The Caille Rice Literary Society ranked highest, followed by the Virginia Cleveland Literary Society and the Balwin Literary Society, with an average of 80.5 and 76.2, respectively. The Caille Rice Literary Society was also the highest in the top positions, with an average of 92.1. The Virginia Cleveland Literary Society was ranked second, with an average of 86.4, and the Balwin Literary Society was third, with an average of 76.2.

Orders for senior invitations will be taken today, Friday, April 30, from 9:00 AM to 12 noon in the G-206, and from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in the A-109. Those unable to attend may phone Loyd Swenson at 664-8328.

The annual Engineering Society banquet will be held at 5:30 PM on Thursday, April 15, in the Ming Room of the Rice Union. The price of the banquet is $2.00. Other engineers may pay the regular $3.50 price of the meal and drink if they wish to go. Those unable to attend may phone Loyd Swenson or send a check for $2.00 and request the ticket for their classmate. Proceeds from the banquet will be used for the Endowment Fund, the Rice Scholar Award, and the Rice University Scholarship Fund.

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Oregon State Student Lists Fifteen Easy Ways To Fail Any Course

(AUC)—Following are 15 easy ways in which to fail a course, as written by Jack Seward for the Oregon State Daily Barometer:

1. Enter the course as late as possible. By changing your mind about the curriculum after school starts, you should be able to avoid classes until the second or third week.

2. Do not bother with a textbook. Put your social life ahead of everything else. If necessary, cultivate a few friendships in the class. Interesting conversation should be able to drown out the noise of the lecture.

3. Observe how needy most professors look and treat them accordingly.

4. Make yourself comfortable when you study. If possible, draw up an easy chair by a window.

5. Have a few friends handy during the study period so you can chat when the work becomes dull.

6. If you must study, try to lump it all together and get it over with. The most suitable time would be the last week of school.

7. Keep your study table interesting. Place photographs, magazines, goldfish bowls, games, or other recreational devices all around you while studying.

8. Use mnemonic devices on everything you learn. Since they are easy to forget, this approach prevents your mind from getting cluttered up with stale facts.

9. Never interrupt your reading by checking on what you have learned. Dictation is not very pleasant anyhow, since it shows up your deficiencies.

10. Avoid bothering with notebooks. If you plan to use one anyhow, so that you can draw pictures of airplanes during the lecture, try to follow the simplest arrangement; keep all the notes for a given day on the same sheet of paper.

11. Review only the night before examination, and confine this to the important examinations. You can spend the first half of the evening discussing your determination to "hone" and the latter half drinking coffee.

12. Remind yourself frequently how dull the course is. Never lose sight of the fact that you really wanted to sign up for something else.

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14. Find out exactly when your final examination will be over so that you can plan to forget everything about the course at that moment.

15. Stay up all night before important final examinations. You can spend the first half of the evening discussing your determination to "hone" and the latter half drinking coffee.

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Gallup Claims Colleges Need To Revise Philosophy of Education

Gallup claims that colleges need to revise their philosophy of education. He observes that if an intellectual renaissance is to get under way in this country, the natural place for it to be born is in our colleges and universities. But, that is not possible unless we take a more grown-up point of view toward college education, and stop running our institutions of higher learning as if they were grammar schools.
The Thresher

Friday, April 20, 1984

PURITY AND TRUTH

What Every Young Woman Ought To Know - 1898 Style

By Jonce Johnson

It's spring again, and if the current epidemic of engagements is any indication, the thoughts of Rice students are becoming more serious than usual. In the interests of "Purity and Truth," now is the time to set forth a set of rules that should govern the conduct of proper young ladies everywhere. The following rationales are taken from a book, "What A Young Woman Ought To Know," by Mrs. Mary Wood-Allen, which was printed in 1898.

Concerning love: "You, as a young woman, can have much influence in the right direction... Don't indulge in tête-à-têtes, or in little things that make the heart go "boop... Do not permit personal familiarities, hand pressures, or caresses. Don't simper, and put on the airs which mean, though the girl may not understand it, an effort to arouse the admiration and the physical feeling of love."

"When a young man calls, don't let him get the idea that you have to be secluded in a room apart from the rest of the family. Then be young, and love him... Let him see you in your home life, at your domestic duties, sewing, helping mother, reading to father, raking for the little ones. Be an honest, fresh-faced and attractive woman, and put sentimentality out of mind."

"Little by little the courtesies have grown more intimate. You should begin to acknowledge to yourself that you love... And he, too, begins to realize that you love. And he, too, begins to have a feeling that you are in love with him.

