# **ROTC** Names File Date For Queen Candidates

Procedure for selecting candidates for the 1958-59 Air Force ROTC Queen of the Military Ball, to reign jointly with the Army ROTC Queen, has been announced by 1st. Lieut. H. E. Priddle, assistant professor of air science.

The contest is open to all coeds enrolled in at least nine semester hours and who have 2.0 grade sverages.

Any Air Force ROTC Cadet may nominate a candidate. In addition, a coed may be nominated by any me of the five sororities, the Women's Dormitory, and the Air Force Angel Flight. Each organination will be allowed three nominations.

#### Photographs Necessary

An 8-inch by 10-inch photograph bearing the name of the candidate, her grade average, and the number f semester hours, must be submitted to the Air Force ROTC ffice in the Armory by 4 p.m., March 10.

Photographs will be returned after the selection of the Queen and her four attendants. Selection will be made March 12 in the Commons Auditorium.

Announcement and crowning of the Air Force ROTC and the Army ROTC queens will be the highlight of the formal Military Ball to be held April 27 at the Blue Note Ball Room

#### **Count Basie to Play**

The Military Ball committee. der the direction of Air Force Cadet Colonel Don Pratt, Engieering senior, has adopted a red, white, and blue color scheme for the Ball, and announced that Count Basie and his 16-piece orchestra will provide the dance music.

Attending the ball will be Army d Air Force ROTC Cadets, Air Force Angel Flight and Army Women's Drill Team members, and ther invited guests.

All students interested in cheer-

ading during the 1959-60 school

ar are invited to participate in

eerleading training sessions and

youts this week, according to

hine Woodman, assistant head

Henrion Gymnasium at 7:30

from freshmen, sophomore, and junior coeds, who wish to be candidates for Army ROTC Cadet Sweethearts during 1959-60.

test is Thursday, according to Cadet Norris Barker, public information officer

average to qualify as candidates and be carrying at least 10 hours. Each candidate must submit a non-glossy photograph to the Army ROTC.

cadet in the Army ROTC batallion may nominate a personal candidate who meets the qualifications, Barker said.

The five coeds selected as sweethearts will participate in a variety of activities, including parades, trips, and drill at annual Armed Forces Day ceremony at McConnell Air Force Base.

Sweethearts will head the new 30 member women's drill team recently organized by the Army ROTC

Women wishing to enter the contest should write their name, grade average, and the number of hours they are carrying on the back of their photographs, and submit the pictures to the Army ROTC detachment orderly room

**Entries** Now Taken For Sweethearts

Entries are now being taken

Deadline for entering the con-

Coeds must have a 2 point grade

In addition to coed entries, any

WU GRAD HONORED-Dr. Geraldine Hammond, now serving as co-

chairman of the English department, was chosen Prof of the Week by students in the Sunflower's Favorite Prof contest. (Sunflower Staff Photo by Richard Roberts.)

Will

Dr. Val Woodward, chairman of the biology depart-

The tennis team is scheduled Two woodwind quintets and a to open its season with a match clarinet quintet, all directed by against Colorado University here

Team members announced re-Music by Haydn, Jacoby, Tele- Carter, Bill Potter, Norris Barker, Colorado in 1944.

> that he had accepted the position also has taught at the University of tennis coach as an extra-curicular and recreational activity. He praised his team members for their abilities and said he enjoyed playing tennis with them and coaching the team very much. He came to the University last year to head the newly created biology department.

Dr. Geraldine Hammond, cochairman of the English department, is this week's winner in the Favorite Prof contest

**Favorite** Prof

This Week's

Dr. Hammond first joined the Dr. Woodward said Saturday University faculty in 1932. She March 3, 1959

# **SGA Petition Deadline** Set for Next Monday

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University of Wichita, Wichita, Kansas

Petitions from candidates in the coming Student Government Assn. elections must be filed in the Campus Events Bureau, Rm. 005, Fiske Hall, before 5 p.m. Monday, according to Election Commissioner Claude Lee.

