

**George Armstrong Wauchope, "The Burning of the University."
Savitar vol. 1 (1894-1895), pp. 92-99.**

This firsthand account of the burning of Academic Hall in 1892 appeared in the first volume of the *Savitar*. Wauchope describes the circumstances of the fire in detail and mentions that students rushed into the burning building to save books, science equipment and other valuables. Classes resumed as normal two days after the fire.

University of Missouri, *The Savitar*

The *Savitar* is the yearbook of the University of Missouri – Columbia. The first volume was published for the 1894-1895 academic year. Digital versions of past volumes are available in the UM Digital Library, <http://digital.library.umsystem.edu/>.

Don Faurot, *Football: Secrets of the "Split T" Formation*. New York: Prentice Hall, 1950.

The MU collection contains many works by the faculty and prominent members of the staff, including this book on football by Don Faurot, a well-known head coach at MU for whom the current football field is named.

Mort Walker, artwork from the *Missouri Showme*, Nov. 1946.

During his time as a student at MU, Mort Walker, the originator of the Beetle Bailey comic strip, was a regular contributor to the *Missouri Showme*, a student-produced literary and humor magazine. In the homecoming issue for 1946, Walker made fun of returning alumni, as shown in this cover illustration and drawing.

Bill Kuykendall, ed., *The University of Missouri: 150 Years*, with photographs by David Rees. Marceline, Mo.: Walsworth Pub. Co., 1989.