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COLLEGE SENDS GIFTS TO ALUMNUS IN IRAN

Around the first of November, Brother Hardeman had a letter from Brother Alexander Kh. B. Yohannan, of Rezaich, Iran, a Freed-Hardeman alumnus of around thirty years ago. The letter was dated September 8, and reads, in part, as follows:

"Dear Bro. Hardeman: Dear Sir, my beloved Brother in Christ Jesus I am sending you my intensely endless love. I am hoping from our dear Father this my small letter it will find you quite happy. The God of heavenly give you joyful life in this world and in the world to come. . . ."

"Dear Bro. give my best regard to all brethren and sisters in Christ Jesus, please brethren remember us in your prayers as we do the same for you all. Still I am doing my Christian duty preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ to the poor sinners. . . ."

"Dear Brother Hardeman you have forgotten us but I never forget you do you. It is very hard time for us everything is very expensive. Kilo of sugar 6 dollars, the yard of clothing 55 dollars, wheat tomatoes potatoes wood for stove mostly everything is very high and costly. The God Himself have mercy upon us. . . ."

"Give my best regard to the faculty of Christian College. Physically I am strong. I am spared for His own good cause I am 60 years of age. If you see me you will put me 45 years of age. Since I have left U. S. A. I have not change so much. . . ."

Brother Yohannan also suggested two items he needs very much—a watch and a fountain pen. Brother Hardeman read the letter in chapel and asked the cooperation of students and faculty in securing the two items. A good Elgin watch (pre-war) was located, as well as a Sheaffer fountain pen, and they were sent to him along with a cash donation of around 20 dollars left over after the purchase of the watch.

This is our first communication from Brother Yohannan since about 1940. So far as we know, he has remained faithful to his work, as he was when he came here from Persia many years ago.

Brother W. S. Lively Dies At McMinnville

Brother W. S. Lively, known better as "Dad," died on October 26 at his home in McMinnville, Tenn. at the age of 88. He was a long-time friend of Freed-Hardeman, and his youngest son, Billy, now on sea-duty in the Pacific is one of our graduating class of 1942. Brother Hardeman conducted the funeral services on the afternoon of October 27.

Brother Lively, called the "Dean of American Photographers" was one of the outstanding men in his field. A picture of him has hung in our library for several years, and the prize-winning picture by him, "If by Reason of Strength," has adorned our Mason Bible room for the same time. His death was mentioned in Time magazine of recent date.

His interesting and brilliant career was reviewed briefly in the Commercial Appeal as follows:

"Mr. Lively, many of whose pictures hang in the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, experimented through the tin-type era

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Major Terry Home After 35 Missions

Mac Terry '36 reached his home in Henderson the middle of October, modestly wearing the coveted gold oak leaf of a Major in the U. S. Army Air Corps. He has been stationed in England since June, 1943, whence he has made 35 official missions. More than once, reports of his valor have come from the Army news service to our local newspaper. He has also earned the Air Medal with 5 clusters, the Distinguished Flying cross, with 2 clusters, a Presidential Citation and a position on several courts-martial while abroad. At first a squadron leader, he became wing leader. His missions were mainly over Berlin; some of them were shuttle trips to Africa via Europe, then back to England via Europe.

Mac attended FHC for his first year of college work, then graduated from Cumberland University Law school, at Lebanon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Terry, both alumni, and the brother of Mary Madeline Terry, '34. He entered the Air Corps on October 2, 1941, beginning his training at Maxwell Field, Alabama. From there he was sent to Ocala, Fla., then to Greenville, Miss., and received his wings at Columbus, Miss., in July, 1942. A few days afterward, he was married to Doris Hardeman '39, at her home here. His bride accompanied him then to other fields for special courses. They went to Wendover, Utah, and to Boise, Idaho, where he became a first lieutenant. On his departure for the European theatre, Mrs. Terry returned to Henderson, and here their daughter, Judith, was born in January of this year. At present Major and Mrs. Terry are in Miami, enjoying his furlough.

Mac looks extremely hearty and well. He has gained weight and is steady of nerve. Always reticent, he talks little about his exploits. Of fear he says: "When frightened? From the time you start until you get back." His greatest danger came over Berlin, where one had to "go right through—there was no way to avoid trouble and still hit the target."

Speaking Honors Won By Ottis Castleberry

Doran, Kennedy, In New Positions

Freed-Hardeman Alumni are stirring, there's no doubt of it, and making the world conscious of their efforts. Ottis L. Castleberry '43, now a senior in Pennsylvania State College, majoring in speech, has made us very proud of him by the significant honors won in debating and kindred activities. Last year one of the Birmingham papers had this to say of him: "Ottis L. Castleberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Castleberry, 2007 Eighth Ct. s, placed first in the upper classmen's speaking contest conducted by the varsity debate squad at the Pennsylvania State College. Castleberry, who spoke on universal military training, was awarded a gold watch charm gavel. He is a sophomore, majoring in speech."