Lee stated that declarations of candidacy are now available in the Campus Events Bureau to all who want them. Any student may file, with or without the nomination of

> The two parties which have registered for the election at this time, BPOC and BARB, have announced deadlines for filing their applications for candidacy

#### **May Submit Letters**

BPOC petitions may be picked up today and tomorrow at the Campus Events Bureau, according to Diane Copeland, BPOC president. These petitions must be returned to the Campus Events Bureau before 5 p.m. tomorrow. Miss Copeland urged all students interested in running for an office to file a BPOC petition.

Persons interested in running on the BARB ticket are invited to submit letters to that effect to the bureau before 5 p.m. Thursday, according to Ivan Schirer, BARB vice-president.

Schirer stated that he hoped for a good display of interest from the independent students on campus, as the foundation of the BARB Party and its hopes of success rest almost entirely upon these students.

### 40 Offices Open

Candidates in the election, to be held on March 19-20, will be vying for a total of 40 offices. Of this number, 28 will entitle the winning candidate to a voting seat in SGA. The remaining 12 are for class officers such at vice-president, secretary, treasurer and sergeant-at-arms, who will not sit in SGA.

Public campaigning by candidates and parties may begin after 5 p.m. March 13. Miss Copeland stated that she believed the disappearance from the campus scene of AURP and the emergence of the "mysterious" BARBS to challenge the supremacy of BPOC should create a healthy, interesting campaign atmosphere.

Dr. Hammond received her bachelor's degree from the University in 1931 and her master's degree from the University of Kansas in 1932. She completed work toward her doctorate in cently by Dr. Woodward are Jim English at the University of

Scholarship Deadline Set for March 15

### Cheerleading in the Armory. **Tryouts** Are **Annual** Concert Being Held Slated for Hall Rah! Rah! Sis Boom Bah! Wanta

The University's Woodwind Ensembles will be presented in their third annual concert of Chamber ment, has been named coach Music at 8 p.m., tomorrow, in the of the Varsity Tennis Team. Fine Arts Center Concert Hall.

Vance S. Jennings, instructor of March 20. clarinet and saxophone, will ap-Practice sessions will be held pear

tonight and Wednesday, she man, Lefebvre, Bozza, and Schuller Pete Piper, and Myron Janzen. will be presented.

Tryouts will be held in the Bal- Students who will appear in-Room of the Fine Arts Center cude: Mary Cooper, and Marilyn

Woodward Dr. Hammond Coach Net Team

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7:30 p.m., Thursday.

a cheerleader?

erleader.

Students interested in going out cheerleading must have a 2.0 de average and be carrying 12 rs, she said.

earance and poise, she added. bass clarinet.

Adamson, flute; Don Hilts and Randy Duvall, oboe; Dan Alfaro, Marilyn Hoagland, and Jean Terrell, bassoon; Eugene Wade and Marcus Crosby, French horn; Mary Cartmill, Allan Maguire, Don Students will be judged on the Pelzl, Jeanine Wright, and Phil is of enthusiastm, coordination, Bugg, clarinet; and Robert Sallee,

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of Colorado, Oregon State College of Education at Monmouth, and at Eastern Oregon College at La Grande.

She was awarded a Phi Beta Kappa key while attending the University of Colorado. In addition, she is a member of several professional organizations.

"All scholarship applications for the 1959-60 school year must be turned in at the Student Aid Office, Rm. 100. Fiske Hall by March 15," Miss Jan Reese, secretary to Paul Chrisman, counselor in charge of the student aid program. announced.

herapeutic By RICHARD MILLER Sunflower Staff Reporter children and adults from Institute of Logopedics be on display in the Little allery of the department of , Wednesday through

The work is done by students tempera and clay. Wing in age from 7 to 31 years, and rehabilitative program.

arch 20.

Art Used As Therapy Art has been employed as a activity.

pecial personnel are involved this instructional program.

degree in home economics.

Special Class Taught She teaches basic elementary art classes, and a special class of home arts to a group of teen-age girls. The basic art programs include projects in crayon, chalk,

A unique fellowship has also represents a new form of been established to enable trained ctional occupational therapy art students to aid in the instiby the institute in its teach- tute's program of therapy. Bob Ault, an MFA candidate, is a teaching-fellow in the department of art. However, his instruction ins of therapy to develop ex- takes place in classrooms of the tion, initiative and self-con- institute. He teaches elementary through constructive crea- art problems of drawing and composition.

