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COACH HAMMETT EXPECTS HARD GAME WITH STRONG GENEVA TEAM

COMPARATIVE SCORES INDICATE THAT THE ELEVENS ARE WELL MATCHED—BASKETBALL AND SOCCER PLANS

This year's varsity football team will play their last home game on the schedule on next Saturday afternoon. At that time Allegheny's old rivals, Geneva College, will be the attraction on Montgomery Field. On account of there being no game scheduled on last Saturday, the team will have had practically two weeks of preparation for this final appearance on the local field and will be well primed for the fray. That this will be one of the closest contests of the year is without a doubt. A few comparative scores may give some idea of the strength of the Beaver Falls team. Somewhat earlier in the season the Gold and White won from Carnegie Tech at Beaver Falls 28 to 0. This would seem to give them a slight advantage over the Allegheny eleven, who managed to score only 17 points in their game against Tech. However, the defeats which Geneva sustained at the hands of Westminster and Grove City show that Geneva's score against Tech was rather unusual. One thing is certain about the game on next Saturday, and that is, that it will be more than likely a closer contest than any played here in Meadville this season. In the three home games played thus far Allegheny has run up a total of 250 points, to the six made by opponents. This certainly is an unusual showing. Also the fact that not a game has been lost this season will surely afford the team an incentive to take the football honors this year from the old down-state rivals, who won from Allegheny last year at Beaver Falls in a hard fought game. If there was ever a season in which to take revenge for this old defeat, this year, undoubtedly, will be the time.

Coach Hammett witnessed the grid-iron struggle between Geneva and Grove City on last Saturday afternoon at Grove City. The superior ability of the Grove City team to play straight football largely accounted for their victory. Coach Hammett describes the Beaver Falls aggregation as a team which depends largely upon open plays, but rather weak in straight football. It was this ability to handle the forward pass which accounted for the large score in the game against Tech. The average weight of the two teams will in all probability be practically the same. The expert use which Geneva makes of the forward pass will be especially dangerous, providing the game is played on a dry field. Dodds, right half, and Quay, quarterback, are the star men for the visitors and will have to be watched. Providing that Allegheny can win this game by a comfortable score, the prospects for winning the struggle with Grove City on Thanksgiving would be especially bright. The Grove City team has improved a great deal since the game with Carnegie Tech three weeks ago. On the offense the Grove City team seems to have shown their greatest ability. Coach Hammett predicts hard games with both institutions and the

outcome of the Grove City contest is especially uncertain.

With one more week of scrimmage the team will be in the best of shape for the wind-up of the season. Coach Hammett only had the men go through signal drill yesterday, but in the succeeding practice there will be the regular scrimmages. All the men are in the best of condition except Trace, right half, who was injured some weeks ago. Trace's arm, which at that time received a sprain, is still weak, and might keep him out of the coming game. If he is unable to play, Metcalf will probably be the first choice at this position with Graham second. Thomas is still kept out of active practice with an injured leg, but the coach hopes to have him in the game on next Saturday. The line-ups of the two teams will probably be:

Allegheny	Geneva
Thomas, Emery, L. E.	Martin
Dotterer, L. T.	Perrott
Allshouse, L. G.	Downie
Brooks	
Gilbert, C.	Fee
Baker, R. G.	Milligan
J. Pierson, R. T.	J. Gowrie
H. Pierson, R. E.	McDaniels
Ricker, Q.	Quay
Arnold, L. H.	Clyde
Metcalf, R. H.	Dodds
Graham, Trace	
Munball, F. B.	Eaton

In this game three Seniors playing on the varsity will make their last appearance on Montgomery Field as representatives of the Gold and Blue in this branch of sport. They are "Chuck" Dotterer, left tackle, who has been a mainstay on the line for the whole four years of his college course; "Jack" Pierson, right tackle, who has played varsity football for three years and is one of the best players in this position; and "Puss" Thomas, left end, one of the speediest men who ever wore an Allegheny football uniform. This is the last home football game for all these men and in case that Captain Gilbert does not come back to school next year, this aggressive player and captain will be badly missed.

Basketball and Soccer.

The initial basketball practice, called by Captain Nichols, took place in the Gymnasium yesterday afternoon with a large squad of men present. The usual quota of Freshmen who have had high school experience in this branch of sport were out, and although it is too early to make predictions at this time of the year, some of the new men looked as if they might be varsity possibilities. Last year's men, with the exception of those who are actively engaged in football work, were out. On account of this being the first practice only light work was done by most of the men.

