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Palm Sunday Sponsored by ACC Sunday

Rev. Warner Featured As Speaaker; Allegheny Singers Scheduled to Sing

Reverend Harold Warner, associate pastor of the Old Stone Church, will be the principal speaker for the eighteenth annual Palm Sunday Service, sponsored by the Allegheny Christian Council, held in the Chapel at 4 o'clock this Sunday, according to Aubrey Crawford, '45, who is in charge of the service. The topic will be "Christ the Conqueror."

An inspiring program has been planned with the Allegheny singers, under the leadership of Mr. Morten J. Luvaas, playing a prominent role. They will sing the following selections:

Searcher of Hearts ----------Bach
Lamb of God ----------Decius
O Praise Ye God ----Tschaikowsky

The chapel will be appropriately decorated with the traditional palms.

Several changes from former years will be noted concerning the service. This is the first time that the principal speaker has not been an Allegheny alumnus; also the service is being held in the afternoon. The purpose of the later innovation is to make it possible for the students to attend their own churches on Sunday morning.

This is the final program to be sponsored by the A.C.C. this year.

Missing for Year, Allegheniannow Prisoner of Japs

Reported as missing since the fall of Bataan in the Philippines about a year ago, Captain Garnet P. Francis, Jr., former Allegheny college student, now is listed as a prisoner of the Japanese, according to word reaching the college authorities Monday.

Dr. Charles S. Miller, Allegheny director of alumni relations, said Capt. Francis' name was included in a War Department list forwarded to the college by First Lieutenant Nicholas R. Varano, Army medical doctor, who attended Allegheny with Francis.

In an accompanying note, Lieut. Varano wrote: "I'm sure there are many alumni who will be happy to know that Garnet Francis is still alive, particularly the men with whom he played football back in '30 and '31."

Capt. Francis, a member of the Allegheny class of 1934, was well known in the community as well as on the campus. He attended Allegheny in 1930-33, leaving to enter a professional school.

He received an Army commission as a dental surgeon upon completing his professional training and was assigned to duty at Manila in 1941. According to press association dispatches written at the time the Philippines fell to the Japanese, Francis remained in command of a field hospital on Bataan when that peninsula was overrun. There had been no word of his fate until publication of the War Department list last week, and it had been feared that he was a casualty.

The War Department apparently does not have information about the location of the Japanese prison where Capt. Francis is confined.

This Week

April 15, Thursday—
Playshop: "Papa is All"—8:15 p.m.
Chapel: Reverend John Lawes.
April 16, Friday—
Playshop: "Papa is All"—8:15 p.m. (Air Cadets).
April 17, Saturday—
Playshop: "Papa is All"—8:15 p.m. (Air Cadets).
Alpha Xi Delta Spring formal.
April 18, Sunday—
Oratory: Listening hour, 6:30 p.m.
Special A.C.C. meeting—2:30 p.m. speech library, Arter.
April 21, Wednesday—
Spanish movie, Meade theatre — 4:00 p.m.
Freshman speech contest—Playshop—8:00 p.m.
April 22, Thursday—
Founder's Day.
Chapel: Dr. Stidger—11:30-12:30.
April 23-25—
Easter recess—after Thur. p.m. classes.

Old and New Cwens After Tapping Ceremony



Library Celebrates A Birthday

"Allegheny College can point with pride to her participation in the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson," according to Philip M. Benjamin, librarian, in his announcement of the exhibit on view this week in Reis library.

Center of the display is a letter to Timothy Alden, in Jefferson's own handwriting, acknowledging receipt of the catalogue of the Allegheny college library, published in Meadville by Thomas Atkinson in August, 1823.

At the time Jefferson sold his own great personal library of 6487 volumes to the United States Congress to once again start its great library after the disastrous fire in 1813, when the British took Washington. Alden's catalogue lists 5793 volumes acquired by the college up until 1823. Among the books was the library of Rev. William Bentley, eminent divine and linguist of Salem, Massachusetts, who was Jefferson's close friend. Jefferson had recently offered Bentley the presidency of the new University of Virginia, but Bentley declined the honor, refusing to leave Salem.

Jefferson's letter to Alden reveals his discriminating congratulations and the true envy of a genuine bibliophile. It is dated from Monticello, February 14, 1824:

I am very sensible to the kind attention of the trustees of Allegheny College in sending me a copy of the catalogue of their library, and congratulate them on the good fortune of having become the objects of donations so liberal. That of Mr. Bentley is truly valuable for its classical riches, but Mr. Winthrop's is inappreciable for the variety o the branches of science to which it extends, and for the rare and precious works it possesses in each branch. I had not suspected there was such a private collection in the United States.

We are just commencing the establishment of a university in Virginia but cannot flatter ourselves with the hope of such donations as have been bestowed on you.

I avail myself of the occasion of the tendering to yours from our institution, fraternal and cordial embraces, of assuring you that we wish it to prosper and become great, and that our only emulation in this honorable race shall be the virtuous one of trying which can do the most good. With these assurances be

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Appearances Of Conrad Thibault Postponed To May 6

The appearance of Mr. Conrad Thibault, distinguished young baritone, originally scheduled for this evening, has been postponed to May 6. This concert is sponsored by the Meadville Civic Music Association.

