



Technician Wins Top Rating In Collegiate Press Judging

The Technician, Southern Technical Institute's monthly student newspaper, won an All-American rating, the highest possible, in the recently conducted 44th Associated Collegiate Press Critical Service. The honor carried with it the evaluative adjective "Superior."

The September, October, November and December, 1950, issues of the paper were entered in the judging and were analyzed and evaluated from these four standpoints: News Values and Sources, News Writing and Editing, Headlines, Topography and Makeup, the Department Pages and Special Features. The Technician scored highest on the third mentioned.

A score of 900 was required to make All-American; The Technician scored 905.

Tom Thrasher was editor-in-chief of the paper throughout the four months these issues were produced, and John Vanko was associate editor. Registrar L. Y. Bryant was the faculty adviser.

This is the second high honor The Technician achieved in 1950. Copies of the January through May issues were entered in the ACP contest last June, and these won a

Smoak Nominated Editor of Paper

Joe H. Smoak, a September graduate in both Civil and Building Construction Technology, is the new Technician editor. Succeeding Hugh Edwards, a March graduate in Gas Fuel, Joe is 29 years old, married, a Navy veteran, and holds a Chief Petty Officer's rating in the local Naval Air Reserve unit.

Among his other campus activities, Joe is a member of Tau Alpha Pi Honor Society and the Alpha Beta Club. He has been on The Technician staff for two quarters, and on the honor roll for five quarters.

There have been several other changes in the staff. Because of graduation the paper lost the services of George Fries, Advertising Manager; Charles Pettett, Art Editor; and assistants, Walter J. Litaker and Tom Nichols. Wallace Wall has succeeded George Fries as Advertising Manager, and Bill Spaeth is the new Art Editor, replacing Charles Pettett.

The quarterly loss of staff members to industry at graduation ceremonies has placed a burden on the available contributors to The Technician. Realizing that there are interested students on the campus who might be willing to assist, the members of the Technician staff will welcome any students who would like to contribute articles and features and become members of this campus organization.

Honor Man's Name To Go on Plaque

Gracing the north wall of the Registrar's office is a beautifully engraved plaque which should spur certain Southern Tech students to achieve their scholastic best while in school. By way of further explanation, the scholarship plaque was donated by Josten's, designers and engravers for many of the school's emblems and keys, to promote interest and stimulate effort at Southern Tech.

The plaque and its mounting

First Class (Excellent) honor rating.

Mr. L. Y. Bryant, adviser, regards this achievement of The Technician as an outstanding one and extends his thanks to every staff member who had a part in winning the coveted award.

Student Council Slate Published

Although the elections of departmental representatives to the STI Student Council, officers of the Council, and class officers were held several weeks ago, many students and Southern Tech staff members do not know the students who now hold these important positions.

For the information of all, The Technician publishes the following slate of campus leaders:

Joseph Wigley, president of Student Council.

Major Summerford, vice president.

Bob Kellough, secretary - treasurer.

Rufus Wilhelm, president of Senior Class.

Dan Goldson, president of Freshman Class.

Students from STI's 8 departments also chose at the polls the following men to represent them in the Student Council: Steve Serlich, Building Construction; Ray Mathews, Civil; Charles Russell, Electrical; L. H. Cooper and H. D. Adamson, Electronics and Radio; Frank Duntemann, Gas Fuel; Jack Cheney, Heating and Air Conditioning; Jay Eaton, Industrial; and Alton Jenson, Mechanical.

The seven representatives who were elected at the beginning of the winter quarter and who remain to assist the incoming spring quarter group are Bobby Kellough, B. C.; Robert Bowen, Civil; Roger Tucker, ET; Neil Dauphinee, Gas Fuel; Major Summerford, H & AC; Joe Wigley, IT; and Weldon Hair, Mech.

These two groups of students constitute the STI Student Council for the spring quarter.

Funds Obtained For Southern Tech, Will Remain on NAS Campus

The Southern Technical Institute is NOT to be abolished and is NOT to be moved from its present location on the Atlanta Naval Air Station at Chamblee.

Previously reports had been circulated and even published that STI was to be discontinued; others had it that the school was to be moved to the Georgia Tech campus.

Director L. V. Johnson states that the money necessary to maintain Southern Tech at its present Chamblee location has been obtained and that it is in a better position now than ever before to continue its program of training technicians for industry in eight different fields.

