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THETA XI officers. Herb Kennick, treasurer, left; Bob Edgell, vice-president, and Ben Schuppert, president, pose beside the \$100 traveling trophy which will be awarded to the best group act at the annual Theta Xi variety show in Shrock Auditorium, Feb. 12.

Boys' Chorus To Sing At SIU Next Month

The Tucson, Arizona boys' chorus will sing here Feb. 22 at 8 p. m. in Shrock Auditorium, in another of a series of concerts sponsored by the Carbondale Community Center Association.

An American flavor is featured in their program to give a round-up of music. The young voices will present a program with classics, carols, folk songs, Mexican ballads and westerns in choir vestments or cowboy jeans. The boys chorus is from the land of cacahuets and coconut cayanos and coconuts.

High School Speech Festival At SIU Today

SIU's annual High School Speech Festival is being held at University School today and tomorrow.

A debate contest will be held at 4 p. m. today. Famous orators in extemporaneous verse, extemporaneous speaking, declamation, original monologue, original orator, radioed speaking, after-dinner speaking and play reading. Each speech is original and will be held from 8 a. m. to 4:45 p. m.

A luncheon is planned tomorrow at the University School for those participating in the contests.

45 Applicants To Try Out For Variety Show

About 45 applicants for the Beta Xi Variety Show will be judged during tryouts starting Feb. 10 in Alford Hall at 6:30 p. m. Last year at this time only 25 entries were received. Of these 45 entries, 20 are group acts and 25 are individual acts.

According to co-chairman, Bob Edgell and Gerald McGovern, only 25 entries will be selected for this year's show. The Variety Show of 1953 had 20 acts. This year's show will start at 8:30 p. m. and end about 11:15 p. m.

SCF To Have Weekend Party Tonight

A general weekend party will be held at the Student Christian Union tonight. Representative of the organization.

Activities will get underway at 7:30 p. m. in the SCF building—917 South University. Refreshments will be served.

Rev. Donald B. Johnson is the director of the foundation.

It Soon Will Happen . . .

- Friday, Jan. 22—Geology Club meeting, 10 a. m., Main 213.
- Varsity Basketball, 7 to 8:30 p. m.
- Free movie followed by dancing and refreshments, 7 p. m., Student Union.
- Saturday, Jan. 23—KAM Initiation and banquet, 7 to 12 a. m., cafeteria.
- Council of Human Relations, Student Christian Foundation, 7:30 p. m.
- Sunday, Jan. 24—Entertainment Week begins, Student Union.
- Wesley Fellowship, 5:30 p. m., First Methodist Church.
- Joint Youth Fellowship, 5:45 p. m., Christian Church.
- Tuesday, Jan. 26—Psychology Club, 7:30 p. m., Main 215.
- Chess Club, 7 to 10 p. m., Student Union.

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AADFACOT FUND OPEN FOR CONTRIBUTIONS

Those persons who have not had an opportunity to contribute to the Autopsical Articular Division Fund for the cultural advancement of Charles D. Tenney (rented and installation of a television set for Dr. Tenney's use while in the hospital) may send a dime to Mrs. Lucile Ehterton, Bursar.

The television has been installed.

Carbondale Store Designs Exhibit Opens Here

"Good Design from Carbondale Stores," an exhibition of merchandise, was formally opened with a tea and reception Sunday afternoon at the Allen building.

"Centered around 'good design' rather than categories of the display consists primarily of household equipment and furnishings," explained R. W. McMillan, of the SIU Art department.

"The exhibit was assembled by the art department staff on the basis of merit and for good design."

"This is the first show of this type in Southern Illinois," McMillan continued.

Kenneth Ervin, assistant professor of art, discussed the exhibition with SIU students at a special tea Monday afternoon.

The show is a miniature version of the Good Design competition held by the Museum of Modern Art in New York and the Merchandise Mart in Chicago.

Approximately 30 Carbondale stores furnished the variety of products. Items on display were selected for form, function, eye appeal, and price in relation to design.

Included in the exhibit are auto compasses, phonograph records, automatic printing calculators, reproducers, electric irons, dress and draping fabrics, dishes, candle holders and coat hangers.

"Today as never before the consumer is design conscious, and the appearance of a product has become an integral feature of its success or failure," pointed out the art department.

"No profession delivers more deeply into the daily lives of every American than the industrial designer."

Five out of ten articles used every hour of the day and night are planned, studied, and created by the industrial designer."

