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Wildcats To Meet Pitt Panthers In Sugar Bowl

Reunion of "2" And "7" Is Reviewed; Plans For "3" And "8" Are Underway

Reunion '37

The one unflinching indicator of success of any alumni program is the degree of interest taken in such a program. With this as a unit of measurement no one could but say that the class reunions for classes ending in "2" and "7" were a tremendous success.

More than 600 alumni made their way back to the University June 3 and registered at the Alumni office for the occasion. Noon saw the reunion classes together at their respective class luncheons with attendance the best in many years. Permanent class secretaries and representatives were elected at some of the luncheons. The afternoon program included the annual baccalaureate exercises at Memorial Hall followed by the tea given at Maxwell place by President McVey and Mrs. McVey. Approximately 300 alumni and friends of (Continued on Page Four)

Reunion '38

With a tentative program which will in all probability include special celebrations, inasmuch as the new Student Union building will then be in use, the classes ending in "3" and "8" can look forward to a great reunion in 1938 when they return for commencement festivities and reunions.

Greater plans are being made for the alumni who are to return for the reunions next year. Special attention is to be devoted during the year to class organizations and class secretaries. Plans for reunions include the appointment of class secretaries to classes where there is no record of permanent secretaries. If by chance you fail to hear from your class secretary within the very near future, then don't fail to write to your alumni office and ask about plans being made for your class reunion. (Continued on Page Four)

With homecoming and football for the present scholastic year behind them, University alumni and fans are focusing their attention on the current basketball schedule of the Kentucky Wildcats.

The Kentucky netters have been scheduled to meet the University of Pittsburgh quintette in the Sugar Bowl festival of sports December 29 in the Tulane university field house, New Orleans. Kentucky won the Southeastern conference championship at Knoxville last spring and Pittsburgh won the Eastern Intercollegiate League crown. Pittsburgh and Kentucky have met before, during the Christmas holidays in 1935. Pittsburgh was defeated.

Coach Rupp's chief worry about the Sugar Bowl game arises from the fact that some of his varsity dependables such as Red Hagan, Cab Curtis, Walter Hodge and Duke Ellington, were not available until after the final Wildcat football (Continued on Page Four)

Homecoming--1937

Homecoming day, 1937 edition, is now implanted into the pages of history. But even though the Kentucky Wildcats were subjected to a 13 to 0 drubbing by their traditional turkey day rivals, the Tennessee Vols, no one could but say that the entire homecoming activities were successfully enjoyed and heartwarming to every Kentucky alumnus.

Homecoming activities started with the traditional freshman pajama parade, giant pep rally, bonfire, and burning of freshman caps, Wednesday night.

Registration booths were placed in the two main hotels downtown Thursday morning and a free K button and copy of the homecoming edition of The Kernel was given to each alumnus who registered. Renewing "back when" times and greeting old friends was the extensive activity of Thursday morning leading up to the many get-together luncheons of various fraternity, sorority and other organizations at noon. (Continued on Page Three)

Alumni Association Will Soon Occupy Offices In New Student Union Building

Reunion classes ending in "3" and "8" returning to the campus in June of 1938 will experience a reunion as no other classes in the entire history of the University. For when the time of the June class reunions rolls around the center of alumni activity will be in the new Student Union building where your alumni office will be located in its new quarters, a suite of three rooms on the second floor.

The alumni office suite consists of the director's room; a staff room, where mailing and other clerical work is carried on; and a library room where pictures, cuts, annuals, newspaper clippings, and other information of value to the alumni and the association will be on file. It is thought that the Student

Union building will be ready for occupancy by February 1, or shortly thereafter. A committee has already been appointed to select the furniture for the alumni suite.

The Student Union building, which will cost approximately \$230,000, is located between the Alumni gymnasium and Frazee hall. The building is 142 feet wide by 158 feet long. The ground floor is entered from a walk which is to run to Limestone street, and a sunken garden will be developed on either side of the walk.

Other entrances to the building are from the main driveway in front of Frazee hall and from two small rear entrances facing Stoll field.

The modified classic design at (Continued on Page Four)

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Increased Membership, Augmented Alumni Fund Help Promote Association's Progress

Membership in the Association to date for 1937-38 has exceeded by 43 the 1936-37 total membership of 1,461.

A year ago for the first time in University history, the entire graduating class, that of 1936, joined the Association in a body. And not to be outdone the class of 1937 followed suit and enrolled 100 per cent in the Association for the current year.

