

January 4 Set As Registration Date For Winter Term

50 New Students Bring Total to 480; Faster Registration Promised

Approximately 50 new students are expected to enroll at Southern Tech for the winter quarter, which will begin with registration on January 4. About 35 have already made application and been accepted for admission. At the present rate it should be safe to say that 15 additional students will register to make a total of approximately 50 new enrollees and a total near the 480 mark.

Although these students are expected, the total enrollment will not increase because of the 10 fall quarter graduates and others that probably will drop out before the winter quarter begins. The present enrollment is 464 students, about half of whom are freshmen and half seniors.

After the Christmas holidays end on January 3, it's back to the "halls of learning" for Southern Tech students. Administration officials announce a new procedure for paying fees which should speed up the registration process, reduce greatly the time spent in line, and make life more worth living.

THE CALENDAR

The following schedule has been set up for the winter quarter.

- January 4—Registration of all students.
- January 5—Classes begin.
- January 6—Late registration fees apply.
- January 9—Last day for registration. Last day for adding subject to study list.
- February 6—Last day for dropping subject from study list without penalty.
- February 13—End of deficiency report period.
- March 20—End of term.
- March 21-28—Spring recess.

January 1 Deadline Set for Alumni Dues

To all alumni who have not paid alumni dues, the closing date is January 1, 1954. After this date, alumni who have not paid their dues will be taken off the school's mailing list, which includes the Weekly Newsletter, the Monthly Newsletter, and The Technician.

If you have overlooked this item, please drop your check in the mail

Singers Give Inspiring Version of Xmas Story

After a quarter of preparation the Southern Tech Glee Club appeared in their Annual Christmas Concert in the Lawson Chapel on Tuesday evening, December 8.

The program consisted of two distinct parts, the first of which was made up chiefly of secular music. Some of the numbers included in this portion were "April in Portugal," "Dancing in the Dark," "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," "I Got a Robe," "A Pastoral," "Ramblin' Wreck," and "White Christmas."

The second and main part was a Christmas narration with music, entitled "Venite Adoremus." Selected portions of the Four Gospels (American Revised Version) were read to introduce the music of this section. The result was an inspiring treatment of the Christmas story.

Soloists who appeared during the concert and their numbers were Miss Barbara Brim, "Ave Maria" and "Gesu, Bambino"; Miss Jane Greer, "Thou Art My God";

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Keeping Christmas

By Henry van Dyke

It is a GOOD THING to observe Christmas day. The mere marking of time and seasons, when men agree to stop work and make merry together, is a wise and wholesome custom. It helps one to feel the supremacy of the common life over the individual life. It reminds a man to set his own little watch, now and then, by the great clock of humanity which runs on sun time.

But there is a better thing than the observance of Christmas day and that is keeping Christmas.

Are you willing to forget what you have done for other people and to remember what other people have done for you; to ignore what the world owes you and to think of what you owe the world; to put your rights in the background and your duties in the middle distance and your chances to do a little more than your duty in the foreground; to see that your fellow-men are just as real as you are and try to look behind their faces to their hearts, hungry for joy; to own that probably the only good reason for your existence is not what you are going to get out of life but what you are going to give to life; to close your book of complaints against the management of the universe and look around you for a place where you can sow a few

seeds of happiness—are you willing to do these things even for a day? Then you can keep Christmas.

Are you willing to stoop down and consider the needs and the desires of little children; to remember the weakness and loneliness of people who are growing old; to stop asking how much your friends love you and ask yourself whether you love them enough; to bear in mind the things that other people have to bear on their hearts; to try to understand what those who live in the same house with you really want, without waiting for them to tell you; to trim your lamp so that it will give more light and less smoke and to carry it in front so that your shadow will fall behind you; to make a grave for your ugly thoughts and a garden for your kindly feelings, with the gate open—are you willing to do these things even for a day? Then you can keep Christmas.

Are you willing to believe that love is the strongest thing in the world—stronger than hate, stronger than evil, stronger than death—and that the blessed life which began in Bethlehem nineteen hundred years ago is the image and brightness of the Eternal Love? Then you can keep Christmas. And if you keep it for a day, why not always? But you can never keep it alone.

Experts To Lead Counselors' Clinic Discussion Groups

Panel, Address, Tour Of School Are Features On Program of February 12

A counselors' clinic designed to inform vocation and placement directors of the merits of a technical institute education is to be held on the Southern Technical Institute campus Friday, February 12, 1954. These counselors will represent high schools, Veterans' Administration, U. S. Employment Agencies, and Vocational Rehabilitation Divisions all over the Southeast.

