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29th Annual Homecoming October 26-27

NOMINEES FOR QUEEN

Coronation, Dance Play, Rally, Game

All set to make Homecoming, Oct. 26-27, the biggest in Southern's history, students and faculty are hurriedly putting on the finishing polish for a galaxy of entertainment for returning alumni.

Jack Hedges of St. Louis, student chairman, now back in school after two years in the Naval Air Corps, and George Bracewell, B. S. in Ed., '31, faculty sponsor, are ramrodding steering committee activities, with nearly a dozen sub-committees tackling everything from finances to entertainment of queens of former years, from the Homecoming dance to concessions at the football game.

"We hope that every single one of Southern's 5,000 alumni comes back home for Homecoming," Hedges said.

"Those of us who have been out of school a few years during the war really know what a thrill it is to come back. Homecoming will give everybody a chance to come back—not for classes but for a visit with their former professors and their former classmates."

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THREE NEW DEANS NAMED

The appointees are Dr. E. R. Fair, of the Mankato State Teachers College, Minn., who assumed the duties of dean of the College of Education in the summer; Dr. T. W. Abbott, professor of chemistry and director of extension, who has been named dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; and Dr. Henry J. Rehn of Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., who has been appointed dean of the College of Vocations and Professions.

Dean Fair received the bachelor of science degree from the Northeast Missouri State Teachers College, the master of arts degree from Columbia University, the doctor's degree at the State University of Iowa, and has done post-doctoral study at the University of Minnesota.

He has had a wide teaching and administrative experience, and came to Southern with the best recommendations. In the few months he has been here, he has won the respect of both the student body and the faculty, as an administrator and an educator.

Dean Abbott, who holds his doctorate degree from the University of Illinois, with other degrees from Indiana and Harvard universities, has been on the Southern faculty since 1927.

As director of extension since 1937, Dr. Abbott is widely known throughout the Southern Illinois area. He has been a leader among the faculty at Southern, serving on the administrative council and on many committees dealing with internal policies and with the University's service to the people of this region.

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QUEEN NOMINEES

Students this year selected the following girls as candidates for Queen honors at Homecoming: Florence Alston, Sparta; Gloria Barger, Harrisburg; Esther Jane Craver, Murphysboro; Betty Duncan, Herrin; Betty Grater, Carbondale; Jeanne Haroldson, Carbondale; Aliene Kauzlarich, Christopher; Pat Schultz, Cairo.
ALUMNI BOARD MEETS

A luncheon and business meeting of the Board of the Southern Alumni Association has been called for Saturday, Oct. 27, by Wilbur "Slats" Valentine of Alto Pass, president.

Board members will gather at the University Cafeteria at 11 o'clock, Valentine has announced. Reservations should be made with Miss Wanda Kiel, secretary, care of the President's Office, Southern Illinois Normal University, Carbondale, Ill.

NEWS WANTED

Wanted: News about alumni.

The Southern Alumnus wants to know what you've been doing. So do all your former classmates and teachers. Won't you drop us a note telling us about your latest activities?

We need such news items as: New jobs, honors and distinctions, marriages, births, changes of address.

By the way, it would be fine if you'd send along any news you happen to know about other alumni.

Be seein' you at Homecoming, Oct. 26-27!
Southern Enrollment Tops S. T. C. List

S. I. N. U. CALLS 1,069; 85 VETS REGISTER

Stepping out into first place as the largest of Illinois’ five teachers colleges, Southern Illinois Normal University this fall has struck new highs on several counts, according to President Chester F. Lay.

These achievements include:

(1) Largest enrollment of any of the five teachers colleges—1,069 students, or nearly 100 more than the largest of SINU’s sister institutions.

(2) Nearly twice as many veterans as any of the other teachers colleges—84 compared to 45 at the runner-up, and 25 at another college.

(3) Enrollment of 30 graduate students working toward the master’s degree — almost double the number who took graduate courses here last fall.

“We surpass all the other colleges in the number of students who have chosen SINU for their higher education,” Dr. Lay pointed out.

“Our graduate program is progressing splendidly, and we have caught up with the other two colleges offering graduate work—30 here compared to 30 and 32.

