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TOMORROW

"Outward Bound" Opens Tuesday

Mystical Three-Act Play Stars Veteran Playshop Performers

"Outward Bound," a three-act play by Sutton Vance, opens at the Playshop Tuesday night, with a veteran cast of playshop performers in the leads.

A "mystical" play, the entire action revolves around a small group who find themselves strangely together in a boat, with the ship's bar their common meeting place. The mysteriousness of their voyage and their uncertain destination, as slowly revealed to them, together with the small eccentricities of their ship, all make the plot an unusual one. The dialogue is cleverly written, which, together with the strange plot, made it a success from the time of its premiere in 1924 and in its many more recent revivals.

Miss Mary Jane Chiles is directing the production, with Miss Bernice Prisk handling the setting and costumes, and John Hulbert handling the lighting.

"Outward Bound" was first produced in New York by William Harris, Jr., at the Ritz theatre in 1924, with the cast including, among others, Leslie Howard, J. M. Kerrigan, Dudley Digges, Alfred Lunt and Margalo Gilmore. A notable revival was given in 1938 by the Playhouse Company, New York.

Miss Chiles said there are no leads, with the action centering around sundry characters in the ship's bar. Ann and Henry are a pair of young lovers; Tom Prior is a scholar taken to drink; Mrs. Clivedon-Banks, a haughty Englishwoman; Mrs. Midget, a cockney charwoman; the Reverend William Duke.

The parts are taken by: Scrubby, Harold Newson, '44. Ann, Rita Rogers, '45. Henry, Nova MacMillan, '43. Mr. Prior, Walter Morris, '43. Mrs. Clivedon-Banks, Esther Ebenhoe, '43.

The Rev. Wm. Duke, Richard Green, '43.

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Literary Magazine Scheduled to come Out Next Thursday

This year's second issue of the **Allegheny Literary Magazine** will be distributed after chapel one week from today, March 11, 1943. According to the editor, Dorothy Schuchman, '44, Betty Bugbee, '44, has been named as a new member of the editorial board.

The third issue of the "Lit Mag" is tentatively planned for some time in April. Editor Schuchman announced that contributions for this final issue of the year would be welcomed from any undergraduate student, but stressed that the deadline will be Monday, March 15. Stories, poems, or articles of any sort may be submitted to any English teacher or to Dorothy Schuchman or her staff.

Winners of the annual contest, with three prizes of five dollars each, will be announced in the April issue. Winners will be selected from material appearing in this or the previous issues of the magazine. Judges from the English department will be announced later.

Allegheny Loses Seven More In ERC

Seven Allegheny men have been called into service by the Enlisted Reserve Corps since the mass evacuations of the reserves February 12 and February 22.

They are Thomas Grow, '44, a member of Phi Kappa Psi, who leaves for camp next Wednesday; Charles May, of Phi Gamma Delta; Bernard Frick, Phi Delta Theta; Charles Foye, a Singer and varsity soccer man, and Dick Seidel, both members of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; and Robert Habich and James Reetz, both freshmen and members of Theta Chi.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Group pictures for the **Kaldron** will be taken Thursday night, March 11, in the green room of Brooks.

Plans for V-12 Are Brought to Light by Navy

Information concerning the new Navy V-12 plan has recently been announced by the Navy, although complete details and full interpretation of their entire significance is lacking.

The program, open to any boy who has reached his seventeenth birthday but not the twentieth, will be inaugurated about July 1, with the enrollment of students to be selected after tests to be given on or about April 2.

Part of the text of the Navy's statement is as follows: "Students to be trained under the Navy's college training program for general duties will receive one and one-third years of study at colleges and universities under contract to the Navy. This training will consist of four terms of college work of sixteen weeks duration each.

"All men accepted for the V-12 program will be ordered to college and go on active duty in uniform under military discipline. They will be rated as apprentice seamen, United States Naval Reserve.

"Qualifying tests will be held on or about April 2 throughout the nation. Students selected on the basis of officer-like qualifications, including scores on these tests, will be assigned to the Navy College training program in two groups. The first groups will report to colleges and universities, now being selected by the Navy, on or about July 1, 1943. The second group will report on or about Nov. 1. Another group will report about March 1, 1944, following selection late in 1943 by other tests.

"Students may also express a preference for the branch of service, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard, at the time of their assignment to the V-12 program. This choice will not be binding, however, for final assignment will be based on demonstrated ability, the needs of the service, and counseling during the first two semesters.

"Students may also express a preliminary choice of courses of study, such as medicine, engineering, etc. assignment and continuance in these courses will be based on the needs of the service and demonstrated competence in the particular field."

Dean of Men Horace T. Lavery is going to Chicago this week, hoping to get more information and details of the program. Additional information can be had at his office.

COLLECT ADDRESSES

Do you know the address of any Alleghenian in training or in active service? Turn them in to the central office in Brooks, or to Jean Risser, Betty Lund, or Janet Ann Fleming, for the complete file to be kept by the committee. They will receive the **Campus** each week, the Ivory Tower and everything else that is sent by the college to their boys.

Sophomores, Juniors Hold Elections

Carl (Bud) Stride was elected treasurer of the class of '46, at sophomore elections held in chapel Monday noon.

Due to a lack of majority of votes for any candidate, a run-off election for the offices of president, vice-president, and secretary will be held in chapel March 10.