Drastic rearrangements in railroad schedules are responsible for the postponement. Mr. Thibault finds it impossible to reach Meadville from the site of his appearance on the previous night in time for his concert.

PRE-REGISTRATION!

All pre-registration must be completed by spring vacation, as announced by Hurst R. Anderson, registrar.

Annual Cwen Tapping Honors Fifteen Freshmen

Fifteen freshman women were honored Wednesday evening, April 7, at the annual tapping ceremony of Cwens, honorary sophomore women's fraternity. Due to unfavorable weather conditions, the traditional ceremony was conducted for the first time in the chapel instead of in the upper ravine as had been planned.

The girls honored are: Carrie Arentzen, Eilanna Bent, Carol Blake, Shirley Clothier, Lois Comrie, Norma Fix, Priscilla Greer, Pat Karnosh, Alberta Marriot, Mary Eleanor Pagaroll, Joan Risser, Mary Lou Sailor, Ruth Schreiber, Carol Waechter, and Janet Zimmerman.

Barbara Bender, '45, presided as active Cwens walked single file down the two center aisles of the chapel to the platform. After a few words of introduction by Miss Bender, the old Cwens went among the freshmen, who were seated on the first floor in alternating rows, and chose their successors. An impressive ceremony followed in which the new girls were presented with the gray and red capes and caps of the Cwens and red and silver ribbon necklaces, each one joined in the center by a red carnation.

Active Cwens who participated in the ceremony include: president, Barbara Bender; vice-president, Patricia Pittenger; secretary, Louise Schweitzer; treasurer, Anne Stidger. Others are Dorothy Devlin, Laura Greenebaum, Jean Griffith, Joan Hexter, Eleanor Kay Hutchison, Mary McConnell, and Sally Ann Whitney.

Four inactive Cwens, Margaret Williams, '43, Virginia Bennett, '44, Carrie Emerson, '44, and Anne Rinehart, '44, also participated.

Dance Club Presents Revue At Playshop Monday

The Modern Dance club will present a revue on April 19 at 8:15 in the playshop. Planned by Miss Elfrid Ide, faculty advisor, Betty North, '45, president, and Marie Greenleaf, '45, secretary, the program will consist of four dances. All women are invited.

The first dance is a serious dramatic dance, while the second one is of a lighter and more humorous nature, with no music. It is a rather unusual dance in that the rhythm is supplied by chanting. The dance films will feature Martha Graham's dancers.

Under the direction of Miss Ide, the following girls will participate in the two dances: Marie Greenleaf, '45, Claire Waldner, '45, Lois Walter, '45, Jean Davies, '45, Joan Stringer, '46, and Betty North, '45.

Sunrise Service To Be In Gardens

An impressive sunrise religious service will be held at 6:30 Easter morning in the alumni gardens, under the auspices of the Youth Fellowship group of the Methodist Stone church.

All students remaining on campus for the holiday weekend are invited to attend.

Outers Hold Initiation On Saturday

Initiation of Heelers into the Outing club will be held Saturday afternoon, as decided at a meeting of the Outing club Tuesday evening. Ed Torrey, '44, will be in charge of arrangements. Heelers will meet at Montgomery gym at 1:30, with bed rolls, a complete change of clothing, a blindfold, and $1.00 initiation fee. At that time they will hike to Bousson, stay for Saturday dinner and Sunday breakfast, and walk back in time for church.

Last week a successful outing comprised of six boys and six girls was held. Transportation for the girls was provided out and back, while the boys "hitch-hiked." Saturday afternoon was spent in chopping wood, cleaning up the cabin, and putting new oilcloth on tables. After a hearty dinner of stew and French bread, the Outers sat around the fire and sang. There was a return performance of the young hillbilly band. Then the clubbers took a night hike around the trails of Bousson. After that bed was welcome. Sunday morning the girls cleaned up the cabin and the boys filled the wood box.

All Clubbers are urged to pay their dues of $1.00 a semester by April 17 if they wish to remain in the organization.

Chinese Girl May Be In Our Midst Next Fall

As a result of a letter received Saturday by Wilmah Beck, '43, president of the Associated Women Students, from a representative of Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, Allegheny coeds may look forward to having a Chinese woman student in their midst next fall.

The letter, now posted on the bulletin board in Brooks hall, states: "Madame appreciates the thought that prompted you to send the invitation. Upon her return to China, she will look around for a suitable girl to be recommended to you for the scholarship."

This came as a reply to a telegram recently sent to Madame Chiang by the A.W.S., offering a scholarship for a Chinese student to study at Allegheny. The scholarship, given by the women students in conjunction with the college administration, provides for board, room, and tuition for at least two years.

This offer is entirely separate from the scholarships being offered by the Allegheny Christian Council to Chinese- and Japanese-American students now in relocation camps in various parts of the United States.

Chemii Club Inspects Plant

On Friday afternoon, April 9, 19 members of the Chemii Club made an inspection tour of the American Viscose Co. They were led by Mr. Morris, Mr. Thomas, and Mr. Mohney, all chemists of the company. James Bleasdale, '44, was in charge of arrangements.

