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FOUR GTC STUDENTS are being presented awards by President Zack S. Henderson in Honors Day program which took place last Monday in assembly. (From left to right) Phil Norton, Griffin, winner of the dramatics award; Faye Lunsford, Richland, recognized for her outstanding achievements in music; Libby Ann Martin, Brunswick, receiver of the freshman award; President Henderson, and Frank Saunders, Rocky Ford, winner of the annual essay contest.

Green, Hall Win Two Ball Games On Recent Trip

Joe Ed Green and Vondall Lee Hall won GTC only two road trip games this year as they pitched the GTC nine to a 8-2 and 8-4 win over the Piedmont team Thursday and Friday. Ace Little dropped a close one to North Georgia, losing 3-0.

Joe Ed Greene Pitching his last road trip game for the GTC team downed the Piedmont team 8-2. Giving up 6 hits and struck out 7. GTC collected a total of 10 hits to help them push across the plate 8 big runs. The hitting honors went to Warren as he rapped out one home run and a single for three trips at the plate. Vondall Hall won his 5th game of the season dropping the Piedmont boys 8-4. He gave up a total of seven hits and collected a total of seven batters.

Wallen helped the winning team by getting two hits and four runs batted in.

Ace Little who pitched a hit ball game Saturday at North Georgia lost a close one 3-0.

The GTC team got a small total of five hits and they were too far apart to produce any runs.

North Georgia scored one in the first two in the fourth. Wallen and Warren lead the GTC nine team hitting on this road trip getting 5 hits. Evans was third with 4.

HOME MANAGEMENT NEWS

Mary Flanders, Rockledge, entertained 16 faculty members and students at a hamburger supper on the lawn of

AlphaPsiOmegaIssues Invitations To Pledges

Alpha Psi Omega, national honorary dramatics fraternity, has issued invitations to 11 GTC students. At the same time two faculty members received invitations for honorary memberships.

Tommie Jean Corbett, director of the local cast, senior, Vidalia, announced that the following students have been pledged and will be initiated early the morning of May 22.

Rosie Ammons, senior, Brunswick; Cathy Holt, sophomore, Albany; Barbara Fossett, senior, Chicamauga; Fey Carter, senior, Sycamore; Mary Lulu Peagler, senior, Homer; Carl Tyson, Junior, Lennox; Max Estes, senior, Gay.

Jimmy Johnson, sophomore, Augusta; Christy Trowell, senior, Oliver; China Altman, Waycross; Peter Norboge, senior, Savannah.

Dr. Fielding D. Russell, chairman of the English division and Miss Dorothy Few, instructor in speech have been invited to accept honorary memberships.

After the initiation the entire membership will be honored with a breakfast at the home of Miss Frieda Gernant, associate professor of fine arts.

the Home Management House Thursday, May 6, at 6:30 p. m. This event was one of the special functions required of all students who live in the Home Management House.

Home Ec. Club Spring Retreat Plans Completed

Savannah Beach will be the setting for the annual Spring Retreat sponsored by GTC's Home Economics Club.

The retreat, which is an annual Home Economics outing, will be held May 14-May 16 at Turner's Lodge. The group plan to leave at 3:30 Friday, in cars driven by Mrs. Miriam B. Mor, club sponsor, Etta Ann Akins and Ann Davis.

Members of the Home Economics Club scheduled to attend the retreat include: Miss Ruth Bolton, co-sponsor of the club; Miss Betsy Meadows, Hilda Vaughan, Jewel Hart, June Miller, Mary Jo Jackson, Mary Flanders, Yvonne Jones, Betty Jean Betasley, Bertie Franklin, Lee Teboeu and Lila Ann Canuette.

Committees and chairmen in charge of arrangements for the Spring Retreat are: transportation, headed by June Miller; lodging, Hilda Vaughan; foods, Mary Jo Jackson; recreation, Ann Davis. All members worked with the committee chairmen on the various committee project.