Candidates for these three offices are as follows:

President—Herschel Davis, William Miller.

Vice-president—Norma Fix, Patricia Painter.

Secretary—Lois Comrie, Joan Risser.

Stride is a member of Phi Kappa Psi and is in the Naval Reserve. He succeeds Barney Frick, who left this week for Fort Meade.

Senior elections will be held Monday, noon, in the chapel.

Blackout Tonight First Trial of New Army Regulations

Allegheny students will participate in the first blackout under new army regulation air-raid drills tonight at 8:50 p.m., when all of Crawford county will dim its lights.

The following schedule will be used.

At 8:50 p.m. the blue signal will be sounded by a two-minute blowing of the air-raid whistles. Street lights and residential lights will be blacked out, but traffic will continue to move slowly on the low beam of the auto headlights, and pedestrians will be allowed on the streets.

At 9:10 p.m. the red signal will be sounded by the intermittent blowing of whistles for approximately two minutes. Traffic will stop on this signal and pedestrians must seek shelter. No movement will be allowed on the street except by authorized persons and cars bearing blackout pennants.

As affecting the campus, all lights, except in black-out rooms, must be off from 8:50 until 9:30 p.m. The library will close for the evening at 8:50.

All students are asked to remain in the buildings until the white signal at 9:30.

Girls Invade Caflisch Hall for Interview With Enthusiastic Host — Army Air Force Students

By JEAN MERRILL

Having had a mild case of suppressed desires to invade Caflisch hall for some three years now, your reporters and friends were definitely intoxicated by a spirit of adventure to find themselves walking nonchalantly through the front doors of the afore-mentioned building in broad daylight.

Far from being a reprisal for traditional invasions of old Hulings, the visit was by invitation from the commanding officers in charge of the army unit stationed here.

Our interview was with Lieutenant Chandler and Lieutenant Congleton and a group of cadets who were heads of their particular sections.

First Major Question: "Is it true half of you are married?" Take heart girls, the boys say only one fourth of the group are in such a predicament. Another quarter might be engaged or promised, but that still leaves a good half foot-

loose and fancy free . . . at which point Lieutenant Chandler draws in that fatal Southern accent, "Of course, it all depends on what you mean by marriage too—you know what the army definition of marriage is?" . . . whereupon Lieutenant Congleton in his official position of officer of public relations becomes very disturbed and quite conscientious and Censors the forthcoming information.

Second Major Question: "Is it true you all have southern accents?"

"No."

"But," says one agreeable lad, "We'd be glad to cultivate them if that's what's wanted. Lt. Chandler would be glad to give us lessons."

Most of this group are from metropolitan areas of New York and from Connecticut and Rhode Island.

First Impressions of Allegheny:

"Quarantine!" said one.

Another said, "We expected Meadville to be smaller and Allegheny larger and not anywhere

near as nice as it is."

They seem to prefer Brooks hall driveway as a parade ground. They say they would really like to give the girls a good demonstration parade, but that there isn't a large enough space. When Montgomery field dries off they promise a real exhibition and suggest they'd like to have the band to help them out.

It seems they have heard flattering reports of Allegheny in the spring and are waiting—

1—for spring.

2—to get out of quarantine.

At the present time there are four officers in charge of the group. The average age of the boys is twenty-one and two. About 50% of them are college boys. Most of the rest of them have been out of high school for several years.

"How do you like your accommodations?"

"Fine!"

"How do you like your food?"

"Fine!! . . . wonderful!" A

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Revised WAC Plans Activities

Projects—Variety Show, Records of Service Men

With the naming of Joan Hexter as head of the War Activities committee, and the selection of new members to replace the boys who have been called into service, work of the rejuvenated committee is now well on its way to a variety show, two more "Ivory Towers," a swollen Scholarship fund, and a complete, up-to-the-minute record of the addresses of men in the service.

The new committee head is a sophomore, a member of Cwens, Senate representative last year, and has been head of the Red Cross phase of war activity.

Work on the committee is portioned so that each member of the central committee is also head of a sub-committee.

Janet Ann Smith chairmans the work on the variety show, which, despite the fact that most of the cast and authors are in service, will become an actuality before the end of this semester.

In charge of the central office—the left desk at the Brooks entrance—is Jean Risser, '43, assisted by Bette Lund, '45, and Jane Ann Fleming, '45. This group, with the help of committee members, has undertaken to compile a record of the whereabouts of every Allegheny man in training and in service.

Chairman Risser urges the cooperation of every student in making these records complete ones by leaving cards with addresses of service men in the box at the central office.

Under Donald Mogg, supervisor of the bond and stamp sale, the Cwens, headed by Eleanor Kay Hutchison, are working as volunteer stamp saleswomen for the semester.

Mogg reminds students of the continuance of the Scholarship fund: by buying stamps a student is benefitting the country; by buying stamps and turning them over to the scholarship fund, he is helping win the war and also contributing to a fund set up to help Alleghenians who have seen service to complete their education after the war.

Publication of the "Ivory Towers" (Continued on page 2)

U. S. O. Dance For Women and Air Force Students

A U. S. O. dance for the Allegheny contingent of Air Corps students will be held in Brooks hall, Saturday night, March 13, sponsored by the Allegheny Undergraduate Council.

