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## Activity Mounts As Frosh Orientation Progresses

About 45 representatives of the campus organizations are presently working with over 100 beginning freshmen as the annual Fall Quarter orientation programs continue.

Orientation activity began yesterday as freshmen were taken to their dormitories and rooms. On hand to offer advice were student assistants, student council members, student advisors, and officers of Phi Mu Alpha, Alpha Phi Omega, Gamma Sigma Upsilon, Alpha Rho, the Women's Recreation Association, and Kappa Phi Kappa.

Yesterday's program was featured by a "Galilean Vesper Service" at the pond.

The agenda continues today as freshmen will meet in McCroan Auditorium at 9 a.m. for chapel.

Following chapel, they will undergo an orientation preview in McCroan at 10:15.

Then they'll meet with their student and faculty advisors.

A break in the proceedings is scheduled tonight as the Statesboro Chamber of Commerce holds its annual "Welcome to Statesboro Reception and Dance" in the Alumni Building.

The dance begins at 8 o'clock and will be emceed by radio announcer Don McDougald. The dance will be featured by the awarding of door prizes.

Tomorrow morning, the new students will resume academic planning with their faculty advisors.

Freshman registration will be held from 2:00 to 4 p.m. tomorrow in the W. S. Hanner Building.

At 8 p.m. tomorrow night, a reception will be held in the Frank I. Williams Center at which the new students will meet the faculty.

Freshman testing will be held all day Wednesday. Wednesday night, the Georgia Southern College student council will sponsor a "Soc Hop" in the Alumni Building. The "Hop" begins at 8 p.m.

Thursday, Freshman testing continues until noon. After lunch, the newcomers will witness several lectures and panel discussions about the college.

A double feature free movie will be given by the student council at 8 o'clock Thursday night in McCroan Auditorium.

This weekend will be closed for freshmen according to the dean's office. In other words,

freshman will not be permitted to go home.

The lectures and panel discussions continue through Friday. A Freshman talent show, sponsored by Gamma Sigma Upsilon, will begin at 8:00 Friday night in the auditorium.

Saturday morning, Freshmen men and women will have separate (evaluation) assemblies.

Then they'll hear another panel discussion, "The Georgia Southern College Student Congress," in McCroan Auditorium at 10:30.

After lunch, the group will be given some recreation and "free time." During this time, they can go swimming, skating, bowling, play tennis, or play golf.

Saturday night, Phi Mu Alpha will sponsor a dance for all students in the Alumni Building. The dance begins at 8:30 and will continue until 11:00.

Sunday will be "College Student Day" in the Statesboro churches.

Next Monday, academic classes begin. Orientation activities will close Wednesday, Sept. 26, with church-sponsored picnic and supper.

Williams Center Sched. Released

This week's timetable for facilities in the Frank I. Williams Center was released today by C. R. Pound, director of the building.

The schedule for meals includes: breakfast, 7:00 to 7:45; lunch, 12:00 to 1:00; supper, 5:00 to 6:00.

The bookstore will be open from 8:00 to 12:00 and from 1:00 to 4:30, Monday through Friday, and from 9:00 to 12:00 on Saturday.

The post office is open from 6:30 to 5:00 Monday through Friday, and from 8:30 to 12:00 on Saturday.

A definite time schedule for the snack bar has not yet been established.

The building itself will be open from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m. every day.

Church Events

The Methodist Churches of Statesboro have announced plans to conduct two social events for the students and faculty of Georgia Southern College.

Pittman Park Methodist Church will hold a basket dinner following the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday.

The First Methodist Church is presenting "An Evening of Organ Music" at 8 p.m. Sunday. Jack Broucek, GSC music professor, will be at the organ. The music will be followed by a reception for college students.