David Carr Accidentally Shot At Colp

David Carr, Chicago freshman, was accidentally shot in the neck Tuesday night in front of Bifs and Bowls Tavern in Colp.

Three other students were with Carr when the accident occurred, according to I. Clark Davis, Dean of Men.

Carr was reportedly shot when he was being hit over the head with a gun wielded by the bartender, according to authorities. The bartender had some objection to the conduct of one of Carr's companions and became angered when Carr said something to him, according to Dean Davis.

In addition to the bullet wound, Carr received a laceration of the scalp, but is reported to be in good condition in Doctors' Hospital.

DR. NORBERT MAYR TO ADDRESS SOCIOLOGY CLUB

Dr. Norbert Mayr, visiting lecturer in the foreign language department, will address the Willard Waller Sociology Club Monday in Main 214 at 7 p. m.

The topic of his talk is the political and economic situation in Austria after World War II. Refreshments will be served.



SOUTHERN'S Line of Dimes is extended by the contributions of Carol Moore and Jacques Theriot, SIU basketball captain. The annual drive, part of the national March of Dimes campaign, is sponsored on campus by Alpha Phi Omega, national service fraternity.

Symphony Concert To Feature School Choirs

Featured in the third appearance of the Southern Illinois Symphony concert will be the combined grade school choirs of Carbondale under the direction of Mrs. Mary Swindell.

Dr. Mauris Kestor will direct the orchestra March 2 in Shrock Auditorium, and Feb. 28 at Menard State Penitentiary at Chester.

Sorority Rush Ends Tonight

Tonight will end formal rush week for the four sororities on campus. They will have their formal rush beginning for the four formal dinners at 6 p. m. and will be over at approximately 8:30 p. m. The rushes will sign their preference cards immediately after the dinners.

Imbroglio pledging will be Sunday at 9 p. m.

Tuesday night the rushes were split into three groups and taken to each sorority house for about 30 minutes. Each group was escorted by a member of the Pan-Hellenic council. Punch and cookies were served.

The parties last night were informal. Light refreshments were served according to the themes of the sororities.

The theme for the week at the Pi Kappa Sigma house was the "Gold Rush." Sigma Sigma Sigma's theme was "The Storybook." Tuesday night Delta Zeta's theme was "Tophat," and last night the theme was "Dizzy Holler."

Parade col 1953 was the theme of the Delta Sigma Epsilon for last night and last night it was "Cops and Robbers."

Actors May Not Go On Spring Play Tour

Southern's touring company of acts who last spring presented plays in cities all over the state may not be going on the road again this year.

Last year the group drew favorable notices wherever they played and did a good job of publicizing SIU, but the chances for another tour this spring are slim. Only four students have announced plans to make the trip at this time, and the play chosen for presentation, "Night Must Fall," calls for a cast of nine.

Dr. Archibald McLeod, director of the group, has expressed an intention to anyone interested in participating in the tour to contact him at the speech barracks. Twelve hours of University credit is granted for work done in the course.

Mizzou Prof To Judge SIU Photo Exhibit

Clifton C. Edom, University of Missouri, Journalism professor, has agreed to judge a competitive photographic exhibit, part of the SIU photo fair Feb. 12-15. The exhibit, open to the public, is sponsored by the SIU journalism department and the Alpha Gamma chapter of Kappa Alpha Mu, national honorary news photography fraternity.

Ken Davis, president of the local fraternity, announces that several of the exhibits have been planned for the four-day fair. Edom will address an all-school assembly and will be guest speaker at Kappa Alpha Mu student's dinner. Other activities which highlight the fair are public discussions and showing of a traveling photo exhibit, presented by Kappa Alpha Mu.

Southern's photo exhibit will be open to any camera enthusiasts without entry fee, according to C. William Howell, SIU photography services director. Closing date will be Feb. 10. Photographs of 5 by 7 inch size or larger must be placed on a 16 by 20 mounts to be accepted.

Edom, a native of Pittsfield, Illinois, is consultant with Stanley Kalish of a photography textbook, "Picture Lighting."

Pairings Made For Tournament Week Events

Pairings and rules for the SIU Tournament Week beginning Monday have been released.

Tournament events will include bridge, checkers, chess, table tennis, pocket billiards, and pinocle. Players will compete on an individual basis, except in the cases of pinocle and bridge.

Awards for first and second place winners have been acquired and are now on display in the Union building. First place winners are to receive cup trophies, while those capturing number-up honors are to receive medals. Permanent wall plaques, engraved with the names of student winners, will also be displayed in the Student Union.