Plans have been formulated by which it is hoped that membership will be increased to 2,000 before the end of the 1937-38 fiscal period. Membership in the Association in 1935-36 totaled but 358.

With dues at the low figure of \$1.00, funds received from this source are barely sufficient to pay for mailing, to all active members, The Kentucky Kernel, containing spot campus news and an alumni column devoted exclusively to alumni news and features.

Naturally it is essential that the Association's income be supplemented from other sources. Therefore active members were given the opportunity to assist in addition to payment of dues, through contributions to the alumni fund. Through this fund the Association has been enabled to better carry on its work and extend its activities. Donors for 1937-38 will be published at a later date.

Alumni fund donors for 1936-37 are as follows:

1936-37 DONORS

- 1892
William S. Page.
- 1893
William C. Hobdy.
- 1894
Mattison B. Jones, Mrs. William C. Hobdy, Carlton C. Curtis, Edwin E. Mullen.
- 1896
Harry A. Davidson, J. I. Lyle.
- 1897
Colonel John Scott, William A. Duncan.
- 1898
William T. Carpenter.
- 1899
L. B. Allen.
- 1901
Frank T. Siebert.
- 1902
Lieut. Col. George W. Ewell, Albert F. Crider, T. T. Jones, Glen F. Mason, Chester M. Smith.
- 1903
R. W. Ellis, Dr. Elias Elvove, Thomas H. Cutler, George K. Graves.
- 1904
J. Craig Shelby, J. White Guyn, Emerson E. Ramey, Martin A. Doyle.
- 1905
A. D. Murrell.

1906
Harold E. Stevens, Philip M. Riefkin, George Peck Edmonds.

1907
Louis E. Hillenmeyer, Lieut. Col. B. E. Brewer, J. G. Allen, S. T. Baer, B. F. Scherffius.

1908
Helen L. McCandless.

1909
Stephen A. Rapier, Virgil Y. Moore, J. S. Horine, Roy Smarr, Murray Raney, H. H. Lowry, Newton S. Taylor, Susan Grey Akers, Charles White, L. F. Colbert.

1910
John Frank Grimes, Ruby Fleming Barney, Russell C. Mayhall, E. H. Lewis, Joseph B. Shelby, H. Lewis, Joseph B. Shelby, Dan S. Estill.

1938 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

"The best schedule we've had since I've been here. I'm delighted with it." Such was the comment of Head Coach Chet Wynne concerning the grid menu for the 1938 Wildcats. Including nine games with both weak and strong opponents, the card designates six home games and three on foreign fields. Newcomers to next year's schedule are Maryville, Oglethorpe, and Clemson. The first four games will be played at home.

The schedule as released includes:

Sept. 24 Maryville, Lexington.
Oct. 1 Oglethorpe, Lexington.
Oct. 8 Vanderbilt, Lexington.
Oct. 15 W & L, Lexington.
Oct. 22 Xavier, Xavier.
Oct. 29 Alabama, Lexington.
Nov. 5 Georgia Tech, Atlanta.
Nov. 12 Clemson, Lexington.
Nov. 14 Tennessee, Knoxville.

1911
Ernest L. Becker, A. B. Phister, A. B. Haswell, F. R. Naylor, Wallace C. Duncan, L. L. Adams.

1912
A. A. Bablitz, J. W. Cary, W. H. Jaegle, W. C. Harrison, Arthur J. Davis.

1913
William Henry McAdams, Guy B. Jeffries, William M. Lane, Douglas D. Felix, E. A. Humphreys.

1914
Carl E. Lauer, George E. Kelly, W. T. Woodson, L. O. Gastineau.

1915
N. E. Philpot, Major John W. McDonald, William Preston Tuttle, Wayland Rhoads, Harry F. Otto, Jessie E. Acker, W. H. Noel, J. Owen Reynolds.

1916
James F. Corn, William C. Johnstone, N. Minton Cregor, (deceased December, 1937).

1917
Ellis E. Drake, McClarty Harbison, C. W. Bennett, Jesse F. Gregory, Masie Wolverton.

1918
Mrs. Russell des Cognets, Clyde D. Harrison, John A. Brittain.

1919
Carl Station.
1920
William F. Marshall, Charles William Gordon.

1921
Henry L. Thomson, Mrs. Mary Graves Nelson, G. J. McKenney.

1922
William D. Futrell, Albert J. Muth, Oscar C. Racke.

1923
Harold F. Waits, Sam H. Ridgeway, Jr., Daniel R. Baugh, P. R. Watlington, Moses Alperin, Anna B. Sprague, L. Clifford Davidson, J. E. Humphrey.

