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MSM cheerleaders take time out between games to strike a relaxing pose for the MINER. Their aims for a united cheering section and full support at the football games may finally be realized this year with the cooperation of the students.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS TO BE OFFERED TO MSM STUDENTS ON DEC. 10

The first Federal Service Entrance Examination opened today to college seniors and college graduates who want a career in the Federal service. Applicants have until November 18 to file for the first written test to be given December 10 in more than 1,000 localities, including many college campuses, Phillip Young, chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission announced.

The new program, unique in Federal history, will be permanent and continuous, with examination planned periodically as Federal personnel needs require it. Filing is permissible at any time for any of the subsequent examinations, which will be open to both specialist and non-specialist seniors and graduates. Replaced are approximately 100 college-level examinations. Many of these have been given only in specialized fields and infrequently.

Job offers can be made by Federal agencies to persons passing the examination once their names become available on the lists of eligibles which the Civil Service Commission will set up early next year. Appointments follow graduation. Most openings will be at grade GS-5 and grade GS-7 levels, \$3,670 and \$4,525 a year starting salaries, respectively. The opportunities will be in many fields, including administrative, personnel, technical, and professional.

"There are better than 50,000 positions at grade GS-5 alone that call for no specific subject-matter preparation but could well be staffed with workers having a college level of intelligence and general ability," Mr. Young declared.

"At present turnover rates, between 8,000 and 10,000 of these positions would be vacant each year—all of them 'naturals' to fill from this examination."

Application forms have already been made available at college placement offices or may be obtained from the nearest Commission office. The examination points have been planned

so that no candidate will have to travel far to take the December 10 examination or any subsequent examinations. In event the applicant fails the examination, he may take it again during his senior year or after graduation.

Government representatives will visit most campuses before November 18 to explain the new program in detail. College placement offices will be given full information concerning the representatives' visit. Interested students should contact that office.

Mr. Young emphasized that any senior passing the examination can be hired as soon as he graduates, whether that is in February or in June, provided he has come within reach of agency selection on the list of eligibles. This means his name must be among the top three names on the list. The higher the examination mark, the more quickly the name can be reached for appointment.

A student may tell a Federal agency representative, either before or after the examination, that he would like to work for that agency. Similarly an agency representative may, at either time, ask a student to consider appointment only with that agency. Those taking the examination will be given an opportunity to express preference for employment in a particular area or a particular agency. Such appointments can be made once the three conditions of passing the examination, graduation, and availability for selection are complied with.

The new Federal - Service Entrance Examination, for the first time, gives the non-specialist senior or graduate an opportunity to compete for a Federal management internship, Mr. Young said. The now superseded Junior Management Assistant examination for this purpose had been open only to persons who specialized in certain fields.

All candidates will be given a 3-hour written examination on the morning of December 10. Those wishing to try for management internships will take an additional 3-hour written test later in the day and will be given a group oral test in March.

Independents Outing Successful; Plan For Homecoming Dance

By Ralph McCormick & Ronald Scott

The attendance at the fall outing fell short of what was expected; however, the average was about 1/2 case of refreshments per man. Those attending had a fine time. Although Bob Nauert was present he didn't take his swim after all. . . . you were saved by the bell, Bob.

The pre-homecoming dance will be a week from today, and everyone on the campus is invited to attend. Refreshments and music should make for an enjoyable time for all.

The next monthly meeting will be November 7, the Monday after homecoming, and don't forget Jane Russell (how could you?) and "The Outlaw."

CHOICE CAMPUS CLEANINGS: From the Tech Club: Our boy geologists Scharf and Stolte went on the longest geology field trip in history last week.

... did you find any rocks underneath that hay, Joel? Congrats to the Orange Warriors for their football and table tennis efforts, and let's make it first in basketball, fellows.

A bouquet of roses to the outing committee from the Tech Club: George Miklos, Tom Bertorello, and Jim Nauert. One last thought: How about some trophies for that new trophy case, fellow? . . .

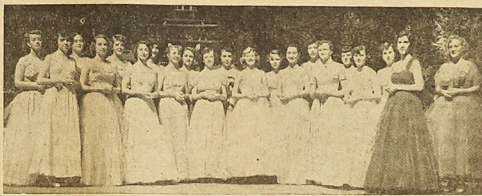
From Dorm "A": The recent fall outing was enjoyed by all attending. The warmth of the day was equally matched by typical MINER enthusiasm, although the water was cold—wasn't it, Bill?

The "old master painters" have completed a Crest for the dorm. Hats off for a job well done, boys! The "Men from White Shack" have accomplished another first. One H. R. and B. S. have mastered the impossible???? art of mixing together five foreign languages, Lower Slobvian dialect, and the showers, calling the ensuing discord "singing."

From the Engineers Club: After a strong showing in football, the Engineer's are now concentrating their efforts for cross-country. We are happy to announce another candidate for the "chain and ball" by the way, that shotgun was sold to another fellow.

From the Dorm: Christmas came early at the dorm last week. . . . or at least the celebrating came early. . . . several rolls of Bumfodder which disappeared from the local John later reappeared adorning the halls, in gay refuse (whatever that is). All the above caused one aspiring philosopher who shall remain anonymous to comment: (and we quote) "What is this? National clean-up week?"