College girls will entertain the soldiers at the dance and provide partners for the movie, also to be held that night in the Playshop. It was requested that men students refrain from pulling girls away from the dance and show, that they can "help entertain Uncle Sam." The dance is being given exclusively for the flying students in celebration of their coming out of quarantine on Friday.

Chairman of affairs is Marjorie Miller, assisted by Richard Nichols and Ellen Boyd.

Evelyn Missel To Give Lecture On Nursing Career

Miss Evelyn Missel, educational director of St. Luke's hospital in Cleveland, will be on campus tomorrow under the auspices of the Associated Women Students.

At an A.W.S. meeting Friday noon in the Playshop, Miss Missel will lecture on nursing as a career not only for war-time but for the post-war period.

From 3:30 to 5:00 Friday afternoon there will be a tea in Brooks for all girls who wish to meet Miss Missel. Those interested in making appointments with her may do so by signing on the bulletin board in Brooks.

This is the first of a series of programs on specific vocational fields. These will replace the usual one main speaker of the A.W.S. spring program.

WAC Chairman

JOAN HEXTER

Victory Book Drive Closes Tomorrow With Fair Record

The Victory Book campaign, Allegheny's contribution to the nationwide effort to collect books for the armed services, hit a high mark of 528 books and dollars Tuesday night, when Philip Benjamin, leading the campus drive, said the results have been good, both in quantity and quality of books turned in.

The 1943 Victory Book campaign has been designated by the Army and Navy as the official agency for the collection of books to be distributed among the nation's fighting men. Sponsoring the drive to obtain "more and better books" in 1943 are the American Library Association, the American Red Cross, and the United Service Organizations.

Collection of the books is being carried on in every town of the United States, ending tomorrow.

Books collected here will be sent to Erie for final packing and from there to New York to be distributed to the fighting fronts, and to the camps throughout this country.

NEW FEATURES

New features have been added to this week's paper and will continue. Kaleidoscope is on page 2, and Stars and Stripes, page 4.

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Allegheny Given Approval For More Army Student Groups

Allegheny college has been approved by the joint army-navy-manpower commission for the army training program, it was announced by president John R. Schultz this week.

Dr. Schultz explained this meant that the school could receive an army unit for basic training if it so desired. The program would be similar to that of the Navy's for basic training.

Schultz also revealed the school has been approved by the army for training pre-medical students of that branch.

Thirteen more air corps trainees arrived this week from North Carolina, with thirty five more scheduled to pull in today, making a total of 185 training on this campus.

Second lieutenant Cross, tactical officer, also arrived this week from George field, Illinois, bringing the staff of officers to four.

"Ivory Tower" Issue Will Be Ready Soon

A new issue of "Ivory Tower" is now in preparation and will be sent out soon under the direction of Nancy Sutton, who asked that all interested in contributing to see her soon.

The last issue of the "Ivory Tower," in the form of a mimeographed Christmas card, was sent to all Alleghenians in the armed forces last December. It was written by Janet Ann Smith, Marjorie Miller and Nancy Sutton, under the auspices of the Logos club and the college faculty.

This pamphlet contained, in addition to a message from president Schultz, jokes and articles of interest at Allegheny, such as the obstacle course, the naval cadets, and life in Brooks.

INTERVIEWERS

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sample menu—the speaker closed his eyes and said with reverence, "Roast chicken—and roast chicken and potatoes and roast chicken—" Well, you get the idea.

"What do you plan to do with your fifteen minutes of leisure time per day?"

One of the officers informs us benevolently that after their schedule was organized they would have an hour of free time after supper every evening.

They have literary talent too and plan to start a paper of their own. It is hoped they do not propose to run the **Campus** out of business.

On the whole we were impressed. The cadets really like being here at Allegheny. One of them said, "The cooperation we've met here is terrific! The profs have been grand. Everyone's tried hard to help. It's amazing, more than we expected, and we do appreciate it!"

One commented, "This place is paradise after what we've been through in Atlantic City." Another, "If I'd known where this school was and what it's like I'd have gone to college here!"

The three of us fortunate enough to be admitted to the inner sanctum feel we can speak for Allegheny in saying that if all of the group are as nice as the boys we talked with, "We like 'em fine and are all for having more of them."

W. A. C.

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er," Allegheny news sent to Alleghenians in service, is under the direction of Marjorie Miller, '43, Janet Ann Smith, '43, and Nancy Sutton, '44. Students interested in contributing are asked to see one of these three women.

Also in the central WAC are Drew Kapusta, Harry Conroy, and Warren Winkler; while A. U. C. and A. W. S. presidents John Foster and Wilma Beck attend the meetings and integrate war activities into other phases of student life.

Hexter urges that all students take active part in this program and contribute ideas for war activities work, pointing out that now, when interest is lagging and when so many boys have gone, it is even more important that the W. A. C. work continue.

This Week

March 4, Thursday—
Chapel: Hymn Sing.
March 6, Saturday—
Outing at Bousson.
March 7, Sunday—
Oratory: Listening Hour, 6:30.
Playshop Film: 7:30 p.m. "Topper Takes a Trip."
March 9, Tuesday—
Chapel: Mr. F. J. Thomas.
Playshop: "Outward Bound" — 8:15 p.m.
March 10, Wednesday—
Playshop: "Outward Bound" — 8:15 p.m.
March 11, Thursday—
Playshop: "Outward Bound" — 8:15 p.m.