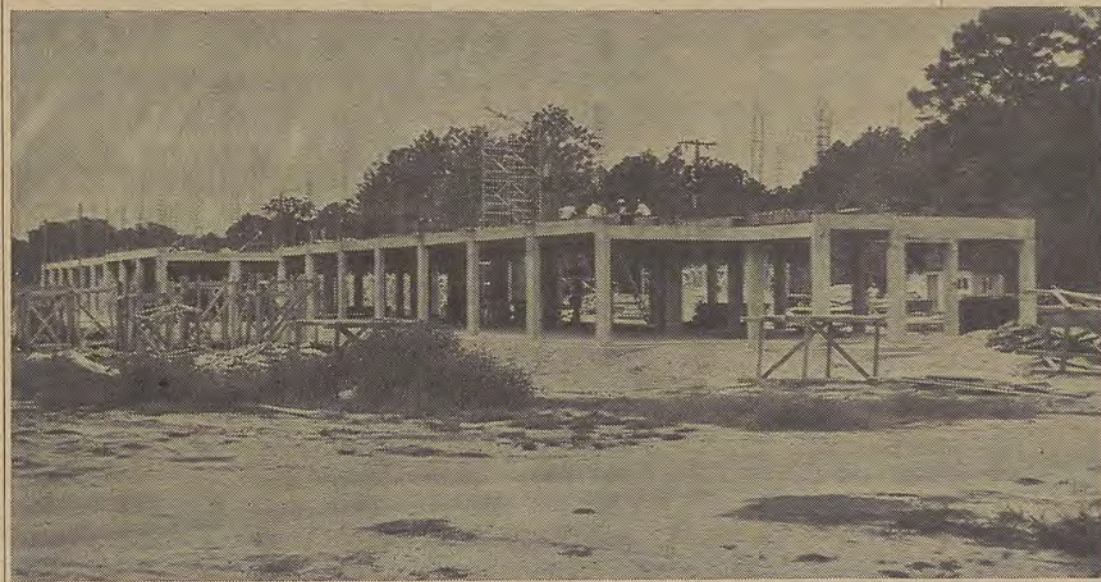
Cars Must Be Registered Here Before Thursday

"All freshmen driving automobiles to Georgia Southern must register their cars before Thursday, September 20," says H. H. Merriman, campus security officer.

Merriman will conduct auto registration beginning today in the front hall of the administration building. He asked that all students be prepared to give the name of their insurance company and the tag numbers of their cars before applying.

He went on to say that students planning to keep their cars on campus for only a few days must apply for a temporary permit. "Failure to register will result in a \$5 fine," Merriman said.

## Fall Enrollment To Reach Maximum; President Expects 450 Freshmen



WORK HAS BEEN INTERRUPTED. The construction sites of the two new dormitories at Georgia Southern pose a peaceful scene as an area-wide carpenter's strike has halted progress. In the top photo, the frame of the proposed women's residence hall is illustrated. The lower picture shows the beginnings of a new men's dormitory behind Sanford Hall.

## Dormitory Work Halted By Strike

An estimated 1850 students including 450 Freshmen will attend Georgia Southern College this fall as construction and renovation continues on the campus, according to Dr. Zach S. Henderson, president of the college.

Of that number, Dr. Henderson said that about 1184 will live in the dormitories. He said that the crowded situation necessitates the placing of three students to a room in every residence hall except Deal.

The president added that the new Lewis Hall annex will be used this fall thus providing for the housing of 78 more women.

The annex includes 26 rooms.

Meanwhile, an area-wide carpenter's strike has brought progress to a stand still on the two residence halls now under construction.

Dr. Henderson said that when the workers went on strike over two weeks ago, the dormitories were going up on schedule.

"We still hope to have them ready by September of next year," he said.

Rives - Worrell Construction Co. of Savannah is contractor for the dormitories.

Dr. Henderson said that when completed, the new dormitories will house 450 students at maximum capacity.

"With such facilities," he said, "the college could handle around 2300 students as far as housing goes."

"Classroom space, however, is holding us down," the president added.

He went on to say that four classrooms, two laboratories, and some office space have been added to the Herty Building by virtue of work done in the basement there.

He said that walls, air conditioning, heating, lighting, and other additions have been made. The work was done at an estimated cost of \$25,000.

The new classroom area will be ready for use this quarter. The president said that repainting has been carried out in all the dormitories.

Other construction work includes the laying out of a sidewalk from the area in front of the Frank I. Williams Center to the Carruth Building.

Dr. Henderson said that resurfacing of all roads on campus is set for next month.

## Chapel Program Is This Morning

About 15 personnel from Georgia Southern and Statesboro will participate in the chapel program for freshmen which begins at 9 o'clock this morning in McCroan Auditorium.

The prelude will be played by Mr. Jack Broucek, music professor, followed by the invocation given by Reverend Dewitt Shippey, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Next Mayor W. A. Bowen will welcome the freshmen to Statesboro, after which Dr. Zach S. Henderson, President of Georgia Southern College, will give the traditional freshman address.

