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Davis Heads Slate of New Frosh Officers

New Brochure To Publicize The College

Mrs. Nellie Schmidt, admissions officer, announces that the college is preparing a new brochure to interest prospective students in Armstrong. According to Mrs. Schmidt the brochure will emphasize the fact that those entering Armstrong in the Fall of 1964 could be part of its first graduating class as a senior college in June of 1968. It will also describe senior college programs and plans for the new campus, and give information on activities, financial aid and admissions procedure.

It is planned that the new brochure will be ready for use at college night programs in area high schools.



New Freshman Class Officers: Angela Hebert, Secretary; Lynn Bernstein, Treasurer; Carolyn Yarbrough, Senator; Myrna Marcus, Senator; Jan Hancock, Vice-President; and James Davis, President.

Hancock Elected Vice-President

President James Davis will head the newly elected slate of Freshman Class officers. Jane Hancock, Angela Herbert, and Lynn Bernstein will assume the posts of vice-president, secretary, and treasurer respectively.

Also victorious in the Nov. balloting, Myrna Marcus and Carolyn Yarbrough will represent the freshmen in the Student Senate.

Nominations were made on Monday, Nov. 4 in the auditorium at a meeting of the freshmen with J. Harry Persse, Dean of Students presiding. Students voted the following Thursday for the candidate of their choice.

Nominees were as follows: For president — James Scheider, and Lynn Willey; for vice-president—Jane Hancock, Mary Elizabeth Conner, and Cathy Geisking; for secretary—Angela Herbert, Suzanne Rourke, and Carolyn Soell; for treasurer — Lynn Bernstein, Inez Burts, and Linda Street; for senator—Myrna Marcus, Carolyn Yarbrough, Everett Langford, Joy Moore, and Anne Powers. The primary requirement of each candidate was at least a "C" average by mid-term.

Angela Herbert, secretary, commented on her election: "I was surprised and honored at being chosen for this office, and I would like to thank everyone for their vote of confidence."

Glee Club Sings

The Glee Club, under the direction of J. Harry Persse, Dean of Students, will present a concert Dec. 6 at 8:30 p.m. in the lobby of the Armstrong building. All students are invited to hear the program.

Christmas music will highlight the evening. Selection which will be presented include the following: "Jesus, Jesus, Rest Your Head," "Now Is The Caroling Season," "Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella," "De Virgin Mary Had a Baby Boy," "Susan Belle," "The Twelve Days of Christmas," and others.

Debate Forum Travels to U. of Georgia

Debate Forum members journeyed to the University of Georgia on the weekend of Nov. 23 to participate in their second debate tournament.

Under the direction of Orson Beecher, head of the Department of History, the team was matched against other representatives

of many southeastern colleges and universities. The statement to be affirmed or denied was as follows: Resolve: "The Federal government should guarantee an opportunity for higher education to qualified high school graduates."

For their first tournament of the year, the team traveled to Mercer University in Macon. There they represented one of the 42 colleges who participated.

Headed by Jimmy Lange, president and senator, and Nancy Fields, secretary, the Debate Forum includes seven other members: Linda Thomason, Grace Goodove, David Seitz, Randy Thompson, Eddie Pigman, David Eunice, and Jimmy Thomas.

Anyone interested in joining the team should contact Mr. Beecher or one of the members. All the debaters find the trips very interesting and educational as well as enjoyable.

Carl Thompson, Dance Committee Chairman, says the scheduled date for the Homecoming Dance, December 27th, may have to be changed since a hall is not available on that date. The Dance Committee is now looking for a room on the night of the 28th of December.

**STOP POLIO
GO SUNDAY
DECEMBER 8**

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

MORNING CLASSES

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 4th

- 8:30 A.M. Classes which meet at 10:30 A.M. (All History 114 sections meet in Auditorium.)
12:30 P.M. Classes which meet at 1:30 P.M. except Chemistry 102.

THURSDAY, DEC. 5th

- 8:30 A.M. Classes which meet at 8:30 A.M. except Chemistry 101.
12:30 P.M. Classes which meet at 11:30 A.M. except Chemistry 101.

FRIDAY, DEC. 6th

- 8:30 A.M. Classes which meet at 9:30 A.M. except Chemistry 101.
12:30 P.M. All Chemistry 101 and Chemistry 102 sections and classes which meet at 2:30 P.M.

EVENING CLASSES

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4th

- 6:30 P.M. Classes which meet at 5:30 P.M. and 6:00 P.M.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6th

- 7:35 P.M. Classes which meet at 7:35 P.M.

Laboratory, physical education, and engineering examinations will be given at the last regularly scheduled class period prior to the day the regular examinations are scheduled.