Attendance Urged

All work on display has been Britton was the first such done as part of this new therapeu- versity.

person hired by the institute for tic program. The Institute of this purpose. She has a bachelor Logopedics and art department An exhibition of art work of art degree in art and a master's encourage everyone to view this exhibit of their students' progress and achievement.

Displayed

Coffee will be served from 9:80 a.m. to noon the first day of exhibition.

### Press Women Honor

### Journalism Maior

Diane Copeland, Liberal Arts senior, was honored at the annual Wichita Press Women's Beaux Arts Ball held Saturday night.

Miss Copeland holds the Wichita Press Women's Scholarship. She is a former Sunflower editor-inchief. The scholarship is awarded annually to a coed majoring in a communications field at the Uni-

#### 300 **Ballots** Contest Last

Three-hundred ballots were cast for 12 University professors and instructors in the third week's "Favorite Prof of the Week" contest, sponsored by the Sunflower. All University professors and

Dr. Geraldine Hammond, professor of English, won the title instructors are eligible to be professor of biology.

with over 100 votes cast by stu- nominated for the award with the dents. Runner-up in the contest exception of professors who have was Dr. Alvin Sarachek, assistant won the title in previous contests. At the and of

"Prof" ballots for this week contest must be in the Sunflowe office by 1 p.m., Friday.

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OUR NAME

COLLEGE

A student may vote only once each week. Mail or bring your vote to the Sunflower office, Rm. 116, Comm. Bldg., by 1 p.m., March 6.

# Editorials .

### **Exchanging Ideas**

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Last week a group of students sat over coffee in the Faculty Dining Room and discussed their ideas on what constitutes a liberal education with Dr. Margaret Habein, dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

This was the third such meeting to be held on the campus in the past three weeks. It was designed to make available to the students the chance to exploit the facilities of the University and the community, and to achieve understanding on a broader scale of information not normally offered in the classroom.

The two previous meetings were attended by faculty members representing the fields of art and speech. These discussions are open to all students. The group, which as yet has no name, charter, or dues, plans to meet at least once a week. It hopes to probe into as many areas as time permits, and will probably discuss many controversial issues. Plans are to have guests representing a wide variety of fields.

A second group, which deals more specifically in the area of political science, has also been organized and its meetings are conducted in a similar manner.

There have not been enough informal meetings of this type held on the campus in the past. This is unfortunate considering the success of Mortar Board's recent fireside lectures and the general acceptance of "Egghead Week."

The students who participated in these discussions should be commended for their interest and their realization that the learning process does not end with the bell that ends class periods.

We would like to see similar groups spring up throughout the campus, with the sole purpose being a free exchange of ideas in an atmosphere conducive to constructive discussion.

A nuclear war might not decide which nation is right, but it will probably determine which nation it left.



### Inquiring Reporter SFB Members Speak Out By ART LARSEN

Last week's announcement that a member of Alpha

Gamma Gamma fraternity had been chosen as president of the Student Forum Board for the fifth consecutive year caused considerable commotion in certain parts of the campus. Student Forum Board members were interviewed for their comments on this event.

The presidency and selection of when one group has more mem-Do you have comments or opinions concerning this?

true, a bad situation exists because the board. the Alpha Gamma Gammas, the Delta Gammas, and the Gamma The domination of one fraternity Phi Betas have capitalized on student-body apathy to the Student Forum Board. Many students who aren't in any of these groups don't really care what happens to the organization because it has such that more petitions are received a narrow base of control, so perhaps we don't deserve to have broad representation on the board. On the other hand, I believe the

major fault lies with the method of selecting members, which allows two or three Greek organizations to perpetuate themselves indefinitely at the dinner table with eminent campus visitors.

