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Enrollment Stationary; Blanket Tax Up 50c

Comes fall, comes the opening of school, comes the annual report of Rice's enrollment which is unvaryingly between 1500-1600 according to the office of the Registrar. Approximately 650 of these will be dorm boys with 40 in the women's dorms and 20 in the boarding houses.

There will be approximately 121 new women students with 3 new women transfers. In total there will be approximately 400 freshmen.

M. D. ANDERSON PROF

Thresher, 10c to Women's Council, introduced this year by Thorp

asked for 50c more by Dean McBride, 10c to the Engineering Show, $4.20 for bachelor degrees, in science last year. The average was $357, the top $412, off last year. The average wage for engineers offered last year. The average wage for engineers is $4,200 in back of the parking lot.

The Student Council committee appointed to investigate the parking problem reported that they believed 'that problem would be solved when the Physics lot is reopened. It will be 15 miles out this Fall."

Women's Absence Report Procedure Clarified by Kotch

"All freshmen and sophomore women students must turn in excuses when absent from class for any reason. The Office of Adviser to Women. An illness reported by the student will be investigated by the Registrar. The Office of Adviser to Women, when they will fill out forms for their instructors. Those absent from class for reasons other than illness should speak to Mrs. Oetjen within twenty four hours of their return in school. All illnesses should be reported within 24 hours of their report to school also."

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DRAFT FORMS NOW AT REGISTRAR'S; PROCESS OUTLINED

"All men who had form 109 submitted to their draft board last year should come to the Registrar's office by the middle of next month. There, Mr. J. B. McClanahan, draft board, will fill out a form to be sent to their draft boards certifying that they have been examined and taking a full schedule of this year."

"Not only that," she went over the procedure for the future, "there are more jobs for women than ever before. In general, the proposal for the future, "there are more jobs for women than ever before. In general, the proposal for the future, "there are more jobs for women than ever before. In general, the proposal for the future, "there are more jobs for women than ever before. In general, the proposal for the future, "there are more jobs for women than ever before."
This Year.....
A the beginning of each year it is customary to set forth the policy of The Thresher for the year to come. It has been our custom every year. No one, of course, can set rules which will cover all the happenings of one school year.

Basically our policy is to print whatever is true, painful or offensive to the students of the Rice Institute. Miss Watkins is the rowdy Stanley. Miss Stevens is the unhappy Stanley. Miss Stanley does reveal a true and start-ling-the unhappy circumstances of the presentation, the Babetts, in the impression of the period. The greatest difficulty in defending the production lies perhaps in the direction. In the-Playhouse Theatre is to become a tele-vision theatre. The current produc-tion, which will cover all the happenings of one school year. The last attempt was made four years ago. The Thresher has been recovering ever since.

We will welcome anyone who wishes to write or contribute ideas. If you have any gripes please let us know. We hope that The Thresher can serve the student body as a whole and our aim is to bring you a bigger and better Thresher.—AMTC.

Rice's Loss.....

The loss of William Ward Watkins, who died in Houston's Methodist Hospital on Tuesday, June 24, was mourned widely, and particularly by the Rice student body.

Rice students are grateful to Mr. Watkins not only for raising the architecture department of the Institute to a posi-tion of prominence, but for the very beauty of the Institute's buildings and grounds.

Mr. Watkins came to Houston in 1910, as representative of the architectural firm of cram, Goodhue, and Ferguson, of Boston, architects for the Rice Institute. He supervised the construction of the Administration Building, and remained to head the Architecture Department of the new school until his death.

Born in Boston, Massachusetts, he grew up in Danville, Pennsylvania, where he was graduated high school. He received his B.S. in Architecture from the University of Penn-sylvania in 1908.

In the early days of Rice, he was faculty adviser for the freshman class, and in 1929, he was president of the Southwest Conference.

He was a member of the Texas Philosophical Society, the Houston Philosophical Society, the Torch Club, and Trinity Episcopal Church, as well as a past president of the Rice Faculty Club.

In addition to designing several Rice Buildings, Mr. Wat-kin was architect for Trinity Church, Palmer Memorial Chapel, the Central Church of Christ, and St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Houston, who was consulting architect for the Houston Public Schools from 1923-25, assisted in designing: the YMCA buildings in Beaumont, Galveston and Houston, Texas Tech College in Lubbock, and the New Methodist Hospital in Houston.

Mr. Watkins was the author of two important articles on Architect-ure: "The Church of Tomorrow," and "Planning and Build-ing The Modern Church."

He was inerred in Forest Park Mausoleum on Thursday, June 26, after funeral services in Trinity Episcopal Church.

To Mr. Watkins' many friends, his faculty associates, and to his family, Rice students offer their sincere sympathy.—EBMG.

THE ELIZABETHAN WOMAN

Highly Recommended by Reviewers

By EMMETT B. McGEVER

Carroll Camden, Professor of English at the Rice Institute, has proven his stature and added to his list of credits the Elizabeth WOman, published this month by Elsevier Press of Houston.

By using an appropriate mannerism as a focus, Dr. Camden helps the reader to see a large part of the soul of one of Western Civilization's most human ages. In examining the Elizabeth WOman, he examines her wide environ-ment, and thus covers most facets of the period.

The chapter topics of the book are assembled under 11 headings: "Nature of Woman," "Clothing and Appearance," "Education," "Marriage," and "Politics," etc., and only the number of pages per chapter gives an ex-ternal clue to the wealth of detail and multiplicity of subjects covered.

The narration and comment (which, by the way, is utterly scientific and impersonal) are interspersed and illustrated by quotations from Elizabethan sources, the occasional shot of quota-l material (much of it in the original Elizabethan spelling) presents a richer framing page to the ad-le reader, any ten of the quotes would win a reputation for conversation for any party-goer. For instance, Good my lord, forlorn. The red-ness upon her lip is wet; You'll mar it if you kiss it, stain your own with oily painting. Again, "Swords houses are none other, but even very Fleming scholars, wherein the two sexes seem to have met together for nothing, but to play their pranks, and to try masteries."

The age of Elizabeth was given (Continued on Page 8)

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**New Adviser To Women Anticipates Good Year**

By Betoan Sharden

Rice's new Adviser to Women leaned forward and smiled, "My duties simply pertain to anything concerning women on campus."

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Roll out the green carpet and inflate the old pigskin, for the '52 gridiron season is just around the next corner; ever since Labor Day, college football has been steadily shouldering its way off the sidelines and into the community. And this Saturday will bring blaring bands, and popping of high-tops, and the solution of the solution he has hit upon for predicting the outcome of the southern showdown. Inspiration for the idea came when a friend asked for his views on the situation recently. Amid contemptuous laughter at the reply, he shouted, "I could do better if I picked the names out of a hat."

Rice: The Owls' backfield is not to be underestimated. The Owl line, in the persons of Lavon Cox, Lamoine Holland, R. E. Atchley Proctor and center Jim Jax, have swung the Isbell-less Bruins; Wake Forest get the nod: TCU, 27-13; T. C. U., 26; Kansas, 25.

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