The next Chemii meeting will be held Tuesday at 7:30 in the Playshop. Three films concerning the processing of nickel will be shown. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Second Bond Drive Begins On April 26

Victory Week Includes "Cokeless Day," Joan Hexter Announces

In conjunction with the government drive to raise an additional thirteen million dollars in war bonds and stamps, the new War Activities Council will inaugurate a Victory Week, beginning April 26 and lasting through May 1. During this time defense stamps will be sold on campus in a student drive similar to the bond drive held last fall.

Joan Hexter, '45, chairman of Victory Week, announced that this drive will also include a goal of $500 in defense stamps for the scholarship fund to aid Alleghenians now in the service to finish their schooling after the war.

The plans, though yet incomplete, include a "coke-less" day at the grill. All students, as in the previous bond drive, may register at a later date to sell stamps during the day at the book store and the grill, and at Brooks hall before and after meals.

All money collected through the sale of the stamps will go to aid the nation's "second war loan" program. The scholarship drive, which has been going on all year, will benefit from the donations of the stamps themselves.

This is the first major activity planned by the recently reorganized W.A.C., which is composed of Joan Hexter, chairman, Dean Laila Skinner, Dean Horace Lavely, Nancy Sutton, '44, Caroline Emerson, '44, and Harry Conroy, '44. Caroline Snell, '45, and Joe Backus, '46, have been appointed as publicity chairmen for the drive.

Festive Occasion . . .

May 1 Set As Date for High School Day

Allegheny's annual High School Day will be held Saturday, May 1, Paul H. Younger, director of admissions, recently announced. Guests will be high school students and their parents from the surrounding territory.

The program is as follows:

10:00 a.m.—Competitive scholarship exams in Reis library.
12:00 —Buffet luncheon in Brooks hall.
1:00 p.m.—Ford Memorial Chapel. Greetings from Pres. J. R. Schultz to the high school students and their parents. Groups of songs by the Allegheny singers.
2:00 p.m.—Review on Montgomery field by the 31st College Training Detachment (Air Crew) Army Air Forces. The review will be taken by Pres. J. R. Schultz. Presentation of the colors to the 31st College Training Detachment (Air Crew) Army Air Forces by students of Allegheny college.
3:00 p.m.—Intramural championship softball game on Montgomery field. Faculty-student tennis matches.
7:15 p.m.—Crowning of the May Queen. Intra-fraternity sing in the Alumni gardens.
9:00 p.m.—May Day dance to be held in Brooks hall.

The recently-selected Cwens will act as guides all day by showing the guests around the campus. This will be the first major activity of the new Cwens.

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Making Life Count

When we were in high school, we cared about things—class functions were important, clubs were the life blood of the institution. It was an honor to be in activities; everyone tried out for things. The most capable people didn't sit back and sneer

But now that we are college students, we're supposedly older and wiser. Thus far, however, enthusiasm has been a sign of adolescence. We sit back and let others do the work. "It doesn't matter." And that's the tragedy—"it doesn't matter" is as low as we can fall.

Remember back in high school? Remember the FUN? We all tried out for the Junior Play; we all sold tickets. Each year's prom had to be bigger and better than past events. It was a crucial matter whether or not the basketball team won a game. Everyone was in the center of things; everyone was giving.

But at a spot along the way to college some cynic told us we were "suckers." That shamed us and we stopped. "It doesn't matter." Just by saying that, we made it not matter. We gave up our "fun."

Three of the sororities had a dance together a few weeks ago. Somebody who hadn't listened to the cynic said, "Come-on, kids—let's make this good. A few others tagged along out of curiosity to watch this primitive spirit of enthusiasm. That was fatal; it was catching. Soon everyone was wielding paint brushes, creating zebra-fish and neptunes, standing on wobbly step ladders. It was FUN.

Other groups are now doing like things. Somewhere students have started to rediscover that these things matter, that maybe the cynic was wrong. High school stuff? Let's make it college stuff. There are bigger things than dances that are needing your enthusiasm. The reward? Fun! Once more your existence will matter.

J.M., '44.

Let Us Give Thanks

Spring has come once again to the Allegheny campus. The swelling buds on the bushes and trees and the robins and cardinals that call across the terrace in front of Bentley are witness to the fact. We all feel that lift in our spirits, that sensation of having a new chance. We've endured through the long winter months, reminding ourselves that every day brought us nearer to Spring, and now we have reached our reward.

Easter with its message of hope and rebirth could come at no other time than Spring, when nature is awakening all around us. In these troubled times, in a world where there is so much death and destruction, it has a special significance. We are reminded that the world has passed through other periods of crises as dark as our Meadville winter and that the Spring of new life has never failed to make its appearance to relieve the darkness.

Human folk to express their gratitude for the miracle of Spring must gather together and establish contact with their God. This Sunday afternoon all Alleghenians will have an opportunity to do this at the annual Easter service sponsored by the Allegheny Christian Council which is to be held at four in the chapel. The Rev. Walter Warner, new associate pastor at Stone Church, will speak, and the Allegheny Singers will take part. A service by Allegheny students for Allegheny students, it should be well attended by all those who welcome Spring in rejoice in the Easter message.

B.B., '44.