Top pocket billiard and pinocle players will go on to represent Southern in the National Intercollegiate Pocket Billiards and Pinocle tournaments.

Finals in most of the divisions will be played the night of Jan. 29, the last day of competition, in connection with a free student dance to be held in the Union building.

APO Reaches Quota In Line Of Dimes

With the receipt of a large faculty donation, the APO reached their quota which ended at 4 p. m., yesterday. Although exact figures were not available at Egyptian press time, Paul Morris, APO president, did say that he was very happy with the results.

ISA Sweetheart To Wear Royal Velvet Crown

This year's ISA Sweetheart will wear a royal crown made of velvet, lined with satin and covered with rhinestones and pearls.

In addition, the queen will be presented with the traditional looting cup.

The election of ISA sweetheart and the ISA dance are the main events of ISA Week, which starts Feb. 22.

Events during the week include a student union box supper Feb. 24 at 7 p. m. in the Student Union. Boxes will be auctioned off to the highest bidder; nominations for sweetheart Jan. 25 in Alford 203 at 4 p. m.; final election for sweetheart Wednesday, Feb. 17 in the cross-halls of Old Main; and Sweetheart dance Feb. 27 in the Women's gym from eight 'til 12.

The activities are all school affairs. Admission to the dance is \$1.50 per couple or \$1 and the presentation of an ISA membership card.

The Sweetheart will be crowned during the dance at 10 p. m.

The ISA Sweetheart will compete in the national ISA Sweetheart contest to be held in Ithaca, N. Y. Southern's ISA Sweetheart of three years ago, Pat Marlow of Herrin, was chosen National Sweetheart at the contest.

240 Summer Jobs Available To SIU Students

"Now is the time for students to apply for summer employment," advises Miss Vera Recter, SIU student employment director.

More than 200 opportunities throughout the United States are now available to SIU students.

Most jobs are in national parks, resorts, summer camps, and industrial organizations. Mrs. Recter reports that in previous years, a large number of SIU students were successfully placed in similar positions.

A partial list of the types of employment in demand includes youth camp leaders, business managers, camp counselors, office and sales clerks, handcraft instructors, laboratory assistants, and airport personnel.

All students interested in possible summer work can apply at the Student Employment office while job opportunities are still available.

Library To Have 45 New Records

Forty-five new LP records offered by the University library are to be in soon, according to Miss Grace King of the library staff.

Most of the records now on hand are classical. Some are semi-classical, and none of them are "pop" tunes. All of the records are 33 1/3 r.p.m.

The library is trying to obtain all of the music from the 3-B's, Bach, Brahms, and Beethoven.

At the present time some of the more popular operas in stock are "Madame Butterfly," "Tannhauser," "La Boheme," "Lohengrin," and "Die Fledermaus."

There are ten carphone sets for students who wish to hear the records. The players are on the mezzanine floor of the library.

In the new library, facilities will be set up for regular listening rooms.

FTA Lays Plans For Convention

Future Teachers of America began formal preparation for the State Convention of the Illinois Association of Future Teachers of America to be held at Southern April 2 and 3 at its meeting Tuesday night.

Approximately 250 members of FTA college and high school associations will take part in the annual convention. They will meet to discuss opportunities in the field of teaching, elect officers, exchange ideas for programs and listen to prominent speakers in the field of education.

The FTA is designed to acquaint students with the field of education with the advantages of teaching and to build a professional attitude among future teachers. Membership in the club is open to all students in this College of Education. Club members receive junior membership in the Illinois Education Association and the NEA.

Dr. Jacob Rich, faculty advisor of the FTA, stressed the fact that membership in the FTA is recognized by school superintendents as a good foundation in the teaching field.



TWO STUDENTS look at one of the exhibit panels in the Allyn Hall exhibit, "Good Design from Carbondale Stores," which appears in Carbondale stores, according to R. W. McMillan.



13 TRI-SIGS FOR ACT JOAN VIGGANT CHOOSES

Tri-Sigs will select 13 girls to be in the act. Joan Viggant, chairman of the Tri-Sigs, has chosen 13 girls to be in the act. The girls will be selected by the Tri-Sigs on Monday night.

PHI KAPPA ALPHA'S HOLDING PING PONG TOURNAMENT

Phi Kappa Alpha's annual ping pong tournament is on Tuesday night with Wayne Grandcolas as defending champion. Fred Russler, an active from Harlow, is the new champion.

