

## QUIZ ANSWERS



1) **d) is correct.** The ties between our Diocese and the University are long and deep, and include many distinguished alumni, including notably past Florida State University and American Bar Association president Sandy d'Alemberte. Most recently Bishop Howard served as Chancellor of the school. 17th Vice-Chancellor Rueben Brigety, II is a Jacksonville native. He is the son of the first African-American graduate of the University of Florida Medical School and is a graduate of the Naval Academy and a former diplomat.

2) **b) is correct.** *The Sewanee Review* is the oldest, published continuously since 1892.

3) **a) is correct.** The campus, called the Domain, consists of 13,000 acres, with around 1,000 used for traditional academic purposes. Much of the remainder is used for the study of environmental and silviculture.

4) **a) is correct.** The University was formally founded in 1857, but the intervening Civil War destroyed that foundation. The University was re-founded in 1866 when hostilities had ended. The first students matriculated in 1868.

5) **c) and d) are correct.** Women students were not admitted until 1969 as undergraduates, and 1973 as seminarians. This was over the objections of Vice Chancellor McCrady, and one scribe who penned an open letter in the “Sewanee Purple” to the “gentlemen of Sewanee” who asserted that “girls are trouble”.

6) **a) and b) are correct.** Despite the position of the national Episcopal Church urging desegregation from the early 1950's, and after fits and starts, the first African-American undergraduate matriculated in 1970, following graduation of an African-American seminarian in 1965.

7) **c) is correct.** While both schools share occasional bad weather, great academic architecture and an anachronistic love of academic gowns beyond matriculation ceremonies, Sewanee has punched above its size in producing Rhodes Scholars. 26 such scholars have gone from Sewanee to Oxford since 1907, eclipsing Amherst and other elite liberal arts schools of small size. Interestingly, also, when Sewanee was founded, the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge gave Sewanee a combined gift of 1,000 books for her new library.

8) **c) is correct.** Following his death and a life estate for his sister Rose, the playwright's estate passed in two ways. His papers went to Harvard, while the residual revenues of his works went to Sewanee, where he had never set foot. His maternal grandfather Walter Dakin was an Episcopal priest and graduate of the seminary. The funds created a Center and a variety of scholastic activities.

9) **a) is correct.** Although many students leave with a diploma, transcripts and a spouse gained at university, there is a lovely tradition that tapping on the ceiling of one's car when passing the gates brings a guardian angel to watch over one until the return. Amen!