Third Awards Day To Be Held June 1

Southern Tech's third annual Awards Day program will take place on Friday, June 1, when outstanding students will be honored in the presence of the faculty and student body for their scholastic achievements and extracurricular contributions to the school.

Presided over by Dean of Students C. V. Maddox, the program will feature the awarding of keys and trophies by Mr. L. V. Johnson to those students excelling in Scholarship, Activities, Science, Student Council leadership, and the one judged Honor Student. Keys will be presented by faculty advisors to members of The Technician and Technician's Log staffs, and Glee Club letters will be awarded by Director Jack Clark.

Best Athletes To Be Honored

In addition to the Monogram Club Trophy for the outstanding senior athlete and the Gold Medal for the outstanding freshman athlete, both chosen by popular student vote, other intramural and collegiate athletic presentations will be made in football, basketball, track and field, tennis, and golf.

Mr. Maddox states that the program will be held in the school auditorium and that recipients of the awards are now being chosen.

Army Air Force Choses STI To Train Men in Electronics

First Contingent of 15 Arrives April 23 For 19-Week Period of Intensive Study

Officials at Southern Tech were recently notified that selected groups of U. S. Air Force airmen will be transferred to our campus for special training in a 19 weeks' course in Armament Electronics Fundamentals.

From information furnished by Director L. V. Johnson and Mr. G. L. Crawford, head of STI's Technical Division, the first group of airmen, a contingent of 15, was scheduled to arrive Monday, April 23. Fifteen more will arrive on April 30; 30 on May 7; thereafter the remaining students will report at two-week intervals in groups of 30 each. Their course of study here will be taught primarily under the cognizance of the Electronics and Radio Department, the basic engineering elements to be given by our Physics Department.

These men in Air Force blue will attend classes six hours a day, five days a week, and will be placed in STI dormitories. Upon completion of their program at STI, the airmen will be transferred to other schools for advanced specialized training in the same field.

Adviser Jones Arrives

Mr. Warren Jones, Educational Advisor, Contract Training, arrived on the campus April 16 from Lowry Air Force Base, Colorado, to assist in this training, and immediately began to confer with school officials on the program methods.

More recent arrivals were the military Commanding Officer, Captain Edward E. Gary, 3415th School Squadron; Warrant Officer Wilson Palmer, Squadron Adjutant; and the following administrative staff assistants: M/Sgt. Bankert; M/Sgt. Scymansky; and S/Sgts. Willis, Chandler, Nedella and McPherson.

The Technician was advised that out of the 50 schools surveyed to give this special training, Southern Tech was one of the three chosen. This choice STI officials regard as an outstanding milestone in the school's history. They welcome these new arrivals and offer them Southern Tech's fullest interest and cooperation.

Alumni To Gather On Campus June 2

Mr. L. V. Johnson has appointed a faculty committee to plan and promote an alumni meeting at the end of the current quarter. The committee is composed of R. L. Wilkinson, Chairman, C. V. Maddox, and G. L. Carroll.

Mr. Wilkinson has announced that the following tentative plans have been drawn up.

The alumni will assemble for a meeting in the afternoon at which time plans for increasing student enrollment, bettering our placement service, and organizing a more closely knit alumni group will be discussed. After this the group will go to the school dining hall for dinner, and after this they will be encouraged to attend the Monogram Club dance which takes place the same night.

The day established for this is Saturday, June 2. Saturday was decided upon in order that our alumni will have a better opportunity to attend.

More definite plans will be announced in the next issue of The Technician.

303 Enrolled for STI Spring Term

Southern Tech students found upon their return to school this quarter many new faces. Also evident was the loss of 46 men who graduated on March 16.

Getting down to numerical accuracy, STI opened its doors to 260 returning students and 43 new candidates. This created a total enrollment of 303 for the Spring Quarter.

By breaking this total enrollment into two major groups, one sees that 47%, or 142 of the students, are veterans and that the remaining 161 are non-veterans. Twenty-six are here on Gas-Fuel scholarships, 4 on Coca-Cola scholarships, 8 on the Rehabilitation Plan, 3 are coeds, and the remaining 123 are just plain folks.

Another Coed Enters

Southern Tech enrolled Mrs. Elizabeth J. Newbury this quarter and increased its number of coeds to an all-time high of three. Mrs. Newbury is a resident of Chamblee and a student of Industrial Technology. She joined Miss Elizabeth Melton, third quarter student of Building Construction Technology, and Mrs. William Spaeth, a GI and second-quarter student of electronics and radio.