“Last year we had 14 students taking graduate courses, but most of them came in from neighboring communities for one or two night classes. This year, most of our 30 graduate students are in residence and are taking a regular degree program of full-time graduate work. We are offering three times as many graduate courses as we did last year, and in addition are giving several graduate courses in extension centers away from the campus.”

Other statistics on enrollment:

Women still out-number men more than two to one—332 men students to 737 women students.

The College of Education, which is taking over Southern’s teacher-training program, is still the largest of the three colleges, having 762 students, but the new College of Liberal Arts has attracted 233 students, and the new College of Vocations and Professions has enrolled 51.

Freshmen balance all the other classes in number, counting 540 out of the 1,069 students enrolled. A total of 257 sophomores are registered, 111 juniors, 113 seniors, and 30 graduate students.

Opening of the first boys’ cooperative since the war was effected this fall at 601 S. University, with 15 members. Although four fraternities have reorganized and pledged new members — Chi Delta Chi, Kappa Delta Alpha, Nu Epsilon Alpha, and Sigma Beta Mu—as yet no frat houses have reopened.

VETERANS SERVICE PROGRAM

Set up on the Southern campus last May, the Veterans Guidance Center is aiding veterans from the working knowledge of their rights and privileges as veterans, particularly in the direction of vocational training and re-training.

Services of this center are available to any veteran, and include information and counsel from official Veterans Administration experts as well as from Southern Illinois Normal University educators. Testing services to indicate the veteran’s abilities are available. Experts in testing and personnel work analyze and interpret these tests, and, after careful personal interviews, suggest training or re-training courses in keeping with his background, abilities, skills and interests.

Those veterans who are advised to take training or retraining courses are informed where such courses, adapted to their own particular needs, are available, and how to proceed to secure financial aid under the Rehabilitation Act, Public Law 16, or the G. I. Bill of Rights, Public Law 364. The service is entirely free to any veteran who may wish to receive counsel about his vocational problems.

 Personnel of the Guidance Center consists of Capt. W. R. Pinkerton, official representative of the U. S. Veterans Administration; Mrs. Lois Norman of Marion, also of the Veterans Administration, and two Southern faculty members who serve as appraisers of the veterans’ educational eligibility, Dr. Laird T. Hites, associate professor of psychology, and Dr. Lawrence E. Clark, associate professor of sociology.

SOUTHERN VETERANS RETURN

Of the 85 veterans in school this fall, the following men had previously attended the university:

Willie Dee Anderson, Carbondale
Charles E. Beatty, Benton
Loyal Covington, Cambria
Robert Curtis, Carbondale
James R. Davis, Centralia
Howard D. Harris, Johnston City
Jack R. Hedges, Carbondale
Cheseldean Killingsworth, Pinckneyville
Robert G. McDowell, E. St. Louis
Jessie Spiceland, Cairo
Wallace Baker, Johnston City

Fred Fansler, Mt. Vernon
Virgil Lee Seymour, Chester
Melvin Ward Teel, Carbondale
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CLASS OF 1930
Ray Chambers joined the faculty of Proviso Township High School this fall. Holding the master of science degree from the University of Illinois, he had done advanced study at the universities of Michigan and Chicago. He has taught in Simpson, Waltonville, Arlington Heights, and La Grange.

CLASS OF 1932
Bon O. Brown of Carbondale has been named instructor in the Commerce School at the University of Detroit, teaching the mathematics of accounting.

Mr. Brown was granted the master of arts degree by the University of Illinois, and did additional work there. For the past nine years he has been teacher of commercial subjects in the Alton High School.

CLASS OF 1933
Louise O’Dell of Farina is now teaching biology and modern history in the Litchfield Community High School. Before going to Litchfield this fall, she taught in Sherrard Community High School.

CLASS OF 1936
Charles Tripp of Anna worked for 18 months in chemical research on the atomic bomb at Oak Ridge, Tennessee. He is now teaching chemistry in the Herrin High School.

Before his war work, Mr. Tripp taught at Zeigler and at St. Joseph. Before working on the bomb, he served as civilian teacher in Chanute Field. He has the master’s degree and completed one year of additional work.

