Seating Plan Passed
At Last Board Meet

The Student Council’s football seating plan for the 1949 season was adopted with one exception last Thursday when the Athletic Board met to decide upon a suitable seating system. The suggestion of a reclassification of the third quarter junior grad-

Dr. van Leer To Have as Guests Presidents Club, Student Council

Tonight the Presidents Club and the Student Council will be entertained by President Blake R. van Leer at a banquet in a newly completed “T” Room of British Dining Hall at 6 p.m. The purpose of the banquet is two-fold, President Van Leer, the students to be acquainted with the non-student activities offered to the students for their entertainment. Through the presidents of the major clubs, the students will learn of the excellent facilities ot their organization or their own disposal.

Primarily the program will be a discussion on the pupil and pupil for a Tech student activities building. Frierson F. B. Wrenn of the I.M. School will present the historical background of the idea for a student activities building, followed by Elmer G. Davis, who heads the com-

Ralph McGill To Speak To Sophomores Tuesday

Dorm Applications Are Now Available

Application blanks for dormi-

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Only A Few Engineers Needed For Work With Atomic Fission

Of several thousand engineers and scientists who may be required after the development is in full swing, only a small portion will need to be closely familiar with the new fission and neutron knowledge of modern physics. Some of the technicians will be able to get in universities, but security restrictions and preconditions contained general availability of reactors and other expensive and restricted equipment and materials will mean that much of the detailed technical knowledge will have to be obtained on the job.

Phi Kappa Tau Holds Initiation Sunday

Initiation ceremonies are to be held Sunday, February 20, 1949, by the Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity at Tech for seven pledges of the University of Georgia colony of Phi Kappa Tau, Carl Smith, former member of the Tech chapter and now a student at the University, was instrumental in establishing the colony there. Tom Austin, field secretary for the national council, will be here for the initiation. The weekend will open with a barn dance Saturday night with members of the Atlanta Province. Following the formal initiation ceremonies Sunday, a banquet will be given in honor of the new members.

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Atlanta Open Chess

Tourney Starts Friday

On Friday, Feb. 26, 1949 at 7:30 p.m., the annual Atlanta Open Chess Tournament will begin at the Atlanta Chess Association, 1204 Ponce de Leon Ave. This is next door to the David Hills Presbyterian Church at Highland Ave. and Ponce de Leon Ave.

All chess players at Tech are invited to participate in this event. Suitable prizes will be awarded. The entry fee is $1.50. All players having chess men and boards are invited to bring them as the Chess Association will not have enough for everyone who attends. For further information, call Ve-8959, Mr, Elijah Brown, or Ht-6636-R, Mr. Harry Yopp, 1019 Highland Ave. building. The prize will be $1.25 for couples or stag.
A.S.S. Releases Pin Design And Meaning

Designer Seizes Pin in Vision And Portrays Frat's Principles

By G. Bruce Kidd

The Technique has finally received a picture of the Alpha Sigma Sigma fraternity pin as well as comprehensive information on the significance of its individual parts. Of course the entire significance of the pin can only be appreciated by duly initiated and endowed members because much of its meaning is secret.

This pin was designed by Otto Schnapp of Pulmer, Georgia, bright and early one Sunday afternoon after one of the regular weekly meetings. It is reported by several of the other charter members that founder Schnapp had a vision well along into the morning, but the next day he could not clearly remember the vision or the previous night. However, it is possible that this pin, which was soon to be adopted, includes parts of that inspired vision.

Up until the time that Alpha Sigma Sigma could defeat the rising cost of beer, they could little afford such luxuries as pins or emblems. However, after they won their battle to reduce the price of beer to five pennies per gallon, they became interested in other fraternities. It was not until the fraternity took on international aspects that any of these pursuits solidified. The adoption of this pin is considered the first of these aspirations.