An outstanding feature of the afternoon will be a panel discussion before the visiting counselors. Dr. Harold P. Rhodes, President of the Ohio Mechanics Institute, will be the moderator of this panel, while panel members will include an outstanding vocational counselor, a representative of the Associated Industries of Georgia, a representative from a large corporation, a prominent psychologist, and Director L. V. Johnson.

Panel Is A Feature

This panel will discuss subjects of vital interest to the visitors, such as, the nature of a technical institute; the advantage of technical institute training; the necessary IQ, aptitudes, attitudes, and educational background for a technical student; general placement possibilities of technical institute graduates; where and how technicians have been employed specifically in a major Georgia plant; and finally, how the curriculum here at Southern Tech prepares its graduates to accomplish their goals.

Next on the agenda is a guided tour of the campus, after which the counselors will view the film, "The Technician in Industry." Then all are to retire to the dining hall for dinner.

Dr. Jarvie Speaks

The principal after-dinner speaker will be Dr. Lawrence L. Jarvie, Executive Dean for Institutes and

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Alumni Make Money In Scholarship Fund Available for Loans

The Alumni Scholarship Fund Committee has announced that funds are now available to currently enrolled STI students on a loan basis for books, tuition, and room and board.

Application forms for loans may be obtained from Mr. L. V. Johnson or Mr. R. L. Wilkinson.

Rules governing loans to students are contained in the application.

Plans are being made to raise the Scholarship Fund's goal to \$1,500. To date only \$500 has been donated. If the desired goal is achieved, the fund will be able to support a full scholarship each year for a deserving student.

The scholarship will be awarded on a competitive basis. This is a request to all alumni to send in checks to Mr. R. L. Wilkinson, Alumni Coordinator, Southern Tech, Chamblee, Georgia. Make them payable to STI Scholarship Fund.

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Xmas Holidays Bring Joy to All

Christmas holidays for STI's teaching staff and students will begin on Saturday, December 20, and last through Sunday, January 3.

Registration for the winter quarter will be held on Monday, January 4.

The Technician Wishes for Everyone

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS



Help Fight TB! Buy Christmas Seals

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'54-55 Catalogue Ready in January

The STI Catalogue for 1954-55, now in preparation, will be ready for distribution about the third week in January.

Though the size, color, and format remain the same, some changes will be made. There is to be a better, more comprehensive explanation of the role the technician plays in industry. The various levels of technological education will be fully defined, and the technical institute level of higher education will be emphasized particularly.

The faculty will be listed according to professional and departmental rank and their degrees given.

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Log Editors Announce New Aides, Request Snapshots

The 1954 edition of the Technician's Log is rapidly taking form. The publisher has been chosen and most of the pictures have been taken. The staff is working hard in order to make this edition of the yearbook the best that has ever been published.

The following staff editors have been elected: Ernest LeDuke, Editor; Keith Mellott, Associate Editor; Robert Getty, Business Manager; Alan Saffair, Art Editor; Bobby Garner, Sports Editor; Willard Prince, Photographic Editor; Marion Maner, Feature Editor; Robert Norris, Activities Editor; and Ivan Tatum, Literary Editor.

The Alabama Engraving Company of Birmingham, Alabama, was chosen by the staff to publish the 1954 edition of STI's Technician's Log. Roy D. Hickman, the company's representative in this area, is actively working in close con-

tact with the staff editors.

Editor Ernest LeDuke requests that campus snapshots be submitted to him for publication in the yearbook. Only the best snapshots will be used. This is a good chance for the "Shutter Bugs" of STI to start their cameras clicking. The staff expresses its appreciation to all who cooperated in the taking of individual pictures.

Editor LeDuke is very enthusiastic about the work on the Log. He reports that the staff has big plans to present to Southern Tech a different and better-planned book with college-styled form. He requests that anybody who has any new ideas or wishes to work on the book contact him.

The staff wants to remind the students that this is their book—it is about their school life—and it will be no better than the cooperation the staff receives from the students.

The First Christmas - - The Birth of Jesus

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; (because he was of the house and lineage of David:)

To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.

And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night.

And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid.

And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.

And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger.

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men.

And it came to pass, as the angels were gone away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing which is come to pass, which the Lord hath made known to us.

And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.

And when they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.

