

### KENTUCKY MEN ARE ATTENDING S. I. C. ASSEMBLY

S. A. Boles, Coach Gamage, and Dr. Funkhouser are representatives. Conference may act on penalty for vols. Boles expected to complete basketball schedule for year.

Interest in the realm of Southern Conference athletics today turns to Chapel Hill, North Carolina, where officials of the conference are holding their annual general session. Kentucky is represented by three men outstanding in their work to promote sports at the university—S. A. "Daddy" Boles, Coach Harry Gamage and Dr. W. D. Funkhouser, secretary-treasurer of the loop, all of whom left Lexington Wednesday night to attend preliminary sessions of the meeting.

Other than speculation concerning possible retributory action on the part of the conference delegates toward the University of Tennessee for violating a conference rule prohibiting freshman football practice prior to the official opening of school, only routine business is expected to come before the general session. It has been indicated that several schools in the organization feel that Tennessee deliberately took advantage of the peace offering of the conference. They may take action against the offending institution, but the construction put on the executive committee's ruling by Tennessee was not the one given it by members of the committee investigating the situation.

If action is taken and should Tennessee be suspended, the action will not prohibit Kentucky playing the orange and white next year. It will not apply to schedules already compiled, but, of course, such games would not be counted in the conference standing of teams playing the Volunteers.

There is a possibility that committees will consider the limitation schedules for members of the Southern Conference for the meeting today and Saturday. At the annual football banquet held Thursday, December 4, at the Lafayette hotel, Doctor Funkhouser in an address to the assembly stated that the time is nearing rapidly when conference teams will be limited to a schedule of eight, nine or ten games per season. Kentucky, he said, is recognized as being one of the few teams in the South with the same schedule year after year. Modern emphasis on football, he stated, is toward limitation in the number of games due to the great mental and physical stress the sport places on players.

The Kentucky delegates to the meeting will be busy talking and thinking sports. "Daddy" Boles is expected to complete the basketball card for the year and Coach Gamage may add a game or two to the Wildcat football schedule for 1931. Doctor Funkhouser will be occupied with general conference business. They are expected to return to Lexington sometime Sunday.

### Phi Beta to Sing Christmas Carols Before Holidays

Miss Emily Hardin, president of Phi Beta, woman's professional musical and dramatic fraternity, announces that the annual tradition of singing Christmas carols early in the morning on the day before students leave for the holidays, Saturday, Dec. 20, will be observed. The group will sing at the dormitories, and homes of prominent university faculty members and friends.

It is the custom of the fraternity to hold a Christmas breakfast at one of the hotels, after the caroling, and this year, the breakfast will be held at the Lafayette hotel. Miss Mildred Little is in charge of arrangements for the affair, which will be attended by several friends and patrons of Phi Beta.

At a meeting of the fraternity Monday afternoon in Patterson hall, it was decided that the Phi Beta octet, which has appeared at several programs recently, will broadcast Christmas carols from the extension studio of WHAS at 1 o'clock on Christmas day.

Y. W. C. A. will give Christmas bazaar. The Y. W. C. A. is promoting a Christmas bazaar, today from 3 to 8 o'clock at Patterson hall. Christmas novelties, candies, and cake will be on sale and the money from these will be used for charitable purposes mainly.

### Modernistic Etching to Be Used in 1931 Kentuckian

#### LESS "RED TAPE" IS WOOD'S PLEA

Professor From Columbia University Discusses Importance of Individual Education

Dr. Ben D. Wood, of Columbia University, considered one of the best authorities in the country on measurement in higher education, spoke to students and faculty on Monday afternoon, December 8, in the lecture room at McVey hall. His lecture which was illustrated with lantern slides, was on the subject of "Problems in Measurement in Higher Education."

Dr. Wood described in some detail the studies which have been carried on at the University of Pennsylvania in relation to the problems of higher education. These studies, carried out extensively with tests and experiments, have been going on for six or eight years under the leadership of Dr. Wood. The test given in this connection was a general culture test consisting of 35 questions and was given to the college seniors of a selected group of colleges.

The theme of Dr. Wood's address was the importance of the individual in higher education. He pleaded for a better understanding and closer association between the student and the professor, he decried undue emphasis on restrictive methods and "red tape." "Work with human nature instead of against," was his recommendation to college professors. By means of the lantern slides he showed some of the startling results that have been obtained through his series of tests, and showed how it is possible to obtain a degree from many colleges without any actual education. In all these he showed the importance of the quality of the individual to be worthy of the greatest consideration.

