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Orientation Session To Begin Monday For PC's New Students

A faculty meeting on Friday morning will be the first official activity at Presbyterian College's 81st session.

New students are scheduled to arrive next Monday to open a five-day orientation period in preparation for the fall semester of the 1960-61 school year.

Faculty members will gather at 9 a. m. Friday in Neville Hall for their first assembly of the new session. And the College Dames organization is planning a faculty party for that evening at 8 o'clock in the Douglas House.

With these top-echelon preliminaries out of the way, incoming freshmen will arrive Monday in time for their first formal meeting at 7 p. m. in the new Belk Auditorium. They will be welcomed to the campus at this time by student leaders, to be followed by informal entertainment at Douglas House the remainder of the evening.

Placement tests are to occupy most of the Tuesday schedule, with denominational parties by the churches of Clinton set for that night. More tests Wednesday morning will be followed by late afternoon and evening entertainment at Lake Greenwood.

Next Thursday is registration day for the freshmen. They will meet with their faculty advisers at 9 a. m. and spend the remainder of the day signing up for courses for the semester ahead. The annual College Dames reception for new students is scheduled for 8 p. m. Thursday in the Douglas House. A reception for members of the student Ministerial Club will be held at the president's home sometime during orientation week.

Upperclassmen, meanwhile, will start arriving back on campus next Thursday, in time for their registration the following day. The first buzzer-call to classwork is set for Saturday morning, September 17.

SERVICES BE BROADCAST
Morning services at Bailey Memorial Methodist Church will be broadcast over radio station WFCC Sunday, with the pastor, Rev. B. A. Wesley, bringing the message, the topic being "The Prayer That God Heard."



FIRST BALE IN CLINTON AREA

Robert M. Vance, Reese H. Young and son, Reese, Jr., are shown with the first bale of cotton ginned in the Clinton area.

M. S. Bailey and Son, Bankers, of which Mr. Vance is president, purchased the cotton from Mr. Young at the price of 50c per pound.

Man Shot in Fight At Night Spot Near Clinton

A fight that started on the inside of Morgan's Place, a beer and lunch establishment two miles north of Clinton on Highway 72, about 2:00 a. m., Friday, and continued on the grounds outside, ended when Thomas L. Miller suffered a pistol shot wound.

Miller was taken to a Clinton hospital and later transferred to a Greenwood hospital where he underwent surgery. His condition was reported yesterday as satisfactory.

County TB Assn. Plans X-Ray Survey

The chest X-ray survey sponsored by the Laurens County Tuberculosis Association in cooperation with the local health department and the State Board of Health will begin September 26 and continue through October 31. J. Allen Thompson announced today.

Mr. Thompson, president of the county TB association, said the purpose of the survey is to X-ray thousands of persons in order to detect not only tuberculosis but also lung cancer and certain heart disorders. The schedule will be announced later.

Special Service Sunday

The annual Girls' Coronation Service will be held at the First Baptist Church, Joanna, on Sunday, Sept. 11, at 7:30 p. m.

The following girls will be recognized: Maidens—Vicki Boyd, Jean Abrams and Dale Nabors; Lady-In-Waiting—Linda Kelly; Princesses—Dobbel Prater, Donna Brannon, Karen Sarratt; Queens—Gloria Sweet and Candy Dunlap. Girls' Auxiliary leaders are Mrs. R. C. Gaffney and Mrs. Harry Kelly. Mrs. Berntha Stroud is president of the Woman's Missionary Society.