And all they that heard it wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds.

But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.

And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.

St. Luke 2:4-20.

Covering the Campus

With Larry "Yank" Parlett

Billy Fogarty, better known as "The Latin Lover," has a new system of keeping his love letters in order. They are filed by number. Ask him to read a portion of No. 32. It's a dilly.

Herbert Veatch, Sid Ward, and Benny Morris didn't make a basketball game due to the fact that a movie just had to be seen. They won't miss another though. Just ask them. I promise.

Jimmy Hall was playing a great game when he had to get his head in the way of an elbow. Not hurt seriously though, and he will undoubtedly see lots of action in the rest of the games.

Dick Englert has been going out very late at night and not getting in till morning. Just a little relaxation according to him. Good to get out every now and then.

D. P. Jones has been given a new position in the chow hall. Came out of the snack bar with his uniform—an apron, the sign of a true dishwasher.

The Power Club really has some enthusiastic boys. They can be seen wearing their coveralls all over the campus and in town. Good advertisement. All have names sewed in too.

Tommy Horton is going to take that fateful step on January 1 when he will say, "I do." Barbara Griffin is the girl he has been chasing and finally she let him catch her. Second mistake will follow soon thereafter when Uncle Sam will say "Come hither." Congratulations and the Best of Luck.

Student support at this last game was really a sight to behold. More than has ever been there was present for the game with the Ga. Extension Division. Really good to see such support. Keep it up.

The quarter is about over, and

the holidays are upon us. Exams are forgotten, and what you didn't make this time you can take next time. Have a good time, but stay sober some of the time. See you next quarter. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

THE TECHNICIAN APPLAUDS

The group of STI students, too numerous to mention individually, for the fine support shown at the last basketball game. Reliable sources estimate there were 200 loyal supporters. Keep up the good work, men, the team can surely use it.

The Monogram Club for the advertising campaign they are about to launch. Rosters giving home game schedules and a large sign at the entrance to the campus will keep the students well informed as to when the "Green Hornets" are playing at home.

Springboard to Success

SUCCESS . . . It's abstract, almost indefinable—yet peculiarly personal because it means something different to each of us. What does it mean to you?

Money? Title? Authority? Recognition? Respect? Fame?—? It's probably not that simple. But perhaps you'll agree that success is doing what you really want to do . . . doing it as well and as easily as you can . . . having it recognized and rewarded. That brings us to the heart of the matter:

In your work, can you be successful without effective personal communication?

You may be the most brilliant man in your organization . . . experienced, informed, enthusiastic, gifted with both imagination and judgment. But . . .

WHO KNOWS?

. . . unless you have the ability and the facility to communicate effectively with others.

What's in your mind and stays there is important—but merely potential. It becomes dynamic, profitable to you and to your organization only when you get it out of your mind into other minds.

That's why we say that communication is the real springboard to success—in business, the professions and government. And in your own estimation?

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CLUB NEWS ROUNDUP

By D. P. JONES

The final edition of The Technician finds all the departmental clubs working hard to finish the projects started this quarter and to be completed by the end of the fall term.

The Industrial Club is working relentlessly on the First Annual Christmas Dance to be held December 12 in the STI gym. A very fine dance and a good time are promised to all who attend. The ticket sales for this dance are mounting by the minute.

GF Boys Busy

The Gas Fuel Department is very busy on its bulk gas plant project, which will carry them well into the winter quarter. Another project undertaken by the "Gas House Boys" is the building and installation of an all-gas kitchen for the Gas Department club house.

Some of the clubs have already had their quarterly party, and they report a very enjoyable time.

All officers of the various clubs for the fall quarter take this opportunity to thank each and all members of their department and the faculty for their wholehearted support that made their administration the best in history of all clubs.

Thanks to All

This being the last issue of The Technician for the fall quarter, the club editor wishes to thank the public relations officers of the different departmental clubs for their cooperation in making this column a huge success, and request that they support the editor of this column in the quarters to come.

An enjoyable vacation, a happy Christmas, and a profitable New Year to each and everyone, from your club editor.

'54-'55 Catalogue Ready in January

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Perhaps most important to prospective students is a section entitled "Helpful Reminders." It answers some of the more intimate questions regarding Southern Tech asked by students prior to their enrollment, such as, how to reach Chamblee, what to bring, draft deferment, method of paying fees, laundry service, etc.