CLASS OF 1940
Myrtle Freuh of Greenville is teaching English and girl’s physical education in the Medora Township High School. She has previously taught for a number of years at New Douglas.

CLASS OF 1941
Max Hill of Carbondale had an active part in the research leading to the development of the atomic bomb.

Hill went to Ohio State University from Southern for graduate work with an assistantship in chemistry. He had received his master’s degree, and lacked only a few months’ work on the doctor’s degree when he was sent to aid with the government project at Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

As he had received training as an assistant in spectroscopy, he was quite an important cog in the project.

CLASS OF 1942
Sgt. Dempsey Keene of Pinckneyville and Caroline Colp ’44 of Carterville, were married September 6. Sgt. Keene served abroad with the 9th Air Force for 21 months, earning five battle stars and the Purple Heart. Mrs. Keene attended the University of Illinois her senior year, completing an A.B., after which she obtained the M.A. in French.

The marriage of Virginia Downey, of Mt. Vernon, and Lt. Bryan Epperson, USMC, occurred in the historic post chapel at Carlisle Barracks, Pa., Aug. 29. For the past year, Mrs. Epperson has been associated with the Midwestern Area office of the American Red Cross in St. Louis, Mo. Lt. Epperson is on temporary duty at Cushing General Hospital, Farmingham, Massachusetts.

CLASS OF 1943
Lt. William F. Smith, Jr., of Granite City and Marine Sgt. Stella Songstead, of Minneapolis, Minn., were married September 1 in Laguna Beach, Cal.

Lt. Smith received his wings in the Naval Air Corps in May, 1943, and then was transferred to the Marine Corps, spending seventeen months in service overseas. He is now stationed at the Marine Corps Air Station at El Toro, Cal.

Sidney Ayers of Anna has been engaged in research in a government laboratory established on the campus of Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa, in the chemistry department. It has recently been revealed that his work dealt with some of the materials that went into the construction of the atomic bomb.

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Maroon Sports

MAROONS START SEASON WITH TWO VICTORIES, ONE TIE

1945 Maroon football squad. Captain Sam Milosovich, No. 64, shown third from right, second row.

MAROON GRIDSTERS ON BEAM
By JOHN B. HARRIS, Jr.

The Egyptian is very happy to report to Alumni that post-war football is in full swing at Southern Illinois Normal University.

Southern opened the season at Jonesboro, Arkansas, September 22, and defeated Arkansas State 6-0. On October 6, the Maroons met Arkansas State at Carbondale in a return engagement. Arkansas aided by fumbles held the Maroon to a 6-6 tie.

The Maroons launched their Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic conference season October 13, at Carbondale, opposing Illinois Normal, winning by a score of 33-19.

Southern will journey to Charleston, opposing the Eastern Illinois Teachers in the second conference encounter. Homecoming game is carded for October 27, with Western Teachers of Macomb as guests to the Maroons. Kirksville, Mo., Teachers will entertain the Southern Normal eleven November 3, in a non-league contest. In the final conference engagement the Maroons will travel to DeKalb, where they will meet the

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Northern Illinois Normal aggregation.

This season fifty-five candidates responded to gridiron practice opening day. Conspicuously absent were lettermen from last year's squad as only three returned for berths on the pigskin squad. The small number of returning lettermen did not diminish hopes for a well groomed gridiron machine as an abundance of freshman material showing exceptional ability also appeared.

Returning lettermen were Bill Eaton, left guard, Carbondale; Leedio Cabutto, left end, Johnston City; and Sam Milosevich, Zeigler, left tackle. Milosevich was elected captain a few days before the Illinois Normal game.

Discharged veterans now clad in football armor are Frank Brashier, halfback, Carbondale; Charles Beaty, Benton, and Kenneth Capp, Herrin, ends; Gene Davidson, tackle, Harrisburg; Jack Davis, guard, Fairfield; Gene Dietz, guard, Carbondale; Clarence Lowery, halfback, Benton; and Paul Mitchell, guard, Murphysboro.