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Lost And Found Is Fully Stocked

If you have lost any recently, from a toothbrush to a pair of overalls, chances are that it will turn up in the Lost and Found department. There are two locations on campus, and the department is open from 2:00 to 4:30, Monday through Friday, and until 11:45 on Saturday.

Rice Ex Tells of Adventures Of Engineer In Yankee Land

By Joe W. Watt

Mr. Hugh B. McKean, BS in EE with distinction, 1982, spoke on "Adventures of a Rice Engineer in Yankee Land or Chances For Engineers" recently in the Lecture Lounge. His talk was the first in this year's Rice Institute Engineering Lecture Series and was a scholarly overview of the various aspects of the business of engineering.

Mr. McKean stated that a good engineer must get something done, always consider the money angle, be a team worker, and be prepared for changes.

When asked what the most important part of his education had been, Mr. McKean replied, "English: I use my communication more than my slide rule." In order to supervise or direct people it is necessary to explain clearly. Expert accounts must be written so that the auditor will believe them; reports so the basis will believe them.

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The cigarette that really tops the cigarette market is the Lucky Strike. Enjoy the taste - because it's better.
Instructor Rating Sheets Offer Chances For Constructive Criticism

This year and next year, Rice students should be receiving the Student Council Instructor Rating Sheets from their professors. The rating sheets are coming a little late this year, but we hope that they accomplish their intended purpose.

As stated in the notice that the Student Council distributed to the students with the rating sheets, student evaluation of teaching methods can be of value to the professor. The rating sheets are given out with the express purpose of letting the professors know where the students' reactions are toward his class.

Some faculty members do not see eye to eye with the council on these counts, but that is their privilege, as this system was begun on a voluntary basis and has remained that way since its inception.

One professor returned his blank rating sheet this year with a note attached stating that he has never agreed with the principle of the rating sheets and would not hand them out to his students unless he was ordered to do so by his employers.

The Council changed the form of the sheets this year and the new form should encourage students to answer the questions more completely. The only complaint we have heard to date on these new forms is that it is necessary to write comments rather than just to check them as on the old forms. It seems that many of the students fear that their prebs will be hindering students from doing a little checking.

Of course, these rating sheets offer a wonderful opportunity for some witty and facetious replies. This, however, accomplishes nothing and the spirit of the rating sheet is lost. So, when rating your math prof. and you see the question: "How do you think he could improve the course?" put down a constructive reply rather than: "Teach it in English."

Complacency Cannot Replace Work

At the April 14 meeting of the Student Council, reports were given on T.L.S.A. by those members of the council that attended. The theme that ran through the majority of the reports was praise for Rice. Much time was spent in evening giving the Institute over enthusiastic pages up on the back. In fact, from listening to the comments made, one could easily believe that Rice is perfect.

Comments such as: "Rice had no problem like that;" "Rice's plan was superior to those of other schools;" and "whenever Rice did speak, everyone became quiet and turned to listen" were repeated frequently, to the disgust of some of the students.

Debate Club A Credit To Rice.

Last week when we were handing out some compliments instead of the usual steady flow of character assassination, we were a little surprised to hear a group that richly deserves some kind of tribute.

The Forensic Society is the organization we

Student Poll.

The Outlook Publishers, publishers of the Going-to-College Handbook are conducting a National Campus Opinion Poll. The results of this poll are to appear in this year's handbook which will be published August 10. The THRESHER is asking the Outlook Publishers by printing a ballot below which students may submit their opinions to the poll which will be located in the tables of the THRESHER or at either entrance to the Lounge.

The results will be published in next week's THRESHER.

VIEWS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS

(ACP)—A nine-year-old Seattle schoolboy has returned a piece of property to the University of Wash-

views from other schools}


ture a few years back...

(ACP)—Among students at Smith College, sophomores are the most popular cut classes. A recent poll showed 25 percent of the sophomores cut at least once a week, and-

(ACP)—Students engineers work with actual market systems in economic systems in the market with the complete say about what the market will do.

Source of the money is a Wince-

(ACP)—One of the better SF writing contains short stories, no longer than six pages, that end on a cliff-hanger.

On the same basis as other students ?

Yes

No

(ACP)—In the future seems to hold much promise for the Rice Forensic Society.

The predictions concerning the nature of the new and opening up a whole new field of conflict, allowing students to express their own problems unbound by the codes and the restraints of the past. This is one of the better SF writing con-

(ACP)—Computers are being used to simulate a million dollars, and to do so do not lose every red cent. One of the better SF writing con-

(ACP)—Science fiction is part of the American renaissance in progress. The reason for this is that the form has been created of late, in a trend towards complacency with the status quo.

