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U. S. Representative to Speak at B. J. C.



HON. MERWIN COAD

The Hon. Merwin Coad, the Iowa Representative to the U. S. Congress, is to speak in the J. C. building December 4th, at 8:00 o'clock. His topic is, 'History of Civil Rights Legislation.'

Mr. Coad is very well known in Boone. He is the former minister of the Central Christian Church in Boone. Representative Coad graduated from Texas Christian University at Fort Worth, Texas. He took graduate studies at T. C. U. of Fort Worth, at Brite College of the Bible, and at Drake University at Des Moines.

Everyone is anxious to hear Mr. Coad's speech.

Costume Party Success

Despite the flu bug, there was a large turnout for the B. J. C. costume party Wednesday evening, October 30th. The costumes were very colorful and original. Prizes were awarded to the persons who had the most original costumes: the best dressed couple was Bob Brooker and Joyce Huddling; the best dressed boy was Orlin Klinkefus; and the best dressed girl was Sally Couch. After a few games were played, everyone danced. Plenty of refreshments were served between dances.

Those of you who did not attend missed out on a lot of fun! There will be more parties in the future. Everyone is encouraged to come and join the fun.

Elna Reedholm.

Homecoming Plans Nearing Reality

For the first time in the history of Boone Junior College, homecoming activities are being planned. Homecoming will be Friday, January 10th. The J. C. Bears will play Clarinda that evening in the Boone High gymnasium.

The new J. C. cheerleaders are in charge of the homecoming activities.

A few activities have already been suggested by some of the students. They are an assembly, dance, and crowning a queen. If you feel that there is an activity that will benefit the B. J. C. homecoming, please feel free to offer your suggestions to the cheerleaders.

J. C. Scholarships Awarded

Each academic year various civic and social organizations in Boone grant student aid in the form of tuition scholarships to full time students attending Boone Junior College.

To be eligible for continued student aid an average of 2.00 or 'C' must be maintained in all academic work.

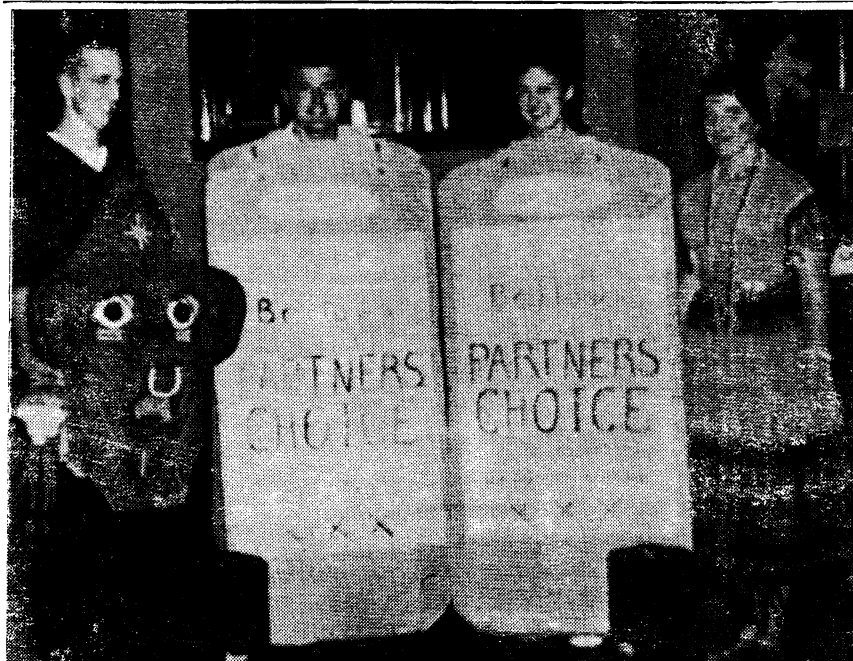
Organizations granting student aid this year and the recipients are as follows:

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J. C. Cheerleaders Chosen by Judges