Later, Ottis was one of four

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White House and Navy Discussed By Alumni

On October 17, Brother Hugo McCord '31, of Dallas, then in a meeting in Jackson, Tennessee, came down to be our chapel speaker. He was accompanied by Brethren Howard Parker '40, of Central Church, and Frank Van Dyke '37 of Highland Church, Jackson. Brother Parker led the chapel song, and Brother Van Dyke, the prayer.

Brother McCord, who lived and preached for a number of years in our National capital, began his remarks by observing that the FHC faculty had not improved since his day—"they still put studying first, before courting." The theme of his speech was "My White House Visits," of which there were three. The first was a mass visit by the 450 preachers in the city of Washington. The second was a New Year's tea, which he and Mrs. McCord (Lois Henderson '31) attended. The third visit was a personal one to Mrs. Roosevelt, when he presented the First Lady with a handsome Bible, which she accepted graciously. All this was related in a very interesting manner.

Navy Day, Oct. 27, occurred when Seaman Joe Hardeman Foy was on his first visit home from his Navy V-12 course at Georgia School of Technology. When asked to appear in chapel on that day, he very appropriately took as his theme the story of our country's navy. He traced its course and importance from colonial days, through the John Paul Jones and Stephen Decatur eras, through the Merrimac-Monitor contest and our first exploits in the Philippines, down to the wonderful fighting organization it is today. The history was told fluently and salted with a dash of humor.

TWO NEW BABIES

On Oct. 18, a son, Joe Hilliard, Jr., was born to Addie Suggs Hilliard '28 of Huntingdon, Tenn. This is her third child. Her oldest, Nancy, is 9 years old. The second, a little boy, she found abandoned on her doorstep as an infant, four years ago.

Late in October, a small daughter, Rebecca, weighing nearly 8 pounds, came to be Page Four in the family of the Thomas Nelson Pages '41, now of Worcester, Mass. She has a brother, Lawrence Hardeman, now over three years old.

Armistice Day Program Honors Gold-Star Soldiers

Saturday morning, November 11, our chapel period was devoted to a memorial service in honor of four of "our boys" who have lost their lives in the war, all since last spring. Relatives and special friends of these soldiers were invited. Mrs. Hamilton had arranged a beautiful vase of mixed chrysanthemums at the front of the auditorium, on the back of the grand piano. It was flanked by pictures of the four honorees. The program was as follows:

"There is a Place of Refuge"—Song by Assembly.

Prayer—Bro. W. C. Hall.

Poem—"Commemoration Ode"

—Mrs. W. O. Folwell.

Special Memorials:

1. Gilbert Harris—

Bro. J. T. Rivenbark

2. Neal Ratliff—

Bro. J. R. Endsley

3. Wayne Lindsey—

Bro. C. P. Roland

4. K. D. Lowrance, Jr.

Bro. L. L. Brigrance

Patriotic Song—Student Chorus

CHINESE VISITOR LECTURES

Interesting indeed was the visit of Miss Alice Wong Jew, Chinese native of Shanghai. Miss Wong Jew, a very sincere and charming individual, came to the United States six years ago and has received her master's degree in the English language from George Peabody College. She is a personal friend of Madam Chiang Kai-Shek.

She visited here as the guest of the Demonstration School and the Workshop of Teachers of Chester County Rural Schools on October 12. Her visit afforded an apt culmination for a unit of study on China, completed by the students of the Demonstration School. Her objective in connection with the Workshop was the giving to teachers things she wanted taught about China.

Handmade articles produced in China were displayed and sold. All benefits derived from their sale, above expenses, are donated to China Relief.

Miss Wong Jew graciously expressed gratitude for the material aid afforded China by the United States. She states, however, "we do not want you to feel sorry for us or to take a paternalistic attitude. We are people, just as you. We want your assistance because you love us and are interested in us."

She was particularly interested in the Bible study program at Freed-Hardeman. She expressed herself to the effect that she had never "observed such an experience." She expressed her desire to be some day a "part of this study."

Her afternoon talk in the chapel hall was enjoyed by a large group of college students and planted seeds of appreciation for China and her people.

Two Meetings Held By Bro. Hardeman

In line with his usual custom, Brother Hardeman accepted two meetings scheduled for this fall. Both short, the first was held at Lebanon, Tennessee, October-15-25. While there, he not only preached to splendid crowds, but

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"Tricks and Treats"

The faculty entertained the student body with a very gala party in the gymnasium to celebrate the Hallowe'en season. Monday evening, October 29, found many weird-looking creatures roaming about the campus of FHC.