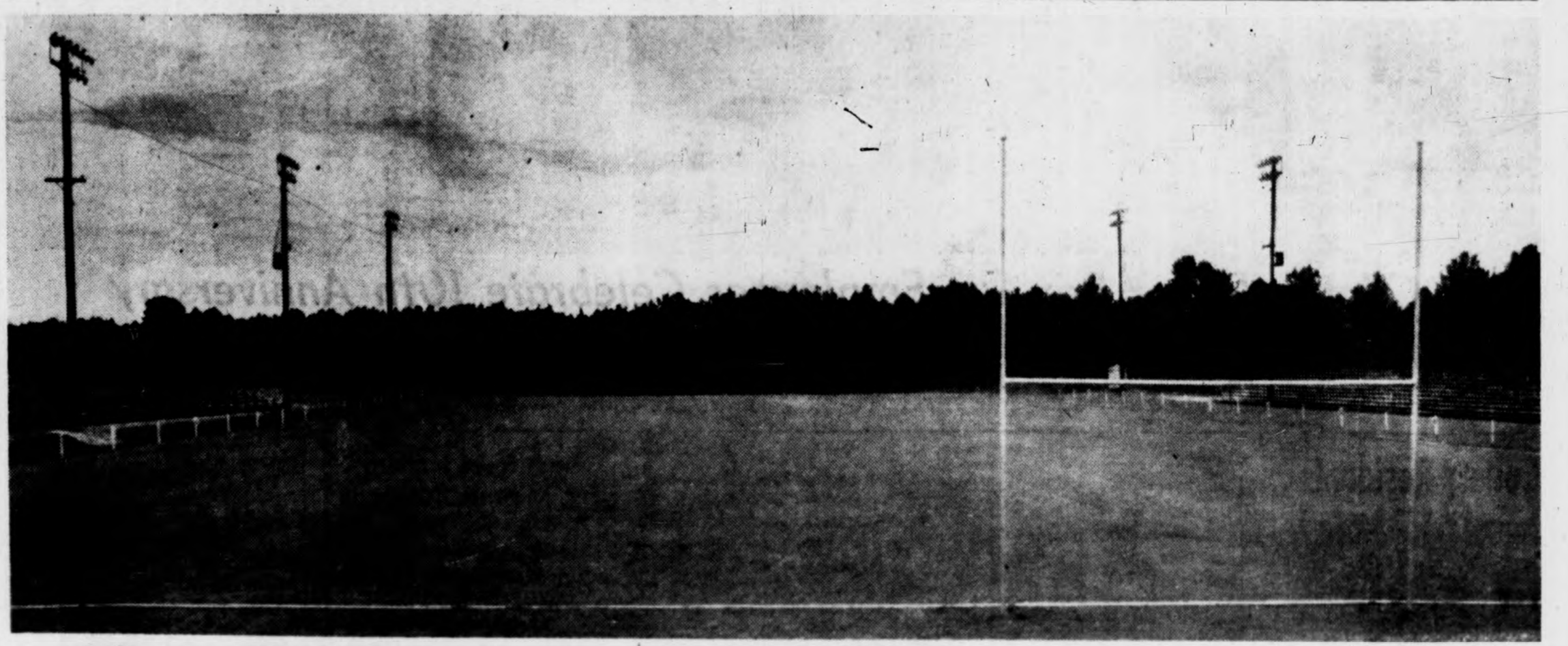
Thornwell Downs Columbia JV's 26-0 in Opening Game

THORNWELL VS. CALHOUN FALLS HERE FRIDAY
Thornwell will again be at home this weekend for the second game, with the opponent being Calhoun Falls.

Thornwell High School got off to a good start in its 1960 football campaign by downing the Columbia JV's 26-0 here Friday night.

Fullback Gordon Timmons threw a 25-yard pass to end Milt Rhines for Thornwell's first score. Higginbotham ran the extra point. Timmons carried ten yards for the second TD. He also scored the third TD on a 15-yard plunge. Higginbotham scored the fourth and final TD with TD with Cookson kicking the extra point.

Timmons and Higginbotham were outstanding on offense with Timmons carrying 9 times for 127 yards. Higginbotham 11 times for 92 yards. Outstanding on defense for Thornwell were Gus Folk, Clyde George, and Billy Loveless, tackles, Jimmy LeMaster, center, and Roy Rollins, end.



Clinton High School's New Football Field Used First Time Friday

Clinton Stores To Remain Open Later Beginning Today

Stores will remain open until 6:00 p. m. during the week and 6:30 p. m. on Saturdays beginning today (Thursday).

The merchants of Clinton, alert to customer wishes and the desire to offer area shoppers every facility for convenient shopping, have changed their opening and closing hours, according to J. Robert Cox, Chairman of the Merchants Division of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce.

"For some time the merchants have seen the need for a later closing hour. This change was recommended by the committee and approved by the merchants group. Some of the stores will not open until 9:00 a. m., others will continue to open at their regular time," said Mr. Cox.

Dinner Meeting C of C Guest Speaker On 27th

A dinner meeting of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce will be held on Tuesday evening, September 27, at 7:30 at Hotel Mary Musgrove.

David W. Cooley, general manager of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce, will be the guest speaker. D. B. Smith is chairman on arrangements and T. M. Youngblood is in charge of special music for the event.

Invitations are being issued to all business men who are asked to please reserve the evening of the 27th to attend.

Miss Blakely Gets Degree From Peabody

Nashville, Tenn.—Miss Florence Blakely of Clinton, was among 500 graduates who received degrees from George Peabody College for Teachers here Friday night, August 19.

Miss Blakely, reference librarian at Duke University, received the master of arts in library science. She is the daughter of Mrs. R. R. Blakely of Durham, N. C., formerly of Clinton.

Registration Books Open October 3-4-5

Laurens County voter registration books will open for three days, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 3, 4, 5.

Officials stated that these dates will be the last opportunity prospective voters will have to get registration certificates entitling them to vote in the national and state elections on November 8.

State law requires that the books be closed 30 days prior to an election.

The books are located in the court house at Laurens.