After the address Dr. Henderson will introduce the following administrative personnel: Paul Carroll, Dean of College and Lloyd Joyner, Registrar.

Also: William Dewberry, Comptroller; Richard Mandes, Director of Public Relations; Mrs. Carolyn C. Gettys, Dean of Women; Ralph Tyson, Dean of Students; W. H. Holcomb, Dean of Men; and Dr. George Rodgers, Freshmen Class Advisor.

Assembly will close with Dr. Ronald J. Neil, Chairman of the Music Division, leading the freshman class in the schools Alma Mater.

The Assembly will be presided over by Ray Bowden, President of the Student Council.

## Annual Pictures To Be Taken At Registration

Class pictures for THE REFLECTOR, Georgia Southern yearbook, will be taken during registration this week, according to Marie Eubanks, editor.

A temporary photography studio will be set up in the front room on the ground floor of the W. S. Hanner Building (gymnasium), and students are asked to report there after signing for classes.

## Applications Due For P.O. Boxes

Applications are now available for box rentals at the post office window on the ground floor of the Frank I. Williams Center, according to Jackie Strange, branch superintendent.

Boxes are rented at 90 cents per quarter. The superintendent said that due to a shortage of boxes, students will be asked to share rentals.

The post office will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, and from 8:30 until noon on Saturday.

The schedule of mail departures and arrivals at the college was listed as follows: 7 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 3 p.m., and 5:10 p.m.



MISS GSC, Marilyn Hickox, strikes a novel pose in the picture above. Miss Hickox, now a junior, received her title in the annual homecoming beauty pageant last January.

## Organizations Looking For Freshman Talent

Tryouts for the Georgia Southern College Choral groups will begin Tuesday and Thursday, October 2 and 4, according to Dr. John Graham, choral director.

Dr. Graham said that all students interested in singing are invited to attend these tryouts. He said two groups will be organized this year a small group, chosen by auditions, and a larger group giving more students an opportunity to participate.

**Gym Team**  
The GSC gymnastics team, preparing for its third year of competition, welcomes any freshmen interested in joining the squad, according to Pat Yeager, coach.

"Anyone interested is welcome," he said.

Yeager said that varsity practice will get underway in about 10 days and that those desiring further information on joining may contact him in the W. S. Hanner Building.

**Band**

Tryouts for the Georgia Southern College band will be held soon in the band room of the music building, according to Jack Flouer, newly appointed band director.

Flouer said that a definite time and date for the tryouts has not been set but will be announced later via bulletin boards.

## "Anne Frank" On Fall '62 Agenda

The Georgia Southern Masquers plan to produce "The Diary of Anne Frank" fall quarter, according to Robert Overstreet, director of the theatrical group.

The play, an adaptation of the "Diary of a Young Girl" by Anne Frank, was written by Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett.

Anne Frank began her diary at the age of thirteen. She, her family, and four other persons, all Jewish, were hiding in the attic of a factory during the German occupation of Holland.

For two years they were unable to move, to use water,

utensils, or to speak audibly in the daytime. Their lives were filled with constant tension and fear of discovery.

At the age of fifteen, Anne and the rest of the inhabitants of the attic were found and taken to concentration camps, where Anne died.

During those two years Anne Frank grew up. Overstreet states that "she possessed all the qualities that allow humanity to endure—courage, faith, good-humor." He further asserts that the play is beautiful and poignant, and the fact that it is all true intensifies its beauty and poignancy.



LET'S MOVE TO OUTER MONGOLIA. That could have been the attitude in the dean's office as its personnel were swamped with hundreds of applications and letters from incoming students last week. Here Dean of Women Carolyn C. Gettys, Dean of Men W. H. Holcombe, and Secretary Jeanne Coleman, ponder one of the many problems faced at that time.



PENSIVE PULCHRITUDE. These are "Miss Georgia Southern College" and her court. Some have graduated, but some will rejoin GSC when upper classmen arrive Wednesday. They are (left to right): Diane Breland, fourth runner-up; Martha Jane Barton, first runner-up; Marilyn Hickox, "Miss GSC;" Beth Mock, second runner-up; and Angela Whittington, third runner-up.