Stephens' Susies



Some of the Stephens College Concert Chorus in formal dress as they will appear on the stage of Parker Hall tomorrow night.

ST. PAT'S TO SPONSOR HOMECOMING DANCE FOR STUDENTS ON NOV. 5

On Saturday, November 5, the St. Pat's Board is sponsoring a dance in honor of Homecoming. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the St. Pat's Board for \$1.50, stag or drag. It will be held in Jackson Gymnasium from 9:00 to 1:00, and it is informal.

Because of the higher price of a band and decorations this year, it is necessary to raise more money. Since St. Pat's is such a tradition and the only real social function of the year, everyone should want to do his part to make it a big success. The dance is a very good way of raising the extra funds and everyone should do his part and attend. Jackson Hall and his band will be here from Jefferson City.

Let's all get on the ball and get those tickets and help to make this St. Pat's the best ever.



Theta Xi's gather to admire the newly acquired APO blood trophy. The fraternity had a perfect 100% record to win the trophy.

Photo by Pete

NEW FRATERNITY HOUSE FIRST TO BE BUILT ON CAMPUS SINCE 1929

The Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity has a new house under construction on a site at 1700 Pine Street. This is the first fraternity house that has been built at MSM since 1929.

The design of the structure is contemporary with the upper floor planned to contain two-man sleeping and studying quarters and will accommodate 40 students.

The lower floor provides space for a large living room and dining room and kitchen facilities to accommodate 70 men. Included also is a powder room for the ladies.

The total cost of the structure will be approximately \$80,000, and it is expected to be ready for occupancy by the first of the year.

Automotive Research Now Working On Sun Powered Automobiles

Harnessing the sun's boundless energy has baffled scientists for centuries. Automotive research recently came up with its own formula—a sun-powered model automobile.

Twelve photoelectric cells—made of the element selenium, which has the property of converting light into electric power—are located on top of the 15-inch car. Electric current from the selenium cells operates a tiny motor that propels the vehicle.

Automotive officials emphasize that the "sunmobile" is not now planned as a forerunner of a full-size solar-powered automobile. Today's photoelectric cells cannot produce sufficient horsepower.

The sun-powered model is offered merely to illustrate the possibility of using the sun as a direct power source.

Stephens' Choir Will Sing Tomorrow Night

INITIATION HELD FOR SIGMA GAMMA EPSILON HONORARY FRATERNITY

On October 15, 1955, the Eta Chapter of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, the honorary earth science fraternity initiated eight active and five associate members in a colorful and impressive ceremony at the school mine. The following were initiated:

Active Members

England, John O.
Jackson, Robert A.
Haubold, Neils B.
McClure, Randall M.
Miller, Raymond E.
Heilich, Raymond P.
White, Gary L.
Zimmermann, Richard A.

Associate Members

Dr. George B. Clark
Prof. Robert F. Pettit
Mr. Roger J. Schoepel
Dr. Theodore J. Planje
Dr. Thomas R. Beveridge

The usual banquet held to honor the new members was given in Houston House, Newburg, Missouri. The speaker at the banquet was Dr. Beveridge, State Geologist, who gave a beneficial and well rounded speech about Missouri Geological Survey, its staff, and its activities. He also pointed out the difference between the Mo. Geological Survey and the USGS, and the Bureau of Mines.

DORMITORY COUNCILMEN DISCUSS IMPROVEMENT OF SCHOOL CAFETERIA

By Jim Fick

The dorm councilmen held a meeting on October 17. Among the items discussed were suggestions on improvement of cafeteria service. The rearranging of utensils to the head of the line was one of the suggestions by the Dorm council acted upon in order to speed up movement of the line. The Dorm council will appreciate suggestions from the Dorm students for improvement of service in dormitory and cafeteria.

The Homecoming Dance to be held October 28 is being sponsored jointly by the dorm and the other Independent organizations.

The dorm football team was eliminated from the running in the intramural race but the Dorm has other teams active in more sports such as basketball and handball.

A large number of dorm residents were visited by their parents on Parents Day and were able to show them the cafeteria and dormitory.

Eighty-five members of the 125-voice Stephens College Concert Chorus will present a program in Parker Hall Saturday, October 29, at 7:30 p. m. The concert is sponsored by the General Lectures and admission is free to all persons.

This group of 85 will include the 25 members of the Sunrise Choir, the "choir within a choir" which presents special selections. The group will be accompanied to Rolla by a harpist; their director, Miss Margaret Colby, and the co-director and accompanist, Miss Marilyn Hanna.

The Concert Chorus is one of the most popular musical groups in the Missouri area and is in constant demand for radio broadcasts, television appearances and programs before community groups. Annual spring tours have taken the group throughout the midwest and as far south as Dallas and Fort Worth. For five consecutive years, the Concert Chorus has been heard coast-to-coast on the Mutual Network. One of the highlights of the winter season in Columbia is the annual program of Christmas music presented by the Concert Chorus as their Christmas "gift" to the community.