SIGMA PI PLANS PARTY WITH TRI-SIGS

Sigma Pi and the Tri-Sigs are planning an exchange party for Wednesday night. A committee is drafting a new constitution to replace the Sig's present one.

News Oddities

A BOUNCING BULLET has the intended target bouncing around a bit himself. Not so much because the bullet that accidentally ricocheted into a mess hall in Iowa struck and hit Daniel Dell, a Cincinnati, Ohio, and bruised his hand. But Dell wants to know how come rifles were being used in the mess hall area.

Corneilia Smith, in Hoorn, Holland, had a goodly crowd of admirers. Mrs. Smith, a 63-year-old widow, brought her 20 children with her. Smith, who is 58, brought his 11 children by previous marriage, 31 children in all, and a pretty good start for any family.

Plumbing Contractors of Los Angeles. With the scroll that gave the box his new status was a box of plumbing tools, books of instruction manuals, and manuals. They were addressed to Prince Inghil of Denmark.

AN OLD ORIENTAL custom has cast Arnold Caskins of Marietta, Ohio, a \$25 fine. Caskins spent two weeks in jail while driving down the Main street of Marietta to forget that American traffic moves on the right-hand side of the street.

MAYBE A TREE did grow in Brooklyn, and maybe it was a fixture from the wilds of Queens, which is supposed to be a residential section of New York City. A 10-year-old William Martin, Jr., is telling his friends he was "erected into a wooded area in the Borough of Queens at sundown. It was not until the next morning that he was able to find a tree."

ROSEMARY and Jerry Crawford of Zeigler and Harold Shelton, an alum now teaching at Norris City, will appear in "Coffee Cantata." Robert Walker will supply accompaniment.

THE OLD "Rags to Riches" motto was reversed in the home of Mrs. William McDonald in Keene, New Hampshire. In the McDonald home it was the rich who "Rags" in the name of a six-month-old puppy who got to Mrs. McDonald's pocketbook and chewed up \$100 in folding money.

IT'S JUST LIKE summer for some 2,300 Canadian school children — no school. Just when the Christmas New Year vacation ended and the school's doors swung wide — the teachers went on strike. The teachers of Jasper Place, a suburb of Edmonton, Alberta, say they won't work until they get back pay from a salary boost — and the kids are having an unexpected vacation.

SENIORS MAY STILL ORDER CLASS JEWELRY. Although the regular period for ordering senior class jewelry ended last Friday, rings and other class emblems may still be ordered from Higgins Jewelry store.

THEY ARE COOKING with gas again in Granite, Oklahoma. It's a weekly change. On New Year's Eve the gas line broke, and Granite City housewives had to do their cooking over open fires out of doors. But now the gas main has been repaired, and the housewives have moved back into their kitchens.

ABOUT 1500 World War II checks are outstanding in Indianapolis, Indiana, because they were returned with the stamp "Address Unknown." Officials say the checks were returned because the veterans who were entitled to them couldn't be found at the addresses listed. Their total value is \$11 million dollars.

A CASE OF MISTAKEN identity by police landed an innocent man in jail and let his attacker go free. It happened when police got a call from a man in Porterville, Calif., saying an unidentified man was attacking Ruddy Silva, a customer, with a knife and beer bottle. Silva dashed out the front door just as the cops arrived. They mistook Silva for the attacker and his assailant snatched out the back door.

THE REVEREND John Stewart had to conduct the wedding ceremony twice to make husband and wife out of Wesley Marshall and the former Betty Jane Murphy in Madison, Oklahoma. They had a real nice ceremony first in Marshall's home with wedding guests and presents and all. Then someone discovered that according to the wedding records, the ceremony should have been performed in Cotton county, just across the line from Marshall's home.

CRIMINALS in the burglary business are warned that the Oxton near Fairfield, Calif., is a mantrap. Burglars have broken in to the place 20 times in the last 19 years. Nineteen of those times they've been caught in the act — the last time just the other night. The explanation — the Inn has an excellent burglar alarm system.

A 13-YEAR-OLD Danish boy has realized his dearest wish — he has become a plumber. The boy, who said he would rather be a master plumber than be King of Denmark, yesterday was made an honorary master plumber by the Associated

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Campus Buildings Anthony Hall Once Hub Of Local Social Life

By Richard Lee Anthony Hall, at one time considered the hub of Carbonade's social life, began serving the students of Southern back in 1913 at the opening of the fall term. During those first years, they lacked such things as plumbing and screens, but they were added along with many other things as the years progressed.