Those men of the lower classes who have chosen soccer as their required athletics will be interested to know that this game will be continued through the winter months. So popular has the game become, and so great has been the interest among the men who have been playing, that Coach Hammett has decided to allow this game to be substituted for basketball by any of the men who wish to do so. Those who choose soccer for the winter will play on Montgomery Field. The game between the Freshman and Sophomore classes which is to decide the soccer championship for this year will be played on November 28, regardless of weather conditions.

Merle W. King, '08, who is studying medicine at Johns Hopkins, at Baltimore, Mr., has been chosen Student Assistant to Doctor Lewis of the Anatomical department.

PRESIDENT STARTS ON EXTENDED TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. Crawford Will Spend Christmas in Rome.

For a whole day last week the students were in a state of wonderment over an announcement made by President Crawford, Thursday morning in Chapel. At that time he stated that, having been granted a leave of absence by the Board of Trustees, he would be away from Meadville until after the Christmas recess. The surprise over this announcement was occasioned principally because of the fact that, except for short trips of a few days at the most, the president has been in continuous attendance at the college ever since the raising of the half million endowment fund nearly two years ago. Consequently, any comparatively long absence, as this proposed, seemed exceedingly unusual. All suspense was removed the next morning when Dr. Crawford fully explained the purpose of his absence.

It was in recognition of the president's faithful service to the college in the last three years, during which he has not once been able to take advantage of an official vacation, that a vacation is granted now. By a combination of circumstances this particular period seemed to him to be a most opportune one for any leave of absence from the college.

The President and Mrs. Crawford left Meadville Friday evening and will sail from New York next Thursday noon for Naples, arriving there on the second of December. Three weeks

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT MISSION STUDY CLASS

The Ritual of the Mohammedan's Faith Explained by Dr. Cobern.

A large attendance was present at the third of the Mission Study lectures by Dr. C. M. Cobern on "Islam—The Challenge of Faith." Last Thursday evening before he started the lecture proper he told an incident that illustrated the Mohammedan fear of the "evil eye." Knowing that an Arab is always anxious to get something that will protect him from this dreaded influence, Dr. Cobern gave a coin with the words "In God We Trust" on it and told the native if he always did as that inscription said he need not be afraid of the "evil eye." A guard was thus won to his side while traveling through a country full of great danger.

Dr. Cobern first reviewed the contents of the first four chapters calling special attention to the origin and sources of Islam and to Mohammed himself. In the fifth chapter the ritual of Islam is taken up. Dr. Cobern enumerated the five dues that are required of the Mohammedan according to the ritual of his faith. The first thing is that wherever a man goes he must bear witness of his belief. The first idea that a babe learns and the last thing that a man hears before he dies is that there is but one god and Mohammed is his prophet.

The second ritualistic due is prayer. One must pray five times a day no matter where he may be or in what circumstances. The prayer is always spoken in the Arabic language whether it is understood or not. Accompanying each prayer certain rites must be performed with water. Dr. Cobern gave a realistic imitation of the call to prayer, "God is great and Mohammed is his prophet; come to prayer." This idea, the fundamental creed of the Mohammedan, is the shortest of any religion and has endured the longest without change—thirteen centuries in all.

Fasting is the third due. To give alms is the fourth. All throughout the Mohammedan country there is not a hotel. The natives insist on entertaining strangers in their homes.

The noted pilgrimages is the last and one of the most important dues. The thing that strikes the eye of a traveler in Arabia are the great caravans on their way to the sacred cities Mecca and Medina. Dr. Cobern mentioned the fact that he and Dr. Zwemer came within a few miles of these cities, the only white men to do so in years. It is estimated that 70,000 people go on these pilgrimages every year. To be one of this number is counted a great privilege and an honor and one who accomplishes a pilgrimage is conceded a special place in heaven.

Other religious practices that are carried on are the feast of the sacrifice of Ishmael and the religious wars waged continually against unbelievers.

Happiness is counted by the Moslems the highest good. They do not believe in the need of redemption but rely on personal works for their salvation. Every action in life is directed by God, no difference how ill it may be, they say. In these principles they are greatly at variance with Christianity. Two, redeeming features of their practice are their faithfulness to conviction and their social conscientiousness.

In a final analysis Mohammedanism is a failure. It has been on trial now for thirteen centuries and the fact is that tyranny and anarchy have followed ever the domination of Islam. Humility, purity of heart, forgiveness of enemies, sacrifice of self, toleration are never present where the Moslem rules.