The Social Whirl

By PEGGY OWENS

Many thanks to Naval Aviators Blank, Brokas, Caravacci and Kinzer on their splendid job of reporting the gala social event celebrating their graduation. We show our appreciation in the new column, Stars and Stripes, devoted to the boys in the service.

The Pan Hellenic council announces a progressive coffee hour which is to be held this coming Sunday from 4:00 until 5:00.

Phyllis Campbell, Betty Crawford, Doris Depp, and Jane Ann Fleming are new pledges of **Alpha Gamma Delta**.

This coming Saturday **Alpha Chi Omega** will observe Hera day, when they will entertain twenty-six children from the Bethesda Children's Home.

Phyllis Black Gratz, '42, was a weekend guest of the **Thetas**.

Mr. and Mrs. State will be chaperons at the **Chi Rho** radio party this Saturday night. Frank Minore, '42, and Wilber Walden, National Secretary, were guests the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Steen, Miss Paulina Reaghart, Miss Nancy Martin, Miss Joan Bliss, and John Petre were dinner guests of **Phi Gamma Delta** Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cares were dinner guests of **Phi Kappa Psi** last Thursday. March 12, the Phi Psis are having their annual Chapter Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris were dinner guests of the **Sigs** last Sunday. **Delta Tau Delta** held a midnight breakfast at the fraternity house after the prom. Mr. and Mrs. Seely were chaperons.

Bill Faloan, '41, returned to the **Phi Delt** house this week.

Pre-Registration To Begin March 15; Reserves Included

Pre-registration for both summer and fall sessions will begin March 15 and continue until April 22, Easter vacation, according to information from the registrar's office.

Hurst R. Anderson said pre-registration is being started earlier than usual and continued over a longer period due to additional tasks many of the faculty will soon be undertaking.

Concerning registration of students in the reserve plans Anderson stated, "A number of students in the Navy and Marine reserves may not be allowed to continue at Allegheny after July 1. However, it is the desire of the registrar's office to have pre-registration of all students who will probably continue at Allegheny."

For the purpose of allowing partial credit March 16 has been set as the middle of the second term before which no credit will be allowed. Students withdrawing to enter military service between March 16 and April 22 will receive half credit for satisfactory work.

Lower level students are now in the process of selecting their upper-level advisors. Students will be given their new advisors after conferences with present ones.

OUTWARD BOUND

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Mrs. Midget, Betty Shakespeare, '46.

The Rev. Frank Thompson, Don Horton, '46.

The production staff:

Stage manager—Constance McGayhey, '46; stage and building crew—Donald Mogg, '45, James Devine, '46, Jack Hallenburg, '46, James Jenkins, '46; properties—Patricia Painter, '46, Florence Graham, '46; costumes—Eilanna Bent, '46, Mary Lois Campbell, '43, Esther Ebenhoe, '43, Arlene Fegley, '44; make-up—Margaret Tidmarsh, special student, Helen Mates, '46.

Esther Ebenhoe has appeared previously in the playshop productions of **Timothy Alden, What a Life, White Steed, George Washington Slept Here, Arms and the Man, and The Spider**.

Walter Morris has also appeared frequently in the playshop in such plays as **Timothy Alden, White Steed, George Washington Slept Here, Yellow Jack, Arms and the Man, and The Spider**.

Buck Newson has previously been seen in **White Steed, Arms and the Man, and Yellow Jack**.

This is the second appearance for four of the cast. Rita Rogers has played in **Rumplestiltskin**, Betty Shakespeare appeared in **The Camel With Wrinkled Knees**, and Dick Green and Jack O'Laughlin in **The Spider**.

Don Horton is making his initial appearance on the playshop stage.

The ticket office will be open this afternoon and Friday afternoon. Activities tickets may be presented for reserve seats for any performance except Friday's, which will be given exclusively for the flying students.

Kaleidoscope

(Ed. note: This feature is being born in this issue, with its final form a certainty but the contents much less definite. The contributors will be various, with as many "ideas" and as many styles. In this issue Miss Smith went wild and before she was restrained the damage was done and she became the sole author of this week's "Kaleidoscope.")

I have thirty-nine children. Of course, I expected that someday I would have some, my mother having explained Things like That to me before I came to college, but I had rather hoped to have them—at some future date, please!—one at a time.

But this was a job of mass production. Thirty-nine!

Every morning at 9:46, eighteen of them sit before me—and twenty-one more at 10:30—all with the same look on their faces. "My God, what's she gonna do to us today?"

I am a practice teacher.

* * *

It goes like this. "Today we are going to take up the poetry of Vachel Lindsay. You have all read the assignment in the book, I presume."

(A rash presumption!) A restless shuffle and guilty looks from the more conscientious.

"Now who was Vachel Lindsey—Milton?"

"I dunno."

"Where was he born, Jane?"

"I dunno."

"What did he write, Andrew?"

"Jees, I dunno."

That takes care of Lindsay, so we go on.

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Once I was a junior in high school, but I swear—

* * *

Us practice teachers get together sometimes and discuss. This is what we go through. In a biology class:

Question: Give an example of symbiosis. (For the benefit of you'ns who don't have an average high school education, let me explain that symbiosis is the term applied to two plants living together and unable to live without each other.)

Answer: "An example of symbiosis is a man and woman living together for mutual benefit."