Naturally the members were proud of their defeat of the brewery bloc, and since it was this skirmish that caused this entire group of alpha buddies to evolve into a close-knit organization of inebriates. Therefore they wanted to commemorate the symbol of their victory. The pin was designed in the shape of an ale signifying their vic­

Air Reservations

Eastern and Delta Air Lines will be at the T.A.M.A. building Thursday, Feb. 24 from 10:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. for the students with reservations for spring holiday trips.
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Because of this, we produce more every working hour... and can buy more goods with an hour's work than any other people in the world.

We can make the system work even better, too: by all of us working together to turn out more for every hour we work—through better machines and methods, more power, greater skills, and by sharing the benefits through higher wages, lower prices, shorter hours.

It's a good system. It can be made better. And even now it beats anything that any other country in the world has to offer.

So—let's tune it up, not chop it down.

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**CITY AND COUNTY TAXES**—All Georgia Tech faculty members residing in the City of Atlanta and in Fulton County are hereby reminded that 1949 tax returns are now due and can be made until May 1st. Tax bills will be mailed out on this date. If you live in Atlanta, go to the Tax Assessor's Office in the City Hall, and then to the County Tax Office around the corner in the County Courthouse. If you live outside of Atlanta in Fulton County, you only have to report to the Courthouse. If you do not make a return and own an automobile, the tax assessors obtain a report from the state about your car ownership and then assess a tax penalty payment against you.

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Bridge Tournament Rooms 1, 2—10:30 a.m.

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IZFA Auditorium—4:00

**Monday, Feb. 21**

Blue Print Business Staff Room 4—6:30
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**NEW ROLE FOR PRESIDENTS**

...is working together for a Student Activities Building.

The Presidents Club Banquet will be held this quarter by President Van Leer, and the money raised could be the proposed Student Activities Building. In the past, the order of the day has been to listen to discussions of OKE, and the principle business was usually the main speaker, who spoke on a topic related to leadership. Primarily a social organization, where the various campus presidents could get together to exchange and discuss any matters that came up, this group has had an active role in the campus community.

The new role of the group would be, not to act as a body, but to act as a forum for information as a body and to pass it on to their organizations. Then three other organizations which have this role

There is a real problem about the student activities budget. As long as the price for a really good one would be prohibitive. Where the money is coming from to help the student leadership is the question. It has been the objective to date to make a drive among alumni for this building. It is a Way to get money and it has been provided for other plans that is not certain until Dr. Van Leer can make the final decision. As far as any information; however, we are inclined to believe that, in addition to student subscription

**KILL THE ROSTER PLAN**

It has failed for two quarters straight. It should go.

The Class Roster Plan has failed for a second time. Given a chance by school and student leaders, the plan for each class was as expected. Even in this second try, not a majority of instructors took the trouble to have rosters made out, but the few that actually supported the measure got poor student support.

For the first student reaction was negative or apathetic. There was, in the opinion of many students, a continual and high school-ward pressure to have rosters. Consequently these men took no time to examine the issue at hand. A helpful hand was offered by the administration during both quarters. It was actually on the second try that the plan was carried over into a second try. In its original form, the McCoy Plan, as it is called, had a real punch. It was the original suggestion that each student be given a copy of the roster. The McCoy Plan was

**CONSOUSSEURS OF THE R.P.M.**

A myriad of speeds and recordings floods the field.

One of the more interesting recent developments in consumer goods production was the announcement at the beginning of this week by R.C.A. Victor of their new seven-inch slow playing records. Apparently not too seductive by Columbus, who announced last year their long-playing microgroove records. R.C.A. now offers a form with a discourse that requires a turntable with revolving speed and a special pickup.