Exams will be held in the regularly scheduled classrooms.



Masquers Musical Spoofs Twittering Twenties

Poor Polly! She has invented an unknown admirer to take her to the ball, and all her friends are expecting to meet him. What can she do? Then Tony appears. Naturally he is handsome and, as she finds out later, rich. They meet, boy gets girl, boy loses girl, boy gets girl. This is essentially the plot of *The Boy Friend*, which was the fall production of the *Masquers*.

Typed as the plot may sound, this musical was spiced by tunes like "You Don't Want To Play With Me Blues," "I Could Be Happy With You," and "The Boy Friend." Directed by William Starrs, the production was also brightened by the performances of John Brinson as Polly's father and James Lange and Lord Brockhurst, Tony's father.

Helen Blackwood and Jay Herin headed the cast as the two young lovers. Mary Louise Rose assumed the role of Madame Dubonnet, Polly's French school teacher, and Jane Hancock portrayed Lord Brockhurst's nagging wife.

Other members of the cast were Margaret Robertson as Maizie, Lynn Wyly as Dulcie, and Elliot Arnstein as Bobby. The chorus was comprised of Faye Kirschner, Liz Dempsey, Charles Calhoun, Neil Robinson, and Louis Mitchell.

The *Boy Friend* was a spoof of the type of musical that was popular in England during the 1920s.

THE INKWELL

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Flashback

A Chinese Poem
(from the *Inkwell*, April 12, 1955)

Nice night
In June
Stars shine
Big moon.
In park, on bench
With girl
In clinch.
Me say
Me love,
She coo
Like dove.
Me smart
Me fast
Never let
Chance pass.
Get hitched
She say OK.
Wedding bells
Ring, ring
Honeymoon,
Everything.
Married life
Happy Man,
Happy wife.
Another night
In June.
Stars shine
Big moon.
Ain't happy
No more,
Carry baby
Walk floor.
Wife mad,
She fuss,
Me cuss.
Life one
Big spat
Nagging wife
Bawling brat.
Me realize
At last
Me too
Damn fast!

Inkwell Spotlights Bradford

Yes, contrary to popular opinion, Mr. Bradford does have another coat. The reason he has been wearing the same one to class is that his winter wardrobe has been enroute for six weeks on a slow boat from London.



Mr. Ranny Bradford

Now you quite naturally ask why his clothes were in London when he is in Savannah. The answer is simple. Ranson Bradford, English instructor, has just returned to the United States after a year at the University of London, where he was studying English Historiography — methods of writing English history. Specifically, his studies were concerned with the connection between "attitudes of early 18th century English his-

torians toward the English Civil War, and the connection between their ideas and the Whig interpretation of history."

Bradford, who was previously a member of Armstrong's faculty in 1959-'60 is presently teaching English. He is a graduate of Armstrong and Emory University, where he majored in the Humanities.

During his year in England, he stayed at an International House, where students from 53 countries resided. He enjoyed meeting people of different nationalities, and was able to sample dishes made from recipes from all parts of the world.

Bradford travelled to many parts of Europe while he was abroad. Among the places he visited were Holland, Switzerland, Brigitte Bardot's haunt in the south of France (he never got to see B. B.), and Scotland and Wales, where he did some "rock-climbing."

He thinks Savannah is like a European city. He likes Armstrong because it is a small college, and he thinks that the "quality of student performance seems to have improved." He'd like "to do away with 8:30 classes," and he misses English beer.

Next year Bradford will return to London to complete his studies for his Ph.D.



Registrar's Office Initiates New System

A new system of pre-advisement and pre-registration has been initiated by the registrar's office this quarter to help prevent some of the congestion and confusion that usually accompanies registration. Formerly all students were permitted to pre-register, which meant that many changes were necessary at registration time. In the new plan only those who did not receive pink slips at mid-term were permitted to pre-register. The rest of the student

body was pre-advised only and will be able to register for the courses selected only if the results of this quarter's work permit. In this way, it is hoped, a minimum of changes in prepared material will be necessary.

Other changes to help reduce confusion at registration are also under consideration. For example, to alleviate the congestion caused by so many students arriving for registration at the same hour, a plan is being devised to divide the student body by class or by letters of the alphabet for the registration periods.

Registrar Jack Padgett says that on the whole, winter quarter registration should proceed with a minimum of delay and confusion, and will perhaps be smoother than the fall registration when IBM materials were being used for the first time.