Dr. Cobern ended with a plea for this country of the Mohammedans. He said, "The man who decides to put his life in work among them will have put it where two hundred years from now it will have counted so wondrously that he will be glad he did it."

DR. E. A. SMITH TELLS OF BIG CONVENTION

Excellent Summary of Work of Indianapolis Gathering.

Dr. E. A. Smith, who recently attended the big convention of Methodist men in Indianapolis as a delegate from New York City, gave an interesting address in Chapel at the assembly meeting of last Friday morning. The speaker gave a most comprehensive account of this large gathering of men from all the walks of life, and delegates sent by all the other denominational churches of America. In the first part of the address Dr. Smith explained how the various religious organizations were making renewed efforts to keep pace with the religious conditions of the day. "The Men and Religion Forward Movement," instituted by the Y. M. C. A. in 1910 was cited as an example of work in this direction. The three thousand men who attended this enormous gathering included the bishops of the Methodist church, the secretaries of the various boards, three hundred district superintendents, one thousand preachers and almost two thousand laymen, all of whom were vitally interested in the religious work of today.

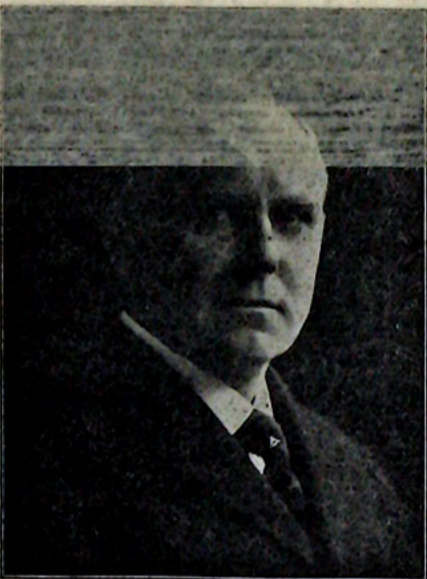
The services, which lasted four days, have been pronounced a religious epoch in the church history of America. The program was very comprehensive and included messages from all over the world on the religious conditions as found in special territories. Bishop Stunz spoke with a wonderful message from South America. Robert Speer gave his testimony of the needs to be found in the foreign field and many other men direct from their labors in the mission field made their plea before this assemblage. On the second day of the meeting Dr. H. L. Smith, '04, pastor of the Detroit Central Methodist church, was the principle speaker and outlined the individual canvass of members, which is so successful in his church. Bishop McDowell also outlined the policy of the assemblage and what they should do to alter the present existing conditions throughout the world. It was a significant fact that the meeting was not only for Methodists, but men of every denomination were present and gave addresses. J. Campbell White spoke on the work of the United Presbyterian Church, of which he is the head. Dr. Clarence T. Wilson presented the cause of the Temperance Society of the Methodist church before the con-

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Manager's Talk

When the manager of this paper called upon the business men of Meadville to support the student body in the publication of its weekly newspaper, one of the first questions that were asked was: "How many of the students take the paper?" "Why, they all do," was the reply. Of course when the manager looked forward to the school year, and was searching for some real business backing for the paper on which he could present a cool business proposition to both the advertisers and the alumni, there was nothing that seemed more to the point than to guarantee that the students would unanimously support The Campus. Do you suppose that he could have conscientiously solicited the patronage of business men and alumni had he not full confidence in the student body for their support?

The football number, containing a review of the season, the work of the individual men of the team, and a cut of the team and some of the members, will come out in a few weeks; only those who are subscribers will receive this number. Don't be a hanger-on; don't read somebody else's paper; don't leave it to the business man and the alumni to pay for what you benefit by. If you haven't subscribed, do it now. Remember that it will cost \$1.50 after Christmas.



President W. H. Crawford.

will be spent at Naples and at Rome in a number of studies that Dr. Crawford wants to make in ancient and modern Italian conditions. The stay in Italy will culminate in a Christmas dinner in Rome with Mr. John R. Crawford, '06, the president's son, and his wife, who are spending a year in the peninsula. Mr. Crawford recently received a leave of absence from his work as instructor in Columbia University. While Mrs. Crawford will probably be with her son for some time, the president will sail immediately after Christmas for New York, which he expects to reach two days after New Year's.