1924
Ben Kievit, Z. L. Galloway, Virginia Newman, E. D. Armstrong, O. F. Galloway, George T. Taylor, Raymond E. Clark.

1925
Elizabeth R. Campbell, Samuel M. Cassidy, R. K. Flege, Mrs. Hammond Dugan, Tyler Munford.

1926
Coleman D. Hunter, Margaret Tandy, John R. Smith.

1927
William Fountain Raymer, Jr., Vada Wallin.

1928
Jeanette W. Pates, Alfred P. Robertson, John LeRoy Keffer.

1929
Mary McFarland, H. Stanley Herriott, A. M. Edwards, E. T. Gorbant, Mary J. Hunt, Fronia Jane Fox, Clifford M. Abraham.

1930
Elmer L. Cawby, Elizabeth Erschell.

1931
Charles Pryse Brown, Elden E. DuRand, Jr., N. Edward Hill, Thomas T. Milby, W. H. Sanders, Gertrude Griffin, W. B. Collins, John W. Dundon, Jr.

1932
P. H. Johnston, Jr., J. H. Hieber, Mallie M. Cody, Paul S. Pate, Ercel B. Little, Elmo B. Firenze, Olive M. Brown, Richard H. Money, Clarence R. Yeager, S. Scott McClain.

1933
Malcolm Foster, W. H. Holtzclaw, Mary Elizabeth Price, Harry E. Tait, Jr., J. R. McCord.

1934
Harry E. Clo, Dorothea Lyons, Hyland Bizot, Nevin L. Goebel, Bertha V. Krisch, C. Edward Westerman.

1935
Oscar P. Reuter, Thomas L. Phillips.

1936
Bess Ross.



Kneeling in front: Gordon Sumner, Jr., Mary Lockridge Cannon. First row, left to right: Charles Scherffius, Mrs. Ben Scherffius, Mrs. W. D. Nicholls, Miss Elizabeth Wallace, Mrs. Charles Mahan, Mrs. Lowry Cannon (Mary Lockridge), Mrs. Gordon Sumner, Mrs. J. M. Herndon (Viola Lewis). Second row, left to right: Ben Scherffius, C. E. Schoene, W. D. Nicholls, Major D. P. Branson, L. S. Boggess, E. L. Rees, Mrs. E. L. Rees, J. J. Yeager, Mrs. E. M. Denham, E. M. Denham (now deceased), C. A. Mahan, Gordon Sumner, Miss Sumner, Howell Spears, and Robert S. Hart.



Due to the absence of Dean W. S. Taylor, class secretary, who this year is studying in London, and of other Lexington members of the class, we were unable to identify correctly the persons in the Reunion picture above.

Homecoming--1937

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At 1:45 p. m. on Stoll field was staged the only part of the homecoming program that didn't exactly gladden the hearts of the alumni, when a fighting Wildcat team was subdued by an equally hard fighting Tennessee team. Immediately following the game the alumni and many friends of the University were guests of President McVey and

Mrs. McVey at the annual homecoming tea, which has come to be a delightful event for every homecoming alumnus to look forward to.

Homecoming activities were climaxed with the annual Alumni dance at the Alumni gymnasium Thursday night when trophies were awarded by SuKy for the best homecoming decorations.

The University of Kentucky extension department offers 160 courses for home study.

Enrollment High

With students enrolled from 117 of Kentucky's 120 counties, and from 41 of the 48 states, registration for the fall term of 1937-38 school year reached an all-time high at the University of Kentucky with 3,525 students matriculated for courses.

The total of 3,525 students surpasses the 1936 record attendance of 3,456 by 69.

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the University were present at the Phoenix hotel for the annual reunion banquet at 7 p. m. Dr. William Carpenter MacCarty, '00, of the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota was the principal speaker.

Closing event of the banquet program was the announcement of new officers for the year 1937-38, by retiring president Keen Johnson, '22. Officers announced were Marcus Redwine, '19, president and Lullie Logan, '09, vice president.

Many of the alumni remained until Friday morning to attend the commencement exercises in the Alumni gymnasium. The annual meeting of the Alumni Association was held shortly after luncheon, in the Faculty Club room adjoining the Commons.