IN HER HISTORY, she lists the elaborate reception held after the dedication of the Anthony Hall as one of Carbonade's biggest social events. Many of the out-of-town alumni celebrities attended along with practically all the townspeople, the students, and the faculty. It was a gigantic affair, with the men dressed in their white ties and tails, and the women in low necks and long trains.

Workshop To Present Three Operas Feb. 4 Three short operas, Menotti's "The Telephone," Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro," and the "Coffee Cantata," by Bach, will be presented Feb. 4 at 8 p. m. in the University School auditorium by Southern's Opera Workshop.

STRICT RULES such as, the hours from 7 to 9:30 p. m. were to be set aside for study and lights were to be out at 10 p. m., the girls could not go driving alone with a young man unless a chaperone accompanied them.

SENIORS MAY STILL ORDER CLASS JEWELRY. Although the regular period for ordering senior class jewelry ended last Friday, rings and other class emblems may still be ordered from Higgins Jewelry store.

THE HORSE THIEF of the bygone days has a successor. So reports the police department of New Britain, Conn. Police have begun a search for the burglar who swiped three saddles, three halters and three bridles from a riding stable.

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PI LAMBDA TO DISCUSS PETITION TUESDAY

PI Lambda will meet Tuesday at 7 p. m. in Main 207 to discuss the local organization's petition to affiliate with PI Lambda Theta, a national group.

THE PLAY tells the story of a young lieutenant who quit medical school to enlist and finds himself in a rare race that seems to lead nowhere, ruled by a narrow, tyrannical captain. The story of his actual doings is not the main theme, but rather the war is the substance of his plot.

NEIL SHELDON, who played Ensign Turner, is undoubtedly a fine actor. However, he seemed miscast as the boishy Plover.

THE PLAY was cut considerably in its production of the story, the ruffles Captain was reduced to little more than a caricature, a blustering idiot. Dennis Drew's post characterization can undoubtedly be traced to a director.

TECHNICAL PROBLEMS being the production. Scenery was limited to painted back drops, and such a minimum of props were used that they did little to add to the realism of the piece.

ANOTHER TECHNICAL detail that added to the lack of realism was the absence of a supporting cast of sailors. In the original production the stage was filled with typical sailor types who kept up a running line of banter that helped.

TWO SORORITIES were founded in the Hall: the first being Epsilon Beta which was formed in 1928, when the later became Delta Sigma Sigma. Then last year, Alpha Eta sorority was founded in Anthony Hall. Later, the sorority became Delta Zeta.

Actor's Head Changes To Donkey's In Winter Play

Have you ever wondered how it would feel to have your head transformed into the head of an ass? That's what happens to Darwin Payne in his role as "Bottom" in the Southern Players' upcoming production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." It seems that the fairies are up to their usual tricks when one of their pranks mistifies and Darwin acquires a strange craving for dried peas and hay and grows strange, long ears.

Bottom is one of Shakespeare's most famous comic creations, a simple workman with a penchant for reciting love poetry in a voice that would send a speech teacher into hysterics.

THE ROLE CALLS for a good bit of acting skill and is quite a departure from Darwin's normally quiet, well-mannered behavior. When we stopped by to interview him, he was sitting slouched in a seat of the new Southern Players house with his legs tossed across the seat in front. When asked for a quotation statement on the play, he replied, "I just say that opening night will be SOME night."

Darwin is a local Carbonade boy and has been around Southern's campus for a good many years. He took his Bachelor's degree in art, and has gone on to become a graduate assistant in the department with the speech department staff.

IN connection with his art work, Payne has had things exhibited in many big-time shows, including the Missouri Show at the City Art Museum in St. Louis, the Wichita Arts and Crafts Exhibit, and the Central Illinois Artists Association Show, in which he was represented for two years straight.

ON CAMPUS, Darwin has taken part in several previous productions. Most recently he was seen as Hamlet in the 1933 Homecoming play, "The Curious Savage." Darwin portrayed Doc, Suggert in "The Late Christopher Bean," and appeared in "First Lady." He directed a children's play "Pinochio and the Indians" this fall, and has taken parts in others. He also was among the group of students who toured Southern Illinois last Spring giving plays before town and school audiences.

FOR over a year now Darwin has designed all sets used in SU productions, and preliminary sketches show that his settings for "Midsummer Night's Dream" rival anything constructed for Broadway stages.

FOR THIS production Darwin has added to his duties the designing of costumes for the show. When asked to comment on tight members of the cast are to wear, Darwin grinned slyly and repeated, "Opening night will be SOME night."

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