In order that everyone may know the enrollment of each department The Technician prints the following data: Building Construction, 69; Mechanical, 53; Electronics and Radio, 44; Gas Fuel, 36; Electrical, 31; Industrial, 31; Heating and Air Conditioning, 20; Civil, 19.

but that past college scholastic performance along with the test scores would be used by local boards to determine a student's standing for deferment. The boards themselves will make the final decision.

Technician Acquaints Students With Rules for Draft Exemption Exams

In an executive order amending the Selective Service regulations, President Truman has authorized Major General Lewis B. Hershey, Director of Selective Service, to prescribe the requirements that may qualify many young, non-veteran college students for temporary deferment from induction for military service.

To help establish a deferment eligibility system, the Educational Testing Service of Princeton, New Jersey, has been designated by Selective Service headquarters to prepare and administer an examination to provide local draft boards with evidence of student qualifications for deferment for continued college work.

The College Qualification Test—as the examination is called—will be given throughout the nation on May 26, June 16, and June 30, 1951. In the Atlanta area two colleges—Georgia Tech and Emory University—have been designated as examination centers for the above

throughout the state.

Applicants for the test must have begun, and plan to continue, their college studies. Applicants also must be registered under the Selective Service Act, must be under 26 years of age, and must not have previously taken the test. High school graduates and others who are candidates for admission to their first year of college are not eligible for the test until they have actually entered their first year of college.

Some college students will not be required to take the test. Any student finishing his freshman term this spring can return for the fall term without fear of being drafted, providing he is in the upper scholastic half of his class and has so informed his local draft board. Those students not in the upper half of their class must take the examination if they wish to become eligible for occupational deferment as students.

To apply for entrance to the test-

Selective Service board. The cards are to be filled out and mailed, the applicant designating by number and location his preference for an examination center. He will later be given a ticket of admission to the testing center.

Lasting approximately three hours, the test will require schooling comparable to that of high school preparation for college. It will be composed of four basic types of questions with multiple choice answers, and will determine an applicant's ability to read and comprehend college study material; ability to deal with words; interpretation of data in graphs, tables, and diagrams; and arithmetical reasoning requiring no advanced mathematical knowledge. Sample tests may be obtained from local boards along with the postcard applications.

General Hershey states that the new policy applies to about a million male, non-veteran college students. It was also stated that the

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The Technician welcomes criticisms, suggestions, and contributions, but insists that these communications be signed and limited to 300 words.

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Things Are Looking Up

In view of recent developments, The Technician cannot help feeling that things at and for Southern Tech are looking up. The dark, threatening clouds which several weeks ago hovered over the school have been dispersed and, because of the following realities, the future of STI looks brighter than ever:

1. STI will remain at its present location.
2. Money for its continuation has been provided.
3. Through visits to the Institute and confirmations from friendly industrialists, more members of the Board of Regents saw and learned what STI does, what it does with, and what its products can do.
4. More and more industrialists are seeking the services of Southern Tech graduates, which fact, of course, means more jobs.
5. These graduate technicians are pleasing their employers, making a name for themselves, and building a firmer foundation for the graduates to come.
6. Military authorities have chosen STI as one of the three colleges in the nation to conduct an Army Air Force training program.
7. College students have been given a "break" by the Selective

Service officials. If a student does what he should at Southern Tech, nothing can prevent him from completing the course of his choice without interruption and going into an essential industry afterward.

Yes, things at and for Southern Tech are looking up.

Proudly We Hail The Technician!

We are proud to announce that The Technician has been judged an All-American (Superior) school-paper by the Associated Collegiate Press. Papers, incidentally, cannot win any higher honor.

This prophet without honor business holds true at Southern Tech, we fear. Life, study, and activities whirl so fast and so completely around things technical that little time or attention is given to an activity so literary in its nature.

And yet for this very reason our achievement is all the more significant. Hardly five per cent of the student body contributes to the production of the paper and not ten per cent of this group has ever had any journalistic experience.

We cannot help contending that we do pretty well, regardless of what others might think.

Students, Faculty Think New Draft Deferment Plan Unjust, Poll Shows

By JAY EATON

Should scholastic ability alone be the basis for military deferment? That was the question asked recently of a student from each department and two instructors, on our campus.