The director of the group, Miss Colby, has been with Stephens College since 1931. A graduate of Rockford College Conservatory, she has studied voice under Walter Wheatley, Lincoln, Neb.; has been a student of harmony and composition under John Rosborough; a student of voice under Oscar Seagle, Schroon Lake, N. Y.; student of coaching and song repertoire under Dr. Ben Davies, London; student of fine arts in religion under H. Augustine Smith, University of Boston; student of choral conducting under Hugh Ross, Berkshire Music Center and has been supervisor of Music in Nebraska public schools and director of choral groups in Nebraska high schools. She has attended Christiansen Choral School in Lake Forest, Ill., and Fred Waring's Music Workshop.

NO ADDRESS FOR STUDENTS

The Registrar's Office has no address for the following named students. Please, call at once and list your address at the Information Desk.

Anderson, Dale Charles
Branca, Norman L.
Cobb, Robert H.
Forester, Walter L.
Forinash, Terry W.
Grate, Clarence Wm., Jr.
Hardinge, Byron C.
Miller, Thomas Charles

Reply From Springfield

October 17, 1955

Mr. Dave Stolte, Student Council
Missouri School of Mines
Rolla, Missouri
Dear Dave,

Thank you for your letter of October 14. It was a pleasure to hear from you again.

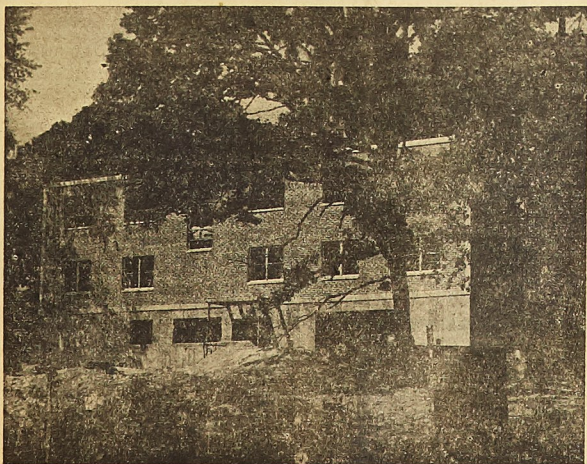
The student body wishes to thank you for the fine group participation that presented itself here on October 8. Your football team played a wonderful game and deserved the "powder-keg" once again for their hard work and sportsmanship. Your ROTC is most commendable.

We here at SMS also feel that the powder keg is attaining its purpose in promoting the right kind of spirit that is desired by both schools. Much of this credit is certainly due to the fine men you have on your football team, as student body president, and on your student council.

Again I wish to say we enjoyed our visit to your school and hope you enjoyed your visit to Springfield and to our campus. Please feel free to call on us anytime you are in town.

Sincerely,
Bill M. Williams
President, Student Body
Southwest M. State College
Springfield, Missouri

New Lambda Chi House Under Way



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Next Week's Interviews

Monday, October 31, 1955
Company: Magnolia Petroleum Company. (January and June Graduates)
Interested In: Mining Engineering (Mining, Geology and Petroleum Options), Metallurgical, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Chemical (Chemistry and Petroleum Refining Options), and Science (Physics Major)
Also on Tuesday, November 1.
Company: U. S. Naval Laboratories in California.
Interested In: January and June Graduates in all branches of engineering and science for employment at the Air Missile Test Center (Point Mugu, Port Hueneme, California) and the Naval Ordnance Test Station (China Lake, California).
Also on Tuesday, November 1
Tuesday, November 1, 1955
Company: Mrs. Tucker's Products, Jacksonville, Illinois.
Interested In: January and June Graduates in Chemical Engineering, Vegetable Oil Processing industry.
Company: The Emerson Electric Manufacturing Company, St. Louis, Missouri.
Interested In: January and June Graduates in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.
Wednesday, November 2, 1955
Company: Bendix Radio Division, Bendix Aviation Corporation, Baltimore, Maryland.
Interested In: Electrical and Mechanical Engineers and Physicists (January and June).
Company: Union Electric Company, St. Louis, Missouri.
Interested In: January Graduates in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.
Company: Black & Veatch Consulting Engineers, Kansas City, Missouri.

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Thursday, November 3, 1955
National Carbon Company.
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Company: Boeing Airplane Company, Wichita, Kansas.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Metallurgical, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, and Chemical Engineers and Physicists. (See Group Meeting notice Wednesday, November 2, 7:00 p. m., Parker Hall Auditorium.)

Also Friday, November 4.
Company: The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Mechanical, Electrical, Chemical, Civil Engineers, Chemists and Physicists.

Company: The Goodyear Aircraft Corporation, Akron, Ohio.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Electrical, Mechanical, Civil Engineering and Physicists.

Company: Caterpillar Tractor Company, Peoria, Illinois.

Interested In: January Graduates in Metallurgical, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical and Chemical Engineering.

Company: The M. W. Kellogg Company, Jersey City 3, N. J.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Chemical, Mechanical and Civil Engineers.

Friday, November 4, 1955
Company: Bendix Products Division of Bendix Aviation, South Bend, Indiana and Kansas City, Missouri.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Metallurgical, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical (Electronics) and Ceramic Engineering.

Company: San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California.

Interested In: January and June Graduates in Civil, Mechanical, and Electrical Engineering. Ship design, fitting and maintenance.

Company: Rem-Cru Titanium, Incorporated, Midland, Pennsylvania.