### Education Fraternity To Hold Initiation

Organization to Give Banquet at Lafayette Hotel This Afternoon

Kappa Delta Pi, honorary Education fraternity, will hold its initiation for eight pledges, at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Gold room of the Lafayette hotel. The initiation will be followed by a banquet in the Palm room at 6:30 p. m.

Mrs. Mona Sansom, of Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va., will be a special guest at the banquet. An address will be given by Prof. E. F. Farquhar, and music will be furnished by the university trio.

Those who will be initiated are Amy Dietrich, Gertrude Griffin, Blanche Helm, Mrs. E. D. Perkins, Florence Ryan, Eula Shaw, E. J. Wesley, and Banker White.

The requirements for initiation are a scholastic standing of two for three years of college work, a class standing of junior in the College of Education, and outstanding work in the field of Education.

### Students Speak Before Political Science Forum

The Political Science Forum met last Monday with Leroy Combs, vice-president, presiding. There were about twenty-five persons present and talks were given by two majors in the department of Political Science.

Herald D. Schimmel spoke on "Implications of the Congressional Elections." By carefully prepared figures and statistics he showed that the Democrats composed a majority of the newly elected seventy-second Congress. Of the thirty-three states electing governors, eight Democrats replaced Republicans, and one Republican and one Farmer-Laborer replaced Democrats. "According to Mr. Joseph Shouse, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, this is a mere forecast of the next presidential election." The Republicans say that the Democratic landslide is due to "crazy-quit" conditions (difficulties in opinion among the Republicans in the various sections) which exist.

Everett Veirs spoke on the "Hoover program" as obtained from Pres. Hoover's address to Congress. The president's address concerned the economic depression, which he attributed to over-speculation, over-production, method of sale of Russian wheat, and the drought.

### MORE ANNUAL PICTURES

Persons who desire additional prints of annual pictures for activities not indicated at the time the pictures were taken, may get them by calling or seeing Rex Allison, editor of the Kentuckian, it was announced yesterday. This must be done today or Saturday, Mr. Allison stated.

### Black and White is Chosen To Convey Theme of Modernism

ANNUAL TO FEATURE SIX VARIED SECTIONS Complete Staff of Yearbook Is Organized and Announced

By VIRGINIA NEVENS A modernistic etching encompassing all branches of literature, art and illustrating characteristics of the age, submitted by Burt Van Arsdale, senior in the College of Arts and Sciences has been accepted. Kentuckian officials for the inside cover page of the 1931 year book. The theme of this book is modernism and the color scheme is black and white.

Six sections of the annual feature the university, classes, features, organizations, athletics, and accoutrements. The volume will go to press February 1 and will be printed in the plant of the Kentucky Kernel. Plans have been made for an improved Kentuckian, although the appropriation this year is \$1,000 less than before.

Interlocking angles enclose vivid sketches, illustrating progress in industry, transportation, science, and culture on the inside cover page. A few of the impressionistic designs are of a train, an airplane, books, printing presses, a skeleton, stars, and chemical equipment. Mr. Van Arsdale, who is art editor of the Kentuckian also designed the cover which is to be black and silver.

Rex Allison, S. A. E., is editor in chief; William Young, Triangle, is business manager, and Al Kikel, A. T. O., is advertising manager. Other editors of the year book are Horace Miner, Delta Tau Delta, university editor; Frances Henry, Kappa Delta, class editor; Frank Stone, S. A. E., feature editor; Morton Walker, Phi Kappa Tau, organization editor; Leon W. McMurray, athletics editor; and Frances L. Holiday, activities editor.

Associate and assistant editors are: class section, Virginia H. Nevens, associate editor, Mary Louise Weaver, Kappa Tau Delta, and Elizabeth Sparks, assistant editors; organization section, Malcolm Barnes, Buena Mathis, Mary Alice Salyers, and Eleanor Swearingen, assistant editors.

Athletic section, Vernon Rooks; activities section, Virginia Hatcher, Mary Virginia Halley, Harriet Holiday, and Margaret Cundiff; Joe Ferguson and William Frazier are assistant art editors. Earl T. Surgenor is in charge of the photographs which were made by Standilford. Roscoe Cooke is assistant business manager.

Other members of the staff are: Mary Lewis Austin, James Dalton, Doris Herold, W. W. Rogers, and Harry K. Scott. Contents of the university section are a history and view of the campus. The feature section includes pictures of the eight pledges selected by Earl Carroll, campus snapshots, and pictures of the military department.