The Social Whirl

By PEGGY OWENS

After a very busy weekend entertaining mothers, and a variety of spring formals and radio parties the social whirl resumes its usual pace with the following activities:

On April 17, **Alpha Xi Delta** will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary. Alumnae and representatives from other sororities will be guests of Alpha Rho chapter at an anniversary tea Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Seely and Mr. and Mrs. Cares will be chaperons and Miss Laila Skinner and Miss Blair Hanson will be guests at the Alpha Xi spring formal Saturday evening at the Phi Gam house.

A special business meeting followed by a social hour was held Wednesday evening for Miss Virginia Kelly, national inspector of **Alpha Gamma Delta.** Last weekend the Alpha Gams entertained their mothers at a dinner at the Kepler hotel Saturday evening and served breakfast in the rooms Sunday morning.

Last week the **Alpha Chis** entertained their mothers at a very successful Mother's weekend. A dinner Saturday at the Kepler hotel was followed by a social get-together Saturday evening in the rooms. Sunday morning the sophomores cooked breakfast in the rooms for the mothers and upperclassmen. Mrs. Forrester was elected president of the Mother's club.

"The College Girl and Clothes" was the topic of her speech when Miss Brubaker, assistant art instructor, spoke to the **Thetas** and their guests, the Alpha Chis, Monday evening.

The **Kappas** announce the recent marriage of Dorothy Jean Konstanzer to Bruce Campbell, both of '42. Mrs. Pfleeger was elected president of the Mother's club at a meeting of mothers Sunday morning.

The **T.U.s** held a social get-together in their rooms last Thursday evening to announce the engagement of Jane Lewis to Frank McKnight, both of whom are graduates of the class of '42.

Mr. and Mrs. Akers and Mr. and Mrs. Dunn were chaperons at the **Delt** spring formal last Saturday evening, when Herbie Johnson and his orchestra played.

Mrs. T. J. White, Mrs. R. H. Gilmore, Kay White, and Ruth Gilmore were dinner guests of the **Phi Delts** Sunday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Younger were chaperons at the **Phi Gam** radio party last Saturday evening. Bill Hammon, ex-'43, was a weekend guest.

The **Phi Psis** will hold a breakfast party this coming Saturday morning, with Miss Skinner as guest.

Miss Jean Seffler was a Sunday dinner guest of **Sigma Alpha Epsilon.**

The **Theta Chis** will hold a radio party Friday evening.

Judges Of Lit Mag Make Known Contest Winners

Three short stories were judged the best of all material submitted to the **Literary Magazine** this year, according to Dorothy Schuchman, '44, editor of the publication. Awards of $5.00 each will be presented at a later date.

Nancy Sutton's "The Fatted Calf," which appeared in the first issue of the magazine, was awarded one of the prizes, as was "Who Is Mistress of My House?" by Gertrude Prodehl, '43, which was published in the March issue.

The last of the prize-winners, "Slow Bus to Youngstown," a story written by Alfred Cohen, '45, before his entrance into the armed forces in February, will appear in the final issue of the **Literary Magazine,** scheduled to come out in the near future.

Honorable mention was given Roberta Waite, '44, for her short story, "Do Not Be Afraid."

Judges for the contest were Drs. Alice B. Kemp, Julian L. Ross, and Frederick F. Seely. Eligible material consisted of all articles, poems, and stories submitted to the Literary Magazine during this year.

JEFFERSON BIRTHDAY

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pleased to accept those of my high respect.

Thomas Jefferson

Elsewhere in the Octagon room of Reis library are displayed the works of Jefferson and several recent studies and biographies. The public is cordially invited to visit the exhibit, as well as the Treasure room, containing the original library, including the gifts of William Bentley and Isaiah Thomas.

KALEIDOSCOPE

DIARY OF A BOY (Retribution)