The standard speed of 78 rpm for regular records has been altered as the requirements of the old mechanical systems of reproduction which have been in use for years. Seventy-eight r.p.m. is inefficient for the light-er-than-air particles, the vibrations have long maintained another standard of 33 1/3 r.p.m. for their transcriptions. When Columbus released their new microgroove records, they adopted the 33 1/3 r.p.m. standard and reduced the playing groove to .001 inch, permitting the groove density of about 300 per inch. The density is not sufficient to reproduce to any manufacturer who wanted to use it, including R.C.A. Now R.C.A. comes out with still a thinner record. With the thinness of about one by ten-thousand of an inch to .0009 inch, and presents a new recording mechanism built into a Simplex spindle which can change the seven-inch records in a matter of three seconds. This means, according to one R.C.A. official, that the record fan can listen to forty-two minutes of nearly uninterrupted music, to do so any immediate repeat. Of course, they become members of the Union and be entitled to the benefits therefore when they return to Atlanta or to football games, or when they are just passing through.

When the R.C.A. system is released next spring, it will be a competitive way of handling the fund raising, but it has worked before in other schools, and since then more students have been added to the plan, we think it should be adopted. As was pointed out by one of the Columbia students, the problem of putting together this record, the problem of letting match dollar with what is due in by students and yet go to the tone in the best way. Maybe the president has something else to tell us. We shall see.

**Federal Aid to Education**

A basic education for everyone has become necessary.

The debate on federal aid to education is on for a long time. Though the need for some sort of help to our educational system has been evident. Many young people of our county do not wish to enjoy equal opportunity for education, simply because the educational standards in some schools are so much lower in other parts. Many states, through the greater growth of information are unable to provide a minimum basic education for all children. Such a situation, like a nation based on the principles of equal opportunity is deplorable.

A bill to provide federal aid to education was introduced into the Senate. The President has asked for this aid to help the states, particularly those in greatest need, to provide schools for all children and to help equality of opportunity by setting minimum standards in the educational field.

In states where schools are maintained for separate racial groups, such schools will receive federal funds in proportion to the ratio of the minority groups to the total population of the state. To qualify for such a federal program is the fear of federal domination of educational policies. However, this bill specifically eliminates all control of educational policies shall remain in the hands of the state and local authorities.

No thinking person could object to such a program on the basis of cost. As Senator Warren, W. D. Boyle, one of the sponsors of the bill, said, "Democracy cannot function, nor can it carry its overwhelming international responsibilities, unless all citizens obtain the basic education to permit intelligent and informed participation in the work and life of the nation."

**The Almighty Quiz**

...is undergoing blasts from many educational corners.

Certainly the educational system at the Institute is not perfect. The emphasis upon grades is perhaps the subject of most concern, a thorough knowledge of the subject matter. At this time, this academic pressure is emphasized. Unfortunately basic knowledge was dimmed by monetary considerations.

In the plan the trust will now be dromaing for good.

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Rats In The Brewery Vats

"Fifth, dead animals, and dead human bodies reported."
Kitchen, Executive Secretary, Says No W.S.S.F. Funds Used

Br. Ray Auger

Rumors that the World Student Service Fund has been dealing in politics were denied in a letter by W. J. Kitchen, Executive Secretary of the fund. An article in the January 24 issue of the Atlanta Journal which stated that the WSSF had, with nine other organizations, given an award to Mr. Walter Bowland for "his stand against the Ku Klux Klan," had caused some on the campus to protest that WSSF was dealing in politics.

The Journal story obtained through AP in New York, said that Mr. Bowland, a former high school athletic coach, was one of 13 persons cited for violations of anti-lynching in politics.

W. J. Kitchen, Executive Secretary.

Let me emphasize the well known policy of World Student Service Fund. The fund operates on a completely humanitarian basis. We are a non-political organization. Our purpose is to help students in war-devastated countries on the basis of human need rather than on political, racial, or religious basis. We believe this is in harmony with the One World idea which Mr. Wendell Willkie did much to advance.

Please feel free to inquire further. This statement does not meet entirely your needs. We trust that this event is not causing you any difficulty, and we appreciate greatly your continued support of the good work of the World Student Service Fund.