Clinton Downs Woodruff To Dedicate New Stadium

CLINTON VS. WARE SHOALS HERE FRIDAY

Clinton High will again be at home for its second game of the season Friday night. Furnishing the opposition will be Ware Shoals, 19-7 winner over Hillcrest last week.

The Clinton High Red Devils dedicated their new football stadium Friday night by turning in a 25-7 victory over Woodruff.

The scoring started early in the game when Kinard Littleton chalked up the first Clinton touchdown with a 20-yard run, climaxing a drive that began on the Clinton 35.

Woodruff failed to make the first down and kicked. Barry Whitman took the ball on the 20 and electrified the crowd with a run of 80 yards to put the Red Devils into the lead at the end of the quarter, 12-0.

In the third quarter, Littleton again reached paydirt, this time with a 40-yard scamper, after Clinton had worked the ball downfield from their own 25.

The Devils failed to make the three extra points, and led at the end of the third period, 18-0. Gary Sprouse went off left tackle in the fourth period for Clinton's fourth touchdown. Littleton made the kick and the Red Devils led 25-0.

With only 35 seconds remaining, Woodruff and Johnson took a 25-yard pass and faced the Wolverines' lone touchdown.

The running of Fullback Keith Stewart was a strong point of the Clinton ground attack. Up front, Guard Melvin Bailey, Tackles Billy Nelson and Leol McElhannon, End David Spone, and Linebacker Judge Vaughn did good work.

Coaches "Buzz" Tedards, Bob Stroek and Herman Jackson have developed what appears to be another creditable team at Clinton High. With the smoothing out of some rough spots, and further development of several potentially good performers, observers think the Red Devils are headed for a successful season.

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A crowd that more than filled the 2,000-seat capacity of the new stadium saw the opening game Friday night.

The entire team has been spirited in workouts this week, hoping to make improvement and get victory No. 2 against the visiting Hornets Friday night.

Another big crowd is expected to be on hand for the pre-game barbecue, sponsored by the local Civitan Club, and the game immediately following.

Provisions have been made to better handle the sale of tickets at the game tomorrow night, school officials state. Additional ticket selling facilities will be provided to avoid prolonged waiting in line and ticket sales will begin at 7 o'clock.

Community Bible Class To Begin

The first session of the Community Bible Class, taught by Dr. T. Layton Fraser, will be held Tuesday evening, September 20, at 7:45 in Neville Hall at Presbyterian College.

"Survey of the Old Testament" will be the subject of the beginning lessons.

This is the fifth year that the Bible studies have been taught and anyone interested is invited to attend. There is no charge for instruction.

To register contact Johnnie Haskins at telephone 1537-W.

PASTOR REASSIGNED

The Rev. J. L. Jenkins has been reassigned to the Elizabeth Street Church of God here for the next two years.

Clinton High School's recently constructed football field was put into use Friday night and the Red Devils gave it an appropriate dedication by turning in a 25-7 victory over the Woodruff Wolverines. A similar field has been built at the Bell Street (Negro) High School. The seating capacity of the stands on both sides is 2,000.

At the left, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Toney, of 804 E. Carolina Ave., are shown as they bought the first tickets for Friday night's game from Roger Blakely, a member of the high school teaching staff.—Photos by Dan Yarbrough.

Hearing In Greenville On Clinton 'Dope' Sales

Hefty blows were struck during the past two weeks at the sale of narcotics in the Clinton and Laurens areas with the arrest of four Clinton men by the aid of an addict as an undercover man.

The men are B. D. Taylor, 38, Williams Dees, 32, Rex Harris, 40, and Algie Griffin, Jr., 34.

All have been released on bond, Taylor's being \$5,000, and those for Dees, Harris and Griffin being \$4,000.

They were arrested August 24 by Federal Agent Russell L. Jessup, except Griffin, who was arrested by Clinton police on August 21.

At a hearing in Greenville last Thursday, James Marvin O'Shields, 27-year-old construction worker of Laurens, who admitted that he is a narcotics addict, testified that he was hired as an undercover man to help break up the drug traffic.

The testimony of O'Shields highlighted a hearing conducted by U. S. Commissioner Jesse M. Ray in Clinton, and Dees and Taylor of Clinton.

The three men were charged in a warrant and complaint signed by Jessup of Atlanta, an agent of the U. S. Bureau of Narcotics, with the sale or disposal of morphine tablets on August 2, the sale being made to the undercover man for a price of \$400 for 101 morphine tablets.

Commissioner Ray, after hearing nearly three hours of testimony in the case, found probable cause to bond the three men over to the Federal grand jury.

W. Albert Bull, assistant district attorney, said it is possible that the men could be tried during the October term of court, in the event the grand jury returns an indictment.

A fourth man, identified as Algie Griffin, Jr., about 34, of Clinton, was arrested by Clinton police last Wednesday in connection with the sale of narcotics.