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Or in American History after a period's lecture on lobbies in Washington, D. C.:

"Now is there anyone who doesn't understand what a lobby is?"

No response.

"Tom," (to one of the problem children), "Do you understand what a lobby is?"

"Huh-uh."

"Why didn't you say so?"

"Well, I understand, but I can't explain it." (A boldfaced lie!)

"Well," (hopelessly) "does it look more like a horse or a cow?"

"A cow."

Pandemonium reigns.

* * *

And so it goes. But there are compensations. Today as four of my favorite (I.Q.'s of above 70) left the room, they turned at the door and said in a chorus,

"Gee, I wish I had pretty blue eyes!"

I was a bit dazed, but felt rewarded for my labor, until a hard-headed young miss, who had heard it paused on her way out to enlighten me.

"They know marks are coming out tomorrow."

Cut!

* * *

"Life must go on. I forget just why."

Edna St. Vincent Millay.

"And who is Edna St. Vincent Millay, Miss Smith?"

"I dunno."

God, now I'm doing it!

—Janet Ann Smith.

Welcome, Air Corps

Allegheny has been doubly fortunate in receiving the 31st College Training Department (Air Corps), first, because of the financial relief offered the school when it was most needed and second, in getting as fine a group of officers and men as are now stationed here.

The army students are more than pleased with Allegheny and the treatment accorded them, and both the administration and student body are enthusiastic over the "swell bunch of fellows" sent here.

Many of them have gone to other colleges and many have not. But, regardless of their source of previous education, Dr. Schultz echoed the sentiment of the entire school when he expressed the hope they would consider Allegheny "your school," the former college students as transferees and those who have not attended college as new Allegheny enrollees. He expressed the desire, along with the many others who have become acquainted with members of the group, that the regular student body and army students could enjoy as close a friendship in light of their dominating military discipline.

The army students themselves like Allegheny "swell." One said it a "paradise," another exclaiming he would have gone to school here if he had "known what the college is like and where it was."

All of us, students, faculty and the administration, join in extending the new students a hearty welcome.

War Activities Committee

The War Activities Committee took on renewed life this past week under a new chairman, Joan Hexter, its ranks replenished with enthusiastic members and its program studied and set in motion.

In the time of its short existence the committee's work has been more than good. Allegheny got the jump on practically all other schools in recognizing the need for such an organization and lost no time in setting it up in working form. The recent bond drive and show was a result of their pushing and pulling, the first time a college and community had cooperated in such an undertaking, with the college leading. Ivory Tower has been sent to Allegheny men in the services. Red Cross activities have been promoted. Stamps have been put on sale at various spots on the campus and their purchase required as admittance to all-college dances. The Scholarship fund has been inaugurated to help fellows return to Allegheny when the war is over and they are out of the army. Allegheny song books have been sent to our service men, and the list of the committee's activities is still incomplete.

All Allegheny students and faculty have a just pride in the work of the organization and in the aid each has given it, so necessary to make its existence successful.

Now reorganized and the gaps caused by leaving men refilled, the committee has caught its second wind and enters on what may be called its "second period." Its past program is being retained in general form with expansions looked forward to. Alleghenians will be asked to live up to their cooperative efforts of the past, to which we can only reply, "We will, and more."

Film Series to Start Here Sunday

The playshop inaugurates its third film series Sunday evening with the showing of the hilarious comedy, "Topper Takes a Trip." The movie, starring Constance Bennett and Roland Young, was adapted from the book by Thorne Smith. The lights go out at 7:30 p. m., and admission is \$.30, including tax. No season tickets are being sold for this series.

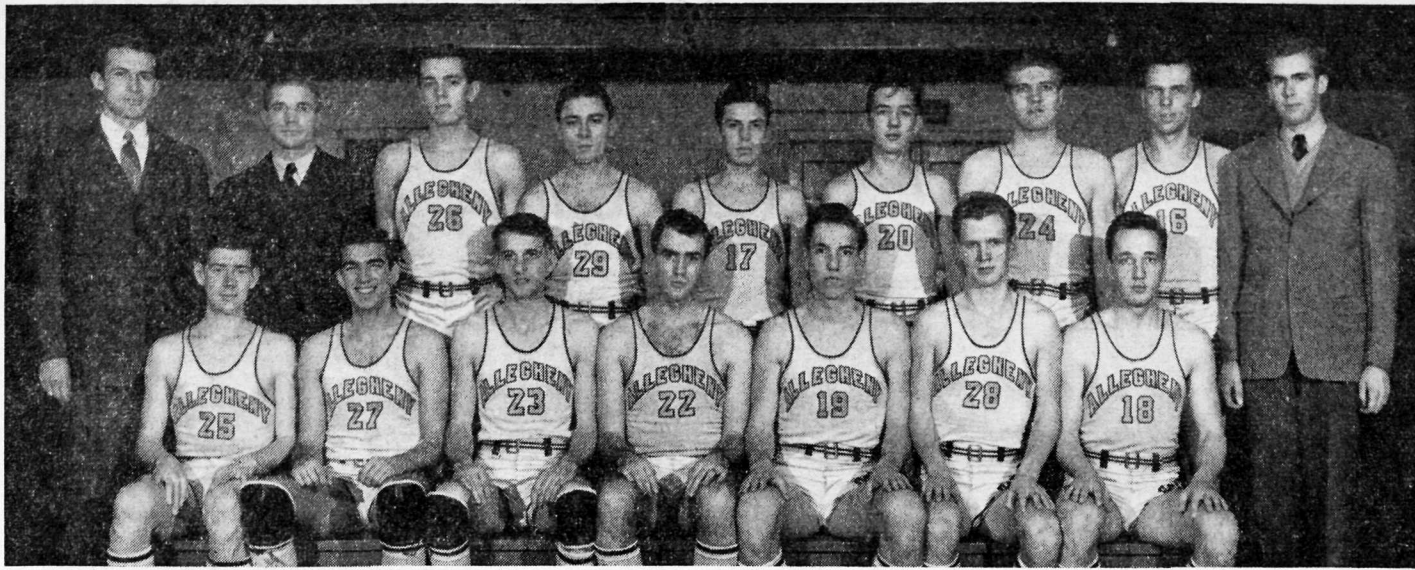
The other films to be shown are: Mar. 14—**Rembrandt**, starring Charles Laughton, Gertrude Lawrence, and Elsa Lancaster.