'64 Geechee Under Way

The principal problem with the production of this year's version of the GEECHEE is a lack of manpower, according to faculty advisor Dean Harry Persse. But in spite of this handicap, with the nucleus of a staff formed by freshmen Barbara Jacobson, Myrna Marcus, and Lynn Bernstein, an impressive beginning has been made. A number of adds have been sold, tentative layouts drawn, and a cover design completed and submitted to the publisher.

The need for new staff members is acute, however, and Dean Persse asks that anyone interested contact him or any of the above students immediately, since one-third of the copy for the book is due at the printers by January.

IS YOUR PINK SLIP SHOWING?

Besides figures for the gross national debt, perhaps the most impressive current numerical totals on the local college scene are those compiled by the Registrar's office showing the number of pink slips mailed out at mid-term of the Fall Quarter.

The total day enrollment of the college is 629. Of this number 426 students received pink slips indicating a grade of D plus or below at mid-term. The total enrollment of the college, day and evening, is 784. A gross total of 713 pink slips were sent out making an average of almost one per student. The federal government may be in the red but Armstrong is definitely in the pink.

Job Opportunities

WANTED . . .

Several students to work at the Wearever Aluminum Co. See Steve Baker or go by SPS for further information . . .

Bag boys at David's Super Market during the hours from 8:30 a.m. to 1 or 2 p.m. Salary could go as high as \$30 to \$35 per week. See SPS . . .

Aspiring journalists! No experience necessary. All volunteers welcomed. Apply INKWELL and GEECHEE . . .

Holiday job seekers. See Harry Deal at the Georgia State Employment Service. He has requested that applicants be sent directly to him to avoid duplications via SPS. The stores are being contacted now and estimated openings are being lined up.

Interested in a full time job? Four are currently available: In accounts managing, in customer service, in mortgage banking, and in accounting. Check bulletin boards or SPS for details.

Join The INKWELL and GEECHEE Staffs

Publications Office

Room 202, Armstrong Building

Inkwell News Briefs

Mrs. Nellie Schmidt, admissions officer and Mr. Larry Tapp of the P. E. department represented Armstrong on the college day program at the Beaufort, S.C. High School on November 7th. Mrs. Schmidt also spoke to seniors of St. Vincent's Academy interested in college teaching on November 11.

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On Friday, November 28th, the Baptist Student Union will sponsor a talk by Mr. Jim Buie, a Baptist Summer Missionary to Thailand. The time and place will be officially announced later but the talk has been tentatively located at the First Baptist Church. Everyone is invited to attend.

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Students planning to transfer to the University of Georgia will be interested in knowing that the admissions office of the University no longer requires a personal interview for every new student. A prospective new student will be informed if the admissions office thinks an interview is necessary. However, it is suggested that students transferring to Georgia plan to talk to the Deans of the various schools during their annual visit to Armstrong in February.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST . . . A sterling silver bracelet with Florentine finish. Reward offered. Telephone: EL 4-1395.

Geechee Gazette Reaches Eight Foreign Countries

The Geechee Gazette, quarterly publication of the alumni office, carries news of happenings at Armstrong to alumni of the college literally around the world. Editor of the newsletter Community Services director Mrs. Mary Strong points out that copies are sent to alumni in such foreign countries as Honduras, the Philippines, Tanganyika, France, New Zealand, Chile, Formosa, and Indonesia.

The Fall issue of the Geechee Gazette will be forthcoming in early December and will feature the operation of the Registrar's office with its projected new IBM data processing system.

Geechees Lose Opener To Georgia Southwestern

Olsen Leads Geechees With 30 Points

A small but vociferous crowd watched at the Hellenic Center on Saturday evening as the Armstrong Geechees lost their season opener to Georgia Southwestern College 104 to 85. It was a fast game for the most part, and had the game ended at half-time when the Geechees trailed by only two points it could be called breathtaking. But, unfortunately, the second half had to be played and mounting passing miscues by the Geechees and just careless ball-handling finally took its toll, the two point difference became ten, twelve, and the fate of the Geechees became clear.

The first half was a see-saw defensive contest with neither side giving much ground. But somehow after intermission the Geechees lost strength as the Southwesterners gained it and the game ended practically a run-a-way. The fact that almost two-thirds of the winner's points were scored in the second half illustrates this clearly.

No matter what the Armstrong defense they could not contain Butch Watts, Southwestern forward, who scored 38 points on 16 field goals and 6 free throws. He was followed at a distance by Hardy Reid who totaled 18.

For the Geechees Larry Olsen

was the sharpshooter, sinking 30 points. Bubba Mock trailed him with 13 points.



Coach Larry Tapp gives pre-season pointers to Lane Hatcher, Bubba Mock and Larry Olsen.

