chick's Leonard Hall is brought up to fill that position that leaves the Memphis men "out in the cold" for a catcher and clean up man.

Gene Jackson's Dodgers need a shot in the arm and if John Hillis and "Monkey Shine" Burgess are the ones to give it then look out for those deflated Barons.

Norman Hughes might come in handy for the Braves at second base or short in a defensive way or maybe even Bob Brown, but on the other end of the trade the Vols might pick up a fast baseman who can field and hit in the form of Don Johnston, or Buddy Meyers. A trade wouldn't hurt and it might help.

Minor league pitching would be bolstered if Traveler Captain Ken Sheumaker could send someone up for Chunkin Conway Sexson who isn't needed on the Giant pitching staff but could really help those Traveler moundmen.

Will these trades come about and what will the effect be? Time will tell.

**NEW IDEAS**

Beginning this week, Bison sports will choose a "player of the week" from Harding's intramural baseball. Games of the week from which they will be chosen will be those played from a Friday through the next Thursday. A player from both major and minor leagues will be chosen each week and the selection, along with the reason why he was chosen, will be given in the following publications of the Bison.

In the way of statistics, leading batters will be given, as well as the leading hurlers, each week. Pitching records will include innings pitched, strikeouts, and number won and lost. This addition of statistics to be given will make the Bison sports staff work overtime but after all, who wants to study humanities and physical science?

## Chicks Out Last Travs, 20-15 In Wild Slugfest

April 2—Joe Betts' booming bat wasn't quite enough to turn the trick this afternoon as his mates fell before Emil Menes' rampaging Chicks, 20-15, in a sloppy, loosely-played contest.

Betts, batting second for Ken Sheumaker's charges, really poured on the steam to pound out four successive hits in as many ventures to the plate before finally retiring from the scene of slaughter in the 4th inning. "Four" must have been his lucky number, because he had four at bats, four runs scored, four hits, four total bases, four stolen bases, and four putouts for a near-perfect day in center field.

How consistent Joe may have been, his one-man masterpiece still wasn't enough to offset the blistering 13-hit attack which Don Black & Company managed to accumulate off the offerings of Stan Sayers, Bob Horsman, and Sheumaker. The Travs also garnered 13 hits, but had them spread over the entire four innings, whereas the Chicks collected most of theirs in one big inning, the second.

Menes couldn't find the plate in the first frame, and all too soon found himself on the short end of a 3-0 count. Three hits, one a long double by Betts, one walk, a sacrifice, and an error were enough to push across the markers. Menes got out of the hole by forcing Byron Roberts to ground out to end the inning, leaving Sayers and Rollman jockeying back and forth between second and third.

Sayers, after walking 16 men in three innings in his last outing, apparently found the plate and proceeded to mow down the first three men he faced in his half of the first. His buddies pushed across three more runs in the top of the second, and all at once he found himself nursing a 6-0 potential shutout.

The Pebs likewise had their share of fun in the top of the third only not on quite as large a scale. However, the six runs they scored was enough to tie the game 12-12.

## Chicks In 11-8 Win As Menes Pitches Wild Two Hitter

March 28—Emil Menes' two-hit pitching performance this afternoon was barely enough to enable his Chicks to grind out an 11-to-8 verdict over a stubborn but undermanned band of Vols. The contest was a sluggish, knock-down-drag-out affair, with the only thrills of the evening resulting from an occasional freak hit or the "old college try" being made for a hard smash which eventually careened off every outstretched arm for a score of errors.

Little Gerald Long was the big cog in the wheel of the Chicks' attack, as he collected three hard-earned singles to balance against a lone strikeout. Long drove in three runs with his clouting, and did a spectacular job of fielding and base-running. No less important was the booming bat of big Jim McAuley, who blasted two of Bob Brown's pitches for a double and a triple. McAuley's output included six total bases and one free pass to first, against one lone strikeout and a high pop fly to left field.

The Nashvillians started off like they meant business. Four of the first six batters succeeded in passing up Menes' offerings for a free trip to first. Menes promptly bore down and whiffed Bill Sherrill for the final out, but not before two runs had crossed the plate.

The Vols continued their onslaught on through three more endless innings, stretching their runs to six, while the Memphis lads were able to garner only four. But the lid blew off in the fifth stanza.

Vols hurler Brown, who had been wild in spots, couldn't find the plate with radar. And when he did, he was met with sizzling smashers back through the middle of the infield. Brown walked five during this stint and gave up a meager two hits, but his frigid followers were all thumbs as they committed three errors, which played a leading role in determining the final outcome of the game.

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