Since leaving Meadville Dr. Crawford has been attending a number of gatherings which will occupy his time until he sails Thursday. Saturday he met with the Allegheny College Alumni Association of Pittsburg when Mr. Paul Sturtevant, '99, presented a practically complete program for the Centennial Pageant. Yesterday he was present at the meeting of the Association of College Presidents of Pennsylvania, held at Harrisburg. Today he expects to be in New York for the annual dinner of that branch of the College Alumni Association. Tomorrow he will attend the meeting of the Carnegie Foundation in New York. Thursday noon the Hamburg-American Liner Cleveland, on which the president and his wife have taken passage for Naples, will leave New York.

The Calendar

- TO-NIGHT, 7:00 P. M.—Classical Club, in the Library.
- 7:00 P. M.—German Club, in Bentley Hall.
- WEDNESDAY, 6:45 P. M.—Union Meeting, in Chapel. Leader, Dr. Darling.
- THURSDAY, 4:30 P. M.—Senior Tea, in parlors of Hullings Hall.
- THURSDAY, 4:00 P. M.—Forum, in Philo Franklin Hall.
- 6:45 P. M.—Mission Study, in Oratory of Chapel.
- SATURDAY, 2:30 P. M.—Allegheny versus Geneva, on Montgomery Field.
- SUNDAY, 6:15 P. M.—Y. W. C. A., in Hullings Hall.

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The Kaldron now occupies a unique position as the only one of Allegheny's three im-Competition for portant publications the Kaldron. that does not have a system of competition. The editor of the year-book soon finds that he, as well, occupies a unique and an embarrassing position—that of a beggar for suitable material. Is there any good reason why the Kaldron can not be placed on the same basis as The Campus and the Literary Monthly? Competition could consist of tables of statistics, serious articles, good photographs, jokes, plans for the arrangement of the book, historical and traditional contributions, etc. The adoption of such a system would secure a worthy board, simplify the work of the editor, and give Alleghenians a more representative year-book.

There is an old adage that "the man who makes the most noise does not always deserve the most praise." But this Band. certainly does not hold true in the case of college rooting—and especially in the case of the college band. While the football team is receiving well deserved praise it does not seem out of place that some recognition should be given to the college band. With but little encouragement and with practically no financial assistance this organization has been working faithfully during the entire season. The students will make a bad mistake if they do not insist that the band be taken to the Thanksgiving game, when Allegheny is to defeat Grove City.

LITERARY CLUBS DISCUSSED.

Quill Club met in the Library last Tuesday evening for its regular monthly meeting. Miss Mary Sansom, '14, was leader and announced the subject of the evening as "Literary Clubland." Miss Gertrude Hammond, '14, read a very interesting paper on Dr. Samuel Johnson's literary club of London. Miss Lucile Lippitt, '15, read a comprehensive sketch of the Saturday Club of Boston in which Holmes, Lowell, Longfellow and the rest of the New England writers of the last century, figured so prominently. Miss Mary Sansom, '14, read an interesting account of the literary or art clubs of New York, the Century Club, the Rolier, the Authors' and the Players', illustrating her talk with views of the different club homes.

In the business session which followed Miss Arlene McKinney, '15, D. G. Dunbar, '15, and Elmer W. Hickman, '16, were elected to membership in the club and H. K. Brooks, '15, manager of the Kaldron was received as an ex-officio member.

Assistant football coach, R. C. Lamke, officiated at the football game between Slippery Rock Normal and Thiel College, at Greenville, last Saturday.

THE FORUM

Believing that the present political situation at Allegheny is fundamentally wrong in that it is not securing representative men for college positions, the undersigned organizations have entered into the following agreement. This is not a political move by that mythical "Little wheel" which we are informed exists in the imagination of several faculty members, for these organizations have entered into but one previous agreement and that for a single election. Further this is not intended to be an exclusive combine. It is not a "sore-head" nor "more righteous than thou" movement, but has been entered into with a full realization that the plan is not perfect, though far better than the present unrepresentative system. Nor is this in the nature of an insinuation that the undersigned organizations possess all of the representative men in college.

We believe that the working out of such a plan as is here presented will do away with the absurd idea that the strength and standing of the Allegheny fraternity depends upon the number of elective positions that it corners. Finally we believe that the time has come for a new political Allegheny as well as for a new athletic and financial Allegheny.

Student Alliance.

Article I. The name of this organization shall be the Student Alliance of Allegheny College.

Article II. The object: To put representative and best qualified men into college positions regardless of social affiliations.

Article III. Method: A permanent committee of best men shall be chosen from each of the members of the agreement to nominate candidates for college and class positions.