Music Club Will Present Opera In Assembly Monday

The Music Education Club will present a short, light opera, "Down In the Valley," by Kurt Weill, Monday, in an assembly program. Dan Hooley, professor of music, is the director and the piano accompanist.

Mary Alice Jones, Melvin Seidel, and Archie McAfee will sing the leading roles.

Those of the cast who have speaking parts are: Edward Robbins, Frank Willis, Gene Roberts, Nell Pirkle, Fayrene Sturgis and Shirley Bragg. Other members of the chorus are: Micky Addison, Martha Lacy, Billie Kinchen, Shirley Morgan, Harriet Woodard, Betty Barnard, Betty Claxton, Miriam Kemp, Joy Hatcher, Sandra Glasgow, Joe Wodd, and Jim Glasgow.

Cathy Holt is in charge of the lighting. The opera is presented with a minimum of scenery, and is dependent upon the lighting for its effect.

Mr. Weill, the author of the opera, has written such Broadway shows as, "Nickerbocker Holiday" and "Lady in the Dark." In this opera, he has taken American folk tunes as a basis for the theme. The plot is based on the story told in the mountain ballad, "Down in the Valley," which is the execution of Brock Weaver, for the slaying of Thomas Bouche.

The chorus will appear as a congregation in a church scene, and then as dancers in a square dance.

The cast hopes to revive the opera next fall and take it to different high schools of the state.

Student Council Nominates Next Year's Officers

Nancy Armstrong, Decatur, was installed Wednesday as president of the Elementary Education Club.

Other officers for 1954-55 include: Shirley Bragg, Sylvania, vice president; Jo Ann Womble, Waycross, secretary; Nancy McIntosh, Waycross, treasurer; Shirley Hanson, Avondale Estates, reporter.

GEA Cabinet Holds Meeting

The first district GEA cabinet meeting was held at the Laboratory School May 12.

Julian A. Pafford, principal of the Lab School, stated that the purpose of the meeting was to study the APEG guide and bring the cabinet members up to date on the campaign to promote APEG.

Play Directing Class Presents Three Plays

Three one act plays will be presented by members of the play directing class in the auditorium Monday, May 24. These plays are cast and directed by students as a part of the play directing course.

A comedy, "Nobody Sleeps," by Guernsey La Pelley, will be presented as the assembly program Monday morning. This delightful account of an unsuccessful burglar is directed by Jane Seabolt, junior, Acworth.

The others will be presented at 8:15 Monday, May 24. Phil Norton, junior, Griffin, will direct a drama by Tennessee Williams, author of "A Streetcar Named Desire." This play is "The Unsatisfactory Supper," a story of a woman unwanted because of old age. Edna St. Vincent Millay's anti-war fantasy, "Aria Da Capa," will be offered under the direction of Max Estes, senior, Gay.

There will be no charge for admission to these productions. Students taking part in "Nobody Sleeps," are Kathleen Boyd, sophomore, Statesboro; Charles Mobley, junior, Grif-

fin; Eulita Carter, sophomore, Baxley; Rose Watkins, freshman, Hinesville; Mary Louise Rimes, sophomore, Statesboro. The cast for "The Unsatisfactory Supper" is Mary Louise Rimes, Frances Ammons, senior, Brunswick; Max Estes, senior, Gay.

"Aria Da Capa" will feature Phil Norton, Jane Seabolt, Carlton Humphry, sophomore, Milledgeville; Tab Smith, sophomore, Daisy; and Max Estes.

UNORTHODOX OBJECTS IN ART DEPARTMENT

Have you visited the art department lately? There are some of the most unorthodox objects ever seen at GTC in the hall leading down to the home economics kitchen. There is even an universe with all the planets existing in that area. How unorthodox can you get?

Tyson's Type

Look around you. What has been going on this year that you have missed out on. At the same time consider what you have gained during almost a year of college life.

Often students come to college without a direct and distinct purpose, and often, although they have established a definite purpose they exclude it when they arrive. They take the attitude that I will have a good time this quarter and next quarter I can really bear down and compensate for it in the future. When the next quarter begins the attitude takes place again with the individual saying I'll wait until tomorrow to do what I should do today. So goes the fate of the student's college education.