BASKETBALL BALL CARD

Dec. 10—Bowling Green—Here
Dec. 15—Loyola—Here
Dec. 19—Evansville—Here
Dec. 20—Arkansas State—Here
Jan. 15—Charleston—Here
Jan. 18—Evansville—Here
Jan. 26—Macomb—Here
Feb. 1—Charleston—Here
Feb. 2—DeKalb—Here
Feb. 9—Normal—Here
Feb. 16—Macomb—Here
Feb. 23—DeKalb—Here

MAROONS GO ON AIR

For the first time Maroon fans have been able this season to hear play by play accounts of Maroon football games. Two of the three home games, the first October 13 with Old Normal, and the game with Western at Homecoming, October 27, are being broadcast over WJPF, Herrin. Announcer for the games is Don Chase of Granite City, a former Southern student who is now on the staff of Station WIL, St. Louis.

Basketball games will also be broadcast.

Other members of the first squad are Harold Barnard, guard, Fairfield; Jim Benedict, center, Pinckneyville; Carl Birkner, end, Pinckneyville; Eddie Boyd, end, Sesser; John Corn, tackle, Benton; Bill Crum, halfback, Mt. Carmel; Jean Cunningham, halfback, Anna; Charles Curtis, quarterback, Carbondale; Dick Eggers, halfback, Chester; Carl Ferrall, center, Jonesboro; Lorry Flene, tackle, Steeleville; Thomas Gher, center, Carbondale; Carl Ferrell, center, Pinckneyville; Sam Hardwick, center, Herrin; Jim Harsh, halfback, Madison; Bill Hartwell, end, Pinckneyville; Herb Hoffman, quarterback, Carbondale; Riley Huffman, guard, Carbondale; Ralph Lyerla, guard, Anna; Roger Malone, tackle, Granite City; Larry Moore, guard, Pinckneyville, Kenneth Murphy, halfback, Belleville; Orland Pflaster—

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FOUR FACULTY MEMBERS RETIRE

Four members of the Southern faculty, with a total of 107 years of service to the institution, have retired from active duty this fall. They were honored by some 125 of their former colleagues at a dinner October 8. They are:

Miss Helen A. Baldwin, associate professor of foreign languages. Miss Baldwin has taught Latin and Spanish at Southern for 28 years, and although she retired last spring continue to hold classes.

W. G. Cisne, professor and director of placements. Mr. Cisne came to the campus in 1916, 29 years ago. Under his direction the placements service of Southern made great progress in placing the University's graduates in school systems. For the past few years, he has also supervised student employment on the campus.

Flemin W. Cox, associate professor of geography, who has been a member of that department for 16 years. Prior to coming to Southern, Mr. Cox taught in the Southern Illinois public schools.

R. E. Muckelroy, professor of agriculture, and chairman of the department, has a record of 34 years with the University. He is largely responsible for the establishment of the University farm. Mr. Muckelroy is an authority on the early history of the institution.

Left to right Mr. Muckelroy, Miss Baldwin, Mr. Cisne, and Mr. Cox

CLASS OF 1944

Margaret Shaw of Belleville has been made stewardess on the United Air Lines. Graduating from the United Stewardess' Training School in Chicago, she was assigned to the Chicago-Denver section of the airline's coast-to-coast route and has been headquartered at Chicago.

Miss Shaw taught at Elmwood Park before joining the airline.

Mary Ellen Daniel became the bride of Richard A. Reck of Chicago, June 23. She

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Southerners in Service

Cpl. Alva J. Ross of Vienna, '36, has recently been assigned as instructor of English grammar at the 21st General Hospital's unit school in France, in addition to other duties as non-commissioned officer in charge of the detachment dispensary.

Cpl. Ross has served with the 21st General Hospital through the campaigns in North Africa, Italy, France and Germany, during which time the hospital has cared for more than 62,000 sick and wounded soldiers.

T-3 Raymond McBride, '37, of Ava, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations.

Sgt. McBride has been in the Army for three and a half years, and has spent 31 months in North Africa and Italy. At present, he is serving with the 32nd Station Hospital, a unit of the Peninsular Base Section, Chief Army Service Force in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations.

Staff Sgt. Alvis F. Harrell of Metropolis has been awarded the Bronze Star for gallantry in action on Okinawa.