There will be a few new pictures, resulting in a more complete photographic essay of life here at STI. All in all, this forthcoming book should be the most faithful representation yet of Southern Tech, its curriculum, and the employment opportunities for its graduates.



Christmas Time Arouses Memories of Days Past

By "TOP" O'CONNOR

The Christmas season now upon us, is the most delightful of the year. This joyous time brings back many pleasant memories to all of us. Nothing is so sweet, pleasant, and satisfying as the seasonal carols, the beautifully decorated trees, gaily colored Christmas cards, the mistletoe, parties with friends, strengthened family ties, abundance of good food, exchange of presents, and the thrill of doing for others. How many of us remember the long, sleepless night waiting to see what Santa had left for us under the tree and in the stockings!

This month your inquiring reporter set out to find some of the most enjoyable Christmases in the lives of students here at STI.

Jack Dalton, a B.C. student, was asked what his most enjoyable Christmas was. After a few moments reflection he said, "It was Christmas, 1940. I got my first two-wheel bicycle—a big, blue one that would go like crazy."

Next interviewed was Mickey Long, a Civil student. Mickey said "It was the Christmas of 1951, when my brother returned home from three years overseas. We had a big surprise party for him."

Delmas Fletcher, a Mech student, said, "I returned to the U.S. on December 1949, after a long cruise to Alaska. We hadn't had any mail for quite some time, and when we got to the States, all our mail and Christmas packages were waiting for us."

Marvin Potts, another Mech student interviewed, said, "Christmas, 1939, was my most enjoyable one. Santa Clause brought me a big red wagon."

James Reeves, a Civil student from Atlanta, said, "My most enjoyable Christmas is yet to come. It will be this Christmas when I graduate from STI."

Tau Alpha Pi Holds Initiation Ceremonies

Informal initiation of five new members of the Alpha Alpha Chapter of TAU ALPHA PI was conducted during school hours on November 12, 1953. The candidates wore sandwich boards identifying them and the Society. Also, they wore special hats and carried their books in a pillowcase.

The candidates were Leonard Allison, Charles Englert, Sheldon Hammond, Charles Hightower, and Mark Sanders.

Formal initiation ceremonies were conducted in the chapter room on the Southern Technical Institute Campus on the evening of the same day, November 12. A short business meeting followed the ceremonies.

New members were entertained by the chapter at a steak dinner in a local restaurant.

New officers for the Winter Quarter will be elected at the first scheduled meeting in the Winter Quarter.

STI Glee Club Gives Inspiring Treatment of Christmas Story

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Charles Barr, "Holy City" and "Yours Is My Heart Alone"; Thomas Fiorentino, "But the Lord Is Mindful"; Blake Thomas, "Asleep in the Deep"; and Raymond Eckman, "The Surrey with the Fringe on Top."

Stage decorations added to the effectiveness of the entire performance. Dinner-jacket-clad singers, Christmas trees, and unusual lighting effects were production techniques which pointed up the simultaneously festive and serious meanings of the Christmas season.

Mr. Jesse J. Defore is director of the Glee Club, and Miss Jean Poe is accompanist for the singers.

During the period in which members of the Glee Club were preparing the Concert they enjoyed several parties given in their honor. On December 1 Miss Barbara Brim entertained the Club at

her home. After their concert performance on December 8 members entertained themselves and guests at dinner.

"Venite Adoremus" was presented by members of the Club before the congregation of the Glenn Haven Church of Decatur on December 18. Enjoyable entertainment by the young people of the Church followed the presentation.

Just a Little Corn

Groucho Marx says—As we understand the doctors, you can live much longer if you quit everything that makes you want to.

—STI—

There are two towns in Iowa named Manly and Fertile. It gets very embarrassing to the society page scribes when a Manly man marries a Fertile woman.

Electronics, Religious, Power Groups Organize

Three new clubs have recently been organized on the Southern Tech campus—the Power Club, the STI Christian Association, and one yet unnamed which will bring together ET and E&C students who have common interests. Details concerning these three new campus organizations and their activities are presented in the articles below.

S.T.I.C.A. Organizes, Invites Membership

A group of charter members have felt an urgent need for the newest organization on the STI campus. The name of the club may well denote its plan and purpose—"The Southern Technical Institute Christian Association."

Unlike a group of theological students, this club is simply made up of a group of STI students who believe in the Bible as the inspired Word of God, and in Jesus Christ as the Savior of mankind.