Top honors for enthusiasm and interest shown in the reunion activities were appropriately shared by Howell "Doodles" Spears, '07, and Dean William S. Taylor, '12, respective secretaries of their classes. Both secretaries had vowed to outdo the other in an effort to have the greater class attendance at the reunion luncheons and banquet.

Colonel John Scott, '95, was the oldest alumni to attend the reunion exercises. Colonel Scott came all the way from Hawaii where he had been connected with the 27th Infantry, Schofield Barracks, for the past two years. His present address is Room 813, 39 Whitehall street, New York City.

Wildcats-Pitt

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game with Florida at Gainesville, December 4.

The Wildcat's net season officially opened December 15 when the Kentucky varsity and freshmen met Berea's varsity and freshmen for a double header in the Alumni gymnasium, Lexington, the Wildcats winning both games.

The complete Wildcat basketball schedule for 1937-38 follows:

- Dec. 18 Cincinnati, Lexington.
- Dec. 22 Centenary, Lexington.
- Jan. 8 Michigan State, E. Lansing.
- Jan. 10 Detroit, Detroit.
- Jan. 15 Notre Dame, South Bend.
- Jan. 22 Tennessee, Lexington.
- Jan. 29 Vanderbilt, Nashville.
- Jan. 31 Alabama, Birmingham.
- Feb. 12 Alabama, Lexington.
- Feb. 14 Marquette, Lexington.
- Feb. 17 Xavier, Lexington.
- Feb. 19 Georgia Tech, Atlanta.
- Feb. 21 Vanderbilt, Lexington.
- Feb. 26 Tennessee, Knoxville.

Although the University of Kentucky has no swimming pool it has produced a champion swim team for the past two years.

WANTED—ALUMNI NEWS!

A department devoted exclusively to news and features of special interest to former students of the University is the feature of The Kernel issue which is sent weekly to all active members of the Association. The Alumni office wants news about you both for this column and for the alumni records. If you change your address—take a new job—get married—write a book—receive an honorary or advanced degree—meet a classmate you haven't seen for years—do anything or hear anything of interest—let us know about it. A postcard will do, but we'd rather have a letter at least once a year letting us know where you are and how you are getting along. May we count on your help in this matter?

Student Union

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the front of the structure has ten large windows, measuring 6 by 19 feet, which will be equipped with modern Venetian blinds.

The main entrance of the building leads into a lobby which will be adjoined on the left by a soda grill and on the right by a men's lounge and a barber shop. Beyond the lobby will be a cafeteria, 54 feet by 140 feet, which will seat 600 persons. On the ground floor will be two private dining rooms, one of which may be divided into two smaller rooms. The large room will seat 100 persons and the smaller will seat 60 or two groups of 30. It is hoped that the class reunion luncheons and reunion banquet can be held in the Student Union building in June of 1938.

A great hall, two stories high, opens directly onto the main driveway, near Frazee hall. In this hall there will be a mezzanine floor and gallery, which will be suitable for exhibits.

Game and social rooms, a woman's lounge and beauty salon will open off the large hall. To the rear of the gallery will be the alumni office suite, the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. club rooms and offices, and the manager's rooms.

From the great hall a broad double staircase will lead to the mezzanine, which in turn will lead to the ball room. The ball room is 72 feet wide and 140 feet long by 20 feet high. To the left of the ball room will be a serving room for banquets, which will have a balcony for the purpose of seating an orchestra. A roof garden facing Stoll field will be at the rear of the ball room.

Reunion--'38

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Although spring commencement and reunion exercises are still several months away it is not too soon to begin plans for attending that important class reunion of yours.

Many changes are taking place on the campus which are of interest to all alumni and especially those who because of geographical conditions do not have the opportunity to keep in constant close contact with the University. Familiar landmarks are disappearing and others arising but all in the cause of progress which returning alumni will be pleased to note.

Once every five years after graduation University alumni have the opportunity to meet in reunion with members of their class. It is only on such reunion occasions that alumni have a good chance to renew their contact with that part of University association which has come to mean so much to them, namely the fellowship with former classmates at the June reunions.

Reunion for classes ending in "3" and "8" is six months off—but to make sure you will attend, start planning NOW.

The number of persons receiving degrees from the University of Kentucky through June of this year totals 10,158.

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ROBERT K. SALYERS, Editor.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of September, 1935.

JANE J. NICHOLS.
(My commission expires July 17, 1939.)