Election of the executive officers of the YWCA will be held this week on Wednesday, February 11, at noon by secret ballot. Those eligible to vote are those present by the student body to direct the ‘Y’ work on campus following graduation. Miss Doris Bateman, who as former secretary-treasurer will continue in that capacity, has been elected vice-president. Miss Margaret Traynham, associate vice-president, Miss Sammie Steedly, secretary, Miss Venette White, assistant secretary, and Miss Susan Bell Smith, treasurer. Miss Smith has been organist on the ‘Y’ cabinet for the past year. She is secretary-treasurer of the Romance Language Club, reporter for the CAMPUS CIOPT and a member of the Philharmonic Club, the Math-Science Club, and the Freshman Honor Society.

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I. R. C. Discusses Mexican Customs

Mexico was the topic of the February meeting of the Inter-Freshman Club held Thursday, Feb. 6 in the House-in-the-Woods.

Taking part on the program were Margaret Traynham, Miss Traynham, the Math-Science Club, and the Freshman Honor Society.

Miss Traynham directed the Mexican Customs built of the House-in-the-Woods House and Senior Hall is the latest addition to the campus. This colonnade between Convex Hall and Ashley Hall is the latest edition to the campus.

Work is also being done on the junior class’s plans for its Mexican dinner. Now the different foundations have already been recorded. The date will be April 15. The Furnishings Class of the Home Economics Department is making plans for the celebration. The Mexican interior of the House in the Woods.

A Mexican dinner was served in the Bears’ den and the Black and Vera Wilson. The main of the Institute, Spokesman, with this was served coffee, bread, and fruit. The fruit was placed on the table in wooden bowls, while the bread was served in a typical Mexican pattern.

At the business meeting the group discussed discussions, and a committee was appointed to attend a conference to be held in April in Auburn, Ala.

FLAG ANNUAL MEETING

The Twenty-six Annual Press In- Meeting for February 18, 1948, and the Philharmonic Club will meet in the house in the Woods. The meeting is in the form of one of the many programs given each year by the YWCA that is open to the faculty, students of the Millheim- tage University, and the students of the University.

Mr. William Aubrey will be guest artist Wednesday night and his wife, Mrs. Martha Carrington Aubrey, will be his accompanist. Mr. William Aubrey is known to the German and English songs, the rags, and the many lyrical numbers by composers and composers of Mexican folk music.

A long sentence, as written by the speaker, is: "The Mexicans have always been known for their folk music and their ability to sing and dance."

Students List Favorite Books

Movies, Music, Radio Programs

The Campus Canopy information service received several requests for the names of their favorite books, music, and radio programs. The following are some of the responses:

"Gone With the Wind" received the highest rating, with twelve percent of the votes. "The Foxes of Harrow" received nine percent of the votes, and "The Squire's Daughter" received seven percent of the votes.

The next highest rated program was "The Rat's Daughter," with nine percent of the votes. "The Foxes of Harrow" received eight percent of the votes, and "The Squire's Daughter" received seven percent of the votes.

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Pre-Election Thoughts

On Student Government

S. G. A. elections are scheduled for February 28th. With the inauguration of new offices, a new year begins for the student government. It will come new opportunities, new resolutions, new talent.

Since the first president swore under oath to uphold the duties of his office, student government officials have been striving to bring the students of the University together. This will achieve the "most good for the most people."

These student representatives have done their best to direct campus life for the happiness and well-being of all. Each year old regulations are discarded and new ones adopted in an attempt to make student government more perfect.

Everyone realizes that this year has not been perfect—but it has been profitable. For it has inspired a desire to know the importance of understanding and trust in the efficient governing of any group. It has been obtained

Sometimes students have been dissatisfied with the way student government is handled. They have felt that restrictions were unjust, that officials were unfair, if their claims were made known and were legitimate, the necessary changes were made.

Sometimes faculty members have felt that SGA is not living up to its responsibilities. If their claims were made known and were just, the students will make the necessary changes, and the students adhered to them. If the changes were made by the faculty without being presented to student government, they were not likely to be accepted without protest. College should teach students to make the right decisions and governing themselves is one way of learning. Perhaps adult direction would make SGA run more smoothly than it does presently. But it definitely would not help in teaching students to think for themselves.

This year's SGA officers, particularly the president, are to be congratulated. Working under the students' rules has required consistency and fair-mindedness.

We, the students, keep student government fulfilling its purpose in the most democratic and representative way possible.

No students on campus could have done a better job.

Now their terms are nearly over and the college will be facing the task of choosing new officers.

