

WJ homecoming ends

Last week wasn't just another William Jewell College homecoming — it featured "Historic Headlines from the Past" and made some headlines of its own.

This year's parade was the biggest ever, and the William Jewell Cardinals made it a happy homecoming by whomping conference foe Ottawa University, 44-13 at Greene Stadium Saturday.

Student games on the quadrangle, the traditional Friday night concert, and various alumni activities were among the highlights of the week. Homecoming co-chairmen for the week were Steve Wilhoit and Kerry Austin.

In spite of the 27-degree temperatures Saturday morning, the annual homecoming parade drew hundreds. There were 37 entrants in this year's parade — the largest ever. The Shriners, Worlds of Fun characters, marching teams and drill teams participated.

Van O. Williams of Liberty, Mr. Alumnus (Class of '49), and Linda (Long) Landers, Mrs. Alumna (Class of '62) rode near the head of the parade as it wound its way through Liberty and around the square.

And the homecoming game began in an unusual way: a parachutist dropped onto the 50-yard line to produce the game ball.

Homecoming queen was senior Kathy Cummings, president of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority. First princies was sophomore Martha Ginn, a member of Zeta Tau Alpha.

Other queen candidates were Gina Bowman, Zeta Tau Alpha; Carolyn Crews, Delta Zeta, and Marla Woody, Delta Zeta.

Approximately 180 alums from the classes of 1934, '39, '44, '49, '54, '59, '64, '69, and '74 attended class reunion dinners at the Stadium Club at Royals' Baseball stadium.



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