Social, honorary, and professional fraternities and sororities will be listed under organizations. Separate pictures of the basketball, track, and baseball teams; individual pictures of the football coaches, trainers, and managers will constitute the athletic section.

Summaries and pictures of the press organizations, dramatic, and other clubs of departments of the university will be included in the activities section.

Frank Stone, feature editor has requested that students having snapshots pertaining to university life submit them for use in the Kentuckian.

### Scabbard and Blade To Pledge at Cadet Dance on Saturday

The fall pledging exercises of Scabbard and Blade, national honorary military fraternity will be held Saturday afternoon, Dec. 13 at 4:30 o'clock in conjunction with the first Cadet Hop of the year. Six men will be pledged at that time.

The Cadet Hop will begin promptly at 3 o'clock and continue until 6. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Kentuckians, a ten piece orchestra. Judging from the early sale of season tickets, the series of six Hops to be given this year will surpass those of the past years in attendance. Season tickets for the entire six dances may be purchased from any member of Scabbard and Blade for \$2.00. The tickets may be used for one boy and six girls and dates for one Hop. Single admission tickets are fifty cents for each Hop. Thus by the purchase of a season ticket, one may save \$1.00 on the series of six dances, one being given each month throughout the remainder of the school year.

The chaperones for the occasion will be Dr. and Mrs. Frank L. McVey, Dean and Mrs. Paul P. Boyd, Prof. and Mrs. E. F. Farquhar, Major and Mrs. Owen R. Meredith, Capt. and Mrs. Clyde Brady, Capt. and Mrs. H. D. Scheible, Lt. and Mrs. Percy LeStourgeon, Lt. and Mrs. Oriswell, Lt. and Mrs. James E. Reese.

### TEUTONS DEFEND CULTURE IN U. S. AGAINST UK TEAM

Schell and Weaver Appear For University in International Debate

AMERICA'S IDEALISMS ARE DISCUSSED HERE President McVey Presided at Forensic Affair in Memorial Hall

The University of Kentucky debating team in its fifth international debate at 8 o'clock last night met in Memorial hall. The subject of the debate was, "Is the Foreign Influence of American Culture Justified?"

The German team, composed of Hans Juergen Graf Blumenthal and Herbert Schumann, argued the negative side of the question and exhibited a force and mastery comparable to wide experience in the art of argumentation. Richard Weaver and Sidney Schell defended the affirmative for Kentucky. President Frank L. McVey presided at the debate.

Count Blumenthal is a student at the University of Munich and is a member of the Deutsche Studentenschaft. He has also studied at Potsdam, Mecklenberg, and Konigsberg. He is 23 years old. His Schumann, 29 years old, was winner of the second prize when chosen for the international debating team in Washington. He is a student of philosophy and literature at the University of Berlin.

Richard Weaver has taken part in about 60 debates during his three years in public speaking at the university. He was a member of the International Debate team in 1928 which met the team of British university women. Sidney Schell has appeared in about 125 debates during his two years experience at the university.

### Dean Anderson Sits as Model Of Medal Award

Dean P. Paul Anderson, College of Engineering, returned Wednesday morning from New York where he attended the annual national portrait show held at the Grand Central Palace. He also visited Newark, New Jersey, where he addressed the Carrier Engineering corporation, and Philadelphia where he spoke to the Kentucky Alumni club at the Engineers' club of that city.

While Dean Anderson was in the east he sat three times for the famous sculptor, John Swanson, who is making a clay model from which the dies of the P. Paul Anderson medal of award will be struck. This medal was established by the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers last January in Philadelphia, and is to be awarded yearly to the man chosen by their committee as having done the most outstanding work in the field of heating, ventilating, and air conditioning during the preceding year.

The society named the medal in honor of Dean Anderson because he has trained more men in this field than any other man in America and carries on experimentation in this line. The first award of the medal will be made the last week of January, 1931, in Pittsburgh, at the annual meeting of the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers.

### University Students Sing in Oratorio

On December 14, at 7:30 p. m., the choir of the First Methodist church will present "Dawn in the Desert," an oratorio by R. Deane Shure.

Mr. Shure, a revolutionary composer, has written many productions of note, among which "Dawn in the Desert" is considered one of the best. Some of the most prominent individual numbers in the oratorio are: "Divine Lullaby," a duet for women's voices; "Song of the Shepherd," a chorus; and "The March of the Wise Men," a male chorus.