Interested In: January Graduates in Metallurgical, Mechanical and Chemical Engineering.

Company: Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation.

Interested In: Chemical, Civil, Electrical and Mechanical Engineers. Development, research, construction, expansion and sales.

Company: Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company.

Interested In: Chemical and Mechanical Engineers for opportunities in plants located in the Charleston, West Virginia area, Texas City, Texas and Whiting, Indiana.

Company: Electro Metallurgical Company.

Interested In: Research - Metallurgical and Chemical Engineering, Chemistry and Physics.

Development - Metallurgical and Chemical Engineering, Chemistry and Physics.

Sales - Any engineering field. Haynes Stellite Company.

Interested In: Metallurgical and Chemical Engineering.

Company: Linde Air Products Company.

Interested In: Metallurgical, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Chemical and Ceramic Engineering.

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Letter To The Editor

MISSOURI MINER:
EDITOR:

I heard of the Missouri School of Mines long before I decided to be an engineer. I also heard of the dubious reputation of the students attending the school. However, I knew several of them personally and considered them on a social level at par with any person their age.

After two months of having to live with Miners every day I am convinced that 90% of them were not brought up among humans. Even those who are ordinary human beings in their home towns revert back to sub-normal social outcasts upon entering the city limits of Rolla.

I think every Miner should at least make an effort to act his age, especially when exposed to the general public. This isn't a high school so why act like high school students.
NAME WITHHELD

SIGMA PHI EPSILON

By Jack Hunt

"Pass the Alka-Seltzer, Monk," groans Possum as he falls back in bed. "Get it yourself! Somebody cut my legs off," grumbles Monk. This was a typical conversation carried on around the Sig Ep house on last Sunday. The pledges really outdid themselves and had one of the best parties on record. We wish to thank our chaperons Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and Mr. Rosten. We hope that they enjoyed

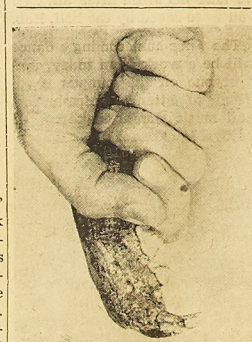
themselves as much as the rest of us. We also wish to thank the Greyhound Bus Station for the use of their tables. It was through the cooperation of these people that our party was a success.

We are now anxiously looking forward to being host to part of the Stevens College Choir which will be here tomorrow night. We are sure that they will give us a good show. (M-M-M-M)

One of our esteemed actives has finally cracked! Ron Alberger claims that he hears church bells in the distance and that someone is always following him but when he turns around no one is there. He wants the person who is following to cut it out. Personally, I think he's nuts.

BETA SIGMA PSI

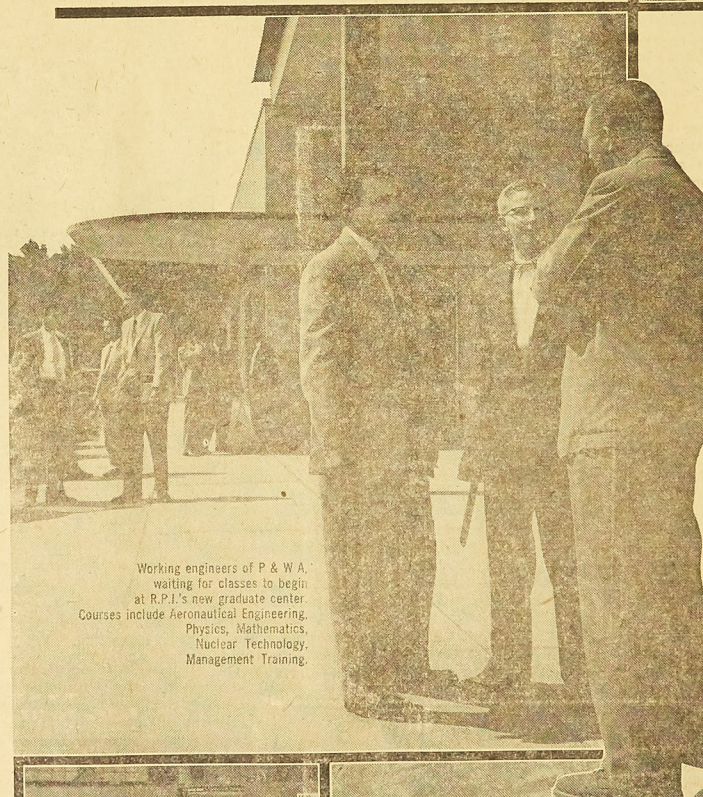
It is now Tuesday and as I look around, I see everything



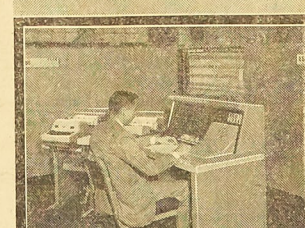
One of man's first tools, the jawbone of a jackel, which is a part of a collection exhibited by the Doall Corporation.