If those who presently control the Student Forum Board were really interested in having a broad base in the organization, they could have it by changing this method of selection and by denying membership to a few good friends who can only be brought about by an aren't qualified. The organization increased interest and desire on could then be built up into the the part of all students whoreby kind that would attract top-flight, a group such as this will be forced qualified students from every to reach beyond its own memberwalk of campus life.

Suzanne Umphrey, Alpha Phi-You can't dispute the figures ing abilities and qualities which which prove that one social group the board purportedly desires. does dominate the Student Forum Board. However, there are at least two other organizations of some dimension that have the same type of unbalanced membership. I can't chide this social group because I certainly have a tendency to favor those whom I know, like and believe to be capable.

I hope that interested people will petition for membership on the board this year so that it will become a more representative this has not been possible until

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION: group. I can't discard the fact that members of the Student Forum bers and officers in an organiza-Board has been dominated by one tion, these people are given more fraternity over the last four years. responsibilities and work. I don't see that complaining will do as much good as petitioning and Claude Lee, unaffiliate-It's showing a willingness to work for

> Annette Wiehl, Delta Gammaon the Student Forum Board is a very natural occurrence. This fraternity actively encourages its members to petition for membership on the board with the result from this group than from any other. If members of this group become officers of the board, it is because they have proven themselves able and qualified for these positions.

Sharon McNeil, Alpha Chi Omega.-It is an unhealthy situation when any organization becomes dominated by one small group. This tends to turn what could be an active cultural force on campus into merely a charming, self-perpetuating prestige group.

The remedy to such a situation ship in order to recognize those students possessing the outstand-

George Anderton, Alpha Gamma Gamma,-The fact that Student Forum Board is dominated by one fraternity is merely the result of an outstanding display of interest and willingness to work on the part of this group. It would be ideal if all groups on campus were represented equally on the board.

The facts show, however, that



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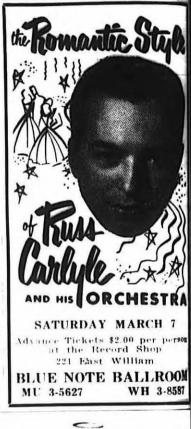
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now as all groups have not she either equal interest or an e membership of qualified people The members of the board

elected by proportional vote of members of the past year. T gives all petitioners equal opp tunity.

I would like to urge all stude who are interested to petition membership on the board as it only through an increase of inter est on the part of the stude body that the board can beco truly representative.

The record of achievements the board over the past six ye speaks for itself. These achieve ments were possible only beca of the outstanding qualities of the board members and officers.



# Student Government Elections

Declaration of Candidacy forms are now available in room 005 Fiske Hall and in the CAC office, Commons

The following positions will be up for election in the March 19, 20 STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION ELECTION

Congressmen

1 SGA President



SGA Vice-President SGA Secretary SGA Treasurer 9 Congressmen, elected proportionally, at-large 12 College Congressmen (2 each from LA, BA, Eng, Edu, FA, Music) 3 Class Presidents (Soph, Jr, Sr)

28 Total Congressmen Elected

Class Officers (See presidents above)

| 3 Class Vic | e-Presidents | (Soph, | Jr, | Sr) |
|-------------|--------------|--------|-----|-----|
| 3 Class Sec |              | (Soph, | Jr, | Sr) |
| 3 Class Tre |              | (Soph, | Jr, | Sr) |
| 3 Class Sg  |              | (Soph, | Jr, | Sr) |

15 Total Class Officers

Any student, if he otherwise qualifies, may file a Declaration of Candidacy with the Election Commissioner with or without the nomination of a political party!

Any additional information regarding qualifications, rules, duties and existing political parties may be obtained from the Election Commissioner.

THE DEADLINE for filing for election is MONDAY, MARCH 9, 5:00 P.M.

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MOUR GAMS—Pictured around the tights are typical stockings d on the University campus. Left to right, Carol Woodard dons and heels for evening wear; Sandy Rippey wears bermuda socks sports wear; Connie Duncan shows the tights, and Becky Fehring earing bobby-socks for everyday campus wear.