Very sincerely yours,
W. J. Kitchen
Executive Secretary.
Retractable Beds May Be Nightmare for Single Girls

By Henry Oakley

The Harvard Crimson reports that some of the students at Harvard, possibly remembering their younger days, had a good old-fashioned snowball fight. The skirmish took place between a group of Cambridge high schoolboys and the college boys. The campus cops were able to break it up but not before receiving the offsets of several snowballs.

A new drug that is a possible virus cure has been reported by the Michigan State University and the results suggest that it might be effective against all three of the main enemies of the public health—vaccinia, variola, and rickettsia.

From The Miami Herald comes the report that the co-eds at Miami University hate coeds and men's co-eds. Ditty and bitter snobbery runs high on the girls' block. Among the many things found that irritate the women are men who talk about how much money they spend, those who talk about cars, the sloppy dressers, use of vulgar language, and the "life of the party" boys. Cigars, beards, suspenders, and mustaches are generally condemned. Many men, lazy men, and losers are definitely banned.

Retractable Beds May Be

Toni Crenshaw, a "flying classroom," will leave for the States next week. The group includes school building, college, planning, and construction. Modern meeting techniques are being used. The study theme for songs is Detroit, Chicago, Chicago, and St. Louis. The group will leave for Detroit, and then travel to Chicago. The trip is designed to study the effects of modern planning and construction on the cities and will be led by architects.

Dr. Cannon's Message to Technological Group

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Foundation will be held on February 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Tech Y.M.C.A. The speaker will be Mr. W. Cannon, President of the University of Washington. Dr. Cannon, who is one of the outstanding young theologians of the Methodist Church, has chosen as his subject, "Could the Church Survive Underground?" He is best remembered by Tech students as the brilliant platform speaker for the 1948 Methodist Students' Conference at LaGrange College.

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The Air Force F-86 jet fighter, holder of the world's speed record, travels so fast in a dive that a special system of cameras used during the war has been found necessary to check its speed. Powered by a General Electric J-47, an F-86 holds the world speed record for a dive flight—a fraction under 411 miles per hour—but instruments for measuring this level speed flight are not accurate enough for the dive tests, according to engineers of the North American Aviation, Inc., builder of the swept-wing fighter.

To measure the speed of the F-86 dive, the engineers plan to use a battery of five Akania cameras. Developed during the war in Germany, the cameras map the sky and measure the absolute height of a bomb or airplane at any point in a dive with accuracy within plus or minus 20 feet at altitudes as high as 40,000 feet. Radar, the next best known method of height measurement, can make errors of plus or minus 200 feet.

By eliminating absolute height and using triangulation methods plus the instrumentation in the airplane itself, the F-86 holds the world speed record for tracking an airplane in flight. The cameras are a post-war development resulting in the guided missile development in this country.

To determine whether the Akania cameras would be suitable for use in dive tests of the F-86, North American engineers tracked an Air Force F-86 in dives to altitudes in excess of 30,000 feet. The telescopic lenses of the camera gave a clear image of the airplane at that height, it was said.

PiKA's to Hold Formal Dance

Tontine in Auditorium Skyroom

By Jim Ryd

On Friday, February 18, the Georgia Tech chapter of the Pi Kappa Alpha will hold its annual White and Black Formal. The dance will be held in the Skyroom of the Municipal Auditorium, with Walter Cunningham and his orchestra furnishing the music from nine till one. The walls of the Skyroom will be decorated with black and white and a black and white theme will be maintained. A white carpet will be used and the orchestra will form a backdrop for the dancing area. The students and their dates will form a line, after which the 1949 President of PiKA will be announced by the president of the chapter, Bill Bennett.

Breakfast Announced

After the dance, a breakfast has been planned at the Paradise Room in the Henry Groudy Hotel. The breakfast is in honor of the following new initiates: Robert Condon, Blake Ellis, Thomas Gurley, Auguha Merrie, Wyly Scoopum, Robert Whyte, and Phillip Willett.