What's doing

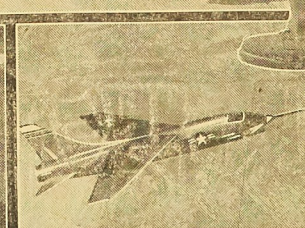
at Pratt & Whitney Aircraft



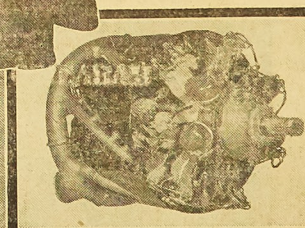
Working engineers of P & W A. waiting for classes to begin at R.P.I.'s new graduate center. Courses include Aeronautical Engineering, Physics, Mathematics, Nuclear Technology, Management Training.



First 702 Computer in East. Just installed, this advanced I.B.M. computer joins earlier electronic marvels that played a vital role in the development of Pratt & Whitney Aircraft's famed J-57 jet engine.



Newest Supersonic Fighter. The Chance Vought F8U, latest in a growing group of military aircraft to fly faster than sound. Like most other record-breakers, it is powered by a P & W A J-57 turbojet.



Last Wasp Major, most powerful piston engine ever developed, is shipped by P&WA. This marks the end of an era as turbojets take over as the source of power for heavy bombers, transports and tankers.

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Theta Kappa Phi First In Intramural Race

By Dick Okenfuss

Sigma Nu won the trophy for intramural football last week by defeating Theta Kappa Phi in the championship game. The snake men thus ended the season with a perfect record. In the semi-final game, deciding the winner's bracket, Sigma Nu capitalized on a leaky pass defense, scoring seven touchdowns on ten completed passes, as they walloped Theta Kappa Phi 42-13. Meanwhile in the loser's bracket, Triangles and Engineers Club battled to a 21-21 tie. As the intramural rules state, in case of a tie game, each team will run three plays from scrimmage and the one gaining the most yardage will be declared the winner. So, in the run-off, the Engineers Club advanced the ball 17 yards, to Triangles' 12 yards. The Engineers Club then played Theta Kappa Phi for the right to meet Sigma Nu for the championship. Theta Kappa Phi this time romped to a 26-0 victory. In the big game, both Sigma Nu and Theta Kappa Phi moved up and down the field without scoring until the last of the first half. Then with only one minute left, a pass to Jack Englick in the end zone gave Sigma Nu a TD.

In the second half, Theta Kappa Phi struck back on a long pass play with Jim Kozeny scoring, to even the score at 7-7. But, Sigma Nu came back midway in the final period with quarterback, Jim Holman, skirting, around end for the winning touchdown. The time ran out with Theta Kappa Phi on a sustained march toward the goal. Final score was 13-7.

Next week we hope to have the intramural all-star team picked. We ask the cooperation of all intramural managers and referees in returning the ballots immediately.

The final standings and intramural points are as follows. 1st, Sigma Nu, 700 points; 2nd, Theta Kappa Phi, 625 points; 3rd, Engineers Club, 575 points; 4th, Triangles, 550 points; 5th - 6th (tie), Tau Kappa Epsilon and Tech Club, 500 points; 7th - 8th (tie), Lambda Chi Alpha and Sigma Pi, 387 1/2 points; 9th - 12th (tie), Sigma Phi Epsilon, Dormitory, Kappa Sigma, and Shamrock Club, 262 1/2 points; 13th - 16th, (tie), Pi Kappa Alpha, Kappa Alpha, Wesley Foundation, and Beta Sigma Psi, 162 1/2 points; and 17th - 18th (tie), Theta Xi and Dormitory "A", 87 1/2 points.

Wesley Foundation captured the trophy in table tennis by taking first place in doubles and tying for 5th - 6th in singles. Theta Kappa Phi was runner-up with a 3rd in doubles and a tie for 7th - 8th in singles. Beta Sigma Psi was third with a first in singles and a tie for 9th - 12th in doubles.

The way the teams finished in singles were as follows. 1st, Beta Sigma Psi; 2nd, Tech Club; 3rd, Pi Kappa Alpha; 4th, Sigma Nu; 5th - 6th (tie), Wesley Foundation and Shamrock Club; 7th - 8th (tie), Theta Kappa Phi and Dormitory "A"; 9th - 12th (tie),

Sigma Phi Epsilon, Triangle, Tau Kappa Epsilon, and Independents; 13th - 16th (tie), Lambda Chi Alpha, Dormitory, Sigma Pi, and Theta Xi; 17th - 20th (tie), Kappa Sigma, Baptist Student Union and Engineers Club. The way the teams finished in doubles were as follows. 1st, Wesley Foundation; 2nd, Sigma Phi Epsilon; 3rd, Theta Kappa Phi; 4th, Kappa Sigma; 5th - 6th (tie), Triangle and Kappa Alpha; 7th - 8th (tie), Lambda Chi Alpha and Dormitory; 9th - 12th (tie), Beta Sigma Psi, Sigma Pi, Theta Xi, and Baptist Student Union; 13th - 16th (tie), Tech Club, Pi Kappa Alpha, Sigma Nu, and Dormitory "A"; 17th - 19th (tie), Shamrock Club, Tau Kappa Epsilon, and Engineers Club.