Because of ability and fiery spirit the following girls were chosen as the new J. C. cheerleaders: Pat Saylor, Joyce Larson, 'Sandy' Chance, and Eileen Ryan. Enid Anderson, Elna Reedholm, and Virginia Martin (who is also the manager), were chosen as substitutes. The judges were Mr. Heyen, Edna Pritchard, John Jacobson, Lawrence Frederick, Bob Rosene, Ves-

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Winners in the successful J. C. Halloween costume party are from left to right: Orlin Klinkefus, best costume by a boy; Bob Brooker and Joyce Huddling, best costumed couple; and Sally Crouch, best costumed girl. Judges were Mr. and Mrs. Hartley and Dean and Mrs. Robert Heyen.

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The Editor Speaks



The other night I had an opportunity to watch the basketball squad working out in preparation for their opening game with the Marshalltown Tigers Friday. I couldn't help noticing the determination the players had about the game and I wondered how many of us will be there at the game to back them in their bid for victory. It's no fun playing a home game without full school support as they did last year. However, from the enthusiasm I've seen among the students we should have a good sized crowd this year and I know the players are hungry for Tiger meat, so let's hear from Boone at the game Friday.

We have had many favorable comments on our 'Bear Facts' name plate and have been negligent in telling everyone who the artist is who did this splendid job. The person in question is Eleanor Manges, wife of Norman, our business manager. We wish to thank Eleanor for her fine job.

Tale of Woe

Through rain and sleet and snow the mail must go through. This is a well known phrase and is probably true. I admire anyone who will fight snow up to his ears to get things where they belong, on time. Me? When it snows as it did this week I sit at home and hibernate until the snow melts. That's what I did this week. I was supposed to be at school on Wednesday of this week but because of the storm I waited until Friday to come. Who am I? Why, my name is 'Bear Facts.'

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Letter to the Editor

The speech students and instructor would appreciate the consideration of the ping-pong players under our room. It is not our intention to imply that a ban on ping-pong is necessary during speech periods. It is our intention to request that screaming and table-pounding be limited.

Beginning speech students have enough difficulty trying to concentrate and have confidence without competing with yowls and explosions.

Sincerely,
Norman E. Bissell.

BOOK REVIEW

'How to Study' (126 pp.) Morgan and Deese; McGraw-Hill (\$1.50).

Almost all of us have at one time in our college career become discouraged, frustrated; some flunk out altogether and others of us will. Nine times out of ten the reason for this is not lack of mental potential but rather the fact that we never took time to learn to study.

I would like to inform you of the book, 'How to Study,' simply because it might well be the most important book you'll run across as far as your college career is concerned.

'How to Study' is written mainly for studies beyond high school and includes practical techniques on planning and using study time, getting the most out of a textbook, outlining, taking notes, and preparing for and taking examinations. The book also includes chapters on special problems such as mathematics and foreign language.

The information used in this book is based on years of research and has been tested extensively. In the words of the author, "We know it will work." They are quick to point out, however, that this is no short cut to success, but rather an intelligent, organized, and proved method of study.

In an informal interview Dean Heyen stated that a class on 'How to Study' is a definite possibility. The course, if realized, would be required for freshmen and optional for sophomores. 'How to Study' would be the main textbook, and is now on sale in the college library.

The Editor.

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The authors of these great new books are Willard Motley, Sinclair Lewis, James Gould Cozzens, Nikolai Gogol, and Erich Maria Remarque respectively.

These are only a few of the new, thrilling fictions now in our J. C. library. There are many more just waiting to be read. Be the first in line to get one of these marvelous books!

Delta Tau Host to Future Teachers

Prospective Teachers' Day was observed Wednesday, November 13th, throughout Iowa. Thousands of Iowa high school students visited colleges and universities to see a program of teacher education in action. Boone J. C. was one of the 41 Iowa colleges which participated in this program.

The Delta Tau, under the supervision of Mrs. Barquist, was host to the future teachers of the surrounding towns in Boone County. There was a large turnout for this program. Everyone who attended enjoyed it.

