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"Review's" 8th Issue Announced

Editor-in-Chief Daniel J. Pippin has announced the publication of Volume 4 No. 2 of the Mercer Law Review.

The Law Review is published semi-annually by students of the Walter F. George School of Law. The Spring issue of the publication features leading articles by authorities in their fields of law and includes case notes written by members of the Editorial Board of the Review.

Members of the Editorial Board are chosen upon the basis of scholarship and ability, and membership on the Board is considered to be the highest honor which can be attained by a law student.

In addition to Editor Pippin, the Law Review staff includes: Wallace E. Harrell, Case Note Editor; James Lamb, Business Manager; Carl Buice, Circulation Manager; Guy Mastin, William Ott, Leah Chanin, Bartow Johnson, and Carl Savage. Special student contributors were: Roy Moultrie, Jack McKay, and Floyd Thomas.



Those student leaders tapped for Blue Key, National Honorary Fraternity last Friday in Chapel.

Fifteen Campus Leaders Tapped By Blue Key in Chapel Ceremony

Blue Key Honor Fraternity chose fifteen student leaders and outstanding faculty members in a tapping ceremony last week in Wilingham Chapel.

The selection is based on their leadership ability, as well as personality and scholastic standing. Blue Key is an all-men's organization.

The following students were tapped: Hewlett Connell, Macon, president of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, member of Student Activities Committee, and of Alpha Pi Omega Service Fraternity.

Tommy Crews, Macon, Distinguished Military Student, president of Scabbard and Blade, Cadet Colonel of ROTC, member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

George Deadwyler, Elberton, Baptist Student Union Executive Council, Chi Alpha Omega Ministerial Fraternity, member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity and Student Activities Committee, Freshman Advisor for Student Government.

James W. Flowers, Hinesville, All-star basketball, volleyball, softball, and football, president of "M" Club, member of ATO Fraternity.

Wade Hiltabedel, Mill Run, Pa., president of Mercer Flyers and of Alpha Psi Omega Dramatic Fraternity, Baptist Student Union first vice-president, business manager of Cluster (student newspaper), vice-president of Student Body.

Moncrief Jordan, Atlanta, president of Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity, business manager of the Cauldron (yearbook), member of Greater Council of Baptist Student Union.

Furman Lewis, Hartwell, BSU Greater Council, president of Chi Alpha Omega Ministerial Fraternity, ministerial representative to Student Council.

James Lewis, Norman Park, vice-president of Law School Student Body, editorial staff of Mercer Law Review, member of Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity and Kappa Sigma Fraternity, Distinguished Military Student.

Reginald Murphy, Gainesville, Junior College representative to Student Council, editor of the Cluster, member of Sigma Nu Fraternity, BSU Executive Council.

Richard Reid, Macon, member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity, varsity basketball and track, captain of both teams, most valuable player for Dixie Conference.

Sterling Sexton, Atlanta, member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Chi Alpha Omega Ministerial Fraternity, BSU Executive Council.

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More Than 200 Students Back Red Cross Drive for Blood

Pleasant smiles came from the faces of Red Cross personnel as the total blood donations climbed to 204 Tuesday. Mr. Beorgre, the chairman of the blood donor program for the Macon area was here to voice his satisfaction with the fine turn out.

Actually there were 226 who reported to donate, but twenty two were rejected for reasons of health, age, or the fact that they had eaten fatty foods before reporting to give their blood.

All the blood collected on Tuesday will go to the Defense Department for use in Korea.

It was interesting to note that the first name on the donors list Tuesday was that of a Mercer faculty member. Proving that the entire school was behind this drive.

The interest shown in this campaign on the part of the faculty and administration as well as that of the students was much better than last year when 138 pints of blood were collected.

Wallace Harrell, president of the student body, was chairman of the blood donor program on the campus. Jamie Buckingham was in on much of the planning of the program, along with the aid of Wade Hiltabedel, recently elected vice president of the student body.

The student government wishes to thank all those who turned out to help in setting up, loading, and unloading the Blood Mobile Unit.

EXAM SCHEDULE

MERCER UNIVERSITY FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE SPRING TERM 1952-53
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3
9:00 a.m.—All classes meeting.
at 8:00 a.m.
2:00 p.m.—All classes meeting
at 10:40 a.m.
THURSDAY, JUNE 4
9:00 a.m.—All classes meeting
at 9:00 a.m.
2:00 p.m.—All classes meeting
at 1:45 p.m.
FRIDAY, JUNE 5
9:00 p.m.—All classes meeting
at 11:40 a.m.

Men May Reserve Rooms Next Week

Requests to reserve rooms in the men's dormitories for the summer and fall quarters are scheduled to be taken next week in the dining hall at Sherwood Hall, it was announced today by C. D. Smith, chairman of the Faculty Dormitory Committee and Dean of Men Richard C. Burts. The committee completed a series of planning meetings earlier this week.

Monday and Tuesday at the noon meal Dean Burts will be in the dining hall so that students may reserve the rooms that they now occupy. For those who desire to reserve a room other than their present one, an opportunity will be extended on Wednesday.

All non-graduating students in Shorter Hall have been requested to clear their rooms entirely before Saturday afternoon, June 6th; whereas, graduating seniors will be allowed until Monday following. Because of necessary repairs and the fact that the demand is not sufficient for its operation, Shorter Hall will be closed during the summer quarter.