Monday: Rose early and stood outside Cochran windows watching the Cadets eat breakfast. Decided to join the Air Corps. Headed for Brooks and got shocked seeing Suzy minus her tan and plus a pair of dark glasses. Decided to get anti-measles shots after last night on the Rustic Bridge. Sat in Spanish class and watched girls playing tennis. I wonder if they have an ulterior motive—the Air Cadets drilling nearby. History class was really sharp today. King something or other the Strong had 300 children. Decided to remodel my life.
Tuesday: Rain. Redecorated my room. Pasted up Petty girls and Errol Flynn. We now have polka-dotted wallpower. A coke bottle fizzed and flew all over the walls and ceiling. The housekeeper will wonder. Tired out from my labors so to bed at 7:00.
Wednesday: Walked across campus this afternoon and was mobbed by women. Just discovered I'm the last remaining man on campus, and the cadets are all quarantined. I gave 'em the cold shoulder. But they weren't discouraged. They know that Leap Week is coming up. Besides, I don't want to make it "Sleep Week" for me! Maybe I should take Suzy for a walk tonight.
Thursday: Took Suzy for a walk last night. She asked me to go steady during Leap Week. Also gave me her Latin club pin. The A.W.S. are going to serenade me tonight. What'll I wear? Must remember to shave. Hope Suzy will play an accordian solo.
Friday: Speaker on matrimony. Hmm-m. In spring a young man's fancy . . . I wonder if Suzy could live on $2 a week. Maybe if we combined both our allowances. "Doc" is a wolf. The oddest smell in Brooks lately. Guess it is those huaraches the gals are sporting. I'm real proud of myself. After two years of Spanish I can now say "My God." The book translates "Mios dios" as "Goodness Gracious," but I think it's "My God" in disguise.
Saturday: Slept till noon. Did a lot of heavy reading—"The Sex Life of a Tropical Fish." Caught up on "Lil Abner" and "Blondie." Baby Dumpling is really growing up. Makes me feel old and gray. Grill is closed so I hitched down to Wirts for a pick-up—a coke not a girl! Also played a few games of pool. All washed up after an hour so I quit. Date with Suzy tonight. Spent two hours studying her structure—"her" being the Rustic Bridge. She's getting old and feeble, so I bought a can of insect spray for the termites. Also played poker. Happy to know that I'm helping to send my friends through college.
Sunday: Saw a newsreel last night about the musclemen who sail blithely over obstacle courses, so decided to do same. Got up at 10:00 and went over it (my mistake, around it!) Decided not to be a muscleman after all, but to change to the romantic type. I spent three hours arranging my hair. Decided it looks best parted at the side and combed over my right eye. Also borrowed a bow tie from Suzy. Very pretty—red, white, and blue stripes. She told me I ought to be doing my duty to my country, so I bought a defense stamp.
Spent the night in Brooks. (O.K., O.K.—only till 11:00.) Hocked my frat pin for the ping-pong ball and then sat on it—the ball. Oh, well, such is life. Went to bed early. Dreamed of Suzy and fell out of the double decker—upper deck. Bolger practiced putting splints on my ankle. I'm hiring a wagon to pull me to class. But why hire a wagon? Guess I'll stay in bed and sleep.

—Mary Lou Sweet.

SOLILOQUY OF A DESPONDENT BOY

Here I am in the grill.
I'd drink my coke, but I'm afraid of bacteria on the glass.
Well, I'm glad nobody wants to sit with me. Especially that girl with Mr.—Whatcher-ma-callit—Bulburt, I guess.
I guess she's a teacher instead of a girl.
There goes Janet What's-Her-Name Smith and Jane Austin.
Gee.
I wonder where that Marine is—probably afraid of catching something from the Army.
Look at me—I'm not. Maybe I should go sit with—yeah, but she doesn't know me from Adam.
That Trace Herrick keeps smiling—with his raincoat on.
Might make sense if it were raining.
I don't see why that Mary Lois Campbell which goes with Lew Meyer doesn't leave her hair up or leave it down.
Be better if she left it in her room.
Wait a minute, maybe it's Pete Meyer that takes her out.
You'd think they'd try to look different—from each other, I mean.
I don't think the grill is any place to neck in.
Some day Wally Hanson is going to smash his head on a chandelier.
Don't see how that girl ever got to be a Cwen.
Must have been a legacy.
Something's the matter when you can't get any place without pull.
That George Cramer is always with that same girl.
She doesn't ever go with anybody but him either.
Pretty dull.
Wish those darn girls would stop laughing.
Haven't they ever seen anybody inhale before?
I must have the measles.
Or something.
I wish all these people would stop breathing.
Enough germs around here to kill any five people.
That Nancy Settin, or whatever her name is, ought to sit down.
Probably doesn't give a hoot about varicose veins.
I don't think I'll stay here any longer.
I just hope I can find another place to sit down soon.

—Joe Backus.

ITEM: The War Activities Council about which you and you and you were so enthusiastic last fall when Allegheny was going to put Meadville on the map by the sponsoring of the War Bond Drive, needs some of that enthusiasm—not next fall, but right now! Sure you're busy; I know you're in the throes of term papers, comprehensives, catching up on a semester's work, etc., but you're also in the throes of something a lot bigger than college. You're in a war which isn't going to be financed by the money contributed last fall. This war is a war which needs constant financing. Soooo—come the week after the Easter interlude you will be asked to help out again. I know you want to see back in Allegheny after this war is won the men who have left in the last year and the men who will leave next year. Intermittently this winter you have been asked to buy war stamps and to contribute them to the Scholarship Fund—all of which has been pretty vague in your minds. Well, this Scholarship Fund is not just a pipe dream. We want to see it as a reality. And, it's up to you to make it so. Buy war stamps this week, next week, every week. But the week after Easter we ask you to contribute every stamp you buy to the W.A.C. Scholarship Fund. We'll have Cokeless Days but we want you to have Sefless Days. It's important to us but a lot more important to the men who will return to Allegheny after having served in this war. It's a pretty good proposition. Buy and Buy, and by and by this campus will again teem with the now departed members of the classes of '43, '44, '45, '46, ad infinitum-

Enough of that. There's a little rhyme but not too much reason to what follows, but you know how it is about this time of night!

I came to college years ago, not so many years I know, but just enough to let me see what could be done for girls like me. I tasted of the fat and lean and now let's see what I can glean. I've made a few of what you might call friends for whose respect I'd fight. I've made a few acquaintances whose love is weighed by circumstances. I've been exposed to many classes at which I gazed through rosey glasses; I've let them take their natural course, applied myself with minimum force! O I've sung at least five hours a week with the Allegheny Singers clique (well, I had to make it rhyme some day, didn't I?) I've dabbled in the writing art but took a very minor part. I had two years of college life unsullied by a worldly strife. DECEMBER 7, 1941: (College changed a little then and so this spring I'll look again at the last two years of my career.)