He was charged in a joint warrant, issued by Mr. Ray, that included Harris, charging them with selling narcotics (300 morphine tablets) on August 12. The complaint was signed by Agent Jessup. Griffin was taken to Greenville for arraignment.

He waived a preliminary hearing and did not appear at the hearing. Dees, a service station operator at Clinton, attended the hearing and was represented by his attorney, John W. Norwood, Jr. Taylor also was at the hearing with his attorney, Frank Carpenter. Harris was not present for the hearing.

Mr. Norwood and Mr. Carpenter questioned Narcotics Agent Jessup at length as to his contact and association with the case, particularly with his dealings with O'Shields.

The agent said that he and Dr. Thomas D. Wyatt of Columbia, chief drug inspector for South Carolina and the State Health Department, contacted O'Shields and got his consent to work as an undercover man to find the source of the dope supply.

Agent Jessup was questioned by both Mr. Norwood and Mr. Carpenter as to why they happened to choose Mr. O'Shields as their undercover man in the operation.

Mr. Jessup explained that both he and Dr. Wyatt knew of Mr. O'Shields' addiction to narcotics, that they had talked to him and that he had agreed to help them break up the sale of narcotics in his neighborhood.

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Joanna Community Observes Labor Day

On Labor Day (Monday) the management of Joanna Cotton Mills and the Joanna Foundation honored their employees and families with an old-fashioned barbecue, a full day of entertainment, athletic events and other contests.

More than 4,000 persons turned out for the gala occasion.

The celebration was held at the picnic shelter on Milton Road and at the Woodson Community Center. The program started at 9:30 a. m. and continued through 4:30 p. m., ending with the drawing of lucky numbers for door prizes amounting to more than \$2,000 provided by Joanna Stores.

The invocation was by the Rev. James B. Mitchell, pastor of the Joanna Baptist Church, and J. L. Delany, superintendent of Joanna Cotton Mills, gave the address of welcome. Master of ceremonies for the various events was John H. Hunter, general chairman of the celebration was W. K. Waits, a retired superintendent of the mills.

Special entertainment was provided for the children. Arthur Smith and his Crackerjacks, a radio and TV group performed throughout the day at the picnic shelter, and B. S. Blair's Combo at the Woodson Center.

A barbecue dinner was served from 11:30 to 1:00 p. m., and was prepared by Walter Lynch.

A prominent feature of the day was the presentation of 70 Joanna women, teen-agers, and a group of sewing class youth beginners, who modeled dresses they made from Joanna fabrics.

Made from the 1961 line of spring materials, the dresses included mother-daughter combinations and styles for all ages from pre-teens through the adult range.

Mr. Hunter, of the industrial relations department of the mills,

gave a running description of the fabrics as the models passed in review.

Walter Regnery, vice-president of Joanna-Western Mills and general manager of the Joanna operations, thanked the employees for "making this the best year Joanna has had in the past five."

Rev. Earl P. Barron To Preach Sunday For ARP Congregation

The Rev. Earl P. Barron, who recently completed a course in pastoral counseling at the Boston State Hospital, will preach at the 11 a. m. worship hour of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church Sunday.

Mr. Barron is a graduate of Erskine College and of the divinity department of the college, holds a Master of Theology degree from Columbia Seminary, Decatur, Ga., and spent a year in study at Edinburgh, Scotland, and has held several pastorates in his denomination.

He is married to the former Miss Mona Blakely, of Clinton, and they have two children.

The evening hour at 7:30 will be given over to the annual "youth night service" of the congregation.

Special Music At Joanna Presbyterian

At the 11 o'clock service on Sunday morning at the Joanna Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Don Mauldin, soloist, and Mrs. Ralph Bozard, organist, both of Clinton, will present special music.

Their selections will be "Holy City" and "The Lord's Prayer." Visitors are cordially invited to attend the service. Rev. Hugh Polard is church pastor.



These scenes show activities at the Labor Day celebration Monday when employees and families of Joanna Cotton Mills enjoyed a barbecue dinner and a day-long program of entertainment and events arranged by the management. At the left are shown several lines formed for the dinner.



ner served at noon to approximately 4,500 persons. The right photo shows the adult winners of prizes in a drawing of lucky numbers. Front row, left to right: Mrs. Lena Madden, recliner chair; Mrs. Sadie Lewis, ice chest; Mrs. Lucile Nabors, 4-piece bedroom suite; Miss JoAnne Morris, 3-piece

luggage set; Miss Ella Mae Brown, 19-inch portable TV; Miss Janice Ruff, transistor radio; Mrs. Alice Bush, china; back row: J. W. Smith, bedspread; Julian Adams, refrigerator; Mack Bryant, electric blanket; Joe E. Davenport, lamps; J. S. Prater, dinette set. Children winners are shown elsewhere.—Photos by John H. Hunter.