Work on this presentation was begun in July. Among the members of the choir are the following university people: Dorothy Day, Mollie Mack Offutt, Mary Atkins, Mary Alice Salyers, Lenora Howe, Mrs. R. McCracken, Alice Moss, Mrs. Charles Bailey, Mrs. Leonard Land, Banker White, Harold Ashley, David Young, Foster Peyton, Gordon Lisabay, Howard Williams, Beattie Davis, B. P. Ramsey, Victor Portmann, and Abner W. Kelley. Of this group six are members of Phi Beta, university musical sorority, and one is a member of Phi Mu Alpha, musical fraternity.

### SuKy Circle Is Host To Football Squad

The SuKy circle is giving the annual dinner dance for the members of football squad at 6:30 p. m. at Phoenix hotel. The entire varsity squad has been invited, and the SuKy circle will act as host. A capacity crowd is expected to be present to do honor to Wildcats of 1930. Members of the coaching staff and their wives, and the alumnae of the SuKy circle are expected to attend this final banquet. Each year this organization entertains the team and any man who has remained with the team during the entire year whether he has received a letter or not has been invited to the banquet.

### German Forensic Team



COUNT HANS JUERGEN GRAF BLUMENTHAL University of Munich



HERBERT SCHUMANN University of Berlin

### SIGMA DELTA CHI TO RELEASE KAT

Capricious Felix Promises to Be More Alive Than Usual When Let Loose at Georgetown Game

SuKy may not have any "Fuzzy," but Sigma Delta Chi, men's professional journalistic fraternity still has a Kat; This capricious Felix has not handed himself by the neck in any sorority house or any other kind of house for that matter, nor is he likely to do so in the near future. In fact, he is very anxious to inform students and faculty members of the university that he is very much alive, and is likely to be much more alive than usual when he is released at the initial basketball game next week.

The members of Sigma Delta Chi are promising a bigger and better Kat. They are particularly anxious that the members of the student body and faculty examine this product of their journalistic endeavors from claws to meow. Copies will be on sale throughout the campus on the day of the Georgetown game and will be available at the symposium during the game.

The Kampus Kat, otherwise known by the name, "the evil kitty," the "feline tattler," and other obnoxious and uncomplimentary titles, was born on the university campus in the spring of 1928, shortly after the local chapter of Sigma Delta Chi received its charter. The sponsoring of such a publication by the fraternity was in accordance with the custom established by other professional and honorary journalistic organizations throughout the country.

The popularity of the publication has increased and decreased in proportion to the way in which the idiosyncrasies of its staff members and their senses of humor appealed to the students. The trainers are hoping that with the publication of the coming issue the "evil kitty," the "obnoxious Kat," or whatever else he may come to be called, will be established more firmly than ever upon sharp claws.

### Cosmopolitan Club Is Entertained at Dinner Meeting

The International Relations club entertained with a dinner meeting in the University Commons at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday night. The members of the Cosmopolitan club, composed of foreign students at the university, were guests at the dinner. Doctor McVey presided and introduced the members of the Cosmopolitan club to the club, telling the country each one represented.

At the conclusion of the dinner Dr. Amry Vandenberg, a member of the political science department of the university delivered an address on "Colonial Administration." He said in part:

"Since the first colonies were established 400 years ago, there have been involved two policies of administration, that of assimilation, such as France has employed, and the autonomic method, as employed in the Dutch East Indies. Both systems have problems of public health, education, differences in language, land ownership, inter-racial marriage, taxation, forced or contract labor, double codes of law, and stand of mother country on the control of colonial commerce and the open or closed door in regard to raw materials produced for foreign consumption, and many other problems."

### Pre-Med Students Entertain Faculty

Omega Beta Pi, professional pre-medical fraternity, entertained Tuesday night with a smoker in the Science building. Invitations were issued to outstanding upper class pre-meds and the faculty members.

The active members are: M. L. Barnes, J. D. Hays, Kendall Holmes, Andrew Middleton, Charles Palmer, John Prewitt, Woodford Atherton, Hamon Bick, John F. Hale, William Hendrick, William Hubbe, Luther Vaughan, Robert Wise, Paul Davidson, Griff Morsch, Horace Lynn, and Horace Miner; Faculty members are: Dr. W. R. Allen, Dr. R. S. Allen, Dr. W. D. Funkhouser, and Dr. Barkenbus.