The members of the chapter plan to have a house party in conjunction with the formal dance.
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Sports Chatter
By Lenny Frieden

All Star Cage Dates Set

Plates are now getting under way for the sponsorship of the first inter-class all-star basketball tournament which is scheduled to be held Tuesday and Thursday nights, March 8 and 10, in the Tech gym.

In an effort to foster interest in school and city student, the Student Council All-Star Committee, under the leadership of Witt Langstaff, undertook to investigate the possibilities of putting on this inter-class cage tourney. Many long weeks of headaches and setbacks have threatened the play, but now all details have been ironed out, and the tournament is almost a reality.

The basic idea of the tournament is to form four teams of ten men each, one team from each of the four classes on the campus. The members of the teams will be chosen from the selections of the coaches of the 40 intramural squads now seeing action in the various campus leagues.

Each coach or captain of an intramural team has been mailed a selection blank. On this blank, he will pick two stars from his own team, one a freshman or sophomore and the other a junior or senior. The entire success or failure of the plan depends upon your intramural leaders so don't fail to send in your selections before Tuesday, February 22, in order that the teams can be picked.

Coaches to Select

After the intramural selections have been made, these men selected will meet for tryouts for their respective class teams. These teams will be selected by the coaches who have volunteered their services for the tournament.

Big Jim Nolan will be at the helm of the seniors, Red Schoening and Dale Lupton will lead the juniors, and Barry Blemker and Joe Keener will be the sophomore mentors. The freshmen leaders have not as yet been chosen.

For the winning team, ample awards for victory will be presented. Each of the ten victorious squads will receive an engraved key as a symbol of his success. These awards will be offered through the courtesy of the Building Club which has volunteered its assistance.

For a division, four league permanent trophies will be awarded to the outstanding players from each class team. These stars will be picked from nominations by a committee composed of coaches Roy Mundorff, Roy MacArthur, and "Whack" Hyder. The presentations of these awards will be held immediately following the final game of the tournament on Thursday night, March 10.

Don't Slight Fresh

Patches have been made already, and on the first night of play, the freshmen will clash with the seniors and the juniors will meet the sophomores.

The freshmen will wear the Seniors and the Juniors will meet the Sophomores. All four teams will play at least one game a week. Each team will play a different opponent each week.

Don't take your foot off the pedal:

A gaggle of freshmen players will be available for use by each team during the meet.

Don't forget to jot down March 8 and 10 as red letter days on your calendar and make it a point to attend with dates if possible. We'd like to see this all-star tournament develop into an annual affair so why not do your bit to help insure success for the meet. Let's all come out and give a hand in making this event a success.

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Jacket Courtmen Face Mighty Kentucky Saturday in Lexington

Wildcats Rated Nation's Best; Groza Leads SEC Scoring With 19.1 Average

By Ralph Day

With slicings in hand, Tech's cage "David" will do battle with the Goliath of basketball, mighty Kentucky, on the hardwood in Lexington Saturday night.

The odds are all against the Jackets and eight losses against the all-powerful Wildcats who have not dropped an SEC game in three years.

Records Mean Nothing

Records have never seemed to impress the Jackets, however, and it's a safe bet that Baron Rupp will not field anyone but his best quintet against the would-be giants.

When one says Rupp's best, it is tantamount to saying the country's best for that is just the tag that the Jackets carry. For three straight weeks, the Kentucky five has been at the top of the standings.

Lone Loss

Since their two point loss to St. Louis in December, the "Cats have won twelve straight and qualified any remaining doubts by defeating Xavier last Monday 56-46. Of 84 sports writers polled by the AP, 64 designated the Wildcats as number one.

The Kentuckians record is not surprising when one looks at the players who make up the team. Center Alex Groza now leads the SEC scoring list with 292 points in 19 games for an average of 15.1 per game. Tech's Nolan is fifth with 274 points in 27 games for a 14.4 average.