The intramural points for table tennis are as follows. Wesley Foundation 300 points, Theta Kappa Phi 275 points, Beta Sigma Psi 250 points, Sigma Phi Epsilon 225 points, Triangle 200 points, Tech Club 175 points, Pi Kappa Alpha 160 points, Sigma Nu 140 points, Dormitory "A", Lambda Chi Alpha - and Dormitory 90 points, Kappa Sigma 70 points, Shamrock Club 60 points, Kappa Alpha 50 points, Sigma Pi and Theta Xi 35 points, Tau Kappa Epsilon 20 points, Baptist Student Union 10 points, Engineers Club 5 points, and Independents no points.

The champion was Jack Weber of Beta Sigma Psi, and runner up was Bob Schneider of Tech Club. The champions of doubles were Fuller and Allan of Wesley Foundation, and runner-ups were Wilson and Phanstiel of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Theta Kappa Phi	900
Sigma Nu	840
Triangle	750
Tech Club	675
Engineers Club	580
Tau Kappa Epsilon	520
Sigma Phi Epsilon	487 1/2
Lambda Chi Alpha	477 1/2
Sigma Pi	462 1/2
Sigma Pi	422 1/2
Beta Sigma Psi	412 1/2
Dormitory	352 1/2
Kappa Sigma	332 1/2
Pi Kappa Alpha	322 1/2
Shamrock Club	322 1/2
Kappa Alpha	212 1/2
Dormitory "A"	177 1/2
Theta Xi	122 1/2
Baptist Student Union	10
Independents	0

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SPORT SHOTTS

A discussion on the obstacles the School of Mines football team undergoes in getting ready for a game each week would take up a good-sized volume. But just as a starter it might be pointed out that studies and football practice just don't blend.

The Missouri School of Mines rightfully has a world-wide reputation for being one of the world's best engineering schools, and it got that reputation in part by the fact that studying takes precedence over all else.

On an average practice night during the football season, there are from five to nine members of the squad missing from practice because of pressing courses or studies. Sometimes this number will run as high as 15 or 20.

One can readily imagine the job the hard-working Miner coaches are up against trying to weld a cohesive team together when a large part of the squad is missing each night.

On the recent trip to Kirksville, when the Miners left here Friday noon, school books accompanied the boys and they spent in several hours of study in a Kirksville Hotel room.

To their credit, one will never hear the players nor the coaches, publicly, decrying their football "handicaps." But the fact remains that the handicaps are there.

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TEAM MEET THE



DALE KLORE

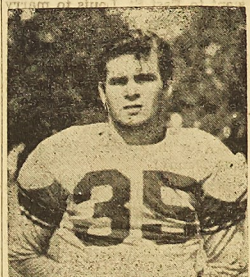
This week meet a big sophomore, who as a freshman last year, looked like he really had what it took to make a top line-man. Dale Klore was shifted to guard this fall and has looked as well at guard as he did at tackle. It appears that about the only

in the Central American country of San Salvador, a motorist who injures a person in an accident in which the driver is at fault must stay in jail until his victim recovers.

"Pardon me, sir, but do you know the way to the post-office?"

"No, I'm afraid I don't."
"Well, it's two blocks up and to the right."

thing that can be said about this big fellow is that he loves to play football and really knows how the game is to be played. Just as a quiet hint, it may be that we will see Dale starting tomorrow at Maryville if Jim Wright isn't able to play after his shoulder injury this past week.



TOM HERRICK

Rough and ready might be the expression used in describing this little giant of the line. Tom started as a center his first two years at MSM, but with the passing of some greats at the guard position Tom was asked to play guard, and play he does. The biggest lineman on the field by any sense of the word, Tom lets all comers know that he is the meanest. Just a junior this year, the conference will be seeing a lot more of one Tom Herrick next year too.

Miners Spoil Homecoming For The Bulldogs; 19-14

by Charles Reeves

The Miners started again Saturday on their run for the conference championship after being set back by Cape last week. By beating a keyed up Kirksville squad the Miners again stuck their nose in the ace as they stand third behind Warrensburg and Cape. The Miners never dominated the game but as in past games always rose to the occasion as they stopped the Homecoming Game inspired Kirksville twice within their 5 yard line. The goal line stand has become a Miner trade mark as they have on very numerous occasions displayed a rock hard defense when their backs were to the goal.

The Miners' passing was again their big scoring punch as quarterback Roger Feaster hit end Jim Murphy with two touchdowns passes. M. S. M. was out-gained on the ground 218 to 266 yards.

The Miners kicked off to open the ball game and the first quarter ended scoreless with Miners in Kirksville territory at the end of the period. In the first few minutes of the second quarter the Miners pushed over their first touchdown with Val Gribble scoring. The Miners kicked off and the first of their goal line stands came a few minutes later as the defending champions carried the ball to the Miner five but lost possession on downs. The Miners carried the ball out and moved to the Kirksville goal line but fumbled just before the half.

Kirksville came out fighting in the second half as they kicked off and then proceeded to score two quick touchdowns. The Miners carried the ball to the 50 after the kickoff and

Chaucer and I wrote a dirty story

Bawdy and lewd from the start But mine, people said, was pornographic And Chaucer's was classical art

fumbled. Kirksville recovered and carried the ball over for their first T. D. The Miners again receiving a kickoff had a pass intercepted and Kirksville losing no time pushed the ball over to lead 14-6. The third quarter ended with no further scoring.