We're in a war, which I did mention, which seems to take all our attention. So in these past few months we face a challenge, "Can we change our pace?" We're doing just as well as we can be expected to, you see. Sure it's been tough to watch it change. Our class looks like it's had the mange! A moth has nothing on Uncle Sam; **he** takes the men, the gas, the ham! But in the five weeks left to me as a Senior of the Class of '43, I think I'll look the campus over and comb it for a four-leaf clover. It's given me an awful lot and has much more I haven't got (such grammer!) 'cause it's still a college with college friends, with college means and college ends, and I'll be darned if I can see why there's so much weeping for '43!

—Marjorie Miller.

Athletics Continued in '18 War Days

Search Reveals That Sports Met Little Curtailment

In answer to the oft-raised question, "Were athletics seriously curtailed during the war years of 1917-18?", we took a look at several old **Kaldrons** and **Campuses** deep in the stacks of Reis library. Here are some interesting details which were disclosed.

Sports were not disbanded as a whole. Only tennis was dropped from the calendar. Some difficulty was encountered in scheduling football, but the game carried on. Basketball and track suffered not at all.

Perhaps the greatest blow to athletics was the loss of Head Coach Charles Hammett. Although not drafted, the department head enlisted in the Y.M.C.A. for overseas work in France. Mr. Carl A. Gilbert, '15, took over the reins and did a creditable job.

A three-game football schedule resulted in two victories for the Blue and Gold in 1918. Due to uncertainties, no games were scheduled before the season began. Everything was done on the spur of the moment. The gridders had little time to practice, for the Student Army Corps took most of their spare time.

A wave of Spanish influenza prevented Hiram college from making a trip to Meadville. Army officials put their foot down, knowing full well the contagiousness of the disease. The Gators trimmed Grove City, 36-0, stopped Westminster, 7-0 and fell before Geneva, 9-10.

Basketball was affected little in 1917. In 1918 the war actually helped the cage sport. This was due to the fact that the Great Lakes Training Station team, champions of the west, came to Meadville. Allegheny gained nation-wide fame by humbling the soldiers, 34-29. The season ended with ten victories against three defeats.

No reason could be found for the elimination of tennis. It faded completely in 1917 and 1918, but plans were being made for the 1919 season.

Track continued as usual through the war.

Prospects for 1919 were bright. Coach Hammett was on his way home from France to take up the mentorship of the Gators. It was also hoped that several athletes who had their college careers cut short would return to the athletic front at Allegheny.

Vassar college sophomores voted this year to give up class rings and buy war bonds instead.

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Montgomery Musings

by JIM JENKINS

An intramural meeting, to be held early next week, will determine the opening date and schedule of intramural softball. At this writing one thing is certain — the concentrated schedule will begin toward the end of next week.

As I see it, the Phi Delts should climax their drive toward retention of the intramural trophy with a first place in softball. A glance at their lineup should reveal this.

Russ Svec looks more than adequate behind the plate. Also, he possesses plenty of pitching ability should Ray Peterson need some help. Except for first base, the Phi Delt's infield can't be matched. Dunbar, Lammert and Klein all have seen enough intramural competition to hold together in any tight spot.

Dick Anderson, Pierce, and McGrew will not set the league on fire but do present an adequate backbone for the outfield.

The Phi Psi's will field a lineup which could walk over the rest of the league, should their pitching, fielding, and hitting click together.

Drew Kapusta looks like the ace backstop of the loop. Bud Stride may be his hurler and not a bad one at that. McElrath at short appears to hold their infield together.

Bob Todd and "Ike" Pierson both can clout the ball a country mile. Their value depends, however, upon a little more serious consideration of their flychasing roles.

The Sigs minus "Lefty" Stone are just another club. Ditto for the Phi Gams. No capable hurler graces their roster. The remaining clubs in all probability will be closely bunched.

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Mind Over Matter

Here's good news for you physics majors. Slide Rule, a horse owned by W. E. Boeing of aircraft fame, upset the dope by winning the Experimental Handicap at Jamaica last Thursday.

The victory puts "Slide Rule" in the spotlight for the Kentucky Derby.

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Play Ball!

Not only in the U. S. will this familiar cry be heard this summer. The national pastime has spread to the British Isles as well. For the first time, large scale American baseball will be played in London when the London International League gets going.

Lt. William Stern of New Jersey is in charge of the movement. Eight teams composed of Americans and Canadians will comprise the circuit. Crowds up to 50,000 are expected in view of the interest shown at exhibitions last summer.

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Two Ton Comes Back

Yes, sad but true—Tony Galento announced last week that he will launch a drive toward the heavyweight boxing championship.

Galento made this announcement in a typical setting—his Orange, N. J., oasis. He expects to trim twenty pounds from his obese frame before tangling with the better beakbusters.