Bible Their Guide

Adhering to the laws and purposes of our lives as set forth by the Bible, these young men feel the need of a club in which they may pursue their common interests and in which participation would wholly conform to their beliefs and desires.

The S.T.I.C.A. is open to all students who have a sincere desire to follow the principles of the faith upon which our country was founded; to those young men, it might be added, who not only believe in these principles, but are not afraid to make known that in which they believe.

The essence of the organization, if it could be put into one sentence, would be well expressed by the words of Psalm 111:10—

"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; a good understanding have all they that do His commandments."

Membership Invited

Thus may the conviction of each member of this newest and most needed organization be stated.

Further information concerning the S.T.I.C.A., or application for membership, may be obtained from the president, Earle Shoemaker, in Room 144, Dormitory 19.

Cameron Heads ET-E&C Groups

A long-felt need for an organization to serve the students of E&C and Electrical Departments has been fulfilled with the inception of a new club, yet to be named, which has just been founded.

The first meeting of the club produced a record turnout of 68 persons interested in such a separate, strictly departmental club. This organization is not to be confused with the STI Ham Radio Club, a campus-wide group whose members are interested primarily in high-fidelity audio.

Carmon Named President

At this first meeting it was decided to include both E&C and ET

factions in a single group, and Kenneth W. Carmon was elected president. Following a short talk by Mr. James Goodwin, faculty advisor, on the need for such a club, its goals, and the means by which they might be accomplished, the meeting was adjourned.

At the second meeting other officers were elected. Raymond Eckman became vice president, and Carl H. Moss was elected secretary-treasurer. President Carmon then appointed a committee to draft the Club's constitution, by-laws, and statement of aims.

Meetings Every Tuesday

Meetings are held every Tuesday at 12:30 P.M. in Room 9, Building 12. Everyone in ET or E&C who desires to join this organization, support it, and work with it has a standing invitation to do so.

Power Club Forms Begins Activities

A new club is being formed here at Southern Tech named **The Power Club**. The purpose of this club, is probably the only one of its kind in the South, is to promote the use of gas fuel carburetion on cars and trucks.

Any Southern Tech student who is interested in gas fuel carburetion is eligible for membership in the new Power Club; however, no new members can be added to the roll until the beginning of next quarter. There are a few technicalities which have to be "ironed" out before the program gets underway.

Enrolls Eight

The Power Club now has eight members on roll. The officers are Thomas M. Fiorentino, president; Fred Thomas, vice president; Harvey Macklin, secretary and treasurer; and Lindol Carter, public relations.

The idea for this club was "born" in the spring quarter, and thanks to the earnest efforts of Thomas Fiorentino, Harvey Macklin, and others it has finally become a reality.

Harvey Macklin corresponds with manufacturers from coast to coast and as a result has received carburetors and equipment to experiment with.

Club Well Equipped

The Power Club is located downstairs in Building 9 and has all the necessary material and equipment to convert conventional cars and trucks to LP fuel. Classes will be held at meetings and engines will be converted by the members. The Club has access to a complete set of automotive tools including an LP gas analyzer and an electric tachometer. The Club

Bill Wright Shows Others What Curiosity, Perseverance Can Do

By STAN WARREN

In every field of endeavor there are a few individuals who are outstanding, who excel in their work, and who are the natural and accepted leaders of their profession.

These leaders fall, generally, into two classes: those who are possessed of tremendous natural ability and who move to the front with an apparent minimum of conscious effort; and those who have a comparatively limited quantity of this natural ability but who possess a relentless, consuming desire for success, which continually drives them toward their goals.

However, regardless of the general classification in which a man may presently be, investigation of his background invariably reveals evidence of a considerable amount of time invested in study, research, and hard work in an effort to launch himself toward the top in a successful career.

The rolls of the STI students disclose at least one particular example of a young man possessed of many of the necessary qualifications for success. Very probably he would be cast with the second group classification. This article will not be presented with a view toward stamping this young man with the mark of infallible greatness. It is merely for the purpose of relating one of his more prized achievements, with a recount of events leading up to this accomplishment, in an effort toward pointing up the possibilities for every individual if he is only willing to expend a minimum of effort.

The lad in question is Bill Wright, a native of Atlanta, graduate of North Fulton High School, and a first-quarter student at STI with plans for a major in Building Construction.