# President Henderson Sees Big Year Ahead

The opening of Georgia Southern College in the fall of 1962 will make another milestone in the development of the college as far as enrollment is concerned. For some years the enrollment for each quarter has been larger than the preceding one and we are expecting a record enrollment for the fall



PRESIDENT HENDERSON

of 1962. With the increased enrollment it is necessary for the faculty and staff to increase accordingly so this fall we will have the largest faculty and staff we have ever had. It is a real pleasure to welcome you as members of the freshman class to the warm spirit and atmosphere of the campus at Georgia Southern. You will find many crowded

situations but it is our hope that the friendly spirit and the interest of the faculty and the students will be as real as it was when the student body was less than a thousand.

You will realize that in many respects life at college is different from your school life in high school. You will find that you will have to use your own initiative and make your own decisions in your school work as well as life in general. Those of us who have lived through college experiences realize it is one of the finest growth periods in life that comes to the individual who really uses the opportunities of college living.

I hope your freshman year here will be one in which you will use wisely all of your opportunities for another step toward maturity.

Zach S. Henderson

## FREE MOVIES

Double feature free movies set for Thursday night in McCroan Auditorium.

"The Male Animal"

and

"Where the Boys Are"

Show time is 8 p.m.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



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"IF YOU EXPECT TO TEACH FRESHMAN COURSES PROFESSOR NEWBLOOD - YOU'LL HAVE TO LEARN TO EXPECT STUPID ANSWERS!"

## The George - Anne

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THE SWEETHEART CIRCLE, beauty spot of the Georgia Southern campus, very appropriately greets newcomers as the first thing they encounter after passing the front gate. It's become a tradition in itself. When viewed from the air, this campus park resembles a valentine with its crown converging in front of the Administration Building.

## George-Anne Staff Bowden Attends Ohio Convention

The GEORGE-ANNE is looking for staff members and all freshmen interested are welcome to join, according to Roland Page, editor.

Page said that this year's first staff meeting will be announced this week to prevent conflicts with the orientation program.

He said that the date, time, and place of the meeting will be announced over the P-A system and on bulletin boards.

One of the first questions raised by freshmen after publication of the freshman issue of the GEORGE-ANNE is "why

such a name for a paper?"

Before this college became co-educational, its newspaper was called the TORCH. With the advent of a mixed student body, it was suggested that the paper should have a name representing both sexes on the campus.

Also, since the school was in Georgia, supported by the people of Georgia, and because the majority of students were Georgians, the name should pertain to the state.

The word Georgian was divided into two names, George-Anne, hence the name George for men and Anne for women.

## Former Freshman Tells Of Ratting

By MARIE EUBANKS  
Managing Editor

Editor's note: With freshmen arriving on the GSC campus in droves, it won't be long before their attentions will be drawn to the mysterious "Ratting" activities about which they've been hearing. We thought it might be interesting to compare their thoughts on the matter with those of a former "Rat." Marie Eubanks, who is now managing editor of the GEORGE-ANNE, gave this account of the arrival of Rats hats when she was a freshman two years ago.

Hurrah! After two weeks the "Rat" caps have arrived and we are now full fledged freshmen!

At last, we have the joy and privilege of wearing these glorious creations so low on our heads that they cause us to strongly resemble the wrong end of a football.

These small patches of blue enable us to call ourselves college men and women, to worry to death, and to fall the victims of sophomores.

What do freshmen do now that they have come to college? They gain weight, check the mail twenty times a day, stand at the end of every line, and consider the pros and cons of Rat Day.

Why do freshmen worry? Freshmen worry because they haven't received a letter in two days, because they're sure that they're doomed to failure, and because GSC allowed the sophomores to enroll.

What do freshmen notice around these days? They notice the evil gleam in a sophomore's eye as he says "Little Rat, be-

ware." What do freshmen say? They say, "What are they going to do to us?" What do sophomores say? Sophomores don't say anything they just laugh.

Fellow Rats, arise! The sophomores may make us wear these silly little beanies denoting ignorance and humility, but remember: we are a class composed of geniuses, athletes, and charming people.

We are of s-u-p-e-r-i-o-r intelligence and strength. We are the class of '64.

This week I received word from an upperclassman. Heed the message of the experienced. She calls her bit of advice "Beware."

That time of year is rolling around again Freshmen. Have you noticed it? I'm sure you have. Your once-friendly and lovable guardians from Gamma Sigma Upsilon are already beginning to grit their teeth.