Others come to school merely because it is the thing to do these days and their parents can send them, thus delaying the time when they will have to support themselves. They do not have a feeling of responsibility or know the value of time. As far as they are concerned college is just four more years of life that can be enjoyed without having to exert energy. This type of person should not be in college for the simple reason that he is not mature enough to attend an educational institution.

Then you have the draft dodger who is simply wasting his time trying to avoid something that is inevitable. He is throwing away time that he will regret in the future.

I am sure there are quite a few who are caught in the middle of this circle of confusion. Why don't you take a look around you and establish your position.

No matter why you are attending GTC you are missing out on something that is without excuse. Maybe, some very little and maybe some a monstrous amount. The regular school year is almost over and it is late to start now, but why waste these few remaining weeks, although you have wasted almost an entire year?

So look around you and seek out objectives and accomplish them. Seek something that will make you more worthy and help destroy some portion of the regret that we will all feel in the future, concerning our college era. The theory, don't do today what you can do tomorrow, is a very inefficient method in college.

Why We Do Learn?

Why do we learn? One of the most important reasons is necessity. In college the average student learns in order to pass a course. That is his immediate necessity. He does not realize the real purpose of learning at a teachers college.

The basic necessity for learning is not to pass a course but is to acquire a supply of knowledge that he might be able to instill it into some of his future of students. This is tragedy of both the teacher and the student. The instructor has goofed away his time in college and lacks the knowledge to pass on to the student and the student is simply neglected.

As a graduate out on his own he realizes his mistake and the basic necessity becomes apparent to him, but it is too late, his college days and classes are gone and he has squandered nothing.

He will be very unhappy in his profession and his student will be the victim of another ignorant teacher. So learn while you may. It will pay off in the future.

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Student Teachers Are Observed By Dr. Rogers

Dr. George A. Rogers, professor of social science, spent Friday and Tuesday mornings observing off-campus practice teaching.

Dr. Rogers went with Dr. Marshall Hamilton, practice teaching coordinator, to Glennville to observe Frances Anthony.

The visitations are all part of the practice teaching program.

AAUW Banquet Held Tuesday

The annual banquet of the Statesboro branch of the American Association of University Women, was held in the private dining room of Mrs. Bryant's Kitchen, Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

New officers installed at the banquet-ceremony were Miss Leona Newton, president; Miss Ida Long Rogers, vice president; Miss Rebecca Parks, treasurer; and Miss Patti Crouch, secretary.

Steele Makes Appearances

Harold C. Steele, associate professor of biology, has recently been making appearance on radio and television, to speak of the writing of his book and the problems involved in getting it published.

Mr. Steele was the speaker for the Science Club meeting Monday. He spoke to the members of the club on the trials, tribulations, pleasures, and joys of being an author, and the difficulty encountered in having a book published.

QUAINT QUIBBLES

Just last week and English medical student accomplished something that had never been done before. He crashed the four minute barrier for the mile run. Yet he was just an unknown amateur who did something that had never been done before. He had set a record. It seemed almost impossible, but he conquered an objective that had been a dream of many men for years.

When a person does something that has never been done before, he is considered superior to all others in his field, but he creates a challenge for all other competitors. This is one of the most important things in doing the unequalled. It provides an incentive for others to reach an ordeal even higher.

Why couldn't we start creating some goals around Georgia Teachers College? Set some goals that seem impossible to reach thus providing an incentive for the future students who attend this institution. True they will not be of importance to the world and will not be flashed across the nation in high headlines, but they will be of importance to GTC. For the higher the goals the more there is to be accomplished.

Take a thorough look at GTC and see if you can find an objective in your field of work that seems almost impossible to reach. Then strive to conquer it. You may not excel as highly as the person who set the objective, but it would be well worth your time to try.

