Run-Off For Frosh
President Will Be Held
Monday, March 10

by Brady Tyves

Attention Seniors

Charley Mecklenberg, class Presi-
dent, is to preside at the last regu-
lar meeting before the annual elec-
tion. (1) Better class meeting, Thurs-
day, March 13 in the Aud, at 7 p.m.

In addition to the three classes,
the Sophomore Class will meet to dis-

tribute the following:

Sophomore Class Officers Named

by Nancy White

The Sophomore Class Council ap-
pointed Ray Wadsworth President and Bill
Stuck, Vice-President. Miss Josephine
Arkell and Virginia Shiels were named
as Secretary and Treasurer, respec-
tively. Ray Wadsworth was ap-
pointed to serve as President of the
Student Council. The Sophomore Class
Council meeting was held Monday, March
10, at the home of Dr. Frank E. Lan-
guage professors might utilize
the library to study particular fields in
medieval literature. A study of the
language of a particular period of Amer-
ican history, for example, will be made
of the writings of the time. This will
include the use of various language
sources and materials, such as old
newspapers and magazines, and will be
instructed by Dr. Robert E. Houston.
Editorials

Democracy

There was an attempt made during the recent Freshman election to break a tradition which prevails here at Rice. The Student Council, however, took steps to maintain the standing tradition.

When the petitions for class officers of the Freshman Class were presented to the Election Committee for approval it was noted that a key had submitted his petition for Vice-President of the class. The Student Council after noting this fact discussed the tradition of having only girls as Vice-Presidents of the classes. The Council then voted to send a representative to the individual and ask him to withdraw his petition in the interest of preserving the tradition. The individual complied with the request.

Is the Student Council right in taking action such as this? Do they have the right to enjoin the privileges of the candidate to run for an office if the individual is eligible and has complied with the rules as set forth in the Constitution of the Student Association?

In this tradition as strong as some believe it is, and furthermore, in this tradition known by everyone on the campus? Is this tradition which is related to the office of Vice-President of the Classes applicable to any other office?

If it is granted that the number of boys on the campus is such that they could control every election held at Rice, do we see any contradiction? If we see any contradiction of such? Let us examine the Council and see if the ratio of boys to girls is anywhere near the ratio of the boys and girls on the campus. In the election of student Council members this past fall there were eleven girls elected to the Council and nine boys. Since then there were two girls forced to resign and two boys appointed to take their place so that there are now nine girls and eleven boys. There is no indication in the Council, a supposedly true representation of the student body, that boys are or will continue to dominate.

If the Student Council chooses to interfere and say who may run for which office, where will it stop? If a girl chooses to run for President of a class which may be, it is traditionally reserved for a boy, will she be asked to withdraw her petition? If some offices are to be reserved for boys there should be some office reserved for girls? If there is a desire to create a ratio of the number of offices held by boys to the number of offices held by girls in relation to the ratio of the boys and girls on the campus, should there not also be a similar ratio in the Student Council, the representative body of the students?

Does the Student Council have the authority, or is it justified in arbitrarily determining who may or may not run for office at The Rice Institute?

Negro University

This week the Texas State Legislature passed a bill providing for the establishment of a first-class Negro University in Houston.

One of the arguments presented in favor of the pending law was the effect that it would have in providing facilities for the state's colored population. It would bring forth an order from the Federal Courts that all state institutions be opened to all races. The proposed appropriations the impression might be gained that the state intends merely to pay token homage to its moral obligation.

With the passing of this bill Negroes everywhere are justified in arbitrarily determining who may or may not run for office at The Rice Institute?

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Is it better—or take it with you

Private Dining Room

Reserved for Miss Adkins—10 to 11 p.m.
Captain Ike Eikenberg led his Owls to a 75-74 win over TCU Friday night, in the second to last game of the regular season. The Owls were victorious in spite of a determined effort by the Bobcats. The Owls outscored TCU by a total of 28 points, with Harmon's fine kickoff return a part of this total. The Owls' defense was solid all night, outscoring their opponents by 14 points. The Owls had a difficult time finding the basket over the first 10 minutes, but they made up for it in the second half. The Owls' forward, Burke, Stonestreet, Hilton, and Jackson, were well supported by Rosie Biamonte in the second half. The Owls' lead was never in doubt, and they went on to win by a comfortable margin.

After the Owls' victory, Captain Ike Eikenberg led his team in an effort to retrieve their season-best standing and set up a possible future meeting with TCU. The Owls are currently ranked 14th in the nation, but they have a chance to improve their position with a strong showing in the remaining games of the season. The Owls' next game is scheduled for next Thursday, and they will be looking to continue their winning streak. The Owls' defense has been a key to their success, and they will need to continue to be strong in their remaining games. The Owls' forward, Burke, Stonestreet, Hilton, and Jackson, will need to continue to be well supported by Rosie Biamonte in the second half. The Owls' lead was never in doubt, and they went on to win by a comfortable margin.

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"Dada" & "Temptation of Saint Anthony" are two recent expositions of Salvador Dali, Ivan Le Lorraine Alasia and Max Ernst, presented by the University of Texas. This publicity is in the form of ten canvasses representing nothing. Finally one factor has managed to do the painting by Fra Angelico entered. The exhibition will consist of the ‘Hand done color photo.’ The Rodin Museum is requested to bring his own sheets. Upon first sight the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings. When first the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings. When first the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings. When first the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings. When first the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings. When first the canvas appears to be as spontaneous as the present ones. None of its usual composed and meticulously finished paintings.