It is interesting to note that the opinions expressed are similar to those expressed in a recent speech by Col. Blake Van Leer, president of Georgia Tech.

Perhaps the results shown by the poll will prompt some of us to notify our favorite politician of our dissatisfaction with the present situation. Please don't bother Harry tho, because he and Doug are just too busy to help much. Anyway, here are the opinions tendered in the poll.

Roger Wisner, BC — No. The course that the student is taking plus his ambition to go to school should have something to do with deferment.

Tucker Says No

R. D. Tucker, ET — No. Scholastic standing alone does not accurately determine a man's ability. Simply because a man may be a "brain" in his books does not necessarily mean he will be a good man in the field.

Steve Wolfe, E & R — Yes. Tomorrow's engineers and scientists will come from today's students. These technicians are just as important for defense as our army.

Harvey Cooper, Civil — No. I don't believe that just because a man is smarter than another that the man who is not quite as smart should have to go. I believe that is an unfair way to separate the

men. I think that all college students should be drafted.

Mr. J. C. Clark, Physics Instructor — No. Deferment on the basis of scholastic ability alone is undemocratic. In my opinion, a fairer basis for deferment would include such factors as a student's effort, his attitude toward his studies, and similar traits, as well as scholastic ability.

Charles N. Ittner, Gas Fuel — No. Dependents and previous military experience, if any, should be considered. Age should also have some bearing on the case.

David D. Perkins, H & AC — No. I believe if a student is maintaining satisfactory grades that he should be allowed to complete his course. If he is allowed to do so, he will make a much better man for any branch of the armed forces.

Jenson Says 'No!'

Alton Jenson, Mech — No! Scholastic ability without the IQ should be used only as a deciding basis for separation to determine whom to draft first.

Mr. P. R. Lewis, Mathematics Instructor — No. It would be unfair and undemocratic to base military deferment upon scholastic ability alone! I cannot believe that anyone would be wholly happy about it either. I do feel that the Armed Forces should make use of persons with good scholarship by training and developing them along their various lines of aptitude.

Jim Nyland, IT — No. I don't believe just because a person starts school he or she should be deferred. Besides the Army and Navy need good men.

The Corn Crop

As It Was Gathered

Don't worry if your work is hard,
And your rewards are few;
Remember that the mighty oak,
Was once a nut like you.

—Stolen

—STI—

Teacher (trying hard to unfasten coat for little pupil): "Did your mother hook this coat for you?"

Pupil: "No, ma'am. She bought it."

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Mrs.: "Daddy and I won't be home tonight, Bobbie. Do you want to sleep with the nurse?"

Bobby (after some deliberation): "What would you do, Pop?"

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The plain, prim little old lady who stood beside a male customer at a store counter was embarrassed; finally she said: "Please, Miss, I'd like two packages of bath room stationery."

—Two Bells

—STI—

If women are more honest than men why do they keep falsifying their figures?

—Plaxico Pixie

—STI—

Overheard in a cocktail lounge: "So I quit my job, and I said to the boss, 'You know what I am, don't you? I'm a ship leaving a sinking rat.'"

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It was the teen-aged daughter's first dance, and she desperately wanted an off-the-shoulder frock. Her Mother felt she wasn't old enough to wear anything so sophisticated. There was a heated family discussion, and it was the Father who finally settled the problem. "Well," he proposed, "let her try one on. If it stays up—she's old enough to wear it."

—Reader's Digest

—STI—

A kindergarten teacher smiled pleasantly at a gentleman opposite her on the trolley car. He did not respond. Realizing her error, she said aloud, "Oh, please excuse me. I mistook you for the father of two of my children."

—Wall Street Journal

—STI—

For a number of years, I taught in the Blue Ridge Mountain schools of Virginia. Trying always to impress the virtue of honesty upon my students, I required them to give a pledge that they had given nor received help on their examinations.

One young girl handed in her paper with this pledge on it: "I haven't received no help on this exam, and God knows I couldn't give any."

—S. E. L. Warwick

—STI—

The Department of Internal Revenue received a typed income-tax return from a bachelor who listed one dependent son. The examiner returned the blank with a penciled notation: "This must be a stenographic error."

The blank came back promptly with the notation: "You're telling me!"

—Fun Fare

—STI—

The editor of a Vermont weekly sent to one Hiram Sparks a notice that his subscription had expired. The notice came back with the laconic scrawl: "So's Hiram."