Harrell was cited for leading his litter squads across a mile-long stretch of shell-torn terrain to evacuate casualties. Three such trips were made before he was injured by exploding enemy shells.

Maroon Gridsters

On Beam

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er, guard, Tilden; Charles Rothschild, fullback, Cairo; Bill Seifert, end, Salem; Dick Sharp, tackle, West Frankfort; Clyde Stewart, end, Anna; Gene Stotlar, quarterback, Pinckneyville; and Duke Thalman, center, Carbondale.

Prior to the Normal game the Maroons suffered a setback in first string personnel when Paul Moss of Christopher, able starting halfback, was inducted into the Navy.

His loss was offset by the arrival of Clarence "Red" Lowery, former Benton high star. Lowery, a veteran of two years action in the South Pacific, showed up very well in the Normal game. Lowery seems to have added the spark that was missing the first two games.

*Denotes missing in action.

Barker, Noble Eugene, '45, Ciaste.
Beach, Joe Williams, '40, Murphysboro.
Behrens, James S., '41, Bunker Hill.
Blaa, Mario Lawrence, '40, Westville.
*Boren, James Russell, 39, Carterville.
Boren, Joe Stumm, '40, Carbondale.
Bosch, Wilbur Lewis, '40, Murphysboro.
Boyington, Byron, '41, Ellis Grove.
Brafford, Bruce, '44, Herrin.
Brennan, Patrick W., '40, Carbondale.
Breuer, Bobby Eugene, '46, Carbondale.
*Brunty, Bryon Lee, '44, Carbondale.
Bush, Charles Williams, '39, Carbondale.
Byars, Joseph Hugh, '38, Murphysboro.
Chenoweth, Roy R., '42, Christopher.
Dains, John Leroy, '42, Mt. Olive.
Davis, Charles Raymond, '44, Johnston City.
Dillow, William Eugene, '41, Cobden.
Downey, Richard Phillip, '40, Evansville.
Echols, Stanley Eugene, '44, Galiana.
Frick, Leonard Wayne, '40, Murphysboro.
*Garrott, Carl Nathan, '40, Anna.
Garrott, Oard Orrin, '41, Anna.
Gaston, Glen, '41, Salem.
George, Kelton B., '41, Cypress.
Gidcumb, Vern Jo, '43, Eldorado.
Grissom, George Reese, '43, Mt. Vernon.
Harrelson, Dwight N., '38, Benton.
Hetherington, Ralph Robinet, '40, Harrisburg.
Hinkley, Henry Otis, '45, Salem.
Hornbostle, Harold, '41, Steeleville.

IN MEMORIAM
FOR
Southerners Who Lost Their Lives
In World War II

House, Donald, '41, Carbondale.
Johnson, Carl F., '44, Dongola.
Johnson, Harry Glenn, '45, Murphysboro.
King, Delph David, '45, Murphysboro.
Lauder, Guy Edwin, '40, Carterville.
Layman, Stanley, '36, Centralia.
Lollar, Theron Allen, '47, Murphysboro.
McKemie, Gene Byford, '42, Benton.
Miller, Donald H., '45, Carbondale.
*Miller, Kenneth J., '45, Enfield.
*Moseley, George Harley Jr., Metropolis.
Porter, Merle, '42, Mill Shoals.
Rains, Byford, '39, West Frankfort.
Rodgers, Herman Arthur, '44, Carlinville.
Schmidt, Wilton Edward, '44, Vienna.
Sheaffer, Ralph John, '42, West Frankfort.
*Short, William Lawrence.
Smith, Daniel, Lambert, '41, Ozark.
Spear, Harry Scott, '40, Ashley.
Stumpf, Henry Williams, '40, St. Albans, N. Y.
Torrens, Curtis Wynn, '38, Nashville.
*Townes, Paul, '40, Carbondale.
Walker, Lumus Earl, '43, Zeigler.
Waters, William Campbell, '40, Metropolis.
*Whitlock, James Lee, '41, Harrisburg.
*Williams, Charles Thomas, '42, Carbondale.
Williamson, Jack, '43, Elkville.
Winters, Frank J., '41, Carterville.
Wright, Paul, '43, Murphysboro.