Eek! Help! Oh! Such were the sounds that issued from the dark interior of the entrance, as small groups were allowed to pass. It was later discovered that in the darkness the entrants were being presented the parts of a dead man's body. (Strange, but we have never found out who died for the occasion.)

The gym was decorated beautifully in the traditional Hallowe'en colors of orange and black. Autumn leaves, cornstalks, and pumpkins gave the necessary touch of fall. In the center was a tent built of cornstalks. "Madam" Kitty Lowe presided there and during the evening peered into the mysterious future, telling the fortunes of those present.

While music was furnished by Matilene Jones on her accordion, those in costume paraded and the judges picked the most cleverly dressed persons. Jack Crone appeared as the "Missing Link in Evolution" and was awarded first prize. He was an astounding animal, neither fish nor fowl, in green scaly hide, set off by white belly, enormous protruding snout with alligator-like jaws, and a long tail. Marietta Mitchell, who was awarded second, was a typical southern mammy, with corn-cob pipe and two little pickaninies. Elmer Van Cleef, as the Robot Christian, and Oran Rine, as a maiden lady, made the cleverest couple and were so rewarded.

Willene Peters and Ralph King helped entertain by taking some very unique pictures while Imogene Bulliner and Jeannette Simmons assisted those who like to fish to catch some grand trophies.

The round of events ended with the serving of ginger cookies, apples, and hot chocolate.

VIKING SONGSTER

On October 19, in the course of a chapel program conducted by Phi Kappa Alpha society, John Iverson, of Horton, Kansas, sang a song in Norwegian, the native language of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Iverson. He accompanied himself on the piano, to make a number very unusual and thrilling to the audience.

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LOYALTY

Behind every ideal and even behind every individual there is that fundamental known as loyalty. Without it, few undertakings have been successful and if there is truth with it, all must go well.

We hear very much about patriotism or loyalty to one's country. We set forth ideals of democracy and traditions to which we cleave, and when separated from them, we fight with might and main to preserve those endearing principles. Men who were loyal to America stand forth as heroes—Nathan Hale, Abraham Lincoln, and Colin Kelly. On the other hand, such traitors as Benedict Arnold and those Americans who broadcast for Berlin, are severely condemned.

Another loyalty often spoken of in post-college days is that to alma mater—ours will be Freed-Hardeman. But never should we wait until those times to hold forth its ideals, but even while we are here, we should rocket them forth into skies of glory so that always we exalt our College in the eyes of others.

But towering above all these standards of loyalty is that to God Almighty, Creator of the universe. Holding forth ideals of Christianity we should march on through the ages, proclaiming to the world the Word of God.

Forgetting, to a certain extent, loyalties to man, we must ever keep our face to the goal and press on to heights of loyalty even as von Kartz wrote—

To God, the Father, we must look
For blessings true and great
Keep high the torch of loyalty
Shine forth, O Golden Gate!

F. H. C. Weddings

Alumni weddings are constant news. We have five more to report in this issue of the Sky Rocket. For lack of confirmation and details, we failed to publish hitherto the summer wedding of Dorothy Jean Mauldin '44, and Burton Camp '45. They are living in Abilene, Texas, and attending college.

Charles Plum '44 married Lillian Dougherty in August. He now preaches near Parkersburg, West Virginia.

On Sept. 2, Deurelle Crouse '43 formerly of Henderson, but now of Memphis, was married to Wagon Officer Ray Kaltreider, of Jackson, Tenn., at her home. The bridegroom recently returned from 39 months duty with the navy in the South Pacific.

Neldred Vernon '41 was married to Sergeant Burl Parrish, of Lacey, Tenn., and the U. S. Army, on October 15, in Corinth, Miss. Since graduation, Neldred has been teaching in Crockett county. She wore for her wedding a blue suit, with shoulder corsage of roses.

One of our most interesting nuptials was the wedding of Irene McCaleb '30 formerly of Hornersville, Mo., but now of St. Louis, to James B. Gill, of the Government Service, soon to be inducted into the Army. Mr. Gill has been stationed in Panama for around two years. His return to the States was rather sudden, on Sept. 28, and the wedding occurred next day. The ceremony was performed by Brother Truman Carney '32 at Spring and Blaine Church of Christ in St. Louis. Irene wore powder blue, with gardenias in her hair and at her shoulder. She has been a staunch alumna ever since graduation and Freed-Hardeman has many reasons to be grateful for her loyalty and cooperation in connection with the Arkansas-Missouri Alumni group. The only thing that really dismayed her in connection with her wedding was that she had to apply for the license—as the groom had instructed

TWO MEETINGS—

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spoke to the Rotary Club, the Lions Club, the High School, the Grammar School, and Castle Heights Military Academy.