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German Small-Fry To Play Ball Here

Chancellor Konrad Adenauer and the Foreign Office of the Federal Republic of Germany, are to select a team of small-fry football players, in Germany, to be flown to Houston, December 11th, to meet the Texas champions, in the sixth annual Milk Bowl.

The event will have national radio, TV, film, movie, press, and magazine coverage, plus the appearance of film celebrities. Live telecast may be added.

Mayor Robert P. Wagner of New York (Continued on Page 8)

point anyone, a special party is being arranged for me, Karig tells on, right after the Thresher banquet. Difficulties have arisen in connection with finding a place large enough... but I am confident such a place exists. (I will handle ticket-sales myself). Watch for announcements time and place, of the Blindskyr Party. (No Spiders will be admitted.)

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By J. FRED DUCKETT

Now that the major league baseball season is in full swing, the wisdom of various and sundry pre-season predictors is beginning to take over. Brooklyn is the first three games and the Braves near first as are the Yankees, and the, prognosticated con-
**Owl Nine Defeats Lamar Tech; Drop Two Games To Horned Frogs**

By PARKER DAVIS

During the last week the Owl baseball nine played five games, and came out on top in two out of those affairs. In a two game series with TCU, Rice was unable to get more than one hit in fourteen innings of play as they lost 0-0 and 1-0.

The second game was an abbreviated five inning affair in which the TCU pitcher was credited with the win. The Owls' scoreless inning streak was halted in thirty-one.

The Owls journeyed to San Antonio for a two game stand and split with Brooks Medical 5-4 and 7-15. It was during this series that Owls' scoreless inning streak was halted in thirty-one.

**Case of the dry "oil" well**

Not at all unusual, you say? But this well was purposely drilled that way! In fact, precautions were taken to see that the well wouldn't contact oil-bearing sands. It was to be a vital part of an elaborate waste-disposal system built into one of Du Pont's many plants to guard against river pollution. For example, scientists were asked to make a complete marine life census on one river before a plant was built nearby. The company wanted to be certain that no waste would be discharged which would challenge the natural pattern of marine life.

Throughout the Du Pont Company, wherever there is a need for the services of technical men, there are vexed and interesting problems that present a challenge to engineering skill and imagination.

**Other Schools**

(Continued from Page 4)

It contained a pair of gray flannel slacks... men's.

This case has gone into the files of unsolved mysteries. The slacks remain unclaimed.

Characters: A freshman coed and a professor.

Coed: "But I just can't take a chance on Rice's season record to date is 4 wins, 10 losses.

In Beaumont 7-2. Richard Floyd scattered five hits, walked ten, and contributed two base hits of his own in a game in which Coach Dell Morgan did not change the lineup in an effort to find that elusive winning combination.

Carl Reynolds has been moved back to first base and La Van One and Al Johnson have been rotated, clockwise as seen from above, to catcher and shortstop, respectively.

Bob Stagemeyer also got a chance to don the catcher's paraphernalia, and Leroy Fenske played a return engagement in centerfield.

The Owls play conference games with Baylor in Waco today and tomorrow; Rice's season record to date is 4 wins, 10 losses.

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Swimming, Track Meets To Climax
This Year's Intramural Program

By DICK PRETS

Swimming and track step into the spotlight, as the spring intramural program swings into its final stages before the dead week calm.

The spring swimming meet, successor to the fall meet, will take place Wednesday, April 28. In order to afford everyone a chance to participate the meet will be held in the evening so as not to interfere with afternoon labs.

In the man's division eight events will be unreeled and each participant may enter any three. The events include the 50 yard freestyle, the 50 yard backstroke, the 100 yard freestyle, the 50 yard breaststroke, the 400 yard freestyle, the 75 yard medley relay, the 100 yard breaststroke, and the 200 yard freestyle relay.

In the woman's division the events will be the 25 yard freestyle, the 50 yard freestyle, the 50 yard breaststroke, the 50 yard backstroke, the 75 yard medley relay and the 100 yard freestyle relay.

Nine events will be unreeled in the 1954 track meet. Included will be the 50 yard dash, the 75 yard dash, the 100 yard dash, the 440 yard dash, the 440 yard relay, the softball throw, the running broad jump, the standing broad jump, and the high jump. This meet is scheduled for Saturday, May 8, and anyone interested in becoming a participant should contact the physical education office.

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The Rice handballers concluded their intercollegiate slate on April 9 when they captured six of seven matches with the Texas Aggies. The Owls won four of the five singles matches and both of the doubles matches in humbling the Aggies.

In intramural handball! Tom Frost and Bob Eggleston won the doubles tournament with seven consecutive victories. Although the champions have already been decided, there are still matches to be played on the schedule and those players are urged to complete their action as soon as possible.