A. Representation shall be in the ratio of one representative for each seven votes controlled.

B. All meetings and actions shall be made public.

C. Open and honest discussion shall characterize all meetings of the caucus.

D. Committee meetings shall be informal and without chairman. Any grievance which any member to agreement shall feel that it has toward any other member must be presented to committee before expiration of one month.

F. Meetings of the committee shall take place at least ten days before elections if possible.

G. This committee shall not select men for athletic captaincies.

H. In case any womans' organization becomes a member to the Alliance it shall act through an independent caucus, except in cases where both men and women vote, when a joint caucus shall be held.

Article IV. Members to agreement shall consist of organizations of ten or more individuals.

Article V. All members to agreement shall pledge practically unanimous support to all candidates nominated by the caucus.

Article VI. Membership shall be through petition which shall be referred to members, a unanimous vote being required for election to the Alliance.

Article VII. In case any member shall desire to withdraw from this Alliance for any cause whatever the said organization must give notice of such intentions three months before carrying out its purpose.

Article VIII. Amendments must be by unanimous vote.

For Phi Gamma Delta—T. W. Thornburn, C. Sidney Burwell, C. L. Mulfinger, W. J. Armstrong, Jr.
For Phi Delta Theta—J. R. MacGowan, George D. Rose, John Bright, Donald G. Dunbar.

For Theta Delta Psi—C. F. Shields, C. C. Miller, C. F. Brockway, R. E. Hoffman.

For Non Fraternity Alliance—W. A. Whiting, F. C. First, R. N. Kendall, Arthur Hughes.

FORUM UNIVERSITY ORGANIZED.

A meeting of particular interest to Alleghenians was held in the Park Avenue Congregational church last Wednesday evening when the one hundred or more college graduates residing in Meadville, and representing more than thirty American colleges and universities, gathered together to organize the Forum University of Meadville. The purpose of this new and representative organization

is to bring into membership and congenial association all college men of Meadville, and to make a factor in the affairs of the city of the group of men who represent America's institutions of education. Meetings are to be held quarterly, and it is the plan to bring some distinguished speaker to the club for the annual banquet. The officers elected were:

President—Dr. W. H. Crawford.
Vice President—Edgar Huidekoper.
Treasurer—E. P. Cullum.

Governing Committee—Hon. A. L. Bates, Dr. F. C. Southworth, Dr. W. A. Elliott and Hon. John E. Reynolds.

The Allegheny alumni and faculty members present were: Dr. W. H. Crawford, Dr. F. C. Lockwood, Dr. G. A. Mulfinger, Dr. C. M. Cobern, '76, Dr. W. A. Elliott, '89, Dr. C. A. Darling, Prof. W. T. Dutton, Dr. G. E. Snavely, Prof. C. F. Ross, '91, Hon. A. L. Bates, '80, Dr. A. C. Ellis, '78, C. C. Laffer, '89, E. P. Cullum, '82, W. A. Wilson, '96, and Hon. M. O. Brown, '91.

VICTORY SONG.

It has been suggested that it would be a good plan to print the words of the "Victory Song" so that everybody will be able to learn this popular song, which is to be used on the field for the rest of the season and on the basketball floor this winter.

Here comes the team, boys, rise up and say
They're going to win for old Allegheny;
Ring out the chorus, we'll sing our songs once again
And give a cheer for each of the men—

Rah, rah, rah.
Out from the gym they dash to the field,
On to the fray, and glory 'twill yield,
While we all cry, "Win, boys or die,
For you are striving for the fame of Allegheny."

Chorus—
Then stick to it, boys, play the game every man;
Fight it to a finish to the best that you can,
While we shout victory, while we shout victory,
While we shout victory and Allegheny forever.

The blue and the gold, boys, can't lose the fight;
The colors must wear new laurels tonight;
So while they're fighting, let's show that we have no fear,
And let the hills echo with our cheer;
Rah, rah, rah.

And when we've won, boys, ring Bentley's bell,
Let its old voice the glad tidings tell,
While we proclaim the glorious name Of our beloved college, dear old Allegheny.