Suffers Illness

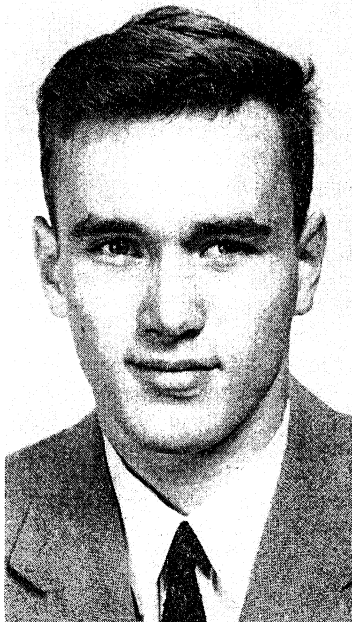
When Bill was ten years of age he was stricken with meningitis and was desperately ill for almost five months. As an aftermath of this dreaded malady he was left almost totally without hearing and with a decided speech impediment. It is worthy of mention here that, even after missing five months of school, Bill made up his lost work and advanced to the next higher grade with the other members of his class.

By the time he reached high school, Bill had become interested in electricity and in things of a scientific nature. A conversation with his high-school science teacher reveals that he has done much experimenting at home with such items as electric eyes, remote control light switches, and other mechanisms of this type.

In his senior year of high school, Bill's school presented the annual Science Fair, and he determined to enter. After due deliberation and discussion of the matter, he decided on the Brownian Movement as the project which he would present. The Brownian Movement has to do with the projection of and proof of the existence of molecules which are too minute for observation with the microscope. Selection of this subject called for Bill to go to work, and this he did. When the returns were in, Bill had been awarded third place, but

is also fully supplied with manufacturers specifications, charts, and literature.

The Power Club promises to be one of the most creative, useful, and interesting clubs on the Southern Tech campus. It offers a real opportunity to students who are interested in internal combustion engines and converting from gasoline to LP carburetion.



BILL WRIGHT
Awards Winner

he was disappointed over his project's failure to perform according to the known capabilities.

Wins First Place

As a result of this third place finish, Bill became a frequenter of libraries and other sources of information concerning his project. By the time of the State Contest, held at Oglethorpe University, he felt that he was prepared. This time he was right and was declared first-place winner over all the competing high schools of Georgia.

By now his imagination and ambitions were keyed and he went back to the reference materials for more information. He wanted to acquire the very best of materials for, and to write an essay on, the operation of his project for presentation in the National Contest, which was being sponsored jointly

by the National Science Teachers Association and the American Society of Medals. He spent long hours of hard work on the essay, and it paid handsome dividends. Bill was returned second-place winner for the entire southeastern area in the National Contest. His efforts were rewarded by a seventy-five dollar cash award and a pin from the sponsors; and his school, North Fulton High, was presented a plaque in honor of his achievements.

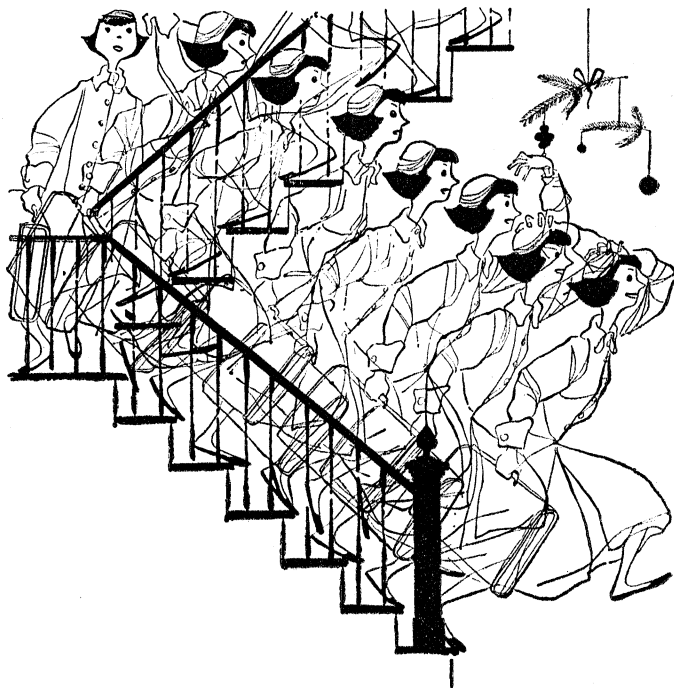
Has Varied Interests

One almost amazing fact about Bill's accomplishments is that he has won this honor while at the same time forbidding any of his other many interests to suffer. In addition to the press of his normal school work, he takes part in every activity in which any well-rounded boy engages. He is a weight lifter and gymnast as well as being a hot-rod enthusiast.