You are not yet "full-fledged students" so you are "Rats" and as such must wear a "Rat Hat." Those little blue beanies are the first gusts of wind foreshadowing the stormy blasts of Rat Day and Rat Court.

Don't let Ratting get you down though. If you start feeling blue, just think; next year will be here before you know it with a new crop of Rats. Then YOU will be the ones to tell the poor, defenseless Rats to straighten their hats, etc. etc.

Ray Bowden, president of the Georgia Southern College Student Council, attended the 15th annual National Student Congress at Ohio State University last August.

Ralph K. Tyson, dean of students, said that Bowden's attendance there will "give us the chance to incorporate into our program ideas and purposes found in other student governmental organizations."

This is the first time GSC has sent a delegate to such a convention. Its theme was "Student Community: The Continuing Challenge."

Bowden, who was elected to his office last spring quarter, said that he was proud to be given the opportunity to attend and that he hopes he represented Georgia Southern admirably.

## GSC Enrichment Committee Begun

The formation of a standing committee of the Student Personnel Advisory Council to plan and to implement an Enrichment Program for Georgia Southern students has been approved by President Zach S. Henderson.

This committee will establish a series which will provide at least one cultural program for Georgia Southern College each quarter.

Operational procedures and monetary allotments have been made for the 1962-63 school year, according to Dr. Ralph K. Tyson, dean of students.

During the year, tickets will be printed for reserved seats of GSC students upon presentation of an identification card. Tickets will be made available for residents of the surrounding areas at \$1.50 for adults and 75 cents for children.

Faculty representatives to this committee are Jack Broeck, chairman; Robert Overstreet; Freida Gernant; Fred Wallace; David Ward and Ric Mandes. Student representatives are Don Nelson, Jane Weatherly, Sallie Bradford, Jo Carol Gettys, and Harry Reese.

This standing committee is another affiliation to the student personnel advisory council headed by the Dean of Students. Other committees relative to this council are Fencers Committee, Religious Activities Committee, and Scholarship and Loan Committee.

This issue of the GEORGE-ANNE is devoted almost entirely to the freshman. In this column, I'd like to carry on an informal chat with our new students.

Obviously, however, the chat can have only one speaker.

Since arriving here yesterday afternoon, you have been welcomed and wooed from all sides and directions. Naturally, I join the others in that welcome.

With that matter taken care of, I'd like to turn to one of more importance and less popularity—the responsibilities you will face as a student here.

I hope to "nag" you a little without leaving the impression that I'm a soap box reformer.

Acceptance of responsibility builds strength of character. And the greater the responsibility, the stronger you'll become.

Now that's an easy enough statement to make, and it's probably been quoted by every politician and academic official in the book.

I am, however, a habitual daydreamer and never before heard the phrase. It came to me the hard way, and perhaps the best way—through experience.

I'm still miles from the gate

to the degree of integrity I hope to develop within myself, but I'm even further from the meek, mixed-up, and scared youth that came here as a freshman two years ago.

I suppose progress has come through the realization that one Must study, one Must see so and so, and one Must do such and such, or be doomed to a very limited future.

It's a terrifying feeling to graduate from high school, put the pennants and the bobby sox in a closet, and wonder what's going to happen next.

Nothing's going to happen, unless you make it happen. You can't sit around and wait for things to come to you. I did for about six months, and for six months my hind quarters collected a staggering amount of dust.

"Light-up time" finally came around and I found the right path and the vehicle on which to travel it—acceptance of responsibility.

Because of its size, and the tremendous growth which it is undergoing, Georgia Southern College carries an abundance of opportunities for its students to place themselves in responsible

positions.

Nearly everyone comes to college with a great deal of talent or interest in at least one of the many areas open to him.

The shortest route to finding oneself is to find that area and cultivate it, develop it, and make your presence be known.

Whether your abilities lie in music, politics, art, journalism, photography, mechanics, athletics, or hundreds of other fields, there is a place for you on the GSC campus.

And persons of integrity, character, and leadership abilities are greatly desired in each field.

As I said before, find that field, and advance within it.

I must caution you, however, against taking on Too Much responsibility one must be aware of the limits of his capabilities, while at the same time he is expanding them.

Don't jump into too many things too quickly, and end up doing nothing well.