Chorus—
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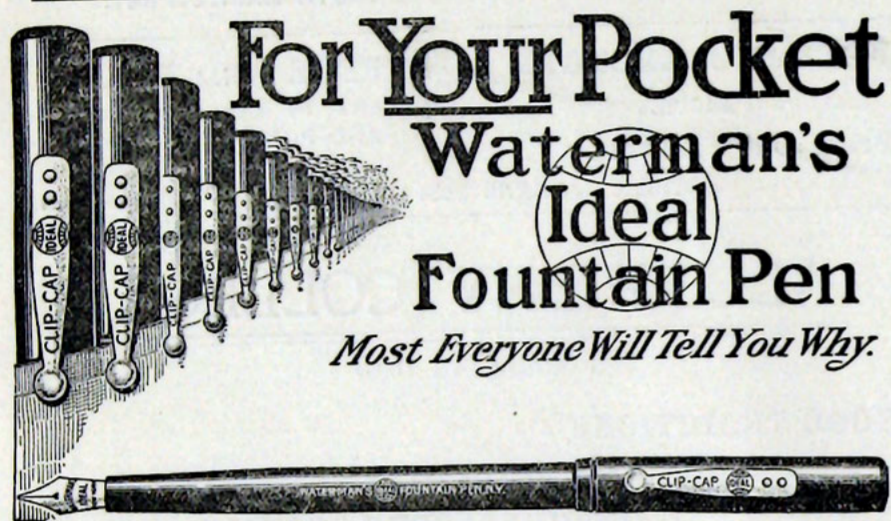
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News Items

Invitations are out for the fall party of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, which is to be held at Saegertown Inn on next Friday evening.

The Chapel service Thursday morning was conducted by Rev. E. L. Hyde, of Philadelphia, who is conducting evangelistic services at the Stone church.

Dr. E. A. Smith, head of the department of History, represented Allegheny College last Saturday at Grove City, when Dr. Ormond, formerly of Princeton University, was installed president of Grove City College.

Dr. Snavelly was recently in receipt of a letter from R. C. Stockdale, '11, who is managing one of the largest fruit farms in the state of Oregon. Mrs. Stockdale is also an Allegheny graduate and both are enjoying the fine climate of the west.

Last Friday, Dr. Crawford entertained at luncheon in the Cochran Hall club dining room the members of the Board of Governors of the University Club which was recently organized in Meadville. Matters concerning the future of the organization were discussed.

Dr. Guy E. Snavelly, of the college faculty, was in Geneva, N. Y., last week as the representative of Allegheny College at the inauguration ceremonies of the new president of Hobart College, Dr. Lyman P. Howell. While in Geneva Dr. Snavelly was the guest of Dr. Robert S. Breed, formerly head of the Biological department at Allegheny.

President W. H. Crawford went to Corry on last Tuesday evening to attend the annual meeting of the Board of Managers of the Sustentation Fund Society of the Erie Conference. It will be remembered that Dr. Crawford is the president of this organization and under its auspices the country church campaign was conducted last summer.

The question for debate in the Forum last Thursday afternoon was, "Resolved, that the United States should give up the Philippines." The debaters on the affirmative side were C. H. Stevenson, '16, and L. H. Bailey, '17, and the negative was represented by C. W. Flick, '15, and P. F. Latschaw, '17. The popular vote gave the debate to the negative, thirteen to two.

In a recent letter to Dr. F. C. Lockwood Professor S. S. Swartley, who is this year on leave of absence from the college doing graduate work in English in the University of Pennsylvania,

nia, states that he has just been notified of his success in securing the George Lieb Harrison Fellowship in English for this year. The Harrison Fund provides for fellowships in each of nineteen different departments. Each one is much coveted; consequently Professor Swartley is to be congratulated upon being chosen as the recipient in the English department.

Meadville High School defeated Sharon High School on Montgomery Field last Saturday, 32 to 6. A large number of students helped to swell the crowd of local rooters. Two Alleghenians are coaching the respective teams. S. T. Perley, '13, who is instructor in Physics and Mathematics at Sharon High, is also the football coach. P. E. Thomas, '14, varsity left end, coached the Meadville team at the beginning of this season.

A pleasant social hour was spent in the parlors of Hulings Hall on last Thursday afternoon when the first Senior tea was held. The affair was attended by the members of the Senior class as well as a number of their friends and members of the faculty. Miss Rosalie Bork delightfully entertained those present with a short recital. Tea, chocolate and other delicacies were served. Miss Gay Kellogg, '14, and Miss Helen Thomas, '14, poured. The Misses Ruth Browning, Thelma Weissenborn, Gertrude Mueller and Ada Thompson were hostesses.

The college orchestra, under the leadership of Professor Palma, formerly of the Pennsylvania College of Music, is progressing very nicely. Practices are being held in the average of twice a week and the orchestra has already appeared at several public college functions. It is the intention of the manager, I. Cohen, '14, to secure several out of town trips for the organization, providing the faculty are willing. The orchestra will also be increased in the number of pieces, so that probably when it is finally organized, it will number 20 pieces. Besides appearing before the public as an advertisement for the college in the manner of the Glee Club, the orchestra will also play at the basketball games and on other college occasions.