On November 10, Brother Hardeman went to Muskogee, Oklahoma, for a ten-day meeting. On his return trip, he will pay a short visit to Brother and Sister Akin, at Longview, Texas. In his absence from school, Brother Jim Cope carries on his classes capably.

BROS. W. S. LIVELY—

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after starting his photographic work at 19 years of age.

"Construction of a camera 11 feet long, 6 feet wide and 5 feet high, the world's largest at that time, was one of Lively's earlier experiments. The camera made pictures on glass 30 by 60 inches, or one-third larger than life size.

"He founded the Southern School of Photography here in 1904, and operated it until it was destroyed by fire in the '20s. Salon honors at the Daguerre Memorial Institute were won by pictures made at the school for 10 straight years, an accomplishment that at that time had not been duplicated.

"A reunion here in McMinnville in 1936 brought hundreds of Lively's former students from throughout the United States.

"He is survived by his widow, three sons and a daughter."

ed her by phone, on reaching Brownsville, Texas. Otherwise, the wedding would have taken three days more of his precious leave. "Not being very well versed in that line of thing, I didn't know which way to go." But as Irene wrote, "You won't put that in the paper anyway." We had been begging her for permission to announce the engagement in the Sky Rocket for more than a year. The Gills' address is 8673 Litzsinger Rd., Brentwood 17, Mo.

Preacher Paragraphs

Some very interesting and well-delivered talks have been made recently in the Preachers' Club by the preaching "boys." Friday, Oct. 6, the speakers were H. E. Johnston, Evert Pickartz, Pat Hardeman, Paul Hall and Earle West.

Second-year students made up the program for the following Friday, Oct. 13. Their experience showed in their speech. The speakers for that night were H. A. Fincher, Jim Brasher, Paul Brock, Eddie Wolven and Don Taylor.

First-year students appeared before the club the next Friday night, Oct. 20. This was their first appearance before an audience of that type. Ralph Price, Harold Hill, Trice Dickson, Lowell Blasingame and Wesley Jones were the speakers.

A debate featured the following Friday, Oct. 27. The question was, Resolved: The Scriptures teach that Holy Spirit baptism is for all Christians and removes in-born sin or evil nature. Clinton Hamilton did a good job in upholding the affirmative and Robert Darnall came back forcefully to disprove the resolution. Many Scriptures were given by both debaters.

On Friday, Nov. 3, some fine points were presented in the

speeches also. Don Gardner, J. F. Watson, Ralph Kidd, Earle Richardson and Billy Harris were speakers at this meeting.

Several of the young preachers have been going to various places near here to fill Sunday appointments since the beginning of school. Some of the preachers and their appointments are as follows: Lowell Clark, Mount Zion, Valdosta, and Jacksonburg, Alabama; Wayne Coats, Booneville, Hills Chapel, New Bethel, Miss.; John Iverson, McConnell, Tenn., and Tusculumbia, Ala.; Glenn Hargett, Lone Cedar, Leighton and Gledale, Ala.; Billy Hammontree, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Ward Hogland, Madison, Ala.; and Booneville, Miss.; Billy Humble, Monett, Mo.; Eugene Safford, Richpond, Ky., and Paris, Tenn.; Stanley McNery, Columbus, Miss., Jasper, Ala., Cardwell, Mo., and Mayfield, Ky.; Sol Morgan, Cannon Creek, Tenn.; B. C. Morton, Macedonia, Tenn.; and Paul Hodges, Corinth, Tenn.

The campus was saddened on the morning of Nov. 9, when news came of the death of Mrs. Calvin Van Hooser '25 of Knoxville, Tenn. She is the sister of Earle Richardson, one of our present "Akin boys," and the wife of a valued alumnus of 1938.

Philomathean

The Philo officers for the second six weeks are as follows: president, Hubert Showalter; 1st vice-president, Bill Humble; 2nd vice-president, Janet Whitehurst; secretary, Virginia Perkins; and sergeant-at-arms, Talmadge Holt.

At almost every meeting new members have been added to our society until now it has quite an array of talent.

Sigma Rho Society

The Sigma Rho society elected on Monday, October 29, the following new officers to serve for the next six weeks: Wayne Coats, president; Paul Brock, first vice-president; John Maples, second vice-president; Shirley Bedwell, secretary; and Oliver Murray, reporter.

Many programs, both profitable and enjoyable, have been given thus far. One among such was a comical trial with Eugene Sofford acting as judge, Clinton Hamilton as lawyer for the defendant, and Paul Brock as lawyer for the plaintiff. Several cases were tried and sentence passed by Judge Sofford. Other such interesting programs are being looked forward to.