Prospective Teachers' Day is sponsored by the Iowa Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards. It is designed to assist students and the public in becoming aware of the contributions that teachers in their schools make to the welfare of society and high school students an opportunity to discover what needs to be done to become a professional teacher.

Elna Reedholm.

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Bears Meet Tigers in First Tilt of the Season Dances Follow Games

On Friday, November 22nd, Marshalltown J.C. will be here to start off the 1957-1958 basketball season for Boone J. C. Marshalltown squeezed out two victories from the Bears last year in hard fought games. This game will be a good test for the potential Bears.

Let's all remember to be there and back the team in what we hope will be VICTORY NUMBER ONE!



Loel Johnson, Larry Land, 'Chuck' Musser, three of the college's potent basketball squad, seem pleased with the prospect of meeting the Tigers on Friday, here at Boone.

Report on the Squad

The basketball squad has been thinned down somewhat, due to members having to work and other reasons. Despite these losses the team will still have a great deal of depth. Although the squad looks good, the need of more conditioning and seasoning is in evidence.

Coach Hokanson wasn't too eager to say what pattern of offense this year's team will use. Last year, as some of you may remember, the team used a slow, pattern type offense because of our lack of speed and rebounding power. This year, with both speed and rebounding power in evidence, we may see a different type of offense. We'll all know the answer to this on Friday night.

See you at the game this Friday.

TELLTALES

Finals, finals everywhere,

With drops and drops of ink;

And never a prof who'll leave the room

And allow a guy to think.

Strange Noise

Has anyone heard the knocking in the game room this fall? Those of us in speech, journalism, or dramatics classes know this sound well. The knocking noise is a ping-pong game and this year the table has really been getting a workout. With such experts playing as Bill Ross, 'Chuck' Musser, Bob Brucker, Dale Boes, Jon Ewing, and others, those paddles and balls really take a beating. Stop down sometime and watch or join in the game, you'll enjoy it.

Rich Byerly.

FOUND: Roll of five-dollar bills. Will owner please form a line at the north entrance to Franklin Hall.

This year B. J. C. is not only going to have parties, but with the help of all the student body, they are going to sponsor dances after the home basketball games. If the students co-operate and there are large turnouts, the dances will be continued throughout the year. These dances will not only give the students something to do, but will also help build school spirit.

The Boone-Marshalltown game will 'kick off' the first dance of the year. This dance will be in the high school cafeteria immediately following the basketball game. Admission will be 20 cents a person, which will go in the J. C. activity fund.

Everyone is urged to attend!

News from the 'Round Radiator'

Be sure to attend the Marshalltown-Boone game this Friday.

The Delta Tau held an evening meeting November 19th at the J. C. building (Franklin Hall).

Mr. Harlan Reed showed slides to the group and talked on elementary education. The meeting was very interesting.

A Thanksgiving coffee will be held Monday morning, November 25th, at 9:30. The Delta Psi Omega will be the host.

Thanksgiving vacation will start Wednesday, November 27th, at 3:35. Classes will resume Monday, December 2nd, at 8:45.

The 'Bear Facts' staff will be host for the coffee Wednesday, December 4th, at 9:30.

Monday, December 9th, at 10:30, the Delta Tau will be in charge of the Christmas tree lighting. Also the annual staff will be hosts for the coffee that hour.

The Delta Tau members will be excused from classes Monday, December 9th, to visit Salisbury House in Des Moines.

A new hi-fi phonograph was recently purchased for the J. C. lounge from the Activity Fund. It will be for class and recreational use. The record collection will be selected by the student officers and faculty.

Another new idea is being added to the 'Cub' this year. The freshmen will have their individual pictures in the yearbook. These pictures were taken by Foltz Studios.

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Klinkefus Is Prexy

In a recent election of the Engineering Club, Orlin Klinkefus emerged as president for the year. Names to assist him were Keith Parkinson, vice-president; Bob Garvey, secretary; Don Crouch, treasurer.