Phi Delts, S.A.E. Take Loop Titles

Jim Brooks Posts 176 for High Game of Year

The Intramural Bowling schedule was completed Monday, the results showing the Phi Delts coming out victors in loop A, while the Sigs won in bracket B. With all the records destroyed, it is hard to pick a high team and individual scoring honors, but as far as can be ascertained, Sigma Alpha Epsilon racked up a total of 718 in one match to win team honors. Jim Brooks of the Sigs posted 176, the individual high score of the season.

The results of the matches are as follows:

League A

Phi Delta Theta 2—Alden Men 0.
Phi Gamma Delta 2—Phi Kappa Psi 1.
Phi Gamma Delta 2—Alden Men 0 (forfeit).
Phi Delta Theta 2—Phi Kappa Psi 0.
Phi Kappa Psi 2—Alden Men 0 (forfeit).
Phi Delta Theta 2 — Phi Gamma Delta 0.

League B

Alpha Chi Rho 2—Delta Tau Delta 0.
Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2 — Theta Chi 0.
Alpha Chi Rho 2—Theta Chi 0.
Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2—Alpha Chi Rho 0.
Theta Chi 2—Delta Tau Delta 0.
Sigma Alpha Epsilon 2—Delta Tau Delta 0.

All matches were two out of three games. The standings find the teams ranked thus:

League A:	W	L	Pts.
P. D. T.	3	0	30
P. G. D.	2	1	23
P. K. P.	1	2	16
A. M.	0	3	3
League B:	W	L	Pts.
S. A. E.	3	0	30
A. X. P.	2	1	23
T. C.	1	2	16
D. T. D.	0	3	9

The Sigs, with the best combine in league B, rolled over all competition without trouble. The Phi Delts, also favorites in their loop, won their first two matches easily, as did the Phi Gams, and the climax of official play was reached Monday afternoon when the Fijis took on the Terrace Street boys. Here are the individual scores in what turned out to be a poor exhibition of kegling as the the Phi Delts won with something to spare.

Phi Delta Theta		
Pierce	98	91
G. Nichols	98	109
Hileman	86	98
Klein	104	88
Peterson	112	102
P. Jones	147	107
Totals	559	501
Phi Gamma Delta		
R. Nichols	103	90
Gray	79	—
O'Brien	90	92
Frey	86	113
Beck	—	85
Daniels	89	96
Totals	447	376

The Phi Delts and Sigs will meet in an unofficial playoff sometime in the near future. No additional intramural points will be awarded in this game, however.

The Woman's Side

By MILLIE SHURTLEFF

The snow, sleet, and rain have pretty well washed out the baseball tournament. However, we hear from reliable sources that the games will be played off soon. Watch the bulletin board for the schedule!

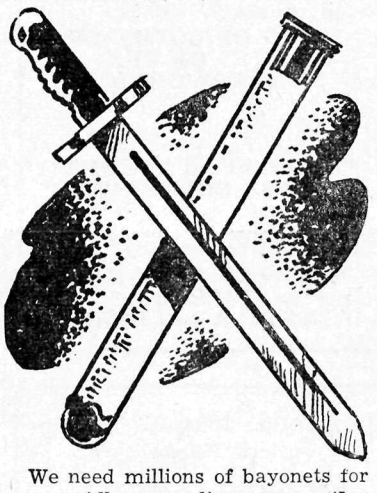
As for the ping-pong tournament —there are still about ten games in the first round which haven't been played. Please, girls, toss those fellows out and get your games over. All games scheduled in the first round **must** be playeff **by** Monday or else be forfeited.

The following are the candidates who have been chosen to represent the upperclass groups during the posture week. All names, however, have not been turned in.

Alpha Chis: Louise Parsons, Ruth Forrester.
Alpha Gams: Patty Wright, Barbara Keebler.
Alpha Xis: Dorothy Devlin, Helen Dickinson.
Thetas: Ellen Boyd, Ann Thoburn.
Kappas: Eleanor Kay Hutchinson, Kay White.
Theta Upsilon: Mary Anne Kocher, Beverly Rogers.

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An Allegheny Women Students meeting for the purpose of installing new officers, Senate members, and Senior Court members will take place Friday at 4:00 p.m. in the chapel. The installation will be presided over by Wilmah Beck, retiring president of the women students.

The new officers will be Caroline Emerson, '44, president; Emily Jane Gould, '44, vice-president; Mary McConnell, '45, recording secretary; Anne Stidger, '45, treasurer; Caroline Arentzen, '46, corresponding secretary.

The following women will be installed as senate members: Senior representatives: Barbara Keebler, Ruth Hammon, Marjorie Jenkins.

Junior representatives: Joan Hexter, Louise Schweitzer, Frances Smith.

Sophomore representatives: Carol Blake, Patricia Painter, Janet Zimmerman.

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STARS and STRIPES

I haven't been in camp for a week and a half. We have been out on the rifle range all that time. We made believe that we were out on the battle-field and we slept out and ate our chow in the field. Ever since the first day that we left camp, a week and a half ago, it has rained steadily. When it rains in Texas, this place turns into a sea of mud. Every inch of clothes that I had on (that includes everything) had a half inch of mud all over it. Never in my life have I looked such a mess. I even look better when I'm drunk.