A past editor of the Campus Canopy once wrote, "We have learned that the student government is what we make it. A hundred and one times would not be too many." And neither would a hundred and two. Student government is as strong as its leaders. If the students who run the student government elect will be your representatives your leaders for the coming year. Let them be people you respect and will be loyal too. Let them be the best that GSW has to offer.

Ten Years Ago

In The Canopy

By BOBBY LEE

Shore the Sophomores are having their annual Sweetheart Dance tonight, here are some hints from the "scarecrow" who said the following for their handbook ten years ago:

How to Lose Friends and Alienate People at a Formal:
1. Dodge the receiving line. Be sure to go to members of the line late, "But honestly, Bill (or Tom) just wouldn't go down—you know how men are."
2. Sneak out with your roommate's big moment who's come five hundred miles to the dance. Be sure to stay out 'til the so-called roommate is chewing her nails.
3. Oh, yes, don't forget to ask or your date to bring pink O. S. O. signals and sail serenely by, nodding smiling.
4. Break your neck, and a few legs getting to the punch bowl and the STFU. In the restaurant after the dance, leave your date in a corner and pass up to all the other girls' dates.

S. G. A. NOTE BOOK

At its Feb. 2nd and Feb. 9th meeting the Executive Committee of Student Government decided the following:

Y. W. C. A. kits for the chapel funds are to be given on Feb. 20. Because the students have abused the privilege, Freshmen are not to be granted special permissions except for definite emergencies. Record of all special permissions granted is to be kept in the General Office.

Gladys Thames will talk to the dormitory freshmen and explain the rules regarding room restriction and special privileges.

Jean Land reported that a social calendar had been obtained for recording campus activities.

The group approved 12:00 as the hour for ending the Business Committee meetings.

Carolyn Mathis reported that the list of assistant monitors had not been kept up to date. She suggested that persons with "glitches" be informed.

The Log Cabin may be reserved by students on Saturday nights.

The Executive Committee will meet Thursday, Feb. 12, at 7:30 to go over the new handbook.

Campus Scenes

By MARY JOHN ROOK

Juniors celebrating what they thought to be the arrival of spring by playing leap frog across the American bulldog while a group of freshmen, less sophisticated, while hopefully engage in "The Farmer's in the Dell.

Dogs eat cake! At least that's what Ann Wilkinson feeds that huge white setter that has been trailing her around campus this week.

Betty Bell and "Mac" Fortson looking sad this long, lonely, and dateless nights.

Girls all over the campus in a frenzy, wondering whether or not "he" is coming for the Sweetheart Dance Saturday night.

Nobody's nice white tux shirt.

Ignore the visiting faculty by all means. If they happen your way, glance right through them, under your date's feet at least once before and once after.

8. If you see your best girl friend stuck with your date, ignore her by raising your O. S. O. signals and sail serenely by, nodding smiling.

Guess Who!

THAMES

Hearts and Flowers

Rosas are red, violets are blue
Here's a gift from your Heart Sister
 guess Who!

Such poems have depleted the campus since Tuesday, and the climax will come with the Sophomore's Valentine Dance—the dance of the day.

And this dance will be better than ever, because it is built upon a tradition that absorbs the distraction of successive years without stifling the freshness of each annual event.

In that way tradition become a force which reaches far beyond the social circle of direct. It demands loyalty of us to carry on tradition—loyalty and pride. And while demanding something of us, it also gives. Where does the incentive for Heart Sister week or Valentine arise if not from tradition? We follow not only the simple rules but also the real ideas of thinking of others, of giving them small gifts, and of sincere friendship for friendship's sake.

Tradition writes the music, then, and each year sets its pace. Our American way of life is built on traditions of patriotism and sentiment. The month of February includes a number of them. The celebration of Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays demand that we remember their precepts at least. Leap year, so-called Woman's Last Chance, one February custom that won't be forgotten!

It is for us, therefore, to use traditions as guides—more or less—or else to miss a charmingly vital part of our heritage.

Who Cares What People Say?

Public opinion is a tyrant—more powerful than any single person. It decides what we will wear, what we will say, how we will act, even how we will think. We are great "followers of the crowd" because we are afraid to be different.

Yet the great men, the leaders, the teachers, the inventors of the world, have been the individualists. Those who have been able to forget their fear of "what the neighbors might think" and have experienced their own convictions.

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But it is a recommendation that you have the courage of your convictions and stick up for your self when you know you are right, even if it means being criticized and misunderstood.

We are afraid to study hard and ashamed of making good grades because our classmates will accuse us of "pseudo intellectualism" or "the curve."

We are afraid to stick up for Student Government regulations when someone is being punished for their own carelessness because we will be considered too "wet behind the ears."