All-American Star

Fiery guard Ralph Beard is thought by many to be the standout of the "Cats. His lightning, speedy play, unanswerable shooting, and fierce ball hawking have won him a place on the nation's all-star list in the two years in succession.

In addition to Beard and Groza, there are Wah-wah Jones, Dale Rafer, Cliffy White, Jim Linn, Bob Hennes, and other great basketeers who have made names for themselves under the tutelage of the Baron of Basketball.

Saturday night, the weavers of the White and Gold will be at full strength with the possible exception of Colin Anderson who, according to Coach MacArthur, is still being troubled by an ankle injury.

Pittard Issues Call

For Baseball Tyros

With the advent of Spring weather, Coach Pittard has issued his call for candidates for the 1949 Yellow Jacket baseball team.

Practice will start Wednesday, February 25, for all men who are trying for the varsity. Monday, February 28, will be the day for freshman tryouts.

Coach Pittard advises that these students who are interested should not consider themselves safe from being cut.
Bowling Action Marked By Speed and Thrills

By Bob Guado

The intramural bowling league playoffs got under way Monday evening with Pi Kappa Alpha and Phi Kappa Tau, White and Gold league champions respectively, continuing their winning ways with victories over Tau Epilon Phi and Kappa Alpha. After TEP had won the first game 253-222, PKA finished strong to win the match by taking the last two games 423-369 and 294-266. Both teams led the winners with 330 pins, while Cohen with 340 was high for the losers.

Phi Kappa Tau won the first two games, 547-520 and 493-482, to clinch their match with Kappa Alpha. In the third game KA came to life to bowl 569, one pin short of the record set during the regular season by PKA. The Round-Rollin playoff continues Friday when PKA meets KA and TEP plays PhiKT. The fraternity which wins the playoff will receive a trophy, and each member of the winning team will receive a medal.

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Jacket Matmen Face Maryville In Tennessee

With three victories and two losses on the record books, Coach Miller and his White and Gold grapplers travel to Maryville, Tennessee Saturday to meet another tough foe, undefeated Maryville College.

A trip by car of 200 miles is facing the squad, but coaches Miller and Griffith don’t think it will affect the team’s speed or endurance. Maryville’s main sport is wrestling and the whole male population tries to make the team. Rated by some as a close second to Auburn in this area, Maryville may prove to be a very tough assignment.

Bodin says he will probably still be out due to a pulled leg and his position at 175 will be filled by Zell.

Clay Matthews will be back on the mat as heavyweight, having recovered from his cold.

Hayes will fill the bill for the 121 class, Ivey (128), Manasti (136), Oglassy (140), Hodges (150), and Franklin (165).

The spectator turn-out at the last match fell below any of the previous ones this season, but having it televised added to the folks staying home. Reports have that the telecast was successful.

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VETERANS

Veteran Charge Accounts for Books and Supplies will close on March 5. Please anticipate your needs before this date. No charges can be made from this date until the opening of the Spring Quarter.
White and Gold Cagers Top
Georgia in Warning Moments

By Don Judd

Georgia Tech's Yellow Jacket cagers returned to the winning trail Wednesday night as they squeezed out a thrilling 60-58 victory over the balance of the hardest fought and most exciting games ever seen in the Tech gym.

After getting off to a slow start, the Jackets put on a last minute drive that swept the Dawgs off the court, gave Tech the rubber game of the annual three-game series.

Rainey Scores

Wednesday night as they squeezed out a thrilling 60-58 victory over the boys from Athens six points ahead of the Georgia Tech boys. As soon as the Jackets started their drive, the contest went wild, and the game was in an uproar for the rest of the game. It seemed that the Bulldogs were a trip bewildered by the noise, because they wouldn't seem to make any of their shots count while the Jackets were sinking them from all angles.