Hulings Hall

Miss Mary Barkley, '15, Editor.

Miss Elizabeth Cleveland, of Erie, spent the week-end at the Hall, the guest of her sister, Miss Cleveland, '17.

Miss Helen Gates, '16, is spending a few days at her home in Oil City. Miss Elizabeth Chase, '17, was the dinner guest of Miss Helen Davison, '17, Sunday.

Miss Marguerite Shelmadine, '12, took dinner at the Hall Saturday, as the guest of Miss Ruth Dodd, '14.

Miss Eleanor Gill, '17, was the dinner guest of Miss Helen Kulp, '17, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Browning, '14, spent the week-end at her home in Scottdale, Pa.

Miss Gay Kellogg, '14, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Titusville.

Miss Emma Kightlinger, '16, was the guest of Miss Harriet Bassett, '15, Saturday.

Last Saturday evening the Pan-Hellenic Association of women's fraternities entertained the girls of the Freshman class at an informal reception at the Saegertown Inn.

The Misses Margaret Seitz, '14, and Sara Wiley, '15, returned on Thursday from Swarthmore, where they attended a student government convention.

On Wednesday evening occurred one of the most instructive Y. W. C. A. meetings of the year, when Miss Vernice Gelvin of the Sara Keen College in Mexico, talked to the girls about Mexico and her work there. She portrayed most vividly the beautiful Mexican scenery and the places of interest around Mexico City, then spoke of the college, outlining its work, which consists of three courses, i. e., the kindergarten, normal and college departments. Miss Gelvin is an alumna of Allegheny.

The Sunday evening meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was in charge of Miss Janet Ellis, '15. She took as her subject: "Helping and Hindering." After the leader's talk, the meeting was thrown open and many of the girls gave some very helpful suggestions.

The Y. W. C. A. has observed the week of prayer this last week by holding special prayer services every evening between bells.

FRATERNITIES TO ENTERTAIN.

At a recent meeting of the Pan Hellenic Committee it was decided that the several fraternities should entertain Freshmen at some time before Christmas. It is the understanding that there is to be no elaborate entertainment but rather a very informal gathering. Invitations will be issued to the various Freshmen, whom each fraternity wishes to entertain. It is understood that there will be no conversation about fraternity matters. A definite schedule for the night when each fraternity will entertain has not yet been definitely announced.

W. & J. won the championship of Western Pennsylvania by defeating Pitt last Saturday.

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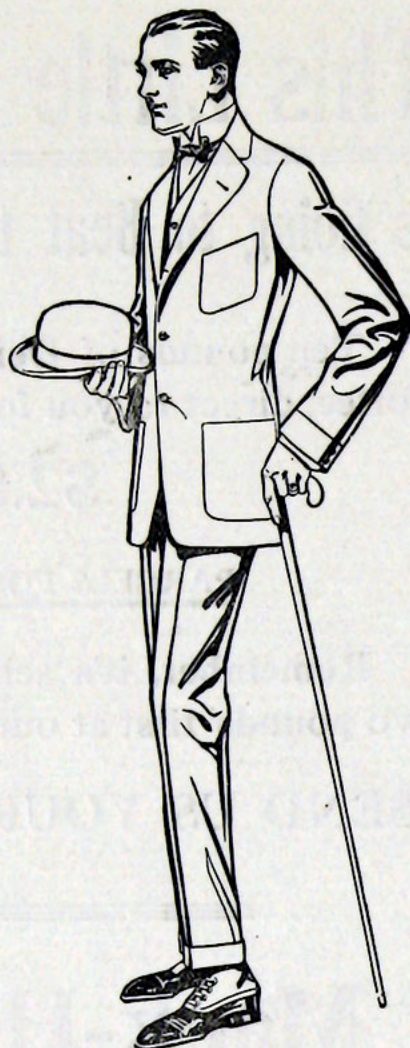
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DR. E. A. SMITH TELLS OF BIG CONVENTION