Mar. 21—**Gulliver's Travels**—A cartoon picture in technicolor by Max Fleischer.

Mar. 28—**39 Steps**—An Alfred Hitchcock mystery which has been revived 31 times in New York.

April 4—**Beau Geste**, starring Gary Cooper, Ray Milland, and Robert Preston.

Last Varsity Team For Duration — A Success



Back row: Al Werner, Bob Garbark, Chuck Hileman, Gene Smoot, Micky McVay, Don Blyth, Russ Svec, Bob Frey, Osborne Belt (mgr.)
Front: Harry Conroy, Bill Present, Dick Kahl, Dick Nichols, Bob Todd, Bill Lavelly, Tom Wigton. Also, Bud May.

Allegheny Five
Closes Season;
9 Wins, 3 Losses

War Takes Coach,
Three Regulars

The Allegheny college Gators closed their 1942-43 season's play last week with an impressive record of nine wins and only three losses. Truly this must be classed as one of the most creditable records in Allegheny basketball annals.

The cancellation of several games prevented the Gators from augmenting their win column. Theil, Grove City, University of Mexico, University of Buffalo all dropped the hardwood sport. The Blue and Gold would have been rated better than even with any of these.

The Gators proved their strength in the opening game of the season. Traveling to Oberlin, Ohio, they tripped the Yeomen on their own huge court, 39-36. Fenn fell before the Alligator's wrath on the following evening, 48-19.

Perhaps the highlight of the entire season was the spine-tingling 45-43 victory over Westminster. From the opening whistle to the final gun, the Gators out-fought the enemy. It was apparent when Bill Present whistled in the first field goal that the locals were "hot." Their last-minute defense stand will be long remembered by that overflow crowd.

Allegheny wanted badly to upset the Grove City five. And they did just that. Yes, Grove City's athletic supremacy over Allegheny teams was broken to the tune of 56-52.

A long trip to Alfred, N. Y., was rewarded by a 47-43 victory over the Saxons of that school. This was sweet revenge for the Gators, for last year the New Yorks toppled the Blue and Gold with a last-second field goal from mid-court.

At this point our men lost Coach Al Werner to Uncle Sam. Bob Garbark, his able assistant, took over with the toughest games of the season ahead.

Carnegie Tech upset the Gator's fast rolling juggernaut after seven straight wins had come their way. When the smoke cleared in Pittsburgh that Tuesday evening, the Plaid team stood victorious, 49-47. Rochester also withdrew plenty of wind from the Alligators' sails by soundly spanking them, 74-54. However, one and all agreed that the Rivermen could have tripped any team in the country that night.

In their last two games, the Blue and Gold split even. A slow-moving game found them slipping past Hiram, 47-44, by virtue of a strong last quarter rally. Westminster got sweet revenge on our men by outlasting them, 63-55, in the season's finale.

Allegheny's record is even more impressive when it is considered that three of the first five men, plus the head coach, were lost to various branches of the service during the season. Don Turk was called by the Navy after playing in only the first two games. Bill Presence and Tom Wigton, first string forwards, both left for Army service late in the campaign. Yet their places were filled and the Gators carried on.

Orchids go to every man on the squad. In particular, though, Todd, Nichols, and Present distinguished themselves. Todd's consistent shooting and rugged rebounding kept the Gators in the thick of every fight. Present averaged 14.3 points per contest to provide a good share of the scoring punch.

Captain Nichols made his final year of varsity play his best. He could be depended upon for a rousing defensive game plus at least seven points in every game. Dick held the team together in tight moments when less experienced players were apt to crack.

So, with this record, the basketball Gators closed the varsity sports for the duration.

Allegheny, 39—Oberlin, 36
Allegheny, 48—Fenn, 19
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Allegheny, 47—Hiram, 44
Allegheny, 55—Westminster, 63

Group Pictures
Scheduled Soon

Jane Patterson, '43, editor of the Kaldron, has announced that group pictures for the Kaldron will be taken Thursday night, March 11, in the green room of Brooks.

The schedule is as follows:
7:00—Junior Advisors.
7:15—Senior Court.
7:30—M.U.C.
7:45—Literary Magazine staff.
8:00—Debate.
8:15—Philo-Franklin Union.
8:30—Women's Senate.
8:45—Allegheny Christian Council.
9:00—War Activities Board.
9:15—Outing Club.
Group pictures of the Campus staff and the Singers will be taken at a later date.