The Miners finally started clicking in the fourth quarter as Murphy got his first touchdown. The Miners took possession as center Bill Varga intercepted a pass. Feaster hit Murphy with a pass and M. S. M. moved up as the score stood 13-14. The Miners moved in front as halfback Bob Hammond intercepted a pass and Murphy scored his second touchdown.

Kirksville tried desperately to get another touchdown as they took the kickoff and pushed to the Miner 5 for a first and ten. The Miners made their second goal line stand and took over on downs. M.S.M. was slowly pushing down field running out the clock as the game ended.

Val Gribble played his usual brilliant game as he gained 113 yards and scored one touchdown. Gribble carried 20 times for an average of 5.6 yards. Roger Feaster, one half of the Feaster to Murphy scoring combination, passed 9 times for a total of 74 yards and carried 4 times for 8 yards per try.

"Your hair needs cutting badly," the barber commented.

"It does not," stated the customer, seating himself in the chair. "It needs cutting nicely. You cut it badly last time."

A beautiful Hollywood model was scolding her brother for being constantly in debt. "Look how well I'm doing?" she said. "Why can't you follow my example?"

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Fraternity News

TAU KAPPA EPSILON

by Ray Majesko

The usual array of activity was highlighted this week by the purposeful trip of pledge Randles to Lindenwood College. Many of us would wear decorous attire to suit the occasion, but Jim toured the campus in the following garb. One pair of oversize trousers suspended from the waist by a safety pin (I'll Abner style); a miner hat and engineer boots; a slide rule and T-square attached to the trousers; and a huge whiskey bottle and oil can burdened his arms. The purpose of the oil can, well, those swings do make a great deal of noise.

The 34 - 36 - 36 club also had a rendezvous at Lindenwood. The talk was headed by "Visual Evaluation" Heinrich. They discussed new developments.

The Tekelunkers had their annual underground tea party in the perplexing excavations of Jerome last Sunday. Aside from the fact that there were no girls to drink tea with, the boys had a great time collecting the rare species of mud and debris.

With Homecoming only one week off, everyone seems to be in fine spirits making preparation. So far, there have been no "Dear Johns", in fact our lover boy, "Pancho" Wenzel, has all the girls going crazy trying to date him. I'm sure, though, that Jack will be strong in his decisions, for he has only one true love.

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA

"Hustle, you guys", and "Snap that ball" will soon be ringing through the rafters of Jackling Gym as Ol' Coach Malson begins shaping up our basketball team for this season. We've got three real tall fellows, Bob Fahrig, Marvin Hud-walker, and "Shot," bidding for that center position. If we can get Bill Alexander away from his E. E. problems long enough to play his fast moving game at forward we'll be doing fine. Along with the above mentioned men there will be Pappy Webb, Fatty Davis, Mr. Roberts, D. D. Kick, Ol' Coach

Malson, and all sorts of pledges. I've even heard rumors "Butter-ball" Arnold is going out.

We had our little "outing" last Saturday and as usual, come Sunday morning, huge quantities of tomato juice were consumed to help ease that "uncomfortable" feeling. I was not able to go to the "outing" so this is not first hand info, but I hear that one of our troops made like a woodland nymph and after being dunked in the river, ran about, laughing happily, in his "original" suit. Who was that they're talking about, Yo-yo?

Speaking of women, all is quiet on the female front. (Say, you know that could have a two-fold meaning, couldn't it, Geo.) No reported break ups have occurred this week, but you know the old saying, "All's still before the storm!"

PI KAPPA ALPHA

The Truth always comes forward sooner or later in all cases. The recent announcement of the pinning of Miss Marian Borresen to Roger Bren-decke can be thrown to the winds, for they have been married for the past two months. Hum, why all this dark mysterious, secret stuff?

But there's no secret about the new baby girl born October 19 to our president, Duncan Block, and his wife Shirley. "Yes, it's a girl, and her name is Diane Marie." (Ted Friedman is trying to "fix her up" with his two week old son.)

Also the "Light" finally hit the pledges, as to when Work Week was to be held. Many half open eyes attached to slow moving bodies trudged through our house last week, pushing steel wool and paint brushes before them. The boys were actually so engrossed in their work, that they didn't even take time to wash or shave. It wouldn't take a very observant man to notice all that had been accomplished in those few days of work.

Much to the surprise of the pledges, Work Week ended Saturday afternoon; Just in time to have the Pledge-Active Football game. Of course the Act-ives won by a phenomenal score.

ore. Our idea is to wear them down, then beat them down. (Of course the active officials didn't make matters worse for us.)

After the game, the boys retired to a wooded section down "63", and continued to celebrate the ending of Work Week in the grand old style (along with wieners). All this excitement and work from the past week, left some of the boys so tired that they couldn't even make it up the stairs to bed without the assistance of some of the more staunch members of the "House on the Highway."

That's all for now. No use writing more-it would probably just be "cut."

SIGMA PI

As usual, the migration from Rolla was evident this weekend as the guys took off for parts unknown. Some of the guys went to East St. Louis to marry alumni Larry Kickham to Denny Fisher, Saturday night. From the reports drifting back, Larry and the blushing' bride didn't cater to some of the antics of the boys. It seems some people didn't care for the bachelor party for the groom. How about that Denny?