—Theodore Rubin, "Fun Fare"

—STI—

A Seattle firm, having difficulty in making a collection, finally wrote: "Dear Mr. Jones: What would your neighbors think if we came to your town and repossessed your car?"

A week later they received their letter back. Scrawled on it was: "Sir: I took the above matter up with my neighbors and they think it would be a lousy trick. Sincerely, Lester Jones."

—Fred R. Fritch

—STI—

Ann Southern says, "Wolves are like railroad trains—you like to hear the whistle even if you don't want to go any place."



Covering the Campus

With Henry A. Smith, Jr.

The present enrollment, although dropping to a little over three hundred, includes forty-three new students. To these new students we extend a hearty welcome and hope they like it hear at STI.

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The school is now on its own, and the Board of Regents has seen fit to appropriate the required funds to keep it in operation.

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A drive is now on for new students. The goal has been set for five hundred students by the fall quarter of this year. It is hoped that the students and alumni will do what they can to make this goal a reality.

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The Mech Club has received a note of appreciation for the flowers sent to Billy Carlyle while he was in the hospital. We are all very glad Billy recovered so nicely and hope to see him back in school next quarter.

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We were glad to receive word that Claybourne Ross and William Sanders have just about recovered from their accident.

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The school really received a treat at the last assembly when the North Fulton High School Glee Club sang for us.

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Overheard on the Campus: "I'm not going to let my studies interfere with my social life."

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One student, complaining to another about not getting enough sleep at night, was asked this question, "Why don't you sign up for more classes?"

We are proud to observe the presence of another coed on the campus this quarter. She is Mrs. Elizabeth J. Newberry, of Chamblee, who is studying Industrial Technology.

N. Fulton Singers Highly Pleasing

Students and staff of STI were treated to one of the most delightful programs of the year when the North Fulton High School Glee Club recently presented an excellent, 50-minute musical entertainment for their benefit in the Navy theater at the Thursday assembly period.

After the Mystery of Where Is the Piano? was solved, all 60 members of this superior organization and their amiable director, Mr. Lowrance, entered into the presentation of their popular and semi-classical numbers and held the audience entranced.

Special features were skillful, free-hand sketching by a beautiful lady, whose name and telephone number this reporter should have got, and several numbers by an all-male quartet.

The audience indicated their enthusiasm and enjoyment by applauding freely and begging for encores, which were gladly rendered. There was little question that the skill exhibited and beauty of the numbers proved to many STI students that assembly programs can be worth while, and they ranked the North Fulton group "tops."

This reporter never did learn whether it was tea and crumpets that the group was served afterwards or Cokes and ice cream.

Joe Wilburn, 1949 Building Graduate, Now With Combat Engineer Battalion

Southern Tech alumni are scattered far and wide, and it isn't often that we are able to locate all of them in their new surroundings. Occasionally, however, we do hear from them, as evidenced by the following letter from Joe Wilburn, who was a March, 1949, graduate in Building Construction Technology.

Joe is now a member of an Army Combat Engineer Battalion training at Camp Pickett, Virginia. Here is what he had to say:

"Hi Everybody:

"How is everything at good ole Southern Tech? As of yesterday it has been just about a year since I trembled under the iron hand of Mr. Orvold, Mr. Vaughn, and the rest of the rulers of the Building Construction Department. Right now I'd give just about anything to be sitting in a class out there.

"At the present I'm a member of the grand and glorious order of the Combat Engineers. The Engineers are not at all like I had expected. We spend quite a bit of our time standing in water up to our waists building bridges. It wouldn't be bad at all but when

the temperature is 30 degrees outside the water gets kinda uncomfortable.

"I know that right now I probably don't know anyone in the Building Construction Department, but I'd like to tell everyone that it is really a good deal. When I got out of Southern Tech a good job was waiting for me and within three months I got a job that was as good as any job I could have gotten as a graduate of Georgia Tech.

"I want to thank Mr. Orvold, Mr. Vaughn, Mr. Maddox, Mr. Clark, Mr. Holladay, and all my other instructors for giving me something that I will always appreciate.

"Since I've been in the Army I've been receiving The Technician regularly—the only trouble is that it gets to me just about a month after it's mailed, so I'd appreciate it if someone would give the main office my new address. It is: Pvt. Joe Wilburn, 53025621, Co. D., 118th Engrs. Combat Bn., 43rd Inf. Div., Camp Pickett, Virginia.