### et the Men Grumble Away-ay Colored Tights Are Warm!

Shades of Robin Hood-today's coed is sporting tights t would put R. and his Sherwood Forest gang to shame. the tights are worn with skirts or bermudas instead the Merry Men's tunic.

re cover their gams with these underwear s-t-r-e-t-c-h hose. Smart donned these stockings to

#### In Many Colors

yled somewhat after the blue, and rust brown. Sev- out any mishaps. styles in plaids, stripes, or tochold" in popularity.

ese styles have their pintversions for the younger ol girls.

your favorite beau grumbles



# hen the icy winds of winter about how ridiculous the tights

around the campus, long- are, remind him of the less-stylish ed American beauties every- men's counterpart-long flannel

### **Tights Are Inexpensive**

Any budget can include a pair their gams from turning of these tights, because they are while cheering their football relatively inexpensive. The coed on to victory in wintry with cold feet may want to buy several pairs to mix with and match her wardrobe.

The less active coed can probably er's leotard tights, the new wear her stockings for several ion comes in an array of colors seasons without getting any "runs" ding the dancer's black shade, in them, but the more active may Kerrick as Wheaties Sweetie. The n Hood green, fire engine red, not wear them quite as long with-

When "the weather outside is senior. ts are not getting much of frightful," coeds are putting their like hose.

### Pledge Class Numbers 20

Phi Upsilon Sigma fraternity has announced its second semester pledge class, the largest one on the campus at this time.

Wearing the black and gold pledge ribbons of Phi Upsilon Sigma are Butch Allred, Jim Basham, Jim Beasley, Frank Chappell, Mike Clancy, Don Coulter, Charles Dunn, Don Henry, Ronald Irion, Herb Meyers, Dick Peel, John Seifkes, Denny Sullivan, Rick Wright, Pete Piper, Phil Snodgrass, Don Gragg, Mike Cochran, Roger Hinderliter, and Biff Pennypacker.

Officers of the pledge class are Charles Dunn, president; Butch Allred, vice-president; Don Coulter, secretary; Dick Peel, treasurer, and Ricky Wright, sergeant at-arms.

### Alpha Phi Takes Wheaties Crown

Coronation of Wheaties Sweetie and Jack Armstrong highlighted half-time ceremonies of the Shocker's final home-court basketball game against Bradley last week. Crowned were Marcella Kerrick, Alpha Phi, and Ev Wessell, Education senior.

Members of Wheaties elect Jack Armstrong from the senior members of the basketball team.

The basketball squad chose Miss



honor also goes only to a senior. Miss Kerrick is a Liberal Arts

Last year, Reta Nestor, Alpha best foot forward in colored skin- Chi Omega, and Don Lock, held the honors.

BIRD CAGE

By PAULA BIRD Sunflower Society Editor According to the students at Co'orado University, ther seems to be a new monet ary system. One dollar is a "scool;"

55. "skeemer;" \$6, "skinny;" \$100, "skootch." Nickles, quart-rs, and dimes are "knitches, twitches, and deemers." Under his system 500 "deemers" make one "skeemer." I can al-

ready hear ""r students ranting about tuition. "It cost me

i 'skoetch' and four 'skeemers' to get in, plus a 'skinny' and

Julie Stone, a member of Sigma "Take us to your leader," they Alpha Iota, honorary music fra- told him. After passing over rough

ternity, has announced her pin- terrain and encountering many ning to Jim Quinn. Phi Upsilon similar furry creatures, they came

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## Initiations Held or Scheduled By University's 5 Sororities

Out of 124 young women who pledged a social sorority last semester, 87 have been or soon will be formally initiated. Alpha Phi, Alpha Chi Omega, and Gamma Phi Beta pledges who qualified for membership are now active members.

Qualified pledges of Delta Delta Delta house. Delta and Delta Gamma will become official active members Sunday.

On February 22 at 7:00 a.m. the pledges of Alpha Phi were initiated at the University Methodist Church. The new actives are Judith Atherton, Phillis Jo Baum, Julie Cope, Margaret Francis, Sandra Havens, Marilee Long, Mary Ann Ludeman, Martha Miller (honor initiate), Alice Peterson, Myrna Stith, Phyllis Thurman, Saundra Welch, Susan White, Milly Wolcott, Bonnie Bickel, Conne Duncan, Lena Hartshorn, Madolyn Townsend, Jane Maxwell, Anita Roberts and Bonnafay Roberts.