From every consideration Bill Wright is to be congratulated. He has scaled a magnificent height and against the very toughest of competition. He richly deserves every honor which he has received.

It is probably the natural assumption that Bill would engage in the study of electricity or electronics in view of his previous experiments with this type of work. However, he has cast his lot with the Building Construction field and knowing Bill, it must be taken for granted that he is sure of what he wants from a career. He gives the immediate impression that he has thought out each move before he made it, and there can be no doubt but that he has sound reasons for not following up and developing his scientific bent.

We take this opportunity to wish for Bill the very best of luck and the maximum of success.



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Truett-McConnell Falls Before Hornets; A D Wins

Day Sinks 29 in STI 78-65 Victory; Atlanta Division Takes Tilt 75-64

By RALPH N. JONES

Southern Tech kept the ball moving in their second game of the season, played in Cleveland, Ga., on November 23, and stopped the Truett-McConnell team, 78-65, for their second straight Region contest. They fell, however, before the onslaught of last year's Invitational Tournament Champs, the Atlanta Division, University of Georgia, 64-75, in the STI gym on December 2.

Against Truett-McConnell, STI fought back from behind after the first quarter score of 14-18 to go ahead at the half, 38-32. From the half until the end of the game, it was Truett-McConnell trying to catch up, but STI's lead held and the final score read, 78-65.

Pete Day was the high scorer with 29 points, 19 coming in the last half of play. Arthur Jordan led the first half's scoring with 15 and finished with 21 for the night. Bobby Anderson finished out the double scoring honors with 13 points. Jerry Wilhelm showed fine floorwork after he took over the guard spot in the second quarter when Will Madison pulled up lame with a bad knee.

Lose to ADUG

Before a fine home crowd, STI dropped their first contest, being greatly hampered by injuries to their first-string players. Despite these injuries, STI put up a good fight, closing to within a single point in the second quarter, but they dropped behind and weren't able to catch up again.

In the fading minutes of the game, STI narrowed the gap to six points, 62-68, but a guide basket and two free throws put them out of reach, with the final score reading, Atlanta Division, 75; STI, 64. Arthur Jordan took top scoring honors for the night with

24 points, with Bobby Anderson netting 13. Jerry Wilhelm's 11 points were good for the third spot.

"B" Team Wins

The STI "B" team didn't make the night a total loss, as they won their first game of the season. The STI "B's" took command early in the game and won going away, 57-40, over the Atlanta Division's "B" team. Alan Saffair led in the high scoring department with 18 points, followed closely by Doug Wall with 15 and Larry Hartsell with 13 points.

All in all, the STI teams have put up good fights and more action awaits STI fans in the gym after the return from the Christmas holidays.

Experts to Lead Counselors' Clinic

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Community Colleges, State of New York, who will give a talk on the future of technical institutes and their place in technical education.

It is hoped that the information brought out in the clinic will prove helpful to the counselors in selecting prospective students for technical institute training.

THE SPORTS FRONT

By Ralph N. Jones

This month let's chat about two more STI basketball players who may not be as well-known, campus-wise, as Bobby Anderson and Will Madison, because they are both in their first quarter. They are Pete Day and Arthur Jordan.

Meet Pete

Pete is from Rossville, a town in North Georgia, which, for the last several years, has put out outstanding teams in football as well as basketball. Pete played as a flankman on the football team, which last year was runner-up in the 4-AA Region. He lettered in football during his junior and senior years.

His basketball experience started also at Rossville, where he played at the center spot for three seasons. Last year he helped lead an underdog Rossville team to the finals in the Georgia State Tournament, but here in the finals they were outclassed. In 1952 Pete made the All-Region and All-Tournament teams. In 1953 he was selected for the All-Region, All-AA-Tournament, and All-City teams.

His playing ability on the STI court has been a leading factor in the team's two outings, being runner-up for scoring honors in the first game and high scorer in the second.