A. C. E.

The Association of Childhood Education has gotten under way this year with the following officers: Miriam Leeper, president; Lu Patten, vice-president; Maxine Mercer, secretary; Evelyn Goodrum, reporter.

For the second meeting, the club met at the home of its sponsor, Mrs. Foy. She gave a very interesting discussion on "Woman's Part in Rebuilding the World," which subject had been decided upon as our theme for the year.

We are looking forward to many interesting and educational programs, sidelined with clean, Christian, entertainment.

Most of us can fool ourselves easier than we can fool others.

To get on a man's friendly side say, "I've always admired your judgment."

Future Executives Hold Meeting

Tuesday night, October 24, the Business Council, supervised by Bro. W. O. Folwell, met in the Commercial room to organize and make plans for the year. After a brief discussion of the functions of this club given by Bro. Folwell, election was in order. Selected to lead the group were H. A. Fincher, assisted by Ettie Spears, 1st vice president; Kathleen Tucker, secretary; Talmadge Holt, sgt.-at-arms; and Jo Logan, reporter.

Flo Cox and Janet Whitehurst were chosen for the program committee. Jimmy Brasher and Nadine Platt are in charge of membership.

On November 7 occurred the first regular meeting. The program was composed of a talk by Flo Cox on "Future Adjustments in Business Education;" "Chuckles," by Marcann Neece; a speech on Advertising by Jo Logan; an advertising quiz, directed by Janet Whitehurst and won by Wayne Hammontree (the prize was a package of Dentyne chewing gum.)

Jimmy Brasher and H. A. Fincher concluded the meeting with an exhibition of their super (!) pump-handle salesmanship.

Homemakers' Club

The Homemakers' Club had its regular bi-monthly meeting in the Home Economics department Friday night, November 3.

There was a short business meeting, presided over by the president, Lu Evelyn Patten. It was decided that the club would sell hamburgers to the girls in the dormitory on Saturday night. Joanna McClellan, secretary of the club, read the minutes of the past meeting and called the roll.

Mrs. Powers, guest speaker for the evening, was introduced by Georgia Sanders. Mrs. Powers gave an entertaining talk on "Gracious Living."

Following the program the members of the club enjoyed a social hour and were served refreshments of dainty sandwiches, cookies and lime-ade, the last made of limes sent from Miami by Lu Evelyn Patten's parents. The meeting adjourned until Friday night, Nov. 17.

Phi Kappa Alpha

The Phi Kappas chose for their officers this six weeks: Ferrell Hall, president; John Iverson, 1st vice-president; Martha Jean Malone, 2nd vice-president; Carolyn Hall, secretary; Pat Hardeman, sergeant-at-arms.

The society meetings thus far have been both interesting and entertaining. Among numbers most enjoyed were: a comical debate between Eddie Wolven and J. C. Townsend; Martha Malone's piano solos; John Iverson's musical talent; and, of course, Matilene Jones and her accordion, plus many others. Yet to be heard is the Phi Kappa chorus.

Cheering those undefeated Phi Kappas on the ball field is a zealous squad led by Carolyn Hall, Marge Watson, and Dot Branch. On, Phi Kappas!

Alpha Tau Lambda

Officers chosen for the second six-weeks of the session are: Wesley Jones, president; James Brasher, first vice-president; Earl Richardson, second vice-president and Anne Hartsell, secretary.

Cheerleaders selected were Martha Roberts, Frances Hope and Evert Pickartz.

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FERRELL HALL

Athletic war has been waxing hot since last reported. We have had some splendid games exhibited on the diamond and the grid-iron. Every society here is ably represented on the athletic field, and spirit and determination are being displayed to no small degree. The Phi Kappa Alphas have leaped far out into the lead in both softball and touch football, but that doesn't necessarily mean that they will remain there. Just ask the other societies how they feel about the matter. Here are a few high spots in the games that have been played to date.

Oct. 10—The Phi Kappas walloped the Alpha Taus 10-4, to ring up the curtain on the softball season. Mistakes were made, but improvement was shown over preceding exhibitions.

Oct. 11—The Sigma Rhos turned on power, and plenty of it, and rolled over a fighting Philo combine 18-0 in a football game. The first touchdown came when Charles Holt faked the ball to Robert Tice, stepped back, and fired a pass to Frank Farris. This score alone was good enough for the margin of victory, but the Sigs didn't stop there. They hit paydirt twice more before the final whistle blew!

Oct. 12—The Philos were humbled the second day by a superior Sigma Rho softball team 6-2. Holt pitched a fine game and was backed well by his team mates.

Friday, Oct. 13—This proved to be an unlucky day for the Alpha Taus as they lost a closely contested game to the Phi Kappas 6-0. Willard Reel scored the only touchdown of the game after a

sustained Phi Kappa drive.