### RUPP THREATENS TO MODIFY NEW WILDCAT ATTACK

Wednesday Scrimmage Disappoints Mentor of University Net Team

FAST BREAK SYSTEM NOT SO SUCCESSFUL Combination Style of Play to Be Used Unless Men Improve on Court

By VIRGINIA DOUGHERTY Sports Editor, The Kernel

The fast break system which has been rather dubiously accepted by basketball fans since its advent in Lexington this season is not proving so successful in action, a scrimmage held Wednesday in the Euclid avenue gymnasium indicated. Only two practice scrimmages have been held this year, so whether or not it will be successful is yet to be determined. However, if the university quintet is counting on using it in early season games, Rupp states that "some definite improvement will have to be made or else some new and modified system will have to be evolved."

Coach Rupp, who is sponsoring the fast break system at Kentucky, is not as optimistic about the new system as he was earlier in the year. The men are apt to revert to the previous training of the Illinois or the slow break system when confronted with opposition, and hence lose time and stop their drive, the new coach fears.

The fast break system being introduced by Coach Rupp hinges on the team's ability to move, think and act rapidly, in other words to take their opponents by storm and drive through to a goal. The attack is a system concentrated on speed and energy. The boys of the Big Blue team have spent the past two months training and practicing in order to have inexhaustible energy and speed. However, they have been accustomed to moving so slowly and calculatingly while using the Illinois system that when they finally get under fire the first game of the year they are likely to be as terrified by their own speed as their opponents and revert to the type of ball playing to which they have been accustomed.

Following a scrimmage Wednesday, Rupp told the candidates for the team that a new system "half fast and half slow break" would have to be introduced unless they showed considerable improvement in a scrimmage to be held this afternoon in the gymnasium.

Three sophomores have shown marked ability during the practice sessions this year. They are Johnson and Worthington who have been most successful in defensive work, and Sales whose offensive work has been outstanding. "Little" McGinnis has been playing his usual good game and seems to adapt himself rather well to the new system. Trotts is a sensational shooter who promises to be one of Kentucky's best men.

Percentage of shots made at Wednesday's practice session follows: McGinnis, 15; Spicer, 50; Sale, 50; Yates, 50; Johnson, 75; Worthington, 60; Trotts, 71; Bronston, 50. The above players are outstanding among the 22 men who comprise the varsity squad. Judging from the percentages quoted, Coach Rupp's opinion seems to be most pessimistic. Such percentages made at the season's second scrimmage sound excellent to us.

Senior ball committee, chairman, Al Stoffel, Kappa Sigma, Racine, Wis., and Mary Grace Heaveridge, Mary Armstrong, Frances Holiday and Ben Crosby.

Class day committee, chairman, J. W. Wilson, Delta Chi, Pineville, and Carey Spicer, Mary Virginia Halley, Fannie Curle Woodhead and Jack McGurk.

### Band Is Divided For Winter Months

Concert and Basketball Sections Begin Work Under Director Sulzer

The University of Kentucky band has been divided into two sections for the winter, the concert section, and the basketball band. Both bands will be directed by Elmer G. Sulzer.

The basketball band will be a special feature at all games this winter. The concert band will give classical programs. The concert section has the following members: trombones, Durand, Bogardus, Baker; baritones, Adcock and Welch; saxophones, Hamon, Hobbittell, Hahn, Blades; miscellaneous, Morsch, Boyd, Mitchell, Lynn, Tudor; basses, Neuman, Watts, Lee; cornets, Hainsey, Bagshaw, Buskie, Struble, Jennett; drums, Buskie, Stark, Tempin, clarinets, Myers, McCurk, Traylor, Barlow, Cornett, Vinopal, Chrisman, Foreman, Eayes, Frye. The drum major will be Crosby Bean and the librarian will be Ritter.

The members of the cast are: Holger, Helen Glover; Steen, Frances True Brown; Bertel, Joe Rittenberger; An Old Woman, Irma Price; A Priest, Robert Rudolph; Knights and Ladies, Y. M. and Y. W. Freshman Group. Assisting in the production are Marion Hess Galloway, Eleanor Ward, Peggy Smith, Dr. Abner Kelley and a Choral Group. After the vesper services Sunday afternoon, the members of the students attending. Members of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. committees will act as hosts.

FENNELS STARS DARK Two more Hollywood screen artists having gone bankrupt, brings back to mind that it is one town where even the stars are not allowed to twinkle if they can't put up.