I didn't go so badly out on the range. We had to make a score of 147 to qualify and I managed a 188. If this were peace time, I would have received a marksman's medal for my score, but this is the Army. What I'm really proud of is that on rapid fire I got 13 bull's eyes! I had the highest score on rapid fire for our whole battery.

George Hanson
Headquarters Battern 98 FABN
A.P.O. 450
Camp Howze, Texas

Well, I missed college so much I decided, at the Army's command of course, to go back, only this time I landed at Oklahoma A. & M. No kidding, it is a swell place here. A huge campus, a great many new buildings, including a football stadium and a beautiful new auditorium for basketball.

Besides the Clerical School for the Air Corps and the regular college students, coeds of course, there are groups of Waves, Spars, Naval Units, and ROTC training here. There are actually more females here than males. But we don't have much time to see each other as we are on the night schedule now for the first four weeks.

For the first four weeks we are going to school at night. We get up at 7:45, eat at 8:00 and until 11:20 our time is our own. Then we have 1½ hours of calisthenics and drill—there is also a snappy obstacle course here—and at 1:00 we study until lunch at 2:15.

P.F.C. Richard G. Thorpe
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A. & M. College, E. & O. Clerical School
Class 43-5, Section L
Army Air Forces
Technical Training Command
Stillwater, Oklahoma

I sure wish I were in Meadville. At least it's bigger than the biggest city (?) anywhere near here. Maybe you read about the much-decorated 19th Bombardment Group; well, we have them stationed at this field. They can really tell us some pretty wild and hair-breadth stories. We are working on the B-17s. By the way, the Suzy-Q belongs to the 19th Bombardment Group and it was here during the decoration ceremony.

Pvt. H. Soderling
398th Service Squadron
Army Air Base
Pyote, Texas

The March 11 issue of the **Campus** lies on the Chippendale desk, model 1917, before me. This is not an alumnus writing to inform the President that the college newspaper is Red; it is well and appreciatively read all over. Incidentally, the mention of that color in connection with the paper brings to mind that other occasion on which I took my pen in hand to assist an editor who was short on copy. Of course there is no similarity; the editor now has so many letters from Allegheny servicemen that he can't print them—or so he says. Probably this effort will not be so favorable received as the last.

Nevertheless, all this is aside from the point. I said I came bearing the branch and so be it. My real purpose in writing was not to laugh at my comrades in arms, or comrades to be; they're doing a fine job for my money; nor did I intend to heckle the editor and staff who seem to be discharging their duties with distinction. Nor have I received a Congressional Medal of Honor about which I am secretly dying to tell the old school—Congress will have to dream up some sort of booby prize for awkward boys before Allegheny can erect a placque in my dishonor. The real reason—don't be impatient, Bross used to tell me I was verbose too—is to commend whomever it is that mails me the **Campus.** My grapevine, which works remarkably well even at this distance, informs me that it is a **Campus** project. If such is not the case, the effort is no less worthy. Wherever I am, in the middle of a bayonet charge or ripping a **censored,** when the **Campus** carrier arrives I drink a bottle of Pepsi Cola and hold back the dawn 'til I have familiarized myself with the latest developments in the academic world.

Seriously I appreciate it.
1st Lt. Cassius McGrew, U.S.M.C.R.
I Btry., 12th Defense Bn., F.M.F.
c/o Fleet Post Office
San Francisco, Cal.

Had the extreme pleasure of reading one Allegheny **Campus** the other day. Noted contained therein a column for the boys in service. Always wanted to write for the **Campus,** so am taking this belated opportunity to do so.

Had the pleasure of spending my basic training period at Miami Beach, Fla. There were a lot of Alleghenians there, so I wasn't too lonesome. Florida is **all** they say about it.

Am now out west here with the Indians, studying various procedures the Army deems necessary to Keep 'Em Flying. It's all very interesting and vital, so **they** say.

Here with me are Hank Gardner, Dan Sklarsky, Barney Radov, Red Meikle, and Mel Gerseny. We are all dreaming about spring at Allegheny.

Visited S.A.E. here at Oklahoma A. & M. It's rated tops here too, just as it is everywhere I am familiar with. **(I hope the Campus isn't as partisan as it used to be, and prints this.)**

Do I like Uncle Sam's Air Force? The answer can be found in Dr. Buckingham's Psychology 2. That word "adjustment" can cover a lot of territory.

May there be all 1's to brighten your horizon these days.

Pfc. John Caruthers, '43
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I definitely do not get up at 5:15 a.m. any more. Now it's 3:45!!! I go to the first shift of three shifts of classes a day. These classes run 7 days a week, 18 hours a day. We have classes six hours straight, with 5 minute breaks between each. These classes usually do make the hours fly.

I like it here at Scott Field a lot. It may sound hard not being allowed off the field, but one night per week, but there's lots to do here. Every inspection, no matter if I have my hair cut that morning, the Major gets me for a hair cut. He's probably jealous—he looks like a cue ball.

There are four good movie theatres on the post (15c adm) showing the latest pictures, PX's galore, bowling alleys, gymnasiums, swimming pools, and a good many dances. Each Squadron has two day rooms. In each are magazines, writing desks, radios, pingpong tables, pool tables, checker, etc. Also a fiction library. You see we have lots to do.

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