"Lots of luck to everyone,"

An "ole alumnus"
Joe Wilburn"

Creel, F. Blair Make All 'A's' As 54 Achieve Honor Roll

On compiling point averages at the end of the 1951 winter quarter, the Registrar's office found that it had one of the largest honor rolls to date. Fifty-four students, many of them second and third quarter enrollees at Southern Tech, had met the point average requirement for the honor list.

Two students finished the quarter's work with the enviable grade of 4.0, which means all A's. These were Frank H. Blair, Civil Department, and Frank M. Creel, a Heating and Air Conditioning student. Both these students have made the honor roll list previously. John L. Mosny, a Gas Fuel student from New England, ran a close second with a high average of 3.94.

Complete Roll Named

The following is a complete roster of the winter quarter honor students and their point averages: Frank H. Allen, 3.11; Robert G. Appling, 3.00; Robert R. Berry, 3.70; Jack Bishop, 3.33; Frank H. Blair, 4.00; Robert A. Bowen, 3.15; Eugene F. Brown, 3.00; J. C. Butterworth, 3.50; Robert W. Carson, 3.11; James W. Chambers, 3.23; Jack N. Cheney, 3.35; H. R. Chiselbrook, 3.60; Clyde V. Compton, 3.46.

Luther H. Cooper, 3.42; Frank M. Creel, 4.00; Harry T. Davis, 3.00;

Aubrey N. DeLong, 3.00; Cleborn R. Duke, 3.63; F. W. Duntemann, 3.15; Jay S. Eaton, 3.05; Hugh M. Edwards, 3.44; George P. Fowler, 3.38; R. E. Funderburk, 3.26.

Henry R. Gibson, 3.47; William B. Grant, 3.00; Murrill J. Hiers, 3.15; Harry Hill, 3.47; William E. Hollis, 3.47; Charles W. Ittner, 3.18; Alton P. Jensen, 3.63; Arthur G. Linton, 3.80; Walter J. Litaker, 3.73.

Frank W. Manning, 3.14; Elizabeth Melton, 3.61; John L. Mosny, 3.94; Richard C. Myers, 3.27; Francis L. McRackan, 3.62; Wilbur R. Noles, 3.00; James R. Nyland, 3.30; Ernest L. Peghiny, 3.52; Joseph Rettie, 3.05; Thomas B. Robertson, 3.00; Charles C. Russell, 3.45.

Stephen D. Sertich, 3.26; Joseph H. Smoak, 3.83; John C. Stambaugh, 3.07; Howell T. Stenger, 3.47; Harold J. Sturdivant, 3.42; Major Summerford, 3.57.

Boyce E. Tharpe, 3.60; William E. Tolson, 3.65; Rufus Wilhelm, 3.35; Edwin L. Willis, 3.00; Bruce R. Winkles, 3.61.

To be eligible for the honor roll, a student must carry a minimum of 15 credit hours with at least a 3.0 average, and must have no failures or conduct offenses.

Honor Man's Name To Go on Plaque

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and bears quotations from the ancient Greek philosopher Diogenes, the Americans Emerson and Webster, and the English essayist Addison.

Beginning with the 1951 September graduation and continuing through the year 1955, a name will be engraved on the plaque opposite the appropriate graduation year. The name will be that of the graduating student within the academic year who has the highest scholastic average during his career at Southern Tech.

The plaque offers you, students at STI, a challenge to increase your interest and scholastic efforts and to add an additional honor to your other achievements.

CLUB NEWS ROUNDUP

By HENRY A. SMITH, JR.

MECHS ENJOY FISH FRY

The Mech Club members and dates enjoyed a fish fry at North Fulton Park on March 2. Five members were initiated into the club.

Officers for the present quarter include Norman Daugherty as president, Jerry O'Neal as vice-president, Joe House as secretary, and Jack Hiers as treasurer.

TAU ALPHAS INITIATE

The week of April 2 through the 6 was initiation week for the new members of Tau Alpha Pi. A formal initiation was held at North Fulton Park on April 14. The latest "brains" of the campus are the following: Frank Blair, Robert Bowen, Henry Gibson, Alton Jensen, Arthur Linton, Sara E. Melton, John Mosny, Charles Russell, and Bruce Winkles.