Gators Bow to Titans in Close Tilt;
Nichols, Varsity Veteran, in Last Game

The Allegheny college basketball five closed their regular season's play by dropping a 63-55 decision to the Titans of Westminster on the New Wilmington court last Thursday evening. Although defeated in their final start, the Gators lost to a powerful combine which had long held high national recognition. As a result, the local's record stands at nine wins and three losses for a percentage of .750.

In topping Allegheny, Westminster reversed a 45-43 verdict which the Alligators had snatched from them in mid-December. The Titans had pointed for the return encounter with revenge uppermost in their minds.

Westminster's big Green team was paced by their only "midget," Frankie O'Hara. The five-foot six-inch forward from Ford City, Pa., tallied 24 points, mostly on set shots. New fan type, steel bank-boards affected the Gator shooting considerably as they missed numerous easy chances.

The issue was close until the final nine minutes of play. At this time Westminster led 44-40. O'Hara, F. Miller, and Weeter then dropped field goals in rapid succession to give the Titans a ten-point lead. The Gators rallied gallantly to move within four points of the victors late in the game, but then Fred Miller and Jones tallied six points between them to sew up the contest.

Allegheny broke from the post with a rush, taking a 7-2 lead in the early minutes. O'Hara then began to click them in from all over the court to push the Titans ahead, 9-8.

Bousson Outing
Over Weekend

Raising its head above all obstacles, the Outing club has scheduled the semester's first big heeler-outer overnight at Bousson for this weekend.

Transportation is by foot, the committee—Ruth Fenn and Mildred Shurtleff—reports, but hopes are high that after the success of this outing, the faculty car and the college truck will be available for future outings.

A notice will be posted in Brooks where students may sign up.

Old and new heelers will meet under heeler chairman Edward Torrey tonight at 7:00 in Carnegie.

ORIGINALS ON DISPLAY

Original etchings and lithographs by Thomas Benton, Grant Wood, and John Stewart Curry are included in the collection of twenty-five originals by leading American artists, now on display in the Reis library.

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by
JIM JENKINS

Intramural Basketball:

The prime attraction of the week found the Phi Delt's lacing the Sigs, 35-19. Had the Sigs won this game they would have retained a mathematical chance of finishing in a tie for first place.

Ray Peterson paced the Phi Delt attack with ten field goals and one foul for a total of 21 points. He was truly a one-man show.

The Sigs never could get going. Their fancy shots went rolling around the rim and out. Also, the S.A.E. boys failed to score on their best layup shots. They blew several chances to take the lead. It wasn't in the cards for them to win.

Peterson couldn't miss during the first half. He led his mates to a 16-8 lead at the mid point. The Sigs narrowed the difference down to 22-17 going into the final quarter. However, the Phi Delt defense came through in noble fashion during the last period.

Lee "Speedo" Donaldson broke the intramural scoring record Monday with 35 points as his Fiji mates swamped the Chi Rhos, 77-22. Thus Bud Stride's record of 32 points lasted only one week. Most of Donaldson's shots were tap-ins or of the layup variety.

The deciding battle will take place Friday evening at 8:30. Then the league-leading Phi Gams will risk their undefeated record against the second-place Phi Psis. A win for Stride and Co. would force the Phi Gams into a first place tie. It should be a rugged battle. The Phi Gams have an edge in the forward department, with the Phi Psis holding an equal margin at the guard spots. The game will decide whether Donaldson or Stride can claim the title of the league's top center.

Results of other league games:
A.X.P., 24—D.T.D., 21.
S.A.E., 35—D.T.D., 15.
P.D.T., 46—T.C., 29.

Handball Roundup:

Bob Thomas will face Paul Jones, while Joe Gray takes on Bud Klein in the semi-finals of the handball tourney. Thomas will cop the duke over Jones and Klein should drop Gray in a tough struggle.

A momentous upset was scored in the quarter final round when Gray took two straight games from "muscle man" Stan Foults. Otherwise the matches went as expected. Jones won over Dundon via the forfeit route, Klein outfought Gilbert of S.A.E., 2-0, and Thomas overpowered Leech by an identical score.

The
Woman's
Side

By MILLIE SHURTLEFF

With the playing of the games on Tuesday we wound up the first round of the basketball tournament.

On last Thursday a strong, swift Alpha Xi team surprised everyone by defeating the Thetas, 28-9. Despite the score, the game was an exciting one. Both teams were rather evenly matched. The Alpha Xi's, however, had the scoring players who piled up the points.

After this highly exciting game came the Cochran-Tarbell classic. This match, although close, was slow, with Cochran winning, 14-12.

In Tuesday's games a powerful Hulings team conquered the Alpha Chi's by a score of 23-6. This same team, in the next period, eliminated the Theta Upsilon team by winning again, 20-6. From our observation it looks as if the freshmen are "out to conquer all."

The playoff games scheduled for today are:

4:00—Alpha Xis vs. Cochran.

We will give the Alpha Xis the edge.

4:30—Hulings vs. the winner.

Tuesday:

4:00—Kappas vs. Alpha Gams.

Kappas to win.

4:30—The finals.

Volleyball:

P.K.P. bested P.D.T., 2-0.

P.D.T. swamped A.M., 2-0.

P.K.P. trounced S.A.E., 2-0.