Advent of Ages

Today's youth in America has been termed "the apathetic generation." The advent of the age of scientific miracles has placed a great store of appliances before us. The great strides made in furnishing conveniences for home use has left little room for wonder or thought in our minds. We use radio, electricity, air travel, and all the twentieth century commodities as though they had always existed. We have no conception of a time when such things were not available and at immediate disposal.

In a sense, we are an apathetic generation—one without feeling. It is only natural that we should take an attitude of indifference to technological advances; we have never been without them. It is when this lethargic attitude steals into our social and educational activities that we should become alarmed.

This is the dilemma facing us at GTC. Students are content to attend classes occasionally, go home every weekend, and let everything else handle itself.

It is time to consider the possible ill effects of this attitude. Is it right for us to have no interest in campus activities? The common reply to this question is, "We have campus leaders and administrators. Let them handle it." But are they doing a good job? Apparently not, for no one is pleased with any campus activity.

Yet a great majority of us are content to sit back, criticize, and make no effort to improve. We seem to have lost all desire to think problems through and arrive at a conclusion that will benefit ourselves and others. It just doesn't matter.

The same is true of classroom situations. We are too eager to accept the word of a professor or some book without really coming to our own conclusions. We have lost all capacity to think for ourselves.

I have heard it said that GTC has a most compatible student body. Are we always this harmonious, or is it that we just aren't interested in the affairs of our campus? If so we can rightly be termed apathetic.

I challenge every student to wake up and observe life at GTC. It isn't natural for us not to wonder and think of ways of improvement. The best leaders available can't make GTC a better place without our help. Let's shrug off our apathy and lend a hand in making all phases of campus life better.

'Blue Tide' Comes to Life

Not too long ago the "Blue Tide" was a place of desolation, except when the mail bus arrived. It served as a post office and that was about the extent of its use except when supplies were needed, but every week night it really jumps for an hour or so beginning around 9:00 o'clock.

Installment of a juke box has contributed much to the activity taking place each night. Another reason is students have conceded the fact that a student center will not be constructed in the near future, so they are trying to make the best of use of the facilities in the "Blue Tide."

This assembling each night at the store is a step further toward a better social life at GTC and demonstrates, at least in one respect, students can make things better by merely trying if they really want to.

Maybe it is not much of a move toward more activity and cooperation on campus, but it is the only one that has been made apparent this year.

It Is Sandy

Prince Charming lifts his lady into the saddle, mounts behind her, and gallops off to the Ad Building. Swiftly they ride, across the grass to road, across the asphalt, and onto the desert sands. Then romance fades into struggle, and the struggle into the mere goal to reach the other side. Hand in hand, across the sand, pushing and pulling, weaving and dodging, they go as they try to make their classes on time.

These desert sands lie beside the dining hall on the way to the Blue Tide. Many a would-be class attended is discouraged by the struggle to cross this barrier on the way to class at 10:30. Many a couple by-pass this obstacle so as to make their walk easier and more pleasant. Scuffed shoes, bedraggled beaus, stifled coos, and black-feet blues result from the treak across this stubborn little stretch of terrain.

Gene's Gab

By GENE MEADOWS

Although he hasn't seen a great deal of action on the baseball team this season, Kenneth "Smiley" Gale has been one of the main stays on the baseball squad as far as spirit and moral support are concerned. Kenneth has given the team a tremendous amount of support by his willingness to work, ready wit, and almost constant smile.

Kenneth is ending up his second season with the Professors, transferring to TC from Brewton Parker J.C. where he won letters in basketball and baseball. Kenneth is from Darien and is a junior.

Continuing our brief sketch of the members of the baseball squad, we will also take this week, Howard "Bo" Warren and Vondall Hall, both freshman members of the team. "Bo" is starting off in center field in his first season of college play. He is doing a good job afield and is the fourth highest batter on the squad with a .250 average. "Bo" shows his versatility by also being a top man on the basketball court. "Bo" did his high school playing for Ludowici High School.