CAMERA CLUB WANTS MEMBERS

The Camera Club took in two new members and extends a welcome to anyone else desiring to become a member. Facilities and the use of the dark room are available to all members.

Officers for the present quarter are S. Henry Wolfe, president; Joe Wigley, vice-president; and Wilbur Noles, secretary and treasurer.

IOTA TAU HONORS CHAMPS

The Iota Tau honored our basketball champs by throwing a victory dance at the end of the last game, which climaxed a very successful season for our boys.

Officers elected for the spring quarter are Edwin L. Willis, president; Jay Eaton, vice-president; J. C. Wigley, secretary; and William L. Adamson, treasurer.

SPAETH HEADS RADIO CLUB

The Radio Club announces the offering of code classes and the showing of films to anyone desiring the procurement of a ham license. This offer is available to any student on the campus. There have also been planned field trips to various radio stations.

Officers for the present quarter include Bill Spaeth as president, Max Marcus as vice-president, and E. L. Fields as secretary and treasurer.

BUILDERS STRESS MEMBERSHIP

At one of its last meetings in March the Alpha Beta Society elected the following officers for the spring quarter: B. B. Duke, president; Al Conner, vice president; Tommy Clack, secretary; B. O. Kellogg, treasurer; and J. H. Smoak, public relations officer.

Officers of the Club are stressing new membership. Forty invitations were presented to prospective members, and a party was being planned at their April 19 meeting.

The Alpha Beta Society is interested in having all Building Con-

VA Cautions Veterans About Course Changes, Cutoff Date

The beginning of the summer quarter at Southern Tech has special emphasis for veteran students. The Veterans Administration has set forth certain requirements for veteran enrollees and for veterans who plan to enter college for the summer term.

Students now enrolled at Southern Tech under the GI Bill have up to the end of the first week of the summer term to make a change in their course of study. The latest official date on which a veteran may initially enter college, or on which a presently enrolled veteran may change his approved course of study is June 25, 1951.

No Changes After June 30

However, with the existing school calendar at Southern Tech, veterans now enrolled have until June 30, the last day of registration for the summer quarter, to make any desired changes in their educational program here. And veterans who plan to enter the school as

new students must enroll on or before June 30 in order to be eligible for government sponsored tuition and subsistence payments.

Students who do not plan to return for the summer quarter beginning June 25 must file interruption papers with Miss Westbrook before June 1. These students are reminded that they must re-enter the 1951 fall term in order to continue their education under the GI Bill.

Veteran students at Southern Tech should acquaint themselves with these requirements so that their program of study might continue without needless interruption.

Prospective students under the GI Bill must make the necessary entrance arrangements with the Veterans Administration and the school before the beginning of the summer term. Further information may be secured from Miss Doris Westbrook, Secretary of Veterans Affairs, Building 24.

Definitions

Alimony: The high cost of leaving.

Umbrella: A shelter for one and a shower bath for two.

Modern bathing suit: Two bandannas and a worried look.

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struction students join. The requirement for membership is completion of one quarter's work in Building Construction.

COLONEL COX TO SPEAK

Members of the Civil Club have secured the services of Colonel Mose Cox, Engineer - Secretary, Joint Bond Commission, for the school program scheduled in the auditorium on Thursday, April 26. The Civil Department has charge of the program on that date, and Colonel Cox was contacted and agreed to give a talk on the Atlanta Expressway now being constructed across town.

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At the last regular meeting of the Civil Club the following officers were elected for the spring quarter: R. A. Bowen, president; Leon Sherrill, vice-president; and Ray Matthews, secretary-treasurer.

Other club business included plans for a hayride to the Tech YMCA Camp on May 12.

Club members wish to thank Ansel "Red" Hudson for the radio he donated for the club lounge.

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Green Hornets Possess Good Material for Winning Club

Drop Tough, Opening Tilt to Cadets, 11-13; Look Forward to Schedule of 10 Games

By BILL DYER

After a successful basketball season the athletes of Southern Technical Institute turned to baseball.

Coach Joe Rettie has plenty of material and should turn out a fine team. Returning veterans, catcher Buck Sims, second baseman "Huch" Tucker, pitcher Joe Rettie, first baseman Joe House, combined with new talent should make a well-balanced team.

New men include pitchers Bubber Hodges and Charlie McDaniel, who with Joe Rettie should make a first-class pitching staff.