The above list was taken from the files in the office of the Registrar. Any correction to the list will be most welcome.
Coronation, Dance, Play, Rally, Game

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Kicking off with a pep rally at a special Homecoming assembly Friday morning, followed by a downtown parade, Homecoming will move fast and furious through the two days, winding up Saturday night with Homecoming Dance, which is being sponsored by the student council, and will feature Bob Strong’s Orchestra. Coronation of the Queen is scheduled for 11 p.m.

Little Theater players are busily rehearsing for Homecoming Play, but won’t breathe a word about its content, except to say “it’s a scream.”

A giant pep rally—in preparation for Saturday’s football game with the Macomb Teachers—is slated for Friday night immediately after the play.

The big game should give alumni sports fans a real thrill, but won’t breathe a word about its content, except to say “it’s a scream.”

After the game, a reception for alumni will be held at Anthony Hall, and the dance will start at 9 p.m.

Alumni Personals

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is teaching in the Whittier School, Blue Island.

CLASS OF 1945

Mary John Baldwin of Equality is teaching English and Spanish in the Equality Township High School this year.

Margaret Dunn of Pinckneyville has been selected as church library worker to serve Baptist churches in Illinois. During the summer, she received specific library training for the work at Nashville, Tenn.

Frances Clark of Marion is now in Chicago, serving as assistant librarian at the Lindblum High School.

Dorris Gabriel of Bunker Hill is teaching in the intermediate grades at Millstadt.

New Faculty And Staff Number 14

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Lt. Col. Glen McGowan, Southern graduate lately attached to Army Headquarters at Fort Sheridan, to serve as faculty assistant. He is working in the president’s office and is doing graduate work here.

Miss Mary Jane Hantz and John S. Wharton as instructors in music. Miss Hantz, instructor in piano and organ, a new position, is a graduate of Eastman School of Music and comes to Southern from the faculty of Stephens College. Mr. Wharton, who directs both the band and orchestra, is a veteran of three years service in the Army Air Corps. A violinist, he replaces Emerson S. Van Cleave, resigned.

Miss Anna Neufeld, instructor in language, who formerly taught the Russian language in the Army Specialized Training Program at the University of Chicago and more recently on the faculty at Thornton High School, Harvey, Ill. Miss Neufeld replaces William P. Dallman.

Miss Thelma Lynn, assistant librarian of the U. C. Chamber of Commerce, Washington, D. C., who has assumed the position here of librarian in charge of circulation, a new position.

Miss Helen Narber, formerly first grade supervisor at State Teachers College, Mankato, Minn. who becomes assistant professor of education in the Training School at Southern.

Miss Anna McCann, former teacher at Grand Tower and East Alton, who is faculty assistant in the first grade in the Laboratory School.

Mrs. Bonnie Lockwood, Southern graduate, who is faculty assistant in the College of Education; William Horrell of Anna, faculty assistant in charge of photography; and Miss Eloise McCoy of Herrin, faculty assistant in the Information Service.

Members of Southern’s faculty who returned to the campus this fall after leaves of absences include: Miss Mary E. Entsminger, associate professor at Allyn Training School; Miss Thelma Kellogg, associate professor of English; and Mrs. Dorothy Muzzey, associate professor of physical education for women.

SOUTHERN HOMECOMING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

10:00 A. M. Student Assembly, Auditorium. Pep Session.
11:00 A. M. Homecoming Parade downtown. Pep Session.
12:00 Noon Pep Session, prizes awarded on floats and stunts.
2:30 P. M. Movie at Varsity Theatre.
8:00 P. M. Little Theatre production, Auditorium.
10:30 P. M. Bonfire and pep session on practice field.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

9:00 A. M. Varsity-Alum hockey game.
11:00 A. M. Alumni Luncheon, Cafeteria.
12:00 Noon Queen’s breakfast, Robert’s Hotel.
2:00 P. M. Maroon-Leatherneck football game, McAndrew Stadium.
4:30 P. M. Tea for Alumni, Anthony Hall.
9:00 P. M. Homecoming Dance—Bob Strong’s Band.
11:00 P. M. Coronation.

(Houses and organizations are planning additional events.)