Roberts and Sherwood Halls will be open for the summer, and students may reserve rooms there for that term. All three dormitories will be used for the Baptist Training Union Assembly which will take place on the campus immediately after commencement.

No student may return before Monday, September 21, at noon unless he has been officially invited to assist in the orientation program for new students next school year.

A letter giving fuller details will be posted in each of the affected dormitories. The Faculty Dormitory Committee is made up, in addition to Chairman Smith, of the following: J. W. Holding, Ray Brewster, Dan Nymicz, Graydon Ware, and Richard C. Burts, Jr.

All students are urged to vote for the Most Outstanding Athlete Monday in the Co-op. Polls will be open from 9:00 a.m. till 3:00 p.m.

Mercer Mimics

Overheard at the B-B-C high school tennis tournament - one Mercer student looking at the trophy name printed across another student's T-shirt, reads the name out loud and adds, "I didn't know there was a high school by that name? Where's it located?"

Student was observed walking barefooted down the middle of the street on Sunday morning carrying his mimas.

When the rules for formal fraternity meeting stated that coat, white shirt and tie must be worn some brothers wore only those items of clothing plus a pair of swim trunks. What hecklers don't do to irritate those sticklers for formality.

Smith Is Blade Society Captain

The members of Company H, 9th Regiment of the National Society of Scabbard and Blade recently elected James Smith, Macon, as their Captain; Eddie Trent, Vero Beach, as First Lieutenant; Robert Sparks, Atlanta, as Second Lieutenant; and Jim Thompson, Vero Beach, as First Sergeant.

It is the purpose of Scabbard and Blade to preserve and develop the efficient qualities of good and efficient officers, to prepare members or educated men to take a more active part and to have a greater influence in the military affairs of the communities in which they may reside and to spread intelligent information concerning the military requirements of the nation.

Buckingham New Blue Key Head

In the first meeting after tapping ceremonies in Student Chapel last Friday morning, the Mercer Chapter of Blue Key Honor Fraternity elected officers for the next year.

Jamie Buckingham, recently elected president of B.S.U., and past president of Alpha Tau Omega was elected president.

Hayden Bryant, was selected vice president, and Moncrief Jordan was elected secretary-treasurer of the Honor Society.

Wallace Harrell, recently elected president of the student body, is retiring president.

Students To Get ROTC Commissions

Eighty-one students will complete their entire ROTC course, including summer ROTC camp, during this academic year at Mercer University. A chapel program was held Tuesday honoring all of these students.

Major George B. Connell, Vice President of Mercer University, gave the talk in honor of these students. Colonel Wiley B. Tonnar, PMS&T at Mercer University, then presented the students to Major Connell who gave them their certificates of completion of the ROTC course.

Students who will receive their commissions at the end of this quarter are as follows: Fred D. Barnes, Shorterton, Ala.; Judson C. Bivins, Mt. Vernon, Ga.; Bobby D. Bonner, Conyers, Ga.; James K. Boyd, Montgomery, Ala.; Abe Crosby, Jr., Macon; James G. Cullpepper, III, Moultrie, Ga.; Edward E. Davis, Dothan, Ala.; Jesse M. Duckworth, Macon; Shelton M. Harp, Macon; Wallace E. Harrell, Quitman, Ga.; Robert M. Hubbard, Atlanta, Ga.; Fred L. Kelly, Eatonton, Ga.; William J. McGraw, Jr., Atlanta, Ga.; Clyde J. Moats, Jr., Memphis, Tennessee; Brown Nicholson, Jr., Columbus, Ga.; David H. Roziér, Jeffersonville, Ga.; Faye F. Thomas, Jr., Savannah, Ga.; John W. Thomas, Hazlehurst, Ga.; James A. Waters, Jr., Cartersville, Ga.; Urban J. West, Jr., Millen, Ga.; and Reuben H. Yancey, Eastman, Ga.

APO Is Sponsor Of Line Project

The Sherwood parking lot and the one between the Co-op and Economics building have had a face lifting within the last several weeks.

The past two Saturdays the Alpha Phi Omega brothers have used in painting lines on these lots so as to make better parking conditions on the campus.

There has been a great deal of improvement thus far and it is anticipated that soon all students and faculty members will be cooperating 100 per cent.

Several students who are not brothers were interested and helped in these two projects. The University is cooperating with this organization by supplying the paint for these projects.

Letter to Dr. Dowell Expresses Thanks For Mercer Student Body Cooperation

May 19, 1953

Dr. Spright Dowell, President
Mercer University
Macon, Georgia

Dear Dr. Dowell:

The Blood Program Committee of the Macon Chapter of the American Red Cross is most anxious to express to Mercer University our very genuine appreciation for the grand support of the Defense Blood Project handled through the visit of the Bloodmobile to the Mercer Campus today.

As I am sure you know, the entire visit was planned and executed by the student group. The fact that the operation was so successful and smoothly operated is in itself a tribute to all of your people. We are particularly grateful for the help of Messrs. Buckingham, Harrell, and Hiltabedel in planning, organizing, recruiting, and handling all the technical details of the visit.

You may also be interested to know that the donation of 204 pints of blood by the student group for the Armed Forces meant the complete fulfillment of the Defense Blood quota for Macon proper for the 1952-53 year.

To the entire student body, on behalf of the local Red Cross Chapter, this Committee, the community, and Defense Department, to whom all this blood is allocated—our appreciation and admiration.

Yours very truly,
J. P. George
For the Blood Program Committee
Macon Chapter-American Red Cross