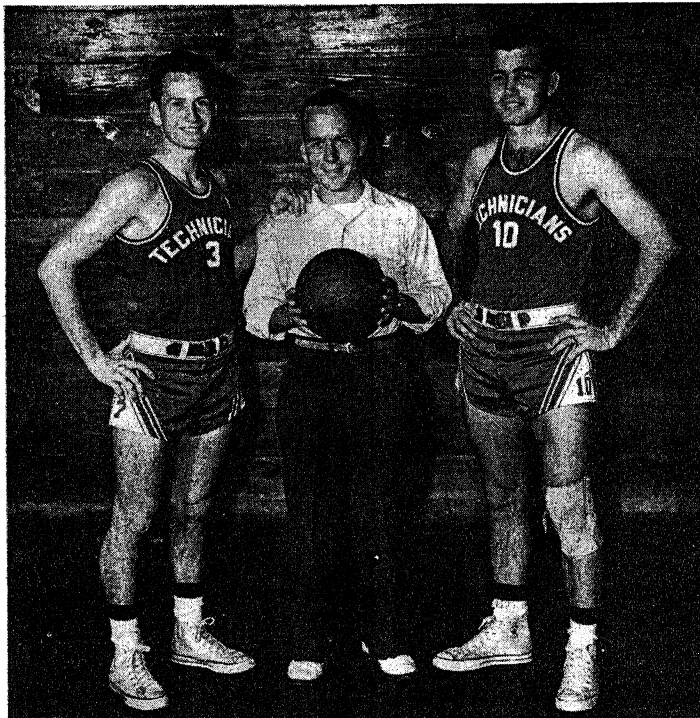
Another Savannah Star

The other boy to be introduced to you is Arthur Jordan, who makes up the other half of the STI starting guards, and is an outstanding player on the court.

Arthur, like Will and Bobby, is from Savannah, where he attended Savannah High School, graduating in 1952. His major sport was basketball, and he lettered in his junior and senior years. During his senior year he was selected for the All-City, All-Region, All-AA-Tournament and Georgia All-Star teams for his work at the guard slot.

Arthur entered the Industrial Department with a scholarship from the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, and because of this scholarship Arthur must maintain a "B" average, even while playing. Although this might handicap him, he is still able to be on the team and is consistent with his all-around play on the court.

In closing, let me remind you that consistency is a winner, and these two have the ability to be winners.



1954 Co-Captains, Manager

Captain Anderson, Manager Fogarty, Captain Madison

STI Draws 113 From 28 States, 9 Foreign Lands

Where do Southern Tech students come from?

This is a question frequently asked by students and faculty and one for which no specific answer was available until just a few days ago, when Registrar L. Y. Bryant conducted a survey to find out. Some of the statistics follow.

Southern Tech enrolled for the fall quarter a total of 479 students. Of this number 113, or 23.6 per cent, are non-residents of Georgia. Of course, this is saying indirectly that 366, or 76.4 per cent, of STI's students are Georgians.

These 113 students come from nine foreign countries, 21 states outside the Southeast, and six states in the Southeast. Ten students come from the nine foreign countries, 45 from states other than Southeastern, and 58 from states surrounding Georgia.

Florida Leads

Georgia's sister state of Florida sends 23 students to Southern Tech to lead the list, and South Carolina is second with 11. Alabama follows closely in third place with 10. Other states in the Southeastern group follow in this order: North Carolina, 7; Tennessee, 2; and Mississippi, 1.

Virginia with 7 students leads the list of 21 states outside the Southeast. Kentucky, Illinois, and New York come next with 4 each. Maryland contributes three. Sending two students each are Connecticut, Washington, Iowa, Idaho, West Virginia, Oregon, and New Jersey. Michigan, Colorado, Massachusetts, Maine, Ohio, Wisconsin, California, Texas, and Ne-

braska are represented by one student each.

Of the nine foreign countries, Canada is represented by two students, and Colombia, Venezuela, Cuba, Thailand, Mexico, Formosa, Peru, and Costa Rica by one each.

School officials are correct in saying that Southern Tech becomes more national and international in its reach, appeal, and influence as the quarters go by.

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STI Camera Club Revived After 2 Inactive Quarters

Not mentioned in the last issue of The Technician was the STI Camera Club, which has come to life after remaining relatively dormant for the past two quarters. The Club, open to all members of Southern Tech, now numbers 26 members.

Officers are Willard Prince, president; Norman Talley, treasurer; Kenneth Mellott, secretary; and Thomas Fiorentino, public relations.

Projects Begun

Projects undertaken this quarter are rigging indirect-lighting safe-lamps and ventilating fans for the club darkroom, construction of an electronic timer for the projection printer, and restocking the darkroom with printing paper and chemicals.

Some of the club members' pictures have been on display recently; much favorable comment and reaction was elicited. The Club contemplates a photo contest, probably school-wide, later in the season.

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