Vondall Hall, also a freshman and hailing from Wheelwright, Ky., has been giving the opponent batsmen plenty of trouble while compiling a 5 won and 2 loss record over the season. This gives Vondall the top percentage among the Professor pitching-corps. Vondall had one of the top pitching records in his state while pitching for his Wheelwright High School team.

The batting averages for the intramural softball league have been listed several times, but it seems as though the pitchers have been neglected. There are several boys who have been doing excellent jobs for their respective teams in the pitching department. Royce Mock has compiled the best record so far with a 4 won and 1 loss record, and Sonny Stephens is right behind with a 5 won and 2 loss record. Royce pitches for the seniors and Sonny does his mound duties for the freshman squad. Other players who have done a good job pitching are Roger Brown for sophomores and James Brinson for the junior class.

With the end of the double-header being played with Newberry College as this is coming off the press, the Teachers will close out their current baseball season. The team had only five veterans on the squad, three of them pitchers, with several freshmen and a few transfers rounding out the squad. Regardless of the outcome of these two games, the team has done a good job and we think it has been a very successful season.

Freshman Continue To Lead Softball League

The freshman continue to lead the Inter-Class Softball League even though they lost to the red hot juniors.

The juniors who had not won a game until last week came to life and won three straight, beating the sophomores 8-7, the seniors 12-9, and the league leading freshmen 6-3, before being stopped by the seniors 15-7. In a slugfest the sophomores coasted to their second win of the season by beating the seniors 21-11.

The freshmen lead the seniors 42 percentage points. These two teams will wind up the regular season of play on Tuesday.

	W	L	PCT.	GB
Freshmen	4	2	.667	—
Seniors	5	3	.625	—
Juniors	3	4	.430	1½
Sophomores	2	5	.286	2½

GEORGIA

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120 Turn Out For Faculty Picnic

The annual spring picnic for faculty members and their families was held at Lakeview, Monday, from 4:30 to 7:30 p. m. Approximately 120 faculty members and their families attended.

Preceding the picnic supper, those present participated in games and activities, which included volleyball, softball and horseshoes.

J. B. Searce, chairman of the division of health and physical education, was in charge of arrangements.

Movies Shown At Forum Hour

Movies of the past two homecoming parades will be shown as part of the program at the Wesley Foundation Forum Hour, Sunday night. This program begins at 7:15 p. m.; the bus will come by the dormitories at 7:00.

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PRETTY, PETITE MRS. MARILU MILLS, Avondale Estates, provides a queenly smile as she receives the crown as Queen of May during the annual May Day Program last week. Jo Starr, Greensboro, last year's May Queen relinquishes the crown to the new house of royalty while Yvonne Jones, Jessup, Maid of Honor, looks on. This was all a part of an elaborate program in honor of the new queen and the new season on back campus Friday.

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If everyone was as mixed up as the climate that we have been experiencing, everyone would surely be highly obfuscated. First it is hot, then cold, and then it is hot, cold, and raining at the same time. Students are wearing summer, winter, and rain clothing all at the same time. Say, maybe we are just as confused as the weather. Anyway we can attribute it to the weather.

The music department is presenting an opera next Monday. I am sure they will have a full house. You see it is being presented in chapel. They never quit trying. If they can't acquire a complete audience one

way they try another.

If there is a will there is a way. Seems as many at GTC have forgotten this.

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Savannah Group Tours Industrial Arts Department

A committee from Savannah State College made a tour of the GTC industrial arts department Tuesday to observe methods employed in teaching industrial arts.

The committee sought methods of instruction for the re-organization of the Savannah State College teacher education program in industrial arts.

Dr. Donald F. Hackett, chairman of the fine and practical arts division acted as consultant and explained to the GTC organization to the visiting committee.

SCIENCE CLUB

Together the Science Club and the Band are planning an all-day outing at the beach May 22.

Faculty Members Attend Supper

Members of the Student Council were the guests of Yvonne Jones, Waycross, at a buffet supper Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. at the Home Management House.

After the supper the senior members of the Council nominated officers for next year which are to be elected three weeks before the school year ends.

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