Oct. 17 — The Phi Kappas downed the Sigma Rhos in a parade of errors 7-4.

Oct. 18.—The Alpha Taus and the Philos locked horns in a beautifully played football game. The Alpha Taus scored first on a pass to Jim Brasher, but the Philos tied it up on a long pass from Sonny Marsh to Hubert Showalter. The regulation game ended in a 6-6 tie, but the Alpha Taus were awarded one point for gaining more yardage in four downs than did the Philos, thus the score 7-6 was recorded.

Oct. 19—The Alpha Taus added another defeat to the Philo record, as they banged out an 8-4 softball triumph.

Oct. 20—The Phi Kappas and the Sigma Rhos played one whale of a game, and it wasn't altogether a gentle affair either! The Phi Kappas scored first when a pass to Bill Hammontree was ruled complete by interference. The Sigma Rhos tied the score when Oliver faded for a pass, found an opening, circled right end, and danced down the sidelines for the score. Following this touchdown, the Phi Kappas exploded with power and determination to score again and win the game 12-6.

Oct. 24—The Sigma Rhos barely eked out a 1-0 decision over the Alpha Taus. Charles Holt and Jim Brasher pitched splendidly for their respective teams.

Oct. 25—The Philos were defeated, this time by the Phi Kappas 12-0 in a well-played football game.

Oct. 26—The Phi Kappas turned back a hard-fighting Philo soft-

ball team 3-2.

Oct. 27—Another brilliant game was viewed by a goodly number of sports enthusiasts. The Alpha Taus scored a mild upset by humbling a power-laden Sigma Rho machine 7-6. The Alpha Taus took a commanding lead on a pass completed to Charles Adams. The score stood 6-0 going into the final quarter. During the waning moments of the game, Paul Brock electrified the crowd with a dazzling run through the entire Alpha Tau defense, tying the score. The game ended a short time later, and a play-off was necessary, in which the Alpha Taus won easily with a barrage of passes.

Nov. 1—The Phi Kappas buried the Alpha Taus 18-0, but the game was much closer than the score indicates. The Alpha Taus threatened several times, but just didn't have that old scoring punch.

Nov. 2—The Phi Kappas easily outclassed the Alpha Taus 9-0 behind the excellent pitching of Paul Hall.

Nov. 3—The Sigma Rhos defeated the Philos by a topheavy score of 24-0. Paul Brock and Frank Farris each scored twice to lead the Sigma Rhos to victory.

Nov. 6—The Philos won their first game of the season and did it in magnificent style, completely upsetting the Sigma Rho "apple cart" 7-0 behind the fine pitching of Ralph Steury. The Philos were definitely on the beam, hitting and fielding like championship contenders.

The standings:

	Won	Lost
Phi Kappas	4	0
Sigma Rhos	2	2
Alpha Taus	1	3
Philos	1	3
Touch Football—		
Phi Kappas	4	0
Sigma Rhos	2	2
Alpha Taus	2	2
Philos	0	4

Mac's Cracks

Well, kids, have you been profited by the excellent advice that we take advantage of all this glorious autumnal weather? Strolled in the crisp, tangy, invigorating breezes, enjoying the crunch of fallen leaves beneath your No. 9's? Observed the vying of gorgeous hues in their elaborate golden, brown, and reddish ensembles? Sure is good Chickasaw weather, isn't it???

At last, Paul Hall, the Romeo with "eyelashes that would sweep the cobwebs out of any woman's heart," has finally broken down and given the girls a thrill. We wonder why he waited until Halloween—costumes, etc.? Could it be he didn't want us to know just who his "Juliet" was?

Reel, old boy, that line almost lassoed your own neck—in fact, almost choked, didn't it? Better watch out when indulging "en francais" phrases. Been pretty slick if she hadn't been so well versed in French at Lawrenceburg High.

Martha, that soldier sure was attractive—to judge by the numerous trips made by various gals through the lobby when that guy was around. Better hang on tight!

There's something about a sailor or that is fine, fine, fine— If in doubt see Mary Gardner.

Iris, can you parse "Smith"? From the looks of things, he still seems to be in the future tense, but definitely objective case.

Better be careful, Ward, ole man, you can't burn the candle at both ends.

Back where I come from it's customary to ASK a girl for a date, Lonnie. It generally avoids complications! Reckon???

Kinda playing the field this time, aren't you, Darnall Duck? A free lancer flitting around from flower to flower? Could be—you tell us.

Now, just what is this about Charles and Imogene? All they do is talk about each other, but never do anything about it. Anything we can do to help?

There's a "charming" brunette in the dorm (girls') who would like very much someone on whom she could radiate her charms. Three guesses who she is, boys,—and the last two don't count.