Best man at the wedding was another old alum, Chuck Hewitt. He flew all the way in from the Army Chemical Center in Maryland to help seal the bonds. Chuck graduated with a B. S. in Physics in '52 and his M. S. in '54 and is currently studying for a P. F. C. with uncle. Even with all those brains and experience in the shaft, oops, physics dept. we couldn't get the answers to a couple problems in old 21.

Saturday was quite an experience for the lads who stuck around town. It seems a couple of frosh met some Rolla deba-tramps. In the the course of the conversation these (hah) fem-mes were invited to inspect some etchings.

As things turned out, the frosh will never live it down. Joe, it seems, must have been shot by cupid's arrow because Sunday he went to church to catch another glimpse of his lady love. And so is life. Basketball season has hit like a bomb, I will make one prediction for the team, even before they go into action. If the team scores a point for every pound of blubber they lose, we will have no trouble taking the trophy. George Tomazi.

"I'll teach you to make love to my daughter, sir."
"I wish you would, old boy; I'm not making much progress."

THETA KAPPA PHI

Well the girls have all gone home, the house is straightened up, and the decorations are torn down. The only evidence left of the Pledge Dance last weekend are the baggy, bloodshot, empty-looking eyes, droopy heads, and all around moldy conditions that most of the guys are in.

However this was one of the best Pledge Dances here at TKP in several years, with almost 40 real live girls here at the Cow House for the weekend. Started out with a wiener roast at Onyx Cave Friday night, and everyone had a real gone time, even if slightly smoky, thanks to the cooperation of the Highway Commission. Saturday afternoon everyone took off for a afternoon of fun at Meremac Springs.

That evening, the couples started to arrive at about 9 O'clock for the dance. The music was supplied by some cats called "The Aristocrats of Rhythm." Brother Gunther went crazy with his rubber-legged jitterbug. The "man from Wichita," Harry Cowan, cut loose on the drums during intermission to the tune of "Go man, go." Later T. M. and his little toot, along with Jerry Brueggling on the piano, played a few dances.

The highlight of the weekend was the arrival of "Knuckle" Carroll's date "Terry." The poor girl was so lonely for Knuck that she had to send him a air mail letter every day, and even sent a telegram so he would be sure and meet her. She was so happy to see him that he had to keep her locked up in a cage, in order to have some peace and quiet.

Aside from the dance, we tried to get rid of our cook last weekend, but she ducked the falling plaster in time. Our ceiling now sprinkles when she yells at the pledges to get to work. Also someone swiped a large quantity of food from the house this past weekend.

The Mu men are leading the intramural point standing as a result of placing second in both football and table tennis.

TRIANGLE

"Close your eyes or you'll bleed to death". This little bit of wit has been heard quite often lately, for the pledges have just completed one glorious, sleepless week of "fun." (?) I bet they haven't had such a good time in years. The trouble is they don't quite see the funny side of it - no sense of humor I guess.

Bill Schwalb and Joe Palovich put these boys through "fun" week, with the cooperation of the rest of us fun-loving actives. Joe and Bill have been a bit uneasy since the completion of their program. It seems that the pledges have wised up as to who was responsible for this bit of rough time and are out to take revenge upon them. They have such far-fetched ideas as to what shall befall these instigators. A person would almost think that they were inspired by a person of past experience, but of course we actives would never think of helping the pledges "do dirt" upon one of our fellow buddies-would we?

I think the pledges will agree that they did gain a lot by completing "fun week" and would do it all over again if they had the chance.

Well, everyone is all fired-up over Homecoming and is looking forward to having a fine time. A lot of things can happen in one week-end!

SIGMA NU

Brethren and Cistern,
We did it. We said we wouldn't be satisfied with second place this year, and we didn't have to be. As a result, our mantle is about five pounds heavier.

Although we can't really say we're sorry Theta Kap lost, we feel they couldn't have been better sports had they won. Congratulations on a good game well played both to Theta Kap and our own Snakes.

Things were rather quiet on the home front this past week-end, as a sizeable portion of our crew journeyed up the road to Mizzou to see how our other

half lived. What a week end. Wow! Gee Whiz! The decorations were great, the parade was fine, Richard Maltby was terrific, and they had a football game. Nothing.

Although we realize that they aren't nearly up to our caliber, we thought we might get a few crude ideas for our homecoming decorations. Again nothing.

News flash: Our own little treasurer, Paul Lemming, has gotten pinned, all by himself. Also nothing.

As we say farewell to October, I am reminded of that old Chinese proverb: A bird in the hand ticks.

and Dave Harbough went to a House of Bowly Burlesque in the Big City. Judging from the way he talked and told tall tales (they were tall because he could not reach them even standing on a chair), it was his first experience. Pledge Al Weinrich has his eyes full of stars. Says he is in love. Poor Boy, and only his first semester too.

A car air-conditioning compressor unit no larger than a football has a cooling capacity approximately equal to 24 household refrigerators.

KAPPA SIGMA

Seven boring days make me boring weak. Now that was a brilliant piece of deduction. Thing is, that is just exactly what last week was. The only remedy was a Friday night blast and the weekly migratory flight of the weekend Warriors. Curly Hill went to see his one and only in Springfield, Fred Ebling went to St. Louis to polish his newly lost pin.

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