The club will meet again next Wednesday evening to hear a speaker from Iowa State College talk on the different phases of engineering. All those with an interest in this field be sure to attend.

Sherwood Selim.

Is This the End of Franklin?

Among the many improvements to B. J. C. this year will be added a redwood sign to identify the junior college from the Franklin School Building.

The sign will be suspended between two red brick columns in front of the school. On it will be carved the name, Boone Junior College, and the year the school was founded.

It will be dedicated by the liberal arts students next Arbor Day, April 16, 1958.

Larry Bergloff.

CHEERLEADERS [Cont'd from p. 1, col. 2] ta Jo Woodvine, Jack Robertson, and Art Aspengren.

The duties of the cheerleaders are to attend all cheerleading meetings, to attend all basketball games, to organize pep assemblies, and to write new cheers. One of their biggest duties is homecoming, which they are very proud to organize.

The girls are already off to a good start for they have written a school song and one new cheer! These, among other cheers will be mimeographed and handed to every student.

The cheerleaders will welcome any new cheers.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

First Semester, 1957-1958

- November 22, Friday:
Basketball, Marshalltown, here.
- November 25, Monday:
Thanksgiving Coffee, 9:30 a.m., J. C. Chorus, host.
- November 26, Tuesday:
Basketball, Grandview, here.
- November 27, Wednesday:
Classes suspended, 3:45 p.m.
- December 2, Monday:
Resumption of classes, 8:45 a.m.
- December 3, Tuesday:
Basketball, Webster City, there.
- December 4, Wednesday:
Coffee, 9:30 a.m., newspaper staff, host.
Lecture, Representative Merwin Coad, 'History of Civil Rights Legislation,' 8:00 p.m.
- December 6, Friday:
Basketball, Iowa Falls, here.
- December 9, Monday:
Christmas tree lighting, Delta Tau, 10:30 a.m.
Coffee, 10:30 a.m., the annual staff, host.
- December 13, Friday:
Basketball, Grandview, there.
- December 17, Tuesday:
Basketball, Eagle Grove, here.
- December 18, Wednesday:
Holiday assembly, Delta Psi Omega, sponsor, 9:45 a.m.
Holiday coffee, 10:30 a.m., Delta Tau, host.
Classes resumed at 12:45.
- December 20, Friday:
Classes suspended, 3:45 p.m.
Basketball, _____, _____.

December 23, Monday, through
December 31, Tuesday:
College holidays, offices closed.

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- January 1, Wednesday, through
January 3, Friday:
College holidays, offices closed.
- January 3, Friday:
Basketball, _____, there.
- January 6, Monday:
Resumption of classes, 8:45 a.m.
- January 10, Friday:
Basketball, Clarinda, here.
Boone Homecoming at J. C.
- January 16, Wednesday:
Coffee, 9:30 a.m., Engineering students.
Basketball, Marshalltown, there.
- January 20-24, Monday through
Friday: Semester examinations.
Registration for second semester.
- January 24, Friday:
Basketball, Eagle Grove, there.

An interviewing team for prospective Naval Aviation Cadets were at B. J. C. on Tuesday, November 19th, in the lounge. They interviewed, advised, and counseled qualified men who are interested in flying in the Navy.

SCHOLARSHIPS [Cont'd from p. 1, col. 3]

lows: The American Legion, Martin J. Longhenry; Boone High Twelve Club, Donovan L. Crouch; Boone Public School Teachers' Club, Enid M. Anderson; City Council of the Boone Parents and Teachers Association, Suelen Tonsfeldt; service clubs (Rotayr, Lions, and Kiwanis), Nancy R. McCambridge; Forty and Eight, La Vonne D. Harris; Knodle Finance, George L. Ades; Board of Education and Athletic Work Scholarships, Larry E. Land, Charles Musser, and John R. Robertson.

This year the Kiwanis and Boone Junior Chamber of Commerce granted Athletic Tuition Awards to Loel D. Johnson and Jay H. Peterson.

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