Jackets Lead

After roaring back to take the lead, the Jackets kept pouring away and with two minutes left, Berensheim powered in a field goal to make the count 56-56, with the White and Gold on top. From here on, the Jackets were intent on freezing the ball, and Georgia was equally intent upon scoring, but each found their much-needed four points.

With about thirty seconds left, Earl Davis, a them in Tech's side all night, snatched the ball and raced down the court. In spite of Nolan's desperation try for a block, he made the goal, and was awarded one free throw to boot.

Although they took the ball out of bounds at this point, the Georgians were unable to score, and the game ended with the Jackets clutching the black and red score for the win.

Coach Roy MacArthur and the entire Yellow Jacket basketball team would like to express their thanks for the great support given the team in Wednesday night's game.

All of the players, especially Mickey Berensheim, believe that the boys from Athens were an important factor in the Jackets' surge to victory.

Score until after fifteen minutes, the tie was 26-26.

Stellar Defense

The first period was marked by the outstanding defense of Jim Nolan, who held big Bob Schloss to ten points for the period. Nolan, with eighteen points, and he was followed closely by Dold with seventeen points.

High Team

It was not until seven minutes had gone by that the Jackets were able to break away and make a score from the field, and then little Mike Sermersheim tossed a tall 26-19.

The first period was marked by the increased tempo of the Georgia Tech boys. As defending conference champions, the men of Coach Lanone will be up against a squad of swimmers which always proves difficult to any competitor.

Last year in the SEC meet, the Gators took second place behind our champion Jackets. This meet tomorrow should give some indication of the results of the conference battle, which is scheduled for Athens on March 12.

Coach Frank Gannaway's potent Florida squad sport 18 returning lettermen. Conspiracies by his absence will be the "Sunshine Boys" conference.
Gymnastics Squad Outscored In First College Competition

By Bill Gresham

Tech's gymnastics team received their first defeat of the season at the hands of Duke and Maryland last Saturday. The triangular meet was held in Durham before a record-breaking crowd of 5,000 people.

With a squad of 15 performers, the Jacket received their first taste of college competition. Maryland, with a more experienced team, gained 50% points to the Jacket's 14% points and the Blue Devil's 15 points. Coach Lyle Welser believes there is a very good possibility of this meet being annually in Durham.

Results of the meet found the Techmen taking second place in the long horse event, fourth place in the rope climb, fourth place on the rings, third place tie on the parallel bars, third place on the side horse, and third and fourth place in the tumbling event.

Duke has a return meet with the Engineers here on Saturday, February 26 at 2:30. The public is invited and the meet will be televised.

The Southeastern Conference Committee on Gymnastics, of which Coach Welser is chairman, is attempting to form teams at Georgia, Florida State, Emory, Alabama, and Auburn. If the committee is successful, Tech, currently at the top of the conference due to the lack of competition, will have to expand its present program.

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The Crimson Tornado is stirring up a big wind in the Silver League. The wind was too strong for Latin American and they forfeited to Crimson, whose record is still clean of defeats. The Smithies, a quick at second place, continued to win, also over Latin American by a score 45-16. Calloway played two of the three Red League games Sunday and Monday. They won one by default from Harris and the other 32-27 from Glenn. Towers No. 1 attributed their victory over Howell Sunday to fast breaking plays, from which Hobgood lead the scoring with 18 points in the 43-32 victory.

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Alpha Pi Omega—
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other is the program meeting at which speakers, motion pictures, forum discussions and similar features are presented.

Among the services rendered by the Tech A.P.O. on the campus have been the book exchange, the Ugliest Man on Campus Contest, the Christmas Seal Drive and the operation of the voting machines at class elections. Any who are interested in joining Alpha Phi Omega, but who were unable to attend the meeting, should contact box "N" or see Austin West.

NSA Conference—
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the purchase-card system. Other discussions included finances, a Regional Advisory Council, membership plans, and plans for future meetings. It was decided to have George Nalesnik attend the National Executive Committee meeting in Chicago in April.

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