Funny how these casual acquaintances on the ball field can lead to such twosomes as, Bertel-Morris and Harlan-Jeanette. But if you don't believe such things happen, just ask ? and he can tell you.

Pickartz, what happened to your class ring?

Sonny, that's a cute "Mite" you have there—and I mean cute aplenty!

It is strange the way Marianna always considers the opinions of that certain one in all of her activities. Is loyalty the word for it? Or could it be love?

What's the matter, Jean E.? Don't you know your own Daddy?

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IN AND OUT

Students who went home the week-end of October 15 are: Delorese Tatum, Pearl Gibbons, Lois Newman, Bertelyn Cagle, Iris Sneathen with Dot Branch, Margie Ehrett, Sue Nash, Frances Jarrett, Marjorie Nell Green, and Joe Vickery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerd Hardin '02 and Virginia Hardin Harkey '41 were here the week-end of Nov. 4. They are three members of the famous Hardin family of Senath, Missouri, all nine of whom are FHC alumni.

Maxine Mercer and Lu Patten spent October 16 in Jackson.

Guests of Morris Norman the week-end of October 15 were Harold Smith and Albert Copeland, of David Lipscomb College, Nashville.

Spending the week-end of October 22 at home were: Sue Bradley, Hilda Akins, Matilene Jones, Louise McCleskey, Margaret Gardner, Mary Hill Cope, Mary Gardner, Kathleen Johnson, Bertelyn Cagle, Frances Jarrett, Maxine Hughey, Evelyn Goodrum, Jean E. Anderson, Ida Faye Boone, Nancy Coplin, Ettie Spears, Miriam Leeper, Mary Burbank, Ernestyne May, Demetria Hopper, Iva Mae Smith, Betty Broyles, and Evert Pickartz.

Warrant Officer Bondurant Burton '28, Mary Thomas Burton '26, their parents, and Misses Mary and Eddie Bondurant of Sharon, Tennessee, were church visitors October 29. Bondurant (Jimmy) who is stationed at Indianapolis, was on leave with a foot injury—a broken bone. He returned last spring from two years in Hawaii.

October 23, June Cline, Marianna Cline, Sue Nash, Betty Dodds, Sue Meeker, Maxine Mercer, and Lu Patten were in Jackson for the day.

Among the visitors the week-end of October 22 were: Miss Sadie Metcalfe from Louisville, Kentucky, aunt of Martha Roberts; Sarah Coleman of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, who was visiting Frances Hope and Margaret Gaither; and Christeva Moody '44 and Jean Baker '44 of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee.

The week-end of October 29, the following students went home: Shirley Walker, Janet Whitehurst, Alma Foster, Nonna Miller, Georgia Sanders, Joanna McClellan, Lois Newman, Betty Broyles, Frances Hope, Margaret Gaither, Dot Branch, Bessie Lee Williams, Margie Ehrett, Carolyn Crittenden, Nancy Coplin, Maxine Hughey, Kathleen Johnson, and Talma Holt.

Petty Officer Harry Cheatham '33 has recently had a furlough at his home here, after two years in the Pacific area. He was baptized in Honolulu by Harry Moore '40.

Tommy Jean Davis, Fay Thomson, and Mary Gardner spent October 30 in Jackson.

Guest of Martha Nerren the week-end of October 29 was Lt. John Van Eaton from Greenville, Mississippi.

Garvin Smith of Biloxi, Mississippi, visited Iris Sneathen and other friends October 30.

Guest of Mae Wilkins November 3-4 was Pvt. Bill Morgan, from San Antonio, Texas.

Sue Harp of Booneville, Mississippi, visited Maxine Hughey the week-end of Nov. 5.

Guests of Rachel and June Hawks the week-end of November 5 were Jeanette Hawks and Edith Gambill from Fulton, Kentucky.

Mrs. Finley and Barbara visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Hope in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, the week-end of October 29.

Mrs. Mary Travis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Forgy of Hot Springs, Arkansas, in Jackson,

Tennessee, on November 5, and little Jimmie Travis Hamilton of Selmer, spent November 5-6 with Mrs. Travis, his grandmother.

Guest of Bill Harris November 4-5 was Sam Swim, from Harding College.

Those who went home the week-end of November 4, were: Bill Humble, Robert Tice, Ralph King, James Brents, Harmon Caldwell, Lowell Clark, Robert Casey, Pat Hardeman, Demetria Hopper, Mary Hill Cope, Ettie Spears, Marjorie Nell Green, Sue Nash, Pearl Gibbons, Margaret Allen, Mary Gardner, Iva Mae Smith, Nita Mitchell, Thelma Boyd, Miriam Leeper, Betty Dodds, Elizabeth Langston, Norma Joe Freeman, Kathleen Tucker, Maxine Martin, Ernestyne May, Delorese Tatum, Carolyn Crittenden, Ida Faye Boone, Doris Jean King, Marie Luttrell, Kat Johnson, and Lois Newman.