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vention and spoke most effectively on the great evils which the rum traffic is producing in America. Mr. Harry B. Ward addressed the convention on social service and gave some most comprehensive testimony on the great work of social reform which is being carried on throughout the country under the auspices of his society. President Welch, of Ohio Wesleyan University, said that child labor was the modern slavery and spoke most effectively on other phases of poor social conditions. Dr. Smith said that one of the most notable things about this convention was the fact that there was not one single collection taken throughout the entire four days. One of the main objects of the meeting was to bring the finances of the church on a business basis. Personal canvass of every member was highly recommended and a great deal of testimony was given where this plan is working. At this meeting of the prominent Methodist men, there was no boasting, no glorification of a system, but a spirit of humility. Mr. Fred Smith spoke for the cause of the Young Men's Christian Association and especially emphasized the conditions as they really exist today. That the Methodist church should be aggressive in this work was clearly made plain. Several important results of the convention may be mentioned:

- (1) It put the church on a business foundation, and provided for putting the finances of the church on a firm basis.
- (2) It committed the church to a definite program of social reform. The sentiment was emphasized that the church must make good along this line.
- (3) Fred D. Smith, the great Y. M. C. A. worker, showed the conditions existing in the business and social world, and emphasized the need of immediate and united action. It was decided to send representatives to all the cities to present a plan of social reform, and \$100,000 was subscribed for this purpose.
- (4) The place and the power of the laymen of the church is increasing. The convention itself was essentially a convention of laymen, not of ministers.
- (5) Members of the convention pledged, in writing, a certain amount of time to be devoted to definite church work. This is regarded as being of more importance than the subscription of money.

LIBRARY NOTES.

The majority of people know little or nothing of the great mass of material that is issued yearly by the various departments of the United States government. Possibly the fact that most libraries receive these publications free of charge, leads the casual observer to believe that they are of little value. The College Library is one of the designated depositories of United States Documents, receiving every week packages of pamphlets or mail sacks full of bound volumes. These are sorted out and filed in the library under the various departments. Whenever there appears any pamphlets that seem particularly interesting or valuable, they are placed on the tables in the reading room in the hope that some one may care to look at them.

One of these is the Journal of Agricultural Research, a serial which has been issued recently by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. To quote from the foreword of the first number: "It is the purpose of the Journal of Agricultural Research to record investigations bearing directly or indirectly upon economic conditions of agriculture." This journal will be of value to students of biology as well as to those interested in scientific agriculture.

Of the government documents, the Congressional Record is the one most justly scorned. Published daily, it gives verbatim accounts of the proceedings of Congress. As these proceedings are frequently spiced with humor and repartee, they often times make most interesting reading. The recent wordy bout between Representatives Hobson and Underwood was highly entertaining, while the discussion of the advisability of giving a wedding present to Miss Wilson gave an almost human touch to our austere body of law makers.

A few of the most interesting of these government pamphlets which have been placed on the table recently are:

- "Tis Sixty Years Since," an address delivered on Founders' Day, January 16, 1913, at the University of South Carolina, by Charles Francis Adams.
- "Daniel Webster," an address commemorating his birth, by Hon. Samuel W. McCall.
- "World Peace Under American Leadership," a sermon, by Rev. T. M. C. Birmingham, of Beatrice, Neb.
- "Training for Citizenship," the Winston-Salem plan, by Leroy Hodges.
- "Fighting Trim, the Importance of Right Living," by J. M. Eager.
- "Indoor Tropics, the Injurious Effect of Overheated Dwellings, Schools, Etc.," by J. M. Eager.

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"The Citizen and the Public
Health," by A. M. Stimson.

Information concerning political
assessments and partisan activity of
federal officeholders and employees.
"Tuberculosis, Its Predisposing
Causes," by F. C. Smith.

A set of the poetical works of
Robert Seymour Bridges, poet lau-
reate of England, has just been
added to the library. It is hoped that
many will avail themselves of the op-
portunity to become acquainted with
the writings of this worthy successor
of Dryden, Southey, Wordsworth and
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PALMER, '15, LEADS Y. M. C. A.

One of the best Y. M. C. A. meet-
ings of the year was held last Wed-
nesday evening in Cochran Hall un-
der the leadership of M. R. Palmer,
'15. He chose as his theme, the
Christian life as typified by the salt
of the earth and the lighted candle,
and spoke on the analogy of practi-
cal Christianity to these two everyday
examples. He brought out two for-
cible points by the questions, do your
chums and associates know you are a
Christian? and would their testimony
get you into Heaven? The candle
shines steadily, and from the begin-
ning to the end until it is consumed.
So in the Christian life, death in ser-
vice should be expected and prepared
for. And as the candle burns not to
call attention to itself but for the ser-
vice of others, so the analogy still
holds. The publican is rewarded for
his open praying according to his sin-
cerity.

Some people are not willing to shine
because they want to follow the
crowd, or they are afraid they will be
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