As I said before, welcome to college. I hope this will be a successful and beneficial year for you in social growth, personal improvement, and, of course, academic enlightenment.

## Regional Campus

By WINFRED L. GODWIN

Director, Southern Regional Education Board

A widely read national news magazine came out last week with a feather-in-the-cap for Southern economic achievement. But it ended on a note which some would consider a left-handed compliment.

In a story about regional economies in the U. S., the magazine article said, "The fastest-growing regions—the West and the Southeast—are becoming increasingly self-sufficient by developing their own industries such as metals, chemicals, refining and clothing."

Down toward the end of the article, however, was the thought provoking qualification—"In the South, many states are also doing well because they have wooed industry by offering tax breaks, low-wage labor, right-to-work laws."

Some political and business leaders will argue that these are long term inducements for economic development. Others call them a shifting sand of temporary benefits for industry. Most would agree that improvements in education, social climate and political stability are the rock base for permanent improvements in the economy.

There will soon be more concrete, factual material to back up this stand in the region. At North Carolina State College a study is under way, financed by The Twentieth Century Fund, which will serve as a guide to the South in building a strong economy for the years ahead.

Entitled, "Economic Development and Manpower Requirements in the South," the study is looking for knowledge about this region's transition pains during the change from an agricultural society to a modern industrialized society.

The study will analyze the human and material resources of the region, and will make a realistic projection of possible levels of economic activity, output and income in the South for the year 1975. The project will probably take two and a half years to complete and will cost upwards of \$250,000.

The new study springs from intensive examination of the Southern economy following World War II. At that time war plants operating in this region had acquired businesses with the obvious benefits of our state—good climate, sufficient inexpensive labor supply, plentiful raw materials. But as the nature of industry changed, people alert to the problems and opportunities of the South became concerned about the holding power of our "natural assets."

In an introduction of the new study undertaken at North Carolina State, The Twentieth Century Fund said:

"The South is the largest low-income region in the country. It has the most rapid rate of natural population increase of any region of comparable size. Yet it is woefully short of capital; it relies heavily on nonchanized agriculture; and its industry, though expanding significantly, is preponderantly

of a type that is highly competitive and heavily dependent on low wages."

It is in this character of Southern industry, as opposed to the dynamic industries of 20th century technology, that there lies a special challenge for education. The region which will prosper in the future is that one which produces the manpower to conceive of new industry, to make better use of existing industries and to further develop all of our uses of technology.

Vannevar Bush, noted scientist and honorary chairman of The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has said of the world of new industry:

"The lot of the poorly educated or insufficiently skilled, always hard, will become harder. The man-in-the-rut, who loses his rut, will need retraining at society's expense and, as we have already come to know, the retraining will not always take."

The colleges and universities of this region will bear a large part of the burden for training and retraining our citizens of the future. They can do the job only if we prepare them now with the best thinking, the soundest planning and the most visionary principles of which we are capable.

### Basketball Schedule

#### GEORGIA SOUTHERN COLLEGE

December 1	LaGrange College	Statesboro
December 6	Stetson University	Deland, Florida
December 7	Rollins College	Winter Park, Florida
December 8	University of Tampa	Tampa, Florida
December 15	University of Tampa	Statesboro
December 17	Presbyterian College	Savannah
December 27-28-29	GEORGIA INVITATIONAL CLASSIC	Savannah
January 3	Pikeville College	Statesboro
January 5	Stetson University	Statesboro
January 7	Troy Alabama State College	Statesboro
January 10	Oglethorpe University	Statesboro
January 15	Presbyterian College	Clinton, S. C.
January 19	Mercer University	Statesboro
January 21	Jacksonville University	Jacksonville, Fla.
January 26	Cumberland College (Homecoming)	Statesboro
January 28	Rollins College	Statesboro
January 31	Belmont Abbey College	Gastonia, N. C.
February 2	Pikeville College	Pikeville, Ky.
February 4	Carson-Newman College	Jefferson City, Tenn.
February 9	Belmont Abbey College	Statesboro
February 12	Mercer University	Macon
February 16	Davidson College	Statesboro
February 21	Oglethorpe University	Atlanta
February 25	Jacksonville University	Statesboro



ALL IS NOT ROSY FOR THE FRESHMAN. A sneak preview of coming attractions shows last year's rats in their "formal attire" taking their P's and Q's from the "sovereign sophomores."