A dinner honoring the new Alpha Chi Omega initiates was given at The Farm on February 22. The formal initiation took place the day before at the sorority house. Sporting new active pins are Shirley Anderson, Judy Cline, Judy Curtis, Sandy Ensign, Sharon Fear, Anne Hubbard, Portia Kringler, Hope Kroenlein, Pat Matzek, Norma Simons, Ginnie Smith, Linda Winston and Nina Rutledge.

### **Midnight Initiation Set**

Delta Delta Delta pledges will be initiated March 6 and 7 at midnight at the sorority house. The sorority advisory board members will be special guests at a breakfast beginning at 5:00 a.m. at the Allis Hotel. Saturday afternoon the sorority plans to initiate about 30 Sorosis alums.

Linda Christian, Cathie Evans, Jan Foltz, Virginia Glover, Jo Hughes, Karen Justus, Jeanne Lynn Gray, Lynn Haupt, Mary Hawks, Carol Kerbs, Floy Mayer, Marilyn Murphy, Mary Salyer, Presnal, Linda Slaughter, Rose Jean Thomas, Barbara Williams, Gerri Young and Diane Forsythe Thompson, Eva Vachel, and Joyce will be the new actives at the Tri Walters.

Weeks Activities Planned "Inspiration Week," which began yesterday, marks the beginning of initiation for the pledges of Delta

Gamma. Last night a party was given for the actives and pledges by the pledge trainer and pledge advisor. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, luncheons will be served at the sorority house for all mem-

Wednesday night a program will be presented by the alums for both actives and pledges. Friday night a Fun Night has been planned by the actives for the pledges. Inspiration night will be held Saturday. The week will be climaxed by the formal initiation Sunday afternoon from 12 noon to 5 p.m. at the sorority house. A banquet at the Lassen Hotel will follow initiation.

Donning active pins will be Barbara Bennett, Peggy Edminster. Becky Fehring, Judy Goss, Joan Greer, Jackie Gutschenritter, Connie Koehn, Margaret Martin, Mary Phipps, Linda Plott, Linda Radford, Shirley Reed, Marcene Sears, Jean Wittman Carol Woodard, and Judy Hare.

#### Gamma Phi Initiates 22

Gamma Phi Beta initiated new members at the sorority house Feb. 22. A banquet following the initiation honored the new actives. Twenty-two recent Gamma Phi initiates are Margaret Caldwell, Carol Chapel, Joyce Cole, Sharon Fries, Judy Frick, Sharron Groenveld, Marilyn Gunther, Carrolee Hamker, Joan Henderson, Ravae Kolde, Carol Messenger, Nancy Nesbitt, Henrietta Nye, Marjorie Strothman, Leah Thomas, Nancy



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With respect to Hippodrome, "This is our leader," the first Greek Sing, elections, initiations, creature said. "Why the needle?" ings a week, a Greek member was furry with the syringe on top." overheard saying, "Even though t's spring. I'm still 'snowed under'

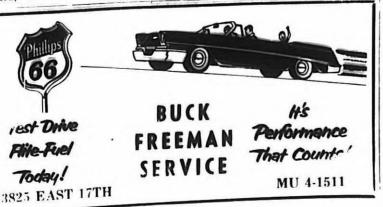
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Sigma.

i 'scoot' for Student Union fee.'

A new pledge at the Alpha Phi ouse is Joan Sipes Coeds who e interested in pledging a soror-haven't heard a rumor by noon, ty have until March 10 to register start one. in Dean Josephine Fugate's office. 'm. 113, Jardine Hall. Registering in no way obligates a coed to join any organization.

Here's one from the Colorado inversity Daily: A space ship from Earth FINALLY landed on Mars, and the Earthmen were



six-week exams, and seven meet- asked an Earthman. "I'm the

greeted by a furry little creature.

face to face with a creature with

a hypodermic needle in his head.