The Phi Psis removed the only serious obstacle in their path toward the volleyball championship as they overpowered Phi Delta Theta in two straight games. The scores were 15-10 and 15-2. John Foster and Bob McPherson just had too many guns for the Terrace boys.

PHI KAPPA PSI—28

	fg	fp	tp
Currie, f	1	0	2
L. Meyer, f	2	0	4
McElrath, f	2	0	4
Stride, c	5	1	11
Newson, g	2	0	4
Allen, g	0	0	0
Weller, g	1	1	3
Totals	13	2	28

ALDEN MEN—19

	fg	fp	tp
E. Shanbrom, f	3	2	8
Zahniser, f	2	0	4
Ash, c	2	0	4
A. Shanbrom, g	0	0	0
Hulse, g	0	0	0
Westerman, g	0	1	1
Foster, g	1	0	3
Totals	8	3	19

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(Ed. note: Stars and Stripes is starting this issue under the co-editorship of Helen Chaney and a fellow to be selected soon and announced in the next issue. If everyone cooperates heartily with them in the collection of material, the feature can be made of great interest to all.)

This week you are witnessing an innovation in the **Campus**, or should we say a new idea. The boys in the service write good letters, and as it is only human nature to like to read other people's mail, this idea should go over big. But please, dear reader, remember that you have to do your part, too. We can't print excerpts from letters unless we have the letters to print. And as we like to receive letters, so do the Allegheny boys who have been called to the colors, only more so.

So, here! We give you a few choice bits on the trials and tribulations of the private, or maybe even a corporal, sergeant, lieutenant, or captain.

At the end of the week assignments were made and I drew the end of the earth—Ephrata. The town boasts of a population of about five hundred and that includes the Indians. A great place to go when I get a day off. The camp is nothing more than a lot of flat land with a few shacks on it. At the present time the whole place is ankle deep in mud. I understand that the mud changes to dust in the summer so one hasn't much choice. . . .

I dropped in at the Enlisted Men's Club the other night and was pleased to find a good selection of books for the men. The librarian said, "They had all come from the book drive." He thought very highly of the effort and told me that the men use the books far more than he had expected. That club also boasts of a library of classical music that is used extensively. The librarian in charge was a college professor of French from North Carolina. He seems to enjoy working with the books and music as well as setting up forums and discussions for the men. Every day I am more surprised at what I find in the army.

Sincerely,

Dale R. Byers, '42
395th Bomb Group
AAB Emphrata, Wash.

We had our hair practically shaved off yesterday. I'm going to start a barber shop. They rob us for 35c a crack. It takes three minutes to butcher us. They shave your sideburns straight up then put nice cat-steps all through the top.

Chow is one big rush. For the last three meals I've been seated at the end of a table. I haven't had a square meal today. My reach just isn't long enough. Oh, to be six foot four! This morning we had eggs. I ate bread and butter, they never got to me! I did a little better at dinner. I managed to get the last piece of meat. Times are tough.

From Elmira, New York, to Meade we rode in a coach that was more or less a converted cattle car. There were only thirty-six seats in it but it held 48 boys up to me. In the back part of the car was a baggage compartment. Guess who slept in that? My back is still stiff.

We finally arrived at Meade. For the first two days all we did was stand outside one building or another with the weather 10 below and a stiff wind. Then we got our uniforms. After that it wasn't so bad.

This is certainly just the opposite of Allegheny. Now I'm getting up when I used to go to bed. I can remember the day I felt sorry for myself when I had to make an eight o'clock. At nine o'clock now the day's half over.

Well, I had better close now. I'm running out of ink and paper. Don't forget to write soon.

Sincerely,

LeRoy

Pvt. LeRoy A. Paul
C-6-2 FA RTC
Fort Bragg, N. C.

Fort Bragg is a pretty neat place. It is four hundred-fifty square miles and is the largest army camp in the world. It also has the best artillery school in the U. S. It is located 50 miles from Raleigh and 72 miles from Durham. The nearest town is Fayetteville (10,000 pop.), which is seven miles away. Besides artillery the camp has branches in paratroops, glider troops, infantry, and tanks. . . . The living conditions are very

good. In fact they're swell. We live in barracks that have places for everything and are furnished with all the comforts of home. The food is better than what I had at the Phi Delt house. For example, today we had chicken, tomato salad, bread, peas and carrots, coffee, and ice cream. The best part of it is that you can have all you want.

As soon as I got in the army I changed my mind about remaining a private. I'll get even with a couple of sergeants at Fort Meade then.

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Regards to all. Write, we'll do the same.

Fraternally,
Ellis

Pvt. Ellis H. McKay
Co. A, 131st TDTB
TDRTC, 2nd Reg. T.
Camp Hood, Texas

We pulled in to Fort Meade early Thursday morning and next Saturday before chow my name was read out with hundreds of others that were to pull out at 9:30. But that's the way it goes. I knew lots of fellows on the train and sat with George Hanson. They must have been afraid of sabotage, because we were confined to one coach and weren't allowed to open the windows.

. . . The houses down here don't even look fit for chickens.

I had a neat time on the train, but at night I snored like mad, so the guys said. By Monday Hanson and I volunteered for K. P. to get out of that one coach.

This camp is right out in the sticks. It's a helluva way from Pittsburgh.

As Always,
Smoky

Pvt. Bill Feisley
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