Infield Looks Good

The infield is shaping up with veteran Joe House on first, Wendell Melton on second, and Lee Duncan on third.

The outfield, composed of Chick

Katsekis, Sol Siegel, and John Leonard, is good defensively. Offensively Sims and Katsekis should furnish plenty of power.

Rettie, House, Melton, McDaniel, Hodges, and Duncan are dependable hitters, and with Katsekis and Sims should score the pants off any pitcher.

Lose First Game

The "Green Hornets" of STI dropped the first game of the season to the cadets of G.M.A. by an 11 to 13 score.

The slugfest went eleven innings before G.M.A. grabbed two runs to cinch the victory.

There were plenty of errors on both sides which kept the pitchers in hot water most of the time. The hitting of the Hornets received favorable comment, but their defense left much to be desired.

Katsekis, Sims, House and Rettie all collected two hits for the cause.

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Tues., April 24, Oglethorpe, Home.
Tues., May 1, G.M.A., There.
Fri., May 4, Berry, Home.
Sat., May 12, Middle Georgia, Home.
Tues., May 15, Oglethorpe, Home.
Sat., May 19, Tech Freshmen—Rose Bowl Field, Georgia Tech.
Tues., May 22, Tech Freshmen—Rose Bowl Field, Georgia Tech.
Sat., May 26, Middle Georgia, There.
Tues., May 29, Piedmont, Home.

Faculty Changes

3 Staff Members Enter Industry; One To Research

Southern Technical Institute regrets the loss of four very capable members of the faculty, three of whom left at the end of the winter quarter to accept positions in industry and the fourth to go into research.

Possibly the greatest loss was that of Mr. John D. Sewell, assistant director of Southern Tech. Mr. Sewell had been with the school since its beginning in January of 1948. During this time, in addition to his regular duties, he helped many of the students with their school and personal problems. His new position is Director of Training at Lockheed's Marietta plant.

Mr. Johnson to Lockheed

Mr. Frank Johnson, coach and head of the Industrial Department, also moved over to Lockheed to accept new duties as Employment Director. Since coming to STI 36 months ago, he had been very influential in molding STI's great basketball teams.

Also leaving STI were Mr. Bob Hayes, of the English Department, and Mr. F. P. Holder, of the Electrical Department. Both of these men will be missed by the students who have been members of their classes. Mr. Hayes, after having been here since September, 1950, has also gone to Lockheed while Mr. Holder has transferred to the Ga. Tech Experiment Station.

Students who have classes under

Complete Training, Johnson, Of Lockheed, Urges Students



FRANK JOHNSON

In a recent letter to Mr. L. Y. Bryant, Registrar, Mr. Frank Johnson, former STI coach and head of the Industrial Department and now Employment Manager at Lockheed, strongly advised all Southern Tech students to make every effort to complete their training.

He stated that Lockheed had already employed about 15 STI grads and will need more. "We are," he said, "in the rather ridiculous po-

sition of having about 500 jobs open and about 20,000 applications on file; yet none of these 20,000 are capable of filling the vacancies due to lack of training."

Of the school's future Mr. Johnson wrote, "I am confident that Southern Tech will continue to grow and achieve the recognition it deserves. My association with the students, faculty, and administration for the past three years has been most pleasant. It is only natural that I take pride in the Industrial Department with its many graduates who have already made a name for themselves in industry. I feel certain that under the capable guidance of Prof. Jack Natress this department will continue to develop as a source of potential industrial executives."

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Pleads for Activities

Mr. Johnson expressed the hope that the activities program would continue as a major function in developing well-rounded individuals, for he feels that athletics and publications are much more than just publicity outlets.

Mr. Johnson stated that his return to industry, after three years of teaching had been accomplished with a minimum of confusion and that he could not have chosen a better organization than Lockheed for which to work.

"Best wishes to all of you," Mr. Johnson wrote. "Please call upon me if I can ever be of assistance to Southern Tech or its products."

Paper Explains New Draft Plan

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national Testing Service.

Since Selective Service officials have stated their intentions to take the older eligible men first, most high school graduates under or around 19 years of age still have ample time to enter college and apply for deferment.

Although some opposition to this new policy has come from noted educators, the nation's defense leaders realize that we are in no position to match manpower with the Iron Curtain countries. Our advantage, they contend, lies in scientific and technical superiority, and this new system will pave the way for the training of additional qualified scientists, technicians, and other specialists of superior education.

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