Heard about the married students who wanted to host a dance but couldn't find chaperons?

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# Dr. Rydjord Takes Leave of Absence; Psych Prof Will Complete Book on Kansas Leaves For March 3, 1959 Will Complete Book on Kansas

By RICHARD MILLER

Sunflower Staff Reporter

"Kansas' history is recorded in its nam s." To verify this statement, Dr. John Rydjord, professor of history and dean emeritus of the Graduate School, is conducting an intense research study into the origin of Kansas placenames.

He hopes to have this material named. published in book form prior to the Kansas centennial celebration pean influence, Indians, and poliin 1961

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in the subject of Kansas names of Kansas placenames. after teaching a seminar in Kansas history during the late 1920's and early 1930's, at the University. He has been collecting information concerning this topic since that time.

**Civil War Factor** 

Although names of persons appear to be most popular in the naming of many counties, cities, and towns, the Civil War was the most determining factor in the choice of these titles. Many towns had names of Southern origin and influence through the 1860's, but following the war, the victors of the North changed them to honor prominent Union soldiers and statesmen.

Sedgwick County is named for one of these men. General John Sedgwick, who died at the close One enlisted man, a private, is with varied meanings and spell- his survey. commemorated in Kansas history. Rooks County is named after him.

Lincoln's Name Popular

President Lincoln's name ap pears most frequently in the state One town, a county, and several townships, bear his name.

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tical and social incidents deter-Dr. Rydjord became interested mine the bulk of the remainder Kansas

of the Civil War. More than 40 uself is an Indian term, and has ter to the Society's headquarters

gs. Altogether, Kansas' Indian In order of importance—Euro- names represent 11 different tribes.

Some Sources Strange

Dr. Rydjord has discovered that some Kansas towns have derived their names from very strange sources. Dexter is named after a Kentucky race horse. The winner of an ancient poker game, a Mr. Cocker, also won the right to name a town for himself. And, a transient bum is credited with the naming of Garden City.

Many others are named after the eastern towns from which settlers migrated, and European countries they once inhabited.

Maps, newspapers, county records, and travel accounts written by early settlers have provided valuable information in this study. However, Dr. Rydjard says his most important source of material is Kansas Historical Society. He is planning to return next semes-

other officers are represented in over 100 variations in its spelling. in Topeka. The short leave of aba like manner throughout the state. Wichita, too, is an Indian term sence will allow him to complete

# Poland Trip

Dr. Henry Pronko, chairman of he psychology department. left Wichita last week on the first leg of a trip to Poland. Dr. Pronko, accompanied by his wife, will serve as visiting pro-cessor for the next six months inder the terms of a grant from the psychology department, left Wichita last week on the first leg of a trip to Poland.

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Dr. Pronko will conduct a tenweek lecture series on "Current Developments in American Psy- Patricia Stevens Finishing Developments in American Psy- ratricia stevens r infishing chology" in Cracow. The Ford grant also provides for lectures taff and has outstanding to be delivered in other Polish universities including those at Lublin, Poznan, and Warsaw. Lublin, Poznan, and Warsaw.

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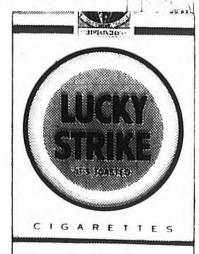
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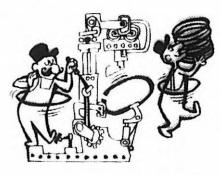






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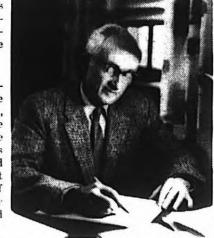
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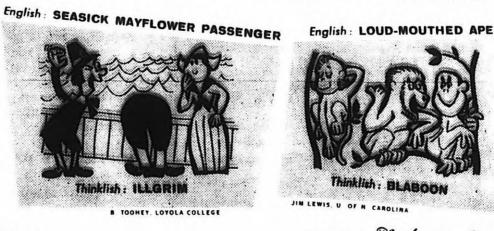
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