We are afraid to stick up for our opinion that Negroes should have an equal chance at a decent standard of living because someone might jump out and vote for advocating that we "intermingle with the Negroes."

Often we are even afraid to ask someone to leave our room when we want to study, because we are afraid of their feelings.

Public opinion is a powerful weapon—for both good and evil. We need to learn when to adhere to it and when to disregard it. Blindly following the crowd shows a lack of ability to think for ourselves. We are at college to "get an education" and what's an education for if not to teach us to think? We have a mind of our own—why don't we use it? And if we know we are right then "who cares what people say?"
Making Mind Triumph Over Matter

"All play and no study puts Jane in Group H."

Everyone must find his own strengths and weaknesses and work out his own methods for studying. No one can do this for him. But hints from those who have already studied longer are nearly so important as the amount of time spent in studying. Often the girls talk about the week before Saturday, February 14, 1948.

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Martha Jackson is expecting Whitley Andrews from Waycross, and Cathy Phillips is dating Bryan Saul also from Waycross. Two more Waycross residents coming to the dance are Billy Myrick to see Susan Bell Smith and Jack King to date Margie Ethel. Doris Bauman is ex-..."
SPORT SIDELIGHTS
BY VIRGINIA BRAY
NEW OFFICERS TO BE ELECTED
All Sports Club members are hereby notified that new officers of the club are to be elected in the very near future. As a member of the club, everyone is asked to give this matter due consideration before elections in order that during the next term, the club will have leaders capable of carrying on the club's excellent record.

NEW MEMBER ELECTED TO COUNCIL
The new feature being introduced by the Sports Club is now ready to be put into operation. Virginia Heisler has been chosen to supervise minor sports such as tennis, badminton, and horseshoes on the regular Sports practice days, Mondays and Wednesdays.

POISED AGAIN BY THE WEATHER
Basketball and volleyball games which were scheduled for Monday, February 3 and Wednesday, February 5, had to be postponed because of rain. Basketball games played on February 2 ended with the victory of both Lambda and Kappa Uppers. February 4 was all but one game could be played because of stormy weather. The Kappa Uppers ran up sixty-two points against the Lambda Frosh's 30.

Only two volleyball games have been played. The February 2 games between Lambda Frosh and Lambda Uppers were forfeited to the Lambda Frosh because of an insufficient number of players. The Lambda and Kappa Frosh games was cancelled because neither team had enough players. On February 4, volleyball fared much better. Lambda and Kappa Uppers won from Kappa and Lambda Frosh Stars and two of the most exciting games of the entire year were played.

COLLEGE FASHIONS SHOWN BY STUDENTS
Miss Merle Amery, Betty Dickson, JoEllie Smith, Charlette Goodwin, Ann Fortson, Betty Alexander, Ann Smith, Frances Devane, Harriet Felson, Charlene Bowen, Alice Cowart, and Marjorie Nichols were among the models who came models comparable to those of Powers or Conover Friday at a mimeography conference. Sessions were held for college students and also for town people who use, or were interested in learning to use, duplicating machines. The Monday afternoon session was particularly for college students, while the Tuesday sessions were for town people.

Miss Mayer gave the trainees a summary of the history of mimeograph equipment and of its wide use and importance today. She also told of the work of the A. B. Dick Co., nationally known mimeograph concern.

Mr. Bill Kelly of the Theis Co., a Valdosta mimeograph compa­ny, taught the students how to read the parts and actual operation of the mimeograph and the mimeoscope.

HEART SISTERS REVEAL TALENT FOR POETRY
By ANN SMITH
Heart Sisters Week has really brought out the "hidden talent" of WC. I doubt if any of us will be second Elizabeth Barrett Browning, but the talent is here.

A freshman received a little heart shaped cookie tied in red with this verse:

"Since I know you very well,
I know you like confections.
So I give you this little heart
To add to your collections."

At least one young lady had a heart sister who was concerned over her health:

"When tests have you down and you want to holler "Murder"
Take this little Aspirin that will put you back in order."

A member of the junior class wrote about herself. I know who she is, so if you can guess. (Ah! this mystery!)

"I'm your heart sister; please don't forget,
By the way do you know me yet?
Add to your list—eyes of green,
Short eyelashes (they can hardly be seen)
A Roman nose and a very long face,
And I'll have to admit. I'm short of grace.
I love to laugh, though I seldom do,
And I'm having the gayest time plaguing you!"

Here's one from a senior who doesn't have much to say for herself.

"If my identity you could guess,
Then I surely wouldn't be in a mess.
Senior Hall is where I live—
That's all the hint I can give."