The following students spent November 6 in Jackson: Maxine Mercer, Mary Beth Waters, Ann Hartsell, Mary Flo Cox, Geraldine Carrington, Marcann Neece, Jo Logan, Tommy Davis, Sue Bradley, Dot Branch, and Lu Patten.

Lu Patten had as her guest the week-end of November 4, her father, Mr. H. E. Patten of Miami, Florida.

Marcann Neece spent the week-end of October 22 with her aunt in Nashville.

Brethren Howard Parker and Frank Van Dyke of Jackson, Tennessee, and Hugo McCord of Dallas, Texas, were visitors here October 18.

Charles Ary '44 of Linden, Tennessee was a visitor here November 4.

Seamen Joe H. Foy '44, James Ray Deming '43, and Mack Roland '43 were in town and on the campus the last of October, while on their leaves from Georgia Tech, Notre Dame, and Northwestern, respectively.

Lt. (j.g.) William Baird '35 of Pensacola Naval Training Station was a week-end visitor to his parents and friends here, Nov. 4-6.

Mrs. W. O. Folwell was called to Chattanooga on October 20, on account of the critical illness of her brother-in-law, Brother Jim Byars. She remained 10 days, until he began to improve.

SPEAKING HONORS—

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debaters representing Pennsylvania State in a Shippensburg, Pa., Tournament, where they tied for first place with Johns Hopkins. Recently, he won first place in an after-dinner speaking contest, in which all of the Pennsylvania State varsity participated. Other debates were with Haverford School and Syracuse, N. Y. On November 4, Ottis, now number-one man on his team, went with a colleague to debate Pittsburg University on the question of lowering voting age to 18.

Perhaps the high spot of his year's work was the debate, by 4 members of the Pennsylvania State team, broadcast, on August 31, over station WBNX in New York City. On the following day he and a colleague took the negative in a radio debate against Columbia University. This was broadcast over station CURC at Columbia, and followed by round-table discussion. The Pennsylvania State team also debated before the YMCA of New York City at Sloan House on that day.

Ottis is not only a debater, but a splendid young preacher of the gospel. He preaches regularly for the State College Church of Christ and since late summer has also preached for the Mt. Eagle, Pa., church, an offspring of the State

College congregation.

The Louisville, Ky., Courier Journal, of October 13, prints the following news:

"Adron Doran, Wingo, was elected president of the First District Education Association at its sixtieth annual session here today.

"Doran, a member of the Kentucky House of Representatives from Graves County, succeeds Roy McDonald, Cadiz, a member of the Kentucky Senate." A picture of the new president accompanies the news article.

Adron Doran attended Freed-Hardeman, leaving in 1930, is secretary of the Jackson Purchase Athletic Conference, principal of Wingo, Ky., High School, and minister of the church at Trenton, Tenn.

The Sky-Rocket congratulates him on his latest advancement.

Tolbert H. Kennedy, F. H. C. alum of 1925, one of our Special Course lecturers in January, 1943, and minister of the East Main Street congregation in Murfreesboro, Tenn., for the past 3 years, resigned Sept. 1.

Having earned the Ph.D. degree from Peabody College, he left Tennessee in September to become head of the department of social ethics at the State College of Washington, at Pullman, Wash., and minister for the Church in that city.

MAC'S CRACKS—

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stuff after all, didn't it, Mary Hill?—and I'm not talking about chemistry grades.

Another twosome seen about quite a bit is Hilton and Martha Jean. We hope you know when you're well off—if you get what I mean??

Evidently, Van Cleef is still keeping up with the "Joneses"—great life???

Who said "the Voice" is the only one that can make 'em swoon? I lost count of those that all of a sudden wanted to be "ramblin' wrecks from Georgia Tech."

Are you truly an author, Hal? Must be very engrossing that "masterpiece" you have to rush home to write every night. A beautiful and fair heroine?

Just Curious . . .

1. Why do all the boys feel like they have to spend their Sunday evenings alone? They really don't know what they're missing.

2. Wonder what Bro. Endsley's MAIN reason for shifting the chemistry class to Monday morning is?

3. Why does Nita *always* scratch on the screen at night? Go on—ask her.

4. Why did the Philos have to beat the Sigma Rhos? Was it because Clinton wasn't here, or is it the fact the Philos are just naturally good? Course, I have my own ideas.

It's too bad and it's too sad, but when you gotta glow, you gotta glow. I hope no one is a U. B. Take an inventory of yourself and see if you're a U. B. If you are you better see a doctor soon.—Au revoir, mes chers amis.

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