At the outset it appeared that this year's Geechees would have something to offer besides the numerous losses that have plagued the team in recent years. Fast ball-handling and heads-up defense characterized their first half play. This may still be the case, for hope springs eternal in Geechee Gulch, but opening night jitters sure caught the Geechees on Saturday.

Armstrong Drops Second Game To Augusta College 86-70

On Tuesday, November 19th, the Geechees travelled to Augusta to take on Augusta College in their second game of the season. They returned with their second loss of the season as they were out-scored by the Augustans 86-70.

This second game was a curious reversal, by way of detail, of the fate the Geechees suffered at the hands of Georgia Southwestern in their opener last week. In the Southwestern game they trailed by only two points at half-time and fell apart gradually in the second. In the Augusta game they were headed at the outset and fell behind twenty points by half-time.

In the second half the Geechees out-scored Augusta by four points as their defense came on strong. But this second half surge could not make up for the twenty point deficit and the cause was lost.

Larry Olsen seems to be the only Geechee who shoots well consistently. Again he led the team, this time with twenty-two points, followed by Billy Smiley with sixteen. Only Olsen and Smiley scored in double figures for the Geechees.

As in the first game the Geechees were out-rebounded and also were behind in percentage of shots scored.

GEECHEE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 16	Saturday	GA. SOUTHWESTERN	HOME	
19	Tuesday	Augusta College	Augusta, Ga.	
22	Friday	NORMAN COLLEGE	HOME	
23	Saturday	MIDDLE GA. COLLEGE	HOME	
Dec. 7	Saturday	SOUTH GA. COLLEGE	HOME	
10	Tuesday	Brewton-Parker College	Mt. Vernon, Ga.	
13	Friday	GORDON MIL. COLLEGE	HOME	
Jan. 4	Saturday	Ga. Southern Frosh	Statesboro, Ga.	
10	Friday	Southern Tech	Marietta, Ga.	
16	Thursday	Abraham Baldwin College	Tifton, Ga.	
17	Friday	Norman College	Norman Park, Ga.	
18	Saturday	South Georgia College	Douglas, Ga.	
24	Friday	COLUMBUS COLLEGE	HOME	
28	Tuesday	BREWTON PARKER COL.	HOME	
Feb. 8	Saturday	AUGUSTA COLLEGE	HOME	
11	Tuesday	GA. MILITARY COLLEGE	HOME	
15	Saturday	ABRAHAM BALDWIN COL.	HOME	
17	Monday	Truett McConnell College	Cleveland, Ga.	
18	Tuesday	Young Harris College	Young Harris, Ga.	
Feb. 26, 27, 28, 29	Ga. Jr. College Tournament			Statesboro, Ga.

Homecoming Set For December 7th

Preparations are under way for Armstrong's 1963 Homecoming which will start with a Homecoming Parade and basketball game on the 7th of December. The parade is planned for the morning and the Geechees will play South Georgia College at 8:15 p.m. in the Hellenic Center.

Freshman Class President James Davis, chairman of the Freshman Homecoming Committee, announces that the parade will assemble in Forsyth Park and tentatively will move from there to Gwinnett Street, west to Montgomery, north to Bay and then to Bull and down Broughton Street,

to Habersham ending back at the park.

Judges will award a cash prize for the best decorated float and car in the parade.

Rounding out the Homecoming Festivities will be the Homecoming Dance set for December 27th. Faye Kirschner, dance committee senator, announced that the location of the dance has not yet been arranged.

To reign over festivities at the dance, a Freshman King and Queen of Homecoming will be chosen by the members of the freshman class at a meeting to be scheduled later.

New Cheerleaders Chosen

Three new cheerleaders have joined the cheering squad for 1963-64. They are Margaret Edenfield, Brenda Plyler, and Kathy Cox. They will join the veterans of the group, Jane Powers, Jean Powers, Jeane Williams, and Martha Tullis in leading sideline supporters of the Geechees.

The alternate cheerleaders selected were Marie Doyle, Bertha Goldman, and Beverly Waddell. These girls will be participating this year when the regulars are unable to cheer. Next year they will move up to the position of regular cheerleader.

A panel of judges, which consist-

ed of Mrs. Nellie Schmidt, Mrs. Dot Wade, Coach Tapp, Coach Sims, and J. Harry Persse, Dean of Students, selected the new cheerleaders.

The cheerleaders have elected as their captain Jean Powers and Jane Powers as their co-captain.

Both the regular cheerleaders and the alternates practice in the basement of the Armstrong building and are preparing for what they hope will be a very successful season for the Armstrong Geechees. They have already staged a pep